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1. K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@ham.com
Message-ID: <38E65C9F.8128E556@ham.com>
Source record: 115284

w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:

> AF2Y for all your hollering and tomfoolary, the fact is you have
> received three letters from the FCC. One for your telephone
> interference ???? session of tape playing on 14313, and the other two
> for diliberate inteference to ongoing qsos.
>
> How many time are you going to be allowed to interfere with amateurs
> before the FCC decides to pull the plug on your "Radio Fun".
>
> The best thing for you to do, is to nstop the qrm and run a law
> abiding operation . If you are not able to do this, maybe it is time
> for you to find a new hobby.
>
> Just quit qrming , its as simple as that.
>
> You can post your silliness here with out harm to any one, keep doing
> it.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

Word has it that the idiot K1TP has been jamming on twenty and seventy five meters as well. He is the latest moron to fall under the spell of jammers AF2Y, N9PGE, and the rest of the bad seed Goodfellows. Even his stupid webpage at http://members.aol.com/jcunham/ shows the control this jamming bunch of malcontents have over this moron. Riley has already received jamming reports from the Massachusetts area, and hopefully this libeling, jamming idiot will be busted soon as well.

2. AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c5m9p$vi5$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115285

Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to .313 and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag KT4TR telling everyone that little Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba with his red herring poppa. Like hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave that kid here! Wanna know why? Here's some reasons. First of all, the kid's mother DIED bringing the child to freedom? The U.S.A. is to let her die in vain? Since when doesn't this country recognize the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression? Next, how about the theologic angle? Consider this: that little boy can now go to church. I assume he's a Roman Catholic as are 99.9% of Cubans and now he can go to Mass without Fidel's sonofabitch red secret police watching who enters and leaves churches. We call ourselves good Christians, good Jews etc. Are we to therefore deny that God in his infinite wisdom had no purpose in allowing that child to LIVE and live FREE while all the others on the raft perished? Is there not a possibility that Elian was SENT HERE by the hand of God almighty to mature in a free land and to later on pay back this country with greatness in a certain field of endeavor? Think about it folks..you think things happen by accident? Thirdly, since the Mariel boatlift was encouraged and since we hardly ever send back illegal immigrants from the Caribbean and Mexico, why then does the State Department have such a "thing" for little Elian's return? Has Reno and Clinton lost their minds making such an issue over a six year old kid? Why not let the kid decide? Who says he's so close to daddy? Who says he can't stand his guardians in Miami and the atmosphere and the toys and games and kids who are now his friends? Although the Miami Cuban population has no right in threatening riots if Elian is forced out of the U.S.A., they still have a good reason to be mad as hell and so does every person in this nation who loves and respects liberty. There's only one person who has gained from this travesty-lousy Castro which is exactly what he seeks. You think he really cares about the welfare of Elian's father or of Elian himself? All Fidel seeks is the same type of embarrassment for the USA that we suffered when he stuffed some of his Mariel boatlift vessels with criminals and dregs of society. By sending that kid back we play right into the hands of the bearded one and we suffer a black eye. Keep Elian here IF HE HIMSELF WANTS TO STAY, with or without poppa. And if he stays, on April 15th take him to a VEC to make him an Extra and we'll all be able to talk to him a day later.
AF2Y,Doc

3. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <cStF4.19768$QJ3.3175797@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115286
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > You sound like a bleeding heart liberal with a touchy, feely
: > story to whip up emotions.
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: Actually, I'm a Libertarian trying to get people to use their
: thought processes and wake up before it's too late. When you
: can just shrug off a homicide committed by the police against
: an absolutely innocent citizen, it may be too late to save the
: country from becoming a fascist police state. Next time it may
: be you or me.

But you use the emotional twisting style. Cops make mistakes,
mistakes that are costly. But they are not just running out killing
people at will. And we are still a long way towards becoming a
police state. All that is happening is that we are returning to the
more conservative values we used to have. Unfortunately those
individuals on the edges of society are pushing limits. These individuals
must be reeled in and brought under control. Thus we send more
to prison where we used to use other means of discipline. For
one thing, those on the edges of society have abused the rest
of us, especially when we give them another chance.
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <sUtF4.19769$QJ3.3176723@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115287
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > Poor folks need to learn to shut up and do as their
: > betters tell to.
:
: Just like they did in WWII Germany, eh?

Actually the poor were very supportive of
the government then. The German government
of the era was not as repressive to it own people
as it was to those countries it conquered.

But if you do not have the money, you can not
afford American justice. If you can not afford
to play the game then it is best that you not play.
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5. Re: Newsgroup Announcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <t7uF4.19782$QJ3.3181125@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115288
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > Not at all. I've decided to follow one of Murphy's Laws. "Never
: > argue with a moron. People might not be able to tell the
: > difference."
:
: Want to wager some money on who has the higher IQ?
:
: Our argument was not over abortion. Our argument was over the
: foundations of the scientific method. Scientifically speaking,
: elective abortion is killing a fetus.

True.

: Is it legal to kill a fetus during the third trimester?
: Yes, it is presently perfectly legal.

Currently it is. Roe vs Wade did allow
for regulation of third trimester abortions,
as the proceedure is as harmful as giving
birth. Also abortion is the least regulated
surgical procedure.

: Is it wrong to kill a viable fetus during the third trimester?
: My personal opinion is, yes, it is wrong and I would vote to
: change the law.
:
: See how easy it is to be rational and logical without having
: to resort to obfuscation?

Just as with gun control, there are moderate regulations
that could be applied in order to limit abuse.
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6. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000401165609.22701.00001108@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 115289

This really shouldn't surprise anyone. Just the continuation of our government's insatiable desire to control and regulate every aspect of our lives from cradle to grave.

7. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000401165611.22701.00001112@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 115290

In article <8zqqhf$XY32$2@nnrp1.deja.com>, jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) writes:

>To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
>really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
>what must be done.

...a solid 30db over S-9 on the trusty 'ol "TROLL 'O METER!"

8. FS HEAVY DUTY TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: genno <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <38e67128$0$40275@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 115291
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have the MFJ-962B 1 1/2 KW tuner. It is in "mint"condition. Best offer
over 150.00 + shipping.

thanks. GENE/WM9H

wm9h@execpc.com

9. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Van Allen <yonnie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38E65BA3.FA036981@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 115292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John, either you are a troll looking for a fight, or you are badly misinformed. The fact that you compare cellular privacy to listening to police communications on a scanner is absurd.

The Communications Act of 1934 specifically affirms the right of the public to have access to the radio frequency spectrum it owns. That means you and me John.

We are the people who own the spectrum, not the CTIA and not the local police department. The Communications Act re-write of 1998 again reaffirmed public safety comms are in the public domain. Every bill that has been voted on specifically leaves that portion of the spectrum intact for public access. You don't think encryption is practical? You obviously haven't talked to anyone using Astro digital trunked systems, for instance. Is your cellular phone digital? Try to hear it with ANY scanner! You can't, period.

Besides, most law enforcement agencies realize the value of having extra eyes and ears in the scanning public helping them identify and locate criminals. Of course sensitive comms should be secure, but even the military realizes that secure comms are the responsibility, and indeed the burden, of the sender. Making something "illegal" never has, and never will, guarantee that is cease to exist.

Do you think for one minute the ECPA of 1986 and subsequent legislation really gives cellular customers REAL privacy? Of course not, but idiots like Tom Wheeler of the CTIA keep wasting money on ridiculous political solutions to the issue of privacy when that issue could have been solved long ago by spending that money on going digital, which they have done anyway, making all that legislation a moot point!

I agree that phone calls should be private, but telling people they cannot listen in on a scanner is simply avoiding the real issue.

You want privacy? Tell your cellular provider that you won't settle for anything less than full digital! Don't shove the issue back on scanner owners, bitching about it doesn't make it reality!

As far your opposition to listening in on police, it doesn't take a whole lot of smarts to know what every single totalitarian regime has ever done first, limit the public's information. The rest is real easy to figure out. Thank God, your opinion is a minuscule minority, and common sense has prevailed. Let's all hope it continues to do so.

Jon

John Bowers wrote:

> It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
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> For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
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> tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
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10. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti2@mailbox.bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <38E66B4B.B506739@mailbox.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 115293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: dconti2.vcf

John,

I said it once, and I'll say it again! WELL DONE!

Also, I'll say it once, and again and again...these newsgroups are loaded with BOOBS, who NEVER have a clue as to what they are talking about.

Let's ban everything, scanners, books, you name it...ban it all.

BTW, I grabbed a SONY as well....HELL OF A DEAL....enjoy yours, and shoot me a line in between blasting the morons here.

Dan :)

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[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

11. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38E67963.2AFEB46C@oio.net>
Source record: 115294

Doc,
Sorry, but your argument is based on emotion, not
logic or law. What is the 'line' of responsibility
when one parent dies? If I'm not mistaken, first in
line is the surviving parent, right? (common law)
Another 'law' thats being broken deals with 'kidnapping',
and the U.S. is guilty of that if we do not return the
boy to his father.(federal statute)
Aside from all that, had any 'Moon Pies' lately?
73
W5LZ

12. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <38e67a2b.21618022@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 115295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

13. Re: Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 56)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <flkdsjaf@sdkjfhsfsdkjf.fal.pp>
Message-ID: <16vces00i2a31djldrburpgrl2ejvupu61@4ax.com>
Source record: 115296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

On 01 Apr 2000 13:42:15 GMT, Scanner Dweeb... the comic strip
<20000401084215.07670.00000465@ng-fd1.aol.com> wrote:

>The 56th episode of
>The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
>titled " In the rough "
>is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
>http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
>And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

Careful Scanner Dweeb, soon Congress will pass the Golfer Communications
Privacy Act making it illegal to listen to golfers using eavesdropping devices!
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Kevin
http://nworegon.htmlplanet.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL
and Ham Radio topics and links.

14. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <8c5ur9$f20@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 115297
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 2000 - ILLINOIS
last updated March 27, 2000 |

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, John Wass KA9QJX, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

APRIL 2000

Apr 2 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see | below). DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm Rd. & Man- | chester Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2. |

Apr 7-8 (Fri, Sat.): Milwaukee, IL - AES Superfest at AES Milwaukee store, 5710 W. Good Hope Rd. 2PM-7PM. (Fri.), 8:30AM-4PM (Sat.) 35 manufacturers. Free Admission, manufacturers reps, flea market, forums, as well as store specials and closeouts. Also Radio Recyclers next to AES. For further info call Ray at (414) 358-4088, email at raykhk9w@aol.com or check out the Web site at http://www.aes/jam.com

Apr 9 (Sun) - Stoughton, WI - Madison Swapfest. Mandt Commumity Center, Stoughton Junior Fair Grounds, Stoughton WI. Doors open at 8AM. Tickets $5. talk-in on 147.15 repeater. Info: write to (SASE) MARA, Box 8890, Madison, WI 53708-8890. Swapfest Info Line (608) 245-8890 24 hrs/day. http://www.qsl.net/mara

Apr 15 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Apr 16 (Sun): Orland Park, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale | (see below). Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & Lagrange | Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2. |

Apr 29 (Sat): Stickney, IL - DuPage ARC. Hawthorne Race Course, 3500 S. Cicero Ave. Admission $6. Talk-in 145.25 repeater. http://www.w9dup.org, Info: Ed Weinstein, WD9AYR, 7511 Walnut Avenue, Woodridge, IL 60517. Phone: 630-985-9256. Email: DARCHamfest@aol.com,

Apr 30 (Sun): Arthur, IL - Moultrie ARK. Info: Ralph Zancha, WC9V, PO Box 55, Lovington, IL 61937. Phone: 217-873-5287. Email: rzancha@one-eleven.net

Apr 30 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

Apr 30 (Sun): Galva, IL - W9YPS Hamfest, Area Amateur Radio Operators club. Galva National Guard Armory. Morgan Rd. Admission $5. Info: Phil IMes, WD9IRE, kewphil@cin.net or Bill Anderson WA9BA, bill@inw.net

MAY 2000

May 6 (Sat) - Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee RC Hamfest, Circle B Recreation Center (St. Hwy 60 and Ozaukee Cty I) Admission $4. VEC Exams 9AM-Noon. Info: AA9HR (262)377-2137 (6PM-8PM), email aa9hr@execpc.com or write O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, 1702 Holly Lane, Grafton, WI 53024

May 7 (Sun) - Sandwich, IL - DeKalb Hamfest; Sandwich Fairgrounds (intersection of Suydam and Gletty roads). 8AM - 1PM, admission - $6.00, 2 indoor buildings. No VEC testing. Talk-in on 146.730/- or 146.520. Info: W9ICU at (815)895-3219, email W9ICU@tbcnet.com. http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm

May 13 (Sat): Manitowoc, WI - Lakeshore Hamfest, Mancorad RC. Manitowoc County Expo Center, intersection of HWYS 42-15 and I-43 on County R. Starts 8AM. VEC exams at Silver Lake College, Hwy 151 West (regestration closes at 9 AM). Admission $5. Talk-in 146.61/-. Info: Red (920)684-3733 or Fred (920)682-9264. Mancorad Radio Club, P.O. Box 204, Manitowoc, WI 54221-0204.

May 19-21 (Fri-Sun): Dayton, Ohio - Dayton Hamvention; Hara Arena. Admission $22 (advance - $16) for three days; talk-in on 146.94/- , 146.91/-. Biggest hamfest in USA. Info: call (937)276-6934 or write Hamvention, Box 964, Dayton, OH 45401-0964. Email: info@hamvention.org or see web page http://www.hamvention.org

May 20 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

May 21 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm Rd. & Manchester Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2.

May 28 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College

Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JUNE 2000

Jun 4 (Sun): Princeton - IL Starved Rock RC. Bureau County Fairgrounds. Exit 56 from I-80. Admission $7 (ouch!) at gate. Talk-in 146.955, -600, PL103.5 Hz. info: AL Erbrederis, tel. 1-815-498-9675, 262 Easy St., Somanauk IL.60552. ERB.N9PIB@juno.com. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks. E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 11 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. http://cyberconnect.com/orion/smcc.html. Info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Avenue, Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. Tel: 630-963-4922 or 708-442-4961 . Email: wa9rij@mc.net

Jun 24 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jun 25 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JULY 2000

Jul 8 (Sat): Oak Creek, WI - South Milwaukee ARC. American Legion Post 434, 9327 South Shepard Ave. Admission $5. Talk-in 146.52 MHz. Info, call (414)762-3235.

Jul 9 (Sun): Peotone, IL - Kankakee Area Radio Society, Will County Fairgrounds. I-57 to Peotone exist 327 (East). Free parking. Talk-in 146.94 MHz. http://www.w9az.com. Admission $5. Info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. Tel: 815-939-7548. Email: k9nr@juno.com

Jul 15 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jul 23 (Sun): Sugar Grove, IL - Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. Admission $5. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html Info: Maurice Schietecatte, W9CEO, 813 Cindy Lane, Sandwich, IL 60548. Tel: 815-786-2860. Email: w9ceo@arrl.net (good, small to midsized hamfest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 2000

Aug 12 (Sat): Quincy, IL - Western Illinois ARC. http://www.qsl.net/w9awe. Info: Jim Funk, N9JF, PO Box 3132, Quincy, IL 62305-3132. Tel: 217-336-4191 . Email: jfunk@adams.net

Aug 13 (Sun): Peotone, IL - 66th Annual Hamfesters Hamfest. Will County Fairgrounds. 45 mintues from Downtown Chicago, take I-57 to Peotone Exut 327 (East). 35 acres of free parking. 14,200 square feet of exhibits open at 8 AM. Flea market open at 6 AM to 3 PM. No additional charge for flea market space. Rain or shine -six covered pavilions for Flea Market. Tickets are $4.00 in advance with double stub, $5.00 at gate with single stub. Children under 12 free. Advance ticket sales and information: SASE and check by July 25th, Christine Mack, PO Box 2161, Oak Park, IL 60303. tel. 708-358-1786, email: christine1@mediaone.net. Talk in on 146.52 simplex and 146.64-(107.2) Stars Repeater

Aug 19 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Aug 27 (Sun): Danville, IL - Vermilion County ARA. Info: Gary Denison, KA9SKS, 14704 East 2750 North Road, Danville, IL 61834-5610. Tel: 217-759-7389 . Email: gdenison@danville.net

Aug 27 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

SEPTEMBER 2000

Sep 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Sep 16 & 17 (Sat & Sun): Peoria, IL - Peoria Area ARC. Info: Ron Morgan, KB9NW, or John Coker, N9FAM, both c/o: PO Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel: (309)692-3378. Email kb9nw@juno.com or n9fam@juno.com. http://www.peoriasuperfest.com

Sep 23 & 24 (Sat & Sun): Grayslake, IL - Chicago FM Club Radio Expo. Lake County Fairgrounds. http://www.chicagofmclub.org. Admission $8, good both days. Info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Avenue, Norridge, IL 60706. Tel: 708-457-0966, Email: mbrost@cin.net (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

Sep 24 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College

Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

OCTOBER 2000

Oct 14 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Oct 22 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

NOVEMBER 2000

Nov 5 (Sun): Davenport, IA - Davenport Radio Club. Iowa National Guard Hanger, Mt. Joy Airport. Talk-in 146.88 MHz repeater. http://www.gwltd.com/hamfest

Nov 18 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Nov 18, 19 (Sat, Sun): Ft. Wayne, IN Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo. Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society. 2000 Indiana ARRL State Convention. Allen County War Memorial Coliseum Exposition Center. Hours 9 AM - 4 PM EST Sat, 9 AM - 3 PM EST Sun. Admission $5 plus $2 parking. http://www.acarts.com

Nov 26 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

DECEMBER 2000

Dec 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are held by Micro Media, Inc. Shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County

Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL.
Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on
the mailing list or get more information, call (708)974-
3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer
expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30
AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies,
games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors,
diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables,
expansion boards, services, etc. Lake County Fairgrounds,
Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall
Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet. For a show map, exhibitor
info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at
http://www.ccxpo.com.

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15. WTB: UNIDEN HR-2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eagle One <zbr@edmail.com>
Message-ID: <%ovF4.2298$6j4.144313@news1.primary.net>
Source record: 115298
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Want to buy Uniden HR-2510 10 meter radios. New or used. Please include your asking price on first e-mail. Send replies to: radiobuyer@hotmail.com

16. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Notthemama <willandroa23deletethis@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c61a4tfp1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

>
> It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.

If I've said it once, I've said it a thousand times, if you want to have a
private conversation, keep your waves out of my body!
Any radio waves caught invading my personal human body WILL BECOME MY
PERSONAL PROPERTY! After all it is giving me cancer.
>
> For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
> you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.

Already was.
>
> Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> element, and not any government which acts to block you.

No one tapped your phone, you chose to blast your message out into the open,
not me. Use your wired phone if you want to be private.
And thanks for dropping in to a newsgroup to enlighten the little people.
You can go back to ripping the wings off flys now, if your mama doesn't
catch you!
Are you constipated, or just an asshole?

17. Antenna range program...Anyone????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel nicholson <dnicholson@socket.net>
Message-ID: <sed278le9121@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115300

I am looking for a program that will let me figure general range of an antenna system in the VHF/UHF range based on output power, antenna type, and height of antenna. Anyone know of such an animal? I have ASA for antenna gain and also a program for antenna patterns but I need one for range figures....Trying to see what the best locations for my ham repeaters and remote receivers would be.

Thanks Dan

18. Re: Newsgroup Announcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E68C3F.6A4160BB@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115301
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
> Just as with gun control, there are moderate regulations
> that could be applied in order to limit abuse.

In the case of guns, a good start would be to enforce the
laws we already have and keep the armed criminals in jail.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

19. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E68EEE.340F9EE7@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115302
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
> But you use the emotional twisting style. Cops make mistakes,
> mistakes that are costly. But they are not just running out killing
> people at will.

Of course they are, just like they did during prohibition. We
never learn. Adults using drugs in the privacy of their own
homes have a perfect right to do so and a large percentage of
the population do just that. Many entertainers and even
politicians smirk and admit doing such when they were young,
but not presently (yeah, right). The war on drugs is a
ploy by the government to take away the individual rights
of the citizens and it is working.

I use drugs every day - caffine to wake me up, St. John's Wort
to stabilize my moods, and scotch to calm me down. Marijuana would
be a lot better for my health than scotch but it seems the government
would rather I have liver problems than smoke a God-given weed.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

20. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E68F73.11E95529@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115303
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
> The German government
> of the era was not as repressive to it own people
> as it was to those countries it conquered.

Hmmmmmm, somebody forgot to tell the German Jewish citizens.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

21. HAM RADIO RESOURCES SITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: F6KEH <f6keh@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <8c63f3$ig2$4@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 115304

Ham radio site :
F6KEH RESOURCES RELAY has been updated !

Visit it at : http://www.f6keh.free.fr/index_r

22. Re: Antenna range program...Anyone????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38E6977B.6D68FE78@oio.net>
Source record: 115305

Dan,
I don't think there is one, too many variables, the
'biggest' being propagation. You might try a 'line of
sight' program(distance to horizon based on ant.height).
That ought to give you a 'ball-park' figure to play
with.
'Doc

23. Miniprop Plus, Run time error 200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Louis Sica, Jr. (AC0X)" <ac0x@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <hpxF4.1495$75.35997@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 115306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I'm trying to install Miniprop Plus 2.5 on my Pentium II 333, and I keep getting a Run Time Error 200. Anyone have any ideas what this is/how I can resolve it?

24. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0b7bd549.4ddead51@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>
Source record: 115307

Don't forget Doc's ego! If he can't find an arguement about .313,
he will find something else to drag to this neswgroup. Shame on
you Doc!! Leave your diatribe in the toilet bowl.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

25. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Notthemama <willandroa23deletethis@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c6faajac1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

APRIL FOOL!
John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8zqqhf$XY32$2@nnrp1.deja.com...
> On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
> : Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> : (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> : 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> : Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> : of what type of technology is used.
>
> It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
> For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
> you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
>
> Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
> potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
> be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
> and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
> because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
> why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
> encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
> jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> be banned too.
>
> But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
> design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
> reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
> police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
> the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
> To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
> really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> what must be done.
>
> Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive

> element, and not any government which acts to block you.

26. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kokomo_guy <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200004020403.XAA07263@cotse.com>
Source record: 115309

KC8JBO wrote:

> Hostname: host-216-78-36-18.ath.bellsouth.net
> IP Address: 216.78.36.18

And then followed that with

> Shutup, Lloyd.

Which made me laugh 'til I cried!

With all of the evidence right in front of your nose, you
never, never
get it right. This time, the poster was Jimmy O'Brien; not
Lloyd!!!

And when you thought it was Jimmy, it was really Danny!!!

Well, at least you're consistently maintaining your 0%
batting average.
--
Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

27. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
Message-ID: <38E6C5D0.D200BE7C@uk2.net>
Source record: 115310

Consider this: what if the situation were reversed and Elian and the father and (late) mother were from the US and the great uncles, etc were from Cuba and Elian had ended up in Cuba with them? Wouldn't we want him back, and EXPECT to have him returned? I rest my case.

Erik, KK7OA

Dan Finn wrote:
>
> I generally agree with you Doc, but, no this time. What is wrong with
> someone going HOME?
> If Cuba sends all of the kid's classmates here, are we morally .....

28. Re: Miniprop Plus, Run time error 200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Ruhl <ricker@cssincorp.com>
Message-ID: <sedhilai980@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

It's known bug in the old DOS Turbo Pascal compiler. Compiled program have this error on machines faster than 200 MHZ.

See http://www.intel.com/support/processors/pentiumII/run200.htm for all the info.

--
Rick Ruhl
President, Creative Services Software
http://www.cssincorp.com

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news:hpxF4.1495$75.35997@ptah.visi.com...
> I'm trying to install Miniprop Plus 2.5 on my Pentium II 333, and I keep
> getting a Run Time Error 200. Anyone have any ideas what this is/how I can
> resolve it?
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29. Re: Newsgroup Announcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sideband@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38E6D76E.58EE4250@mindspring.com>
Source record: 115312
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

W6RCecilA wrote:

> N9NWO wrote:
> > Just as with gun control, there are moderate regulations
> > that could be applied in order to limit abuse.
>
> In the case of guns, a good start would be to enforce the
> laws we already have and keep the armed criminals in jail.

Exactly. If I am willing to commit murder and break a law that has the possible penalty of life in prison or death, why would I not also be willing to break 100 laws that lead up to that.

"I was going to shoot the MF in the head but he was on private property so I couldn't get near him."
"I was gonna rob the bank but I didn't have change for the parking meter and couldn't park out front."
"I was going to mow down a crowd of people at the mall with gunfire but I only had hi capacity mags. and my firearm wasn't registered so I couldn't do it."

If violent criminals are released back into the population they have only been delayed from their violent crimes. Not stopped
Sorry a little ot but I had to say it and here seemed like as good a place as any.

30. Re: Miniprop Plus, Run time error 200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harv Shore <af006@lafn.org>
Message-ID: <8c6rft$f9l$1@zook.lafn.org>
Source record: 115313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

The problem is related to the PASCAL compiler used in the design of MP.
If you check with the author -- W6EL - he will be able to assist you. While
the product is no longer marketed, Shel supports registered users.

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news:hpxF4.1495$75.35997@ptah.visi.com...
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> getting a Run Time Error 200. Anyone have any ideas what this is/how I can
> resolve it?
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31. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c3etr$v7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115384

In article <13281-38E45305-44@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> His deep voice reverberating in speakers worldwide, Trist Merman,
WA1COD
> intones: "You're listening to Network NinKnee, hours ahead when
minutes
> will do.
>
> "You're tuned to world news. At week's end NinKnee dispatched a jump
> team to Russia in another rescue mission, this time to save the
country.
> Our last in January to New Guinea was an unqualified success. NinKnee
> succeeded in brokering peace with only its microphones and keen
> understanding of human nature. A stunning achievement.
>
> "And now, the ham of the hour and of every year," Trist says, reading
> from his script, "probably the most famous ham in the world, the
> incomparable, unparalleled Len Master."
>
> "Why thank you for those spontaneous words, Trist. Tonight we're going
> to give you the inside track on Part 97. Forget what the FCC says; in
> the loop, we have the story right here at world headquarters in
> Mechanics, Maine.
>
> "My guest tonight calls himself a distinguished talk show host.
> (Agitated) Golly, I'm the only distinguished talk show host here. I'm
> the founder of NinKnee, the leader, the pioneer. You can become a
> member and get a free credit card as well as life insurance at bargain
> rates.
> (Composed again) Let's take a break for our guest. But stay tuned for
> the honest truth, my views.
>
> "And now here's the Caribbean mouthpiece, celebrated contest-winner,
> consummate communicator who pushed the frontiers of telephony to the
> federal courthouse, Blurb Honetree. Welcome to our microphones,
Blurb."
>
> "A pleasure to be here; after all it is legal for me to talk with you
by
> telephone," says Blurb convincingly.
>
> Picking up the cue, Trist cuts in, turning off Blurb's mic. input,
> "Speaking of telephones, you know that I've done the most famous
> interviews in the world. What I do here makes Barbara Walters' stuff

> look like childs' play. I saved Mexico City after the horrendous
> earthquake, have' been toasted in the Maine legislature and
proclaimed a
> hero in their record. I've been received by the KGB in Moscow, have
> signed a monumental accord with the Young Communist League and--don't
> forget--the Bib Seron eulogy on our birthday show, 'Cheers from the
> Kitchen.' (Aside) Bib, I'm still touched. (Serious) I'm the Larry King
> of ham radio but better."
>
> Blurb (emphatically): "Let me get a word in edgewise!"
>
> "No, wait your turn. When I formed the well respected KneeNee,"--
click.
> Len trails off as Blurb hangs up.
>
> Undaunted, Trist continues, "Thank you for calling, Blurb. (Pause) I
> understand you had another call. (Circumspect) For my listeners
> circling the globe, this show can go on unattended, without a guest,
> without listeners and without the blessing of the FCC."
>
> So much for my fictional account of life before Riley Hollingsworth,
> Esq. I hope you've enjoyed as many side-splitting laughs as I have,
> committing these musings to posterity.
>
> The bottom line is, I don't take himself any more seriously than my
> fictional characters.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

LOL!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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32. Re: More Excuses No.15/16

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve L." <m1bjr@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <8c3eg3$s79$1@uranium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 115385
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Damn, I must be drinker then I fought heheh.
I was hoping to get round the YL with number 15....

DTC <dtc@muenster.de> wrote in message news:8c247drdh3@news.citykom.de...
> Dear YLs and OM,
>
> DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
> local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
> well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.
>
> Currently three speeds are offered for download:
>
> Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr16_90.mid
>
> Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr16_60.mid
>
> Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr16_45.mid
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>
> Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr15_90.mid
>
> Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr15_60.mid
>
> Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr15_45.mid
>
> Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
> Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
> ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
> may be accessed at DTC's web site using
>
> http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html
>
> Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org
>
> 73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
> Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.
>
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>
> | DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
> | .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
> | URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
> | Email: dtc@muenster.de |

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33. Re: Can anyone help this guy for me?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcmp_occ@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <38e5682c.2443832@news.netrover.com>
Source record: 115386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yeppers.
I don't know about the 212, but the 242 has two little blue jumbers
(marked 000) on them.
if you snip the one closest to the VFO knob, it'll open it from 136 to
174 fer ya.
Mike

On Fri, 31 Mar 2000 23:52:58 GMT, k8cpa@qsl.net (Chuck K8CPA) wrote:

>Hey All,
>
>Can anyone help this fellow?
>
>
>73's
>
>-Chuck
>
>----------
>From: "marvin moss" <mmoss@mindspring.com>
>To: <k8cpa@qsl.net>
>Subject: Re: Review: Radio Shack's HTX-242 2 Meter Radio
>Date: Thu, 30 Mar 2000 22:55:25 -0500
>X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
>X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 5.00.2314.1300
>X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft MimeOLE V5.00.2314.1300
>X-Delivery: Mail.com IDA 1.11
>
>Enjoyed your review. I have a HTX-212 and can only open the TX up to
>143
>to 149. I need to go down to 142 for MARS. I know about the mod for
>the
>242 but the 212 does not have the resistors on the back of the front
>panel.
>Do you have any thoughts on the subject?
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>73's,
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>Marv
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>
> Chuck K8CPA
>Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
>E-mail:MailTo:k8cpa@qsl.net or
>MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com
>ICQ: 17045539
>Firetalk:237969
>AOL IM: RadioMan29
>Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
>(Download at http://www.firetalk.com)
>
>

34. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c3k1p$d43$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>Someone wrote:

>>>Because the NCTA was asking for change and they got it. Now the
>>>PCTA is asking for that change to be undone, i.e. a step backwards.

>> Seems to me that it was the NCTA who were demanding taking a step
>> backwards (remembering that at one time, there was no code exam).

>And at one time there were no radio rules or regulations. Just how far back
>do you wish to push the NCTA?

Off a cliff? =:)

I'm not pushing anyone or anything. I was quite happy with the status quo.
Their years of whining has pushed us back to the 1912 testing speed of
5 wpm.

73, Jeff KH6O

35. Re: Please help identify this HF amp (pic)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c3q5b$av8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115388

In article <8CVE4.28182$YU2.578374@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>,
"Chuck O'Neal" <coneal@ultranet.com> wrote:
> That is a National NCL-2000
> Nice amp. Uses a pair of 8122's in the final
> Very little drive required. Aprox 25 watts.
> I would love to fine one myself!!
> 73,
> Chuck...K1KW
> Definitely National NCL 2000 went with the NCX 1000 and made a
beautiful station in the mid 70's 73
>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

36. Its April 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronber@one.net.au
Message-ID: <38f16601.7875902@news.one.net.au>
Source record: 115389

Last chance to get your comfort microphone
Just for fun on April 1
http://members.xoom.com/micsound
Make sure you email the inventor of this
astonishing device.
Link at the bootom of the page

37. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8c3psk$bnu@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 115390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
: >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
: >>Someone wrote:

: >And at one time there were no radio rules or regulations. Just how far back
: >do you wish to push the NCTA?

: Off a cliff? =:)

: I'm not pushing anyone or anything. I was quite happy with the status quo.
: *Their* years of whining has pushed us back to the 1912 testing speed of
: 5 wpm.

I thought PCAs wanted status quo. Isn't 1912 good enough? ;-)

: 73, Jeff KH6O
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Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

38. KDK FM-2030 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org
Message-ID: <GCfF4.63619$AT6.69248@dfw-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 115391
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello,

a fellow Ham is in need of the Mic pin out -- which pin is for what function? He'd like to connect a mic, as well as a TNC, and does not have this information.

If you have the mic pin-out information, and perhaps TNC connection information, would you please email this to me? (Change the email address by removing the right part). I'll forward this info to him (N7ZJJ). We appreciate any help you might be able to offer.

(remember to change my email address when replying direct)

73 de NW7US, Tomas

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: http://accessnow.com -- Brinnon, Washington : 122.93W : 47.67N :
: HOME: http://hfradio.org and http://cw.hfradio.org :
: - :
: World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : CW/SSB DX Hound :
: 10x56526 : FISTS 7055 : Code Warrior #60 : FISTS NW Member #57 :
: :
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39. Re: AF2Y: opposing viewpoints re: Born Agains

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000401002854.09050.00000302@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 115392

Doc it's not dangerous, it's tradition. It's common sense. it's the principles this country was built on.
Ps. it's a Republic :-)>
Doc wrote:
>You try to turn a democracy into a theocracy. Try to
>dictate what kids can read in school (DO YOU THINK THAT THE SCHOOLS SHOULD OVER THE PARENTS?) and what networks can show on the tube(DECENT OR INDECENT?)
>and what Hollywood can show in theaters and demand that a woman surrender
>all rights to her own body.(THE RIGHTS TO HER BODY ARE ONE THING - THE BODY OF THE UNBORN ANOTHER) DANGEROUS is what you are.AF2Y
>

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

40. FS: Misc. Ham Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Albert Alvareztorres, Jr." <albert13@home.com>
Message-ID: <r%fF4.33367$MZ2.439369@news1.wwck1.ri.home.com>
Source record: 115393

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Heath HW-9 station
Hammarlund HQ-100
Hallicrafters SX-100
Hallicrafters S-38C
Heath Twoer
AMECO Code Practice Oscillator
Cushcraft AR6

Look at the stuff at:
http://www.qsl.net/aa1do/

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Al
ARS: AA1DO
URL: http://members.home.net/albert13/index.htm

Life is what happens while you are making other plans.
John Lennon (1940-1980)
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41. ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate, and House.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: money@corrupts.laws
Message-ID: <38E59D72.CA6E3709@corrupts.laws>
Source record: 115394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless of what type of technology is used.

http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:s.2326:

S.2326 : A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to strengthen and clarify prohibitions on electronic
eavesdropping, and for other purposes.
Sponsor: Sen Wyden, Ron - Latest Major Action: 3/29/2000 Referred to the Senate Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Here is another older bill(H.R.3489)from the House of the 106th Congress anti-scanner members.
12/14/1999: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade, and Consumer Protection.

http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.03489:

And another older anti-scanner bill that has not died (H.R.514).

http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.0514:

I think they have gone nuts. It really is about covering censorship being forced on you by the bogus phrase of eavesdropping protection. Wireless business, money, and lawmakers and you pay the price for airtime and the hidden price of lost freedom. Restricted airwave monitoring laws helped insure the growth Nazi Germany before World War II.

42. Re: Ham radio aids victims of pirate attack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c499t$q2r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115395

In article <8c39bf$1sl$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> The US Maritime Academy now teaches its cadets methods of piracy
> evasion. The South China Sea is ruled by some very vicious and
> well-organized pirate groups, who will board a cargo ship in a stealth
> manner, murder or send adrift its crew, then steal the ship and sell
> its cargo. It's amazing that this is still taking place in this day
> and age.

Time to resurrect Q ships.

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

43. Re: RF Shielding

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8c48ei$7im$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 115396

I have done some research with the manufacturers and this is a problem with most keyboards. Change your keyboard. Short of spending more money than the keyboard is worth in filtering and sheilding, you won't be able to fix it. Some hams have mentioned keyboards that are particularly immune. You might want to ask a question about keyboards.

Also, make sure your antenna and ground are good. Up in the attic, you could be too close to even the wooden beams and metal nails to cause your antenna to be mismatched or radiate into nearby metallic objects. You should have a balun on the antenna feedpoint, even if it is just 5 -7 turns about 5" in diameter, do you? Do you have a good RF ground? A wire running 30 feet to the ground isn't enough if you have that far to go to ground. You could try taking some coax at 1/4 wave for 10 meters and run that off your transmitter or tuner ground point. Check this out in the ARRL Handbook. You are basically making an RF stub. That is a start. :)

Fred
N4IXL

44. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c4a4f$5bf$7@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115397
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu> wrote:

: That's why it's so very important to conduct all dealings within your
: life in not just a clean manner, but indeed, squeaky clean. Give no hint
: of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
: accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.

Like they say - "If you believe that, then I have a bridge to sell you".

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

45. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000401033939.15987.00000351@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 115398

Well said ! Now, while they want to "limit" out ability to receive signals, they are enhancing theirs.

http://jya.com/cryptout.htm#echelon

http://www.cryptome.org/echelon-baby.htm

46. ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: CousinNertnic <ntimmso@aol.com>
Message-ID: <_KjF4.11500$9m6.452917@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

(from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000

The Announcement:

"In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful events that have occured to my family over the past several years.

On May 16th of the year 1997, my son, Art Bell IV, was kidnapped, transported across state lines and raped by a substitute teacher from his own high school. The assailant was HIV positive. My son was a minor. He was only 16 years old at the time.

The teacher involved was tried, convicted and is now serving a life sentence. My son though, as you might imagine, was sent into a psychological tailspin which continues to this very day. We are trying very very hard to help him recover and lead a more normal life. Some positive events have occurred toward that end and your prayers are welcome. Please keep them coming.

While the police work and the trial of my son's assailant were underway, difficult as it was for me to continue my daily radio programs, I did so. Because my son was a minor at the time of the crime, the records were sealed, his name was not made public, something our society does to protect its own, its future, its young people.

As our family was working through this trauma in private, an event beyond all bounds of decency and humanity occurred. On December 9th of 1997, just a few months after my son's ordeal, my own began. Ted Gunderson, a retired FBI agent, along with David Hinkson and the assistance of others, aired a broadcast which - incredibly, absolutely incredibly - accused me of committing the very same crime my son had suffered, child molestation. The program further stated that I had paid to cover up an indictment in Nye County, Nevada, my home. It further urged listeners to call me "on air" and ask if I had been indicted. Of course, these accusations were entirely false. But, never the less the calls poured into my open line unscreened program, asking if this was true. I had no choice but to block out all these calls and keep my silence for fear of my son's situation becoming public. This broadcast was made on WWCR, world wide shortwave radio, in Nashville, Tennessee. This station has been described by newpapers and civic minded organizations as one of the country's leading broadcasters of hate radio. The individuals, WWCR and its sister-station WNQM, have allowed to broadcast over the airwaves, include a man who wrote a book entitled "The Hitler We Loved And Why" and another man who stated over the airwaves that Jews are the children of Satan and that African-Americans are "mud people".

In addition to broadcasting these proponents of hate and violence, this radio station has consciously decided not to spend money on a delay switch, not to conduct a careful background check of the people it places on the air and to allow individuals to say almost anything they want in foreign languages without having staff on duty who can even understand what they are saying.

In my opinion, WWCR is one of the most irresponsible stations permitted to broadcast over the airwaves of this country.

Now the fallout from that broadcast has been unbelievable. Besides the unrelenting accusatory calls, others repeated this false rumor as though it was fact, resulting in several related lawsuits. Many of you may have heard my defense played out on the airwaves and the Internet.

No matter how hard I have tried to set the record straight, my torment and that of my family continues. Recently, a radio host in Toronto, Canada opened his morning show with the words "I am Art Bell and I molest little children". All of this sent me into a psychological tailspin. I felt I had been dealt a blow I might not recover from. Still I continued my nightly broadcasts as best I could.

In October of 1998, my son came to a crisis point, a situation so critical that nothing but my full-time attention would help. So, on that fateful day, October 13th of 1998, I resigned on air with no intention of returning. But thanks to the efforts of my network, my best friend Alan Corbeth, Kraig Kitchin (CEO of Premiere Networks) and Randy Micheals [CEO of Clear Channel], I was able to return, but the pressure of having to defend myself against baseless, vile claims that I was a child molester eventually forced me to reduce my on air hours. Why the individuals behind the December 9, 1997 broadcast by WWCR decided to make such a patently false and harmful broadcast remains for the courts to decide. A major moment in this litigation is going to occur April 28th in Nashville, Tennessee. If justice prevails, a trial, perhaps a protracted one, may follow. It would be untrue for me to say this has not affected my air work, it has. It would be unfair to all of you, not to give you my full-time best. I can no longer do that. The reality that after suffering the fate of my son's own molestation, I now stand destined to be tainted for life as a child molester, has proven simply too much to bear. God knows, I have tried.

For my Son, I pray that somehow his wounds will heal, his mind's troubles fade into something of a normal life. For myself an ordeal looms ahead to clear my good name of accusations I committed a crime, committed against my own son. Nobody ever said life would be fair, only to be lived as the hand is dealt to you. For all the years of joy my work has provided, I want to thank all of you and whatever creative force allowed it.

I have decided to retire from the broadcast business at the end of this month, my last show to be April 26, 2000.

I will not do any media interviews on this subject. I have already said more than any private person would have said, a private world I now look forward to returning to. Any further questions should be addressed to my attorney

Gerard Fox at the law firm of Fox, Siegler & Spillane in Los Angeles at
(310) 229-9300."

-- Art Bell

47. FCC Reverses in Partial Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org
Message-ID: <t%jF4.69926$AT6.70601@dfw-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 115400
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.flame,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Looks like complaints work. Or don't -- depending on your view of things. News bulletin is out regarding the latest FCC changes to the Amateur licensing.

Are you ready for your retesting for code?

I've listed the latest news at http://hfradio.org - right on the main page you'll find the link to the latest on the FCC decision.

Guess I have to brush up now.

73

73 de NW7US, Tomas

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: http://accessnow.com -- Brinnon, Washington : 122.93W : 47.67N :
: HOME: http://hfradio.org and http://cw.hfradio.org :
: - :
: World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : CW/SSB DX Hound :
: 10x56526 : FISTS 7055 : Code Warrior #60 : FISTS NW Member #57 :
: :
: Member, ARRL -- Official Webmaster of the North West ARRL Site :
: NWARRL - http://hfradio.org/nwarrl/ :

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news, and more. All at http://hfradio.org/ - SWL/HAM/Live!

48. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lak <lak@radio.land.com>
Message-ID: <usfPSb9m$GA.227@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 115401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Who cares if it is a hobby or a service? I do not participate in any service aspect and have had my license revoked in 30 years. I guess the FCC must see it as a hobby. Besides other services have been eating away at Ham radio spectrum for years to provide their services for a fee to the public.

Let's face reality of the two basic truths about mankinds endevors:

1. MONEY TALK AND BS WALKS

2. "THE GOLDEN RULE" - He who has the gold makes the rules

So who cares about all the inane arguements any way as the FCC and people with bucks will do what they want without everyone elses consent!

Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote in message
news:38E21EBE.355026F8@ahole.com...
> NO NO NO NO NO. It was asked where in PART 97 does it say 'hobby'.
> Can't find it? Because it is not there. Hobby is 'your' definition
> but not the FCC's.
>
>
> Glen Quarnstrom wrote:
> >
> > POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >
> > >Yo Glen, show mw in part 97 where it is defined as a 'HOBBY'....
> > >
> > >Glen Quarnstrom wrote:
> > >>
> > >> POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> > >>
> > >> >Because it is 'not' a HOBBY.. Read my lips again: IT IS A SERVICE,
> > >> >NOT A HOBBY.
> > >>
> > >> It's a hobby. Get used to it.
> >
> > hobby (h�b��) noun
> >
> > An activity or interest pursued outside one's regular occupation and
> > engaged in primarily for pleasure.
> >
> > Part 97 specifically says that ham radio cannot be used for commercial
> > purposes. Hence, it falls under the above definition of a hobby.
> >

> > QEfrigginD
> > --
> > glenq@cyberhighway.net
> > WB7DOW
> >
> > http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

49. Re: FCC Reverses in Partial Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Time--2--Go@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15105-38E5F135-42@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115402

Something tells me this is an April Fool's Joke. I'm not gonna bite...

Isaac

50. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 56)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000401084215.07670.00000465@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 115403

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The 56th episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled " In the rough "
is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

"The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb"
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
A comic strip about radio scanning.
Special monthly episodes can be seen
in Popular Communications magazine !
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51. Heath "Cantenna"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: etagg <etagg@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <FXnF4.7379$jX3.107571@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 115404

need assemble manual for Heath model RF load resistor HN-31 thank you.....
etagg@twcny.rr.com 73......N2WKW

52. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c5411leg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <_KjF4.11500$9m6.452917@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"CousinNertnic" <ntimmso@aol.com> wrote:
> (from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>
> The Announcement:
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> "In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm
about
> to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful
> events that have occured to my family over the past several years.
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> On May 16th of the year 1997, my son, Art Bell IV, was kidnapped,
> transported across state lines and raped by a substitute teacher from
his
> own high school. The assailant was HIV positive. My son was a minor.
He was
> only 16 years old at the time.
>
> The teacher involved was tried, convicted and is now serving a life
> sentence. My son though, as you might imagine, was sent into a
psychological
> tailspin which continues to this very day. We are trying very very
hard to
> help him recover and lead a more normal life. Some positive events
have
> occurred toward that end and your prayers are welcome. Please keep
them
> coming.
>
> While the police work and the trial of my son's assailant were
underway,
> difficult as it was for me to continue my daily radio programs, I did
so.
> Because my son was a minor at the time of the crime, the records were
> sealed, his name was not made public, something our society does to
protect
> its own, its future, its young people.
>
> As our family was working through this trauma in private, an event
beyond
> all bounds of decency and humanity occurred. On December 9th of 1997,
just a
> few months after my son's ordeal, my own began. Ted Gunderson, a

retired FBI
> agent, along with David Hinkson and the assistance of others, aired a
> broadcast which - incredibly, absolutely incredibly - accused me of
> committing the very same crime my son had suffered, child
molestation. The
> program further stated that I had paid to cover up an indictment in
Nye
> County, Nevada, my home. It further urged listeners to call me "on
air" and
> ask if I had been indicted. Of course, these accusations were entirely
> false. But, never the less the calls poured into my open line
unscreened
> program, asking if this was true. I had no choice but to block out
all these
> calls and keep my silence for fear of my son's situation becoming
public.
> This broadcast was made on WWCR, world wide shortwave radio, in
Nashville,
> Tennessee. This station has been described by newpapers and civic
minded
> organizations as one of the country's leading broadcasters of hate
radio.
> The individuals, WWCR and its sister-station WNQM, have allowed to
broadcast
> over the airwaves, include a man who wrote a book entitled "The
Hitler We
> Loved And Why" and another man who stated over the airwaves that Jews
are
> the children of Satan and that African-Americans are "mud people".
>
> In addition to broadcasting these proponents of hate and violence,
this
> radio station has consciously decided not to spend money on a delay
switch,
> not to conduct a careful background check of the people it places on
the air
> and to allow individuals to say almost anything they want in foreign
> languages without having staff on duty who can even understand what
they are
> saying.
>
> In my opinion, WWCR is one of the most irresponsible stations
permitted to
> broadcast over the airwaves of this country.
>
> Now the fallout from that broadcast has been unbelievable. Besides the
> unrelenting accusatory calls, others repeated this false rumor as
though it
> was fact, resulting in several related lawsuits. Many of you may have
heard

> my defense played out on the airwaves and the Internet.
>
> No matter how hard I have tried to set the record straight, my
torment and
> that of my family continues. Recently, a radio host in Toronto, Canada
> opened his morning show with the words "I am Art Bell and I molest
little
> children". All of this sent me into a psychological tailspin. I felt
I had
> been dealt a blow I might not recover from. Still I continued my
nightly
> broadcasts as best I could.
>
> In October of 1998, my son came to a crisis point, a situation so
critical
> that nothing but my full-time attention would help. So, on that
fateful day,
> October 13th of 1998, I resigned on air with no intention of
returning. But
> thanks to the efforts of my network, my best friend Alan Corbeth,
Kraig
> Kitchin (CEO of Premiere Networks) and Randy Micheals [CEO of Clear
> Channel], I was able to return, but the pressure of having to defend
myself
> against baseless, vile claims that I was a child molester eventually
forced
> me to reduce my on air hours. Why the individuals behind the December
9,
> 1997 broadcast by WWCR decided to make such a patently false and
harmful
> broadcast remains for the courts to decide. A major moment in this
> litigation is going to occur April 28th in Nashville, Tennessee. If
justice
> prevails, a trial, perhaps a protracted one, may follow. It would be
untrue
> for me to say this has not affected my air work, it has. It would be
unfair
> to all of you, not to give you my full-time best. I can no longer do
that.
> The reality that after suffering the fate of my son's own
molestation, I now
> stand destined to be tainted for life as a child molester, has proven
simply
> too much to bear. God knows, I have tried.
>
> For my Son, I pray that somehow his wounds will heal, his mind's
troubles
> fade into something of a normal life. For myself an ordeal looms
ahead to
> clear my good name of accusations I committed a crime, committed

against my
> own son. Nobody ever said life would be fair, only to be lived as the
hand
> is dealt to you. For all the years of joy my work has provided, I
want to
> thank all of you and whatever creative force allowed it.
>
> I have decided to retire from the broadcast business at the end of
this
> month, my last show to be April 26, 2000.
>
> I will not do any media interviews on this subject. I have already
said more
> than any private person would have said, a private world I now look
forward
> to returning to. Any further questions should be addressed to my
attorney
> Gerard Fox at the law firm of Fox, Siegler & Spillane in Los Angeles
at
> (310) 229-9300."
>
> -- Art Bell
>
> >>>>>> Yet, another example of the Clinton and Hollingsworth
Whitehouse!<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

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53. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate,and House.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mooneer Salem <kg6aov@callsign.net>
Message-ID: <AHoF4.11285$64.398739@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This law smells fishy. If an industry association supports this kind of bill,
then of course corporations may have bribed those two senators. This is also what
happened to the Digital Millennium Copyright Act, the Motion Picture Association
of America bribed Congress to pass this law. We are now just feeling the effects
of this law.

In both laws, there is the proposed "intention" of protecting themselves from the evil
"hackers". In reality, they just can't get enough money, and want to ensure that
everyone goes through them first for communications. They're probably already
making lots of money, but feel like they can't compete with a hobby!

We need to be more involved in government. Everyone should know what laws are
in Congress and have plain-English descriptions of them.

I suggest a group which mobilizes for a protest every time a certain law comes out.
Maybe about five to ten thousand people, protesting at several US government buildings
for as long as necessary until the general population gets what is going on and decides
to take action themselves.

-Mooneer (KG6AOV)

<money@corrupts.laws> wrote in message
news:38E59D72.CA6E3709@corrupts.laws...
>
>
> Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> of what type of technology is used.
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> and clarify prohibitions on electronic
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> anti-scanner members.
> 12/14/1999: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade,
> and Consumer Protection.
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> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.03489:
>
> And another older anti-scanner bill that has not died (H.R.514).
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> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.0514:
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>
> I think they have gone nuts. It really is about covering censorship
> being forced on you by the bogus phrase of eavesdropping protection.
> Wireless business, money, and lawmakers and you pay the price for
> airtime and the hidden price of lost freedom. Restricted airwave
> monitoring laws helped insure the growth Nazi Germany before World War
> II.
>

54. Great DX!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: BH <billharx@flash.net>
Message-ID: <38E60810.7EEE@flash.net>
Source record: 115407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Subject: Great DX conditions or "don't look now but you S-units are showing"

Did anyone else catch the fantastic band opening last night? I could not sleep so I was up late and was tuning
around 20 meters when I heard the clock strike midnight. Suddenly the band really came to life with some great
DX stuff. First I heard Romeo Germany 8 Uniform really banging in from somewhere in the south Atlantic with a
big pile-up on the frequency. I picked a spot and dropped in my call. "Mike India Lima go ahead". "Germany 8
Uniform, you are 70 over 9, QSL info please." "Not to worry India Lima, my card 63% to you via burro."
"Aw-Right, got him!"
Next Papa Hotel 0 Nancy Echo gave me a call on CW running a modified HW-8 at a KW output with a re-worked
cash register as a keyboard keyer. Maybe try a little more CW action. Called CQ on CW and answered by BIG
CARRIER, weak audio from Victor 0 India Charlie Echo. "Your audio is very week, OM, try turning up the gain."
Found out the audio section of his transmitter was not working and he was modulating by screaming at the final
tubes. Swung the beam further south and there was Charlie 0 Alpha X-Ray in the Feedline Islands. Gave him a
call. "Kilo 5 Mike India Lima you are pinning my S meter, do not transmit again I am afraid you may damage my
rig." "Roger roger Alpha X-ray, what is QSL info please?" He didn't reply. OK, lets see what's going on in
the Pacific. Swing the beam on around. Wow! there is Fox Ocean 0 Lima running 80 over 9! "Fox Ocean 0 Lima
this is Kilo 5 Mike India Lima you are 80 over 9, what are you running?" "Ok Mike India Lima, rig here is a
converted cordless phone running 1.63 watts using lamp cord feedline to a chicken wire fence." Now this is
great, lets see what is going down on the European front. Swing the ole beam on around past north. Man listen
to those signals! Better catch this one. Dropped in my call. "Mike India Lima go ahead." "Roger roger,
Germany 0 Tango Charlie Hotel Alpha, you are 62.3 db over S9, Q5 copy. What is my report?" "Mike India Lima,
you are minus S8, can only copy on negative voice peaks, try again." "MINUS S8!!, WHADDYAMEAN MINUSE S8? Im
running 14 bazillion watts to a 42 1/2 element Thunder Stick at 163.42

feet!! Minus S8 my Aunt Fanny!" Wait a
minute, what's that call again? G0TCHA? What's today? Let's

see that calendar. Aw rats!

55. Re: Ham radio aids victims of pirate attack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38E61AD1.195E0EC9@bctv.com>
Source record: 115408

"Mr. Scott" wrote:
>
> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:38E4CA53.FA142F1E@bctv.com...
> > >
> > >
> > > Two thoughts:
> > >
> > > 1) If this guy were on CW, he would still be giving coordinates
> > >
> > > 2) This is a really really really good reason to support gun ownership
> > >
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> > >
> There's an ongoing discussion about having guns on a boat. Primarily when
> entering foreign ports. Some countries take a very dim view of foreign
> vessels with guns. If you are found to have firearms on the boat, it's
> "Midnight Express" time...

Not all pirates are on the high seas.

56. ATTN: "really"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38E61BDC.B3EF6BC6@bctv.com>
Source record: 115409

really wrote:
>
> >Two thoughts:
> >1) If this guy were on CW, he would still be giving coordinates
>
> Must be you can't, so you're critical.

I can, just slowly. I'm critical because CW is a very inefficient
method of sending traffic, especially in an emergency.

> >2) This is a really really really good reason to support gun ownership
>
> Maybe you aren't critical. Just an asshole.

The coward hides while shouting brave words.

I at least stand up for my opinions and give a real name and address.

57. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38E61E52.CD308657@bctv.com>
Source record: 115410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > I'm not pushing anyone or anything. I was quite happy with the status quo.
>
> How about the April 16 status quo? :-)

His problem is that he will lose a lot of his puff rights when we all become 5 WPM Extras.

Funny how none of the competent Extras who I know personally are upset about this -- one said simply "if I need to prove anything, I'll just send the phone book at 35 WPM."

Jeffrey probably isn't sure that he can prove competence at 20 WPM (much less high speeds), so his only "proof of skill" is that Extra ticket.

58. Art Bell blasting and suing WWCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c57vu$cc5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115411

> (from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>
> The Announcement:
>
> "In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about
> to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful
> events that have occured to my family over the past several years. This
station has been described by newpapers and civic minded organizations as
one of the country's leading broadcasters of hate radio.
> The individuals, WWCR and its sister-station WNQM, have allowed to broadcast
> over the airwaves, include a man who wrote a book entitled "The Hitler We
> Loved And Why" and another man who stated over the airwaves that Jews are
> the children of Satan and that African-Americans are "mud people".

That's quite a shocker about Art Bell but he hit the nail on the head. WWCR
is nothing but filth hate radio, period. But of course we must appreciate
how clever they are besides being dangerous. It works like this:they call
themselves World Wide CHRISTIAN Radio for a reason-by covering themselves in
religious vestments and pretending to be elders, they automatically garner
support where otherwise they wouldn't. Christians are proud of being
Christian; it's quite normal therefore to many listeners, any hatemongering
piece of machinery would be accepted if the word Christian is in
association. WWCR is no more Christian than Adolf Hitler who seems to be
their hero. Timothy McVeigh is Christian so what can be bad about him
despite his killing all those people in the O.K.C. Murrah building? Isn't
David Duke one too? And how about all white extremists who might parade
around holding crosses or wearing them silk screened into T shirts? And the
ones burning down Black churches and so forth and so on? How bad can these
people be when eveyyone knows they're Christians? The truth is that WWCR and
everyone who believes the garbage they put out in the name of Christ are the
ANTITHESIS of what Christianty stands for. All a filthmongering WWCR
broadcaster has to do is to come out with something like, "Jesus told me to
tell everyone about Art Bell. The Lord demanded it..." and all the rest of
that bullbleep. The gullible but otherwise well meaning will be easily led
into believing anything hateful said by these WWCR cronies. They will take
slander to be fact. Based upon what I myself heard, they will believe that
Bill Clinton is a communist and that we don't have to pay any income taxes
and that Hilary had multiple affairs and that foreign troops are here to
slaughter us Americans and that a One World Government is going to take us
over and all the rest of the crap that innundates the ears of listeners in
an attempt at making them lose confidence in America, her pluralism,
diversity and greatness. WWCR plays on the fact that lies repeated will
catch on especially when painted on a canvas portraying Jesus Christ.
Art Bell is suing WWCR and I hope he takes them to the cleaners. GO ART GO!

59. Re: Antenna Tuners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38E6281C.92E323CE@oio.net>
Source record: 115412

Boyd,
Yes, an external tuner can be used with a radio with
an internal tuner. There may be an advantage at times,
most internal tuners don't have much 'matching' range.
Don't try using both at the same time, just 'confuses'
the internal tuner, serves no useful pupose.
'Doc

60. Re: Please help identify this HF amp (pic)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <8c5avbsoj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115413

"Christopher D. van der Kaay" <cvanderk@earthlink.net> wrote:

> I would be most appreciative if someone could help identify the
> make/model of this HF amplifier --

It's a National Radio NCL-2000. I have two of them in my
shack. Great solid 1KW+ amp. Mine aren't for sale unless
you're VERY rich.

73, Hans, K0HB

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61. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <uVpF4.19359$QJ3.3103913@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115414
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: >>Where is innocent until PROVEN guilty?
: >>Doesn't that require a judge of some sort? Where is the old fashioned
: >>process of accusation, trial, decision, judgement, assigning punishment?
: >
: > It's all there.....always has been. See above.
: >
: Constitutional feelgood fuzzies be damned, the glitch in the system is
: that an accused private individual does not have equal access to the
: legal expertise behind his defense as does the gummint in it's
: prosecution. It strikes me that an accused perp who makes $30k/annum
: and has to pop $10k in legal expenses in his effort to keep his butt
: out of a sling is coming from 'way behind in a brawl against an
: accuser whose budget next year will be $1.8 Trillion. Give or take.

The only way that the Feds can afford to go after someone is to
take only a few cases. If the Federal courts get as loaded as the
state courts are, it is very easy to slip thru.

My suggestion is to buy into a Pre-paid legal service. Think
of it as legal insurance. About $25 per month.

: >
: But then I guess we should be thankful that we don't live in Singapore
: where you get banged for $2,500 for failing to flush a public John
: after you use it.
: >
: . . . nobody ever sed life wuz gonna be easy . .
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62. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <EZpF4.19361$QJ3.3105218@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115415
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > Give no hint
: > of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
: > accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.
:
: Tell that to the father who was gunned down in Pasadena, TX when
: the swat team accidentally chose the wrong address. Unannounced,
: someone broke down his front door. He reached for his shotgun
: to defend his family from the unidentified intruder and was mowed
: down in a hail of bullets. The police said, Oops, sorry, wrong address.

You sound like a bleeding heart liberal with a touchy, feely
story to whip up emotions. Yes the cops do make mistakes.
And the family sues for a shit load of money, more than that
man could have made in a lifetime.

We are dealing with the results of liberalism (over a 30 year
period). Society is over reacting nowadays. We used to give
people a break, a second chance. But the extreme edges of
society have pushed the limits so hard that people are reacting
by being hardnosed. In a few years it will come down. We
just need to rein in the extremists.
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63. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <d1qF4.19362$QJ3.3105964@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115416
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

: : That's why it's so very important to conduct all dealings within your
: : life in not just a clean manner, but indeed, squeaky clean. Give no hint
: : of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
: : accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.
:
: Like they say - "If you believe that, then I have a bridge to sell you".

If you are not as rich as OJ or Bill Clinton, my advice is to
live life in the straight and narrow. Drugs, cussing out cops,
playing free and lose with weapons, and so forth is only for
those rich enough to afford the best lawyers.

Poor folks need to learn to shut up and do as their
betters tell to.

64. Re: KB9NOH and KK9G and N9XDO and others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <A5qF4.19368$QJ3.3107270@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115417

: What ever happened to freedom of speech??????????????????
: Does it not apply to ham radio?

Amateur radio is a regulated activity. Even broadcasters
have restrictions as to what they can put over the air.

:
: > MERL HEINLEIN KB9NOH... The lame ass mother fucker of
: > amateur radio in Hendricks County, Danville Indiana.
: >
: > MERL F. HEINLEIN
: > 98 W BROADWAY, PO BOX 344
: > DANVILLE IN 46122
: > USA
: > (317) 745-4246
: >
: > Read this message
: >
: > <merl@mfheinlein.com> wrote;
: >
: > In listening to a repeater conversation by Josh N9XDO and
: > Dan KK9G I was very offended by the talk of " running
: > no-coders off the air." They need to be taught a lesson. I
: > think we should run them off the air. Just like the guys
: > from the 147.015 repeater need to be run off the air. Im
: > tired of Josh Wilson and Dan Dews, and im tired of the
: > political weather crap in this county. I believe that Josh
: > Wilson and Dan Dews are the ones that QRMed my net on
: > Sunday. You and I need to do something.
: >
: > MFH
: >
: > Huh, doesnt this show you about Hams in Indiana. This Merl
: > Heinlein http://www.mfheinlein.com merl@mfheinlein.com
: > thinks he is a private detective. Ohhhh, I am scared. Look
: > at his site. Itll remind ya of Dick Traci! No shit! Listen
: > to his net sometime. Sunday evenings at 8pm on the 146.805
: > repeater in Central Indiana. What a joke! You can tell its a
: > no-coder net.
: >
: > On to Dan and Josh... keep up the good work. Help us run
: > these no-coders off the bands. Run Merl off that repeater.
: > We are going to QRM his net. We dont like Merl, and we will
: > ruin his name in the ham world. Starting with Hap Holli.
: > Tell him this interview will be the last.

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: > --
: > Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
: > http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
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65. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate,and House.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nonsense@spam.com
Message-ID: <38E62DB1.53E80D6B@spam.com>
Source record: 115418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.politics.usa.congress,alt.news-media

money@corrupts.laws wrote:

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> monitoring laws helped insure the growth Nazi Germany before World War
> II

This law is bad and there are already existing laws, which should be repealed, that block scanners. It does add to the prevention of anybody's American right to have unblocked scanners, the right available to people in other countries.

I know of no scanner with unblocked frequencies that can eavesdrop on my digital cellular or my PCS and do not see future products for non-government average Americans that can possibly do so.

This bill should be argued because Public-Safety also uses digital specialized mobile radio services and paging services for emergency and routine communications. Government must remain open to the public. They can close government more by pouring out these communication laws.

S. 2326
First, it would more then expand the definition of the frequencies that may not be scanned to include digital Personal Communications Service (PCS) frequencies as well as cellular ones. Second, the bill would strengthen that it is just as illegal to modify scanners as it is to manufacture or import unblocked scanners.

Excerpts of SEC. 2.
(a) Prohibition on Modification: modify any such device, equipment, or system in any manner
that causes such device, equipment, or system to fail to comply with such regulations.

(1) The Commission shall prescribe regulations, and review and revise such regulations as
necessary in response to subsequent changes in technology or behavior, denying equipment authorization for any scanning receiver that is capable of--

(A) receiving transmissions in the frequencies that are allocated to the domestic cellular radio telecommunications service or the
personal communications service;

(B) readily being altered to receive transmissions in such frequencies;

(C) being equipped with decoders that--

(i) convert digital specialized mobile radio service transmissions to analog voice audio; or

(ii) convert paging service transmissions to alphanumeric text; or

(2) The Commission shall, with respect to scanning receivers capable of receiving transmissions in frequencies that are used by commercial mobile services and that are shared by public safety users, examine methods, and may prescribe such regulations as may be necessary.

(3) Tampering prevention: 'capable of readily being altered' to require scanning receivers to be manufactured in a manner that effectively precludes alteration of equipment features and functions.

(c) Implementing Regulations: Not later than 90 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Federal
Communications Commission shall prescribe amendments to its regulations for the purposes of implementing the amendments
made by this section.

SEC. 3. UNAUTHORIZED INTERCEPTION OR PUBLICATION OF COMMUNICATIONS.

The 106th Congress Bills H.R.3489 and H.R.514 are very similar to S.2326.

We that understand the wireless radio technologies know better than what Congress has to tell you about it.

http://www.qsl.net/n4tyv/

> .

66. Re: traffic nets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c5c10tnt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115419

In article <8c36s4mhl1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8c0d8ggar1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > In article <sWGE4.13365$Of2.561456@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, "Burt"
> > <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
> >
> > > Recently I was told that several messages were passed on a local
two
> > > meter "traffic" net that exemplify the type of traffic hams think
> > > useful. The text of the message was essentially "thanks for a
great
> time
> > > with you today", the real joke was that the official formal
routine
> > > traffic was being passed on the net between the actual receipents.
> And
> > > two of them see each other every day. They could have easily said
> the
> > > words to each other IN PERSON and probably already did. And cut
the
> BS
> > > about training, in most cases hams can train for 20 years but when
> > > D-day comes they pee in their pants. Last September this same
> > > traffic net interuppted a hurricane weather net to pass the the
type
> of
> > > traffic cited above during Hurricane Eduardo.
> > >
> >
> > Burt, please don't paint the entire ham canvas with the same brush.
In
> a way
> > you're right but in a way, Soooooooooo wrong. Years ago I used to
> belong to a
> > net called East Cars on 7.255 which I left because I discovered they
> were
> > the most conceited dumb s.o.bs to ever hold tickets. A useless
> conglomerate
> > of incompetents who did nothing but try to make themselves important
> for
> > just $3 in yearly dues. I left mainly because of one incident. Get
> this. I
> > think it was in 1975. I had made arrangements for Dayton a year

before
> and
> > decided to include a side trip to Nashville to visit that great city
> and
> > take in Opryland and the Grand Ol' Opry as well. The trip to
Tennessee
> went
> > off well and then proceeded to drive north to the Dayton hamvention.
> After
> > about 3 hours at the Hara Arena for the second straight year, I HAD
> it,
> > hopped in the buggy and drove south to Cincinnati to take in an
> afternoon
> > Reds game at Riverfront Stadium. On the way I was tuned to 7.255 and
> asked
> > if anyone in North Jersey would run a patch to my wife and the
service
> > control said, "Now let's see. I don't have you as a dues paying
member
> so I
> > can't help you." The jackass was 100% wrong but just the idea of ham
> service
> > dependent on a buck was awful. So that's one example of your being
> correct.
> > But a few years ago I had an experience on 20 meters which tells me
> you
> > generalize too much. I was on 14.310 and heard an SSB MAYDAY. A
fellow
> on a
> > vessel was in trouble off the Baja peninsula. I went to 14.300 to
> alert
> > Intercon and a few of their members came up to .310, got the
situation
> in
> > hand and saved his life. And so ham radio traffic nets reflect
> elements in
> > everday society. Some worthless. Some worthwhile. Some VERY
> worthwhile.
> > Doc,AF2Y
> >
> > Doc, How come your not helping those nets on 20 meters?
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
Hey Mr. T,

He helped those nets bigtime on 20 meters. He kept you and your
jamming ilk busy while they conducted their net activities.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

67. Re: KB9NOH and KK9G and N9XDO and others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <N7qF4.19370$QJ3.3106968@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115420

Look, they are jerks. Now if they make threats over
the air or threaten people via the internet then we have
a case to take to the state police.

But until then, this is mostly a pissing contest between
you folks. You would be better off just ignoring them.

: MERL HEINLEIN KB9NOH... The lame ass mother fucker of
: amateur radio in Hendricks County, Danville Indiana.
:
: MERL F. HEINLEIN
: 98 W BROADWAY, PO BOX 344
: DANVILLE IN 46122
: USA
: (317) 745-4246
:
: Read this message
:
: <merl@mfheinlein.com> wrote;
:
: In listening to a repeater conversation by Josh N9XDO and
: Dan KK9G I was very offended by the talk of " running
: no-coders off the air." They need to be taught a lesson. I
: think we should run them off the air. Just like the guys
: from the 147.015 repeater need to be run off the air. Im
: tired of Josh Wilson and Dan Dews, and im tired of the
: political weather crap in this county. I believe that Josh
: Wilson and Dan Dews are the ones that QRMed my net on
: Sunday. You and I need to do something.
:
: MFH
:
:
: Huh, doesnt this show you about Hams in Indiana. This Merl
: Heinlein http://www.mfheinlein.com merl@mfheinlein.com
: thinks he is a private detective. Ohhhh, I am scared. Look
: at his site. Itll remind ya of Dick Traci! No shit! Listen
: to his net sometime. Sunday evenings at 8pm on the 146.805
: repeater in Central Indiana. What a joke! You can tell its a
: no-coder net.
:
: On to Dan and Josh... keep up the good work. Help us run
: these no-coders off the bands. Run Merl off that repeater.
: We are going to QRM his net. We dont like Merl, and we will
: ruin his name in the ham world. Starting with Hap Holli.

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: Tell him this interview will be the last.
:
:
: --
: Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
: http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
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:
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68. Re: Any VE's in Finland?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <19qF4.19371$QJ3.3108083@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115421

: Hi,
:
: Just wondering. Why would you from Finland have to file with the US
: FCC? I was not aware that Finland came under U.S. FCC control.

I have a CSCE from Saudi Arabia. The Saudis only recognize hams
from outside the country.

69. FS: Drake/Theta 7000 CW/RTTY terminal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000401121752.08157.00000300@ng-fp1.aol.com>
Source record: 115422

Have a stand alone terminal for sale. Sends and receives CW, RTTY, and who knows what else. Includes the manual (not sure if it is original or copy). Haven't tried the unit out yet but cosmetically it is in excellent condition. Part of an estate sale, all the other gear worked so I'm assuming this will too. All you need is an external source of 12vdc, and a composite monitor. Both of these are readily available at hamfests or surplus houses quite reasonably ($5-20). This is a stand alone unit and does not require one to tie up a computer. Asking $75 which is a shipped price, CONUS only.

Thanks for reading the ad and 73.

Evan

70. The W8MMQ Wire - March 31, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hicks <email@w8mmq.net>
Message-ID: <feqF4.4295$TM.360935@bgtnsc06-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 115423

Friday, March 31, 2000
Target: rec.radio.amateur.misc

Online at http://www.w8mmq.net/
Subscribe/unsubscribe: email@w8mmq.net

RADIO TALK SHOW HOST ART BELL RESIGNS, BLASTS WWCR FOR BROADCAST

W8MMQ - Radio talk show host and amateur radio operator Art Bell has said that he is leaving radio broadcasting. Citing certain family problems, Bell announced his retirement on his Coast to Coast AM radio show, heard in over 400 markets around the country.

Art Bell: "In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful events that have occured to my family over the past several years.

On May 16th of the year 1997, my son, Art Bell IV, was kidnapped, transported across state lines and raped by a substitute teacher from his own high school. The assailant was HIV positive. My son was a minor. He was only 16 years old at the time.

The teacher involved was tried, convicted and is now serving a life sentence. My son though, as you might imagine, was sent into a psychological tailspin which continues to this very day. We are trying very very hard to help him recover and lead a more normal life. Some positive events have occurred toward that end and your prayers are welcome. Please keep them coming.

While the police work and the trial of my son's assailant were underway, difficult as it was for me to continue my daily radio programs, I did so. Because my son was a minor at the time of the crime, the records were sealed, his name was not made public, something our society does to protect its own, its future, its young people.

As our family was working through this trauma in private, an event beyond all bounds of decency and humanity occurred. On December 9th of 1997, just a few months after my son's ordeal, my own began. Ted Gunderson, a retired FBI agent, along with David Hinkson and the assistance of others, aired a broadcast which - incredibly, absolutely incredibly - accused me of committing the very same crime my son had suffered, child molestation. The program further stated that I had paid to cover up an indictment in Nye County, Nevada, my home. It further urged listeners to call me "on air" and ask if I had been indicted. Of course, these accusations were entirely false. But, never the less the calls poured into my open line unscreened program, asking if this was true. I had no choice but to block out all these calls and keep my silence for fear of my son's situation becoming public.

This broadcast was made on WWCR, world wide shortwave radio, in Nashville, Tennessee. This station has been described by newpapers and civic minded organizations as one of the country's leading broadcasters of hate radio. The individuals, WWCR and its sister-station WNQM, have allowed to broadcast over the airwaves, include a man who wrote a book entitled "The Hitler We Loved And Why" and another man who stated over the airwaves that Jews are the children of Satan and that African-Americans are "mud people".

In addition to broadcasting these proponents of hate and violence, this radio station has consciously decided not to spend money on a delay switch, not to conduct a careful background check of the people it places on the air and to allow individuals to say almost anything they want in foreign languages without having staff on duty who can even understand what they are saying.

In my opinion, WWCR is one of the most irresponsible stations permitted to broadcast over the airwaves of this country.

Now the fallout from that broadcast has been unbelievable. Besides the unrelenting accusatory calls, others repeated this false rumor as though it was fact, resulting in several related lawsuits. Many of you may have heard my defense played out on the airwaves and the Internet.

No matter how hard I have tried to set the record straight, my torment and that of my family continues. Recently, a radio host in Toronto, Canada opened his morning show with the words "I am Art Bell and I molest little children". All of this sent me into a psychological tailspin. I felt I had been dealt a blow I might not recover from. Still I continued my nightly broadcasts as best I could.

In October of 1998, my son came to a crisis point, a situation so critical that nothing but my full-time attention would help. So, on that fateful day, October 13th of 1998, I resigned on air with no intention of returning. But thanks to the efforts of my network, my best friend Alan Corbeth, Kraig Kitchin (CEO of Premiere Networks) and Randy Micheals [CEO of Clear Channel], I was able to return, but the pressure of having to defend myself against baseless, vile claims that I was a child molester eventually forced me to reduce my on air hours. Why the individuals behind the December 9, 1997 broadcast by WWCR decided to make such a patently false and harmful broadcast remains for the courts to decide. A major moment in this litigation is going to occur April 28th in Nashville, Tennessee. If justice prevails, a trial, perhaps a protracted one, may follow. It would be untrue for me to say this has not affected my air work, it has. It would be unfair to all of you, not to give you my full-time best. I can no longer do that. The reality that after suffering the fate of my son's own molestation, I now stand destined to be tainted for life as a child molester, has proven simply too much to bear. God knows, I have tried.

For my Son, I pray that somehow his wounds will heal, his mind's troubles fade into something of a normal life. For myself an ordeal looms ahead to clear my good name of accusations I committed a crime, committed against my own son. Nobody ever said life would be fair, only to be lived as the hand

is dealt to you. For all the years of joy my work has provided, I want to thank all of you and whatever creative force allowed it.

I have decided to retire from the broadcast business at the end of this month, my last show to be April 26, 2000.

I will not do any media interviews on this subject. I have already said more than any private person would have said, a private world I now look forward to returning to. Any further questions should be addressed to my attorney Gerard Fox at the law firm of Fox, Siegler & Spillane in Los Angeles at (310) 229-9300."

Art Bell holds the amateur radio callsign, W6OBB, and has often been heard each night after his show on 3820 or 3830-kHz.

HAMS PITCH IN AS TORNADOES RAKE DOWNTOWN FORT WORTH

ARRL - Dozens of Amateur Radio volunteers were on duty this week in the Fort Worth, Texas, area in the wake of tornadoes Tuesday night that claimed several lives and left downtown Fort Worth a shambles.

The twisters hit around suppertime, during the tail end of the afternoon rush hour. Eyewitness accounts said it looked like a bomb had exploded, shattering glass in high-rise buildings and leaving debris everywhere. With power out to thousands of customers in a wide area and telephone service -- including cellular -- interrupted, Amateur Radio has been able to fill its more traditional role of providing emergency and backup communication. Hams reportedly have been assisting local and emergency officials in tracking damage resulting from the severe weather as well as helping to coordinate shelters.

Dallas County RACES Officer Johnny Davis, K5JD, said amateurs were handling traffic on VHF and UHF repeaters as well as on simplex frequencies. Davis said he expected that amateurs could be involved in the tornado for several more days. "In the pictures I saw there are wires everywhere, there's debris, it's just mass destruction in some areas," he said.

SKYWARN nets in Tarrant and Dallas counties were activated in advance of the storms, and the National Weather Service already had warned of the possibility of tornadoes. Fort Worth RACES reported a tornado on the ground at 4th and 6th streets in downtown Fort Worth at 6:18 PM Central Time.

SKYWARN member Rick Moran, KC5STX, said amateur spotter reports were able to add an extra 10 to 15 minutes warning for those in the path of the tornadoes. As described it, the tornado "raced through Fort Worth proper, piling cars like cord wood and sucking windows from high-rise office towers." Moran said the city was plunged into darkness "as hundreds of power transformers popped in the path of the storm." For a while, it appeared as though Dallas might also be hit. A twister also caused extensive damage in Arlington, Moran said.

Denton County SKYWARN Coordinator George Lindley, WA5HKW, said Fort Worth RACES requested its assistance with communications after the twisters had

blasted through the city. Ten operators took an emergency communications van to Fort Worth and assisted for several hours in the search for missing or unaccounted for people, using the van as a command post.

SATERN Southern Coordinator Jerry Jennison, N5OKQ, from San Angelo, reports that the Salvation Army had set up two temporary shelters, and the City of Fort Worth and the Red Cross have set up one shelter apiece to house those left homeless or without a place to go. Downtown Fort Worth was closed off to the public, and several buildings there were said to have been heavily damaged -- possibly beyond repair. Hams have been helping to provide communication at shelter sites and are expected to be used during the damage assessment.

From the ARRL Letter, March 31, 2000

THE NATIONAL CONTEST JOURNAL LAUNCHES NEW WEB SITE

W8MMQ - The National Contest Journal has launched a new web site, featuring information and articles on current and upcoming amateur radio contests. The web site also has an extensive 12-month Contest Calendar, compiled by Bruce, WA7BNM.

Be sure to visit the site at http://www.ncjweb.com/. The National Contest Journal is published bi-monthly by the American Radio Relay League.

THE WEEKLY DX REPORT

The IOTA operation from Abokwa Island is confirmed as taking place from the 1st until the 6th of April, but the operators may leave the island on the 5th if there are no more requests for QSOs. Please do not attempt multi-band QSOs during the first two days. The callsign has not yet been announced, but the QSL routes are as follows: direct cards should go to G3OCA, whose address is correct in the RSGB Yearbook 2000: direct Russian cards should be sent to UA4SKW; bureau cards from all stations should be sent to G3OCA.

Denise, F6WHU, is active until the 12th of April as FO0HWU from Tubuai Island in the Australes. She operates mostly CW, with some RTTY. A contact with her counts as OC-152 towards the RSGB Islands on the Air awards programme.

RTTY enthusiasts will already be looking for Hans, DL7CM, who is signing TA4/DL7CM from Turkey until the 4th of April.

DF8AN is touring Africa until the 12th of April, and will be using 100 Watts of CW. Between the 3rd and 5th of April he will operate from the Ivory Coast, prefix TU, and from Togo as 5V7MN between the 6th and 12th of April. QSL direct to his home call, or via the bureau.

The Orkney Amateur Radio Club are activating the Orkney island of Copinsay this weekend. The callsign will be GB5RO and operation will be on all bands. It is expected that the station will be on air from lunchtime on Saturday, probably on 40 metres. 80-metre operation on 3,772kHz will be in the evenings, or as propagation permits. Copinsay counts as OR19 for the Islands of Scotland Award, and as EU-009 for IOTA. The operation is heavily

weather-dependent. If local inclement weather makes the sea trip impossible on the 1st of April, the expedition will be re-scheduled for each successive weekend until Man triumphs over Nature!

From RSGB News and 425 DX News

UPCOMING AMATEUR RADIO CONTESTS AND EVENTS

Visit the ARRL Contest Calendar at http://www.arrl.org/contests/ for more contest information.

The Japan International DX Contest, CW high-band portion, will run from 2300-Z April 7 until 2300-Z April 9. Work JAs only. High bands are 20, 15, and 10. Operate no more than 30 hours (JAs operate full 48).

The VHF/UHF Spring Sprints, sponsored by the East Tennessee DX Association, 144-MHz portion, will run from 7 PM to 11 PM, local time, on April 10.

AND ... IN CLOSING

Thanks for reading this edition of the W8MMQ Wire! This newsletter is produced and distributed each week by Dan, W8MMQ, and is available free to all radio amateurs.

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73 de,
Dan, W8MMQ

71. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38e57e5d.53685417@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115424
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 23 Mar 2000 10:52:52 -0800, davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale)
wrote:

>perynoid@oklahoma.net (Perry Noid) writes:
>
>>i suspect a single telecommunication spy satellite can pinpoint
>>transmissions without triangulation because it is not limited to a one
>>dimensional view that ground based detection is. It could also monitor
>>vast areas since there is much less atmosphere to go thorugh.
>
>It couldn't pinpoint a ground location from a single short transmission,
>since it doesn't know the precise direction that the signal is coming
>from.
One of the "common" methods of tracking a ground signal from a
satellite is to observe the signal from a satellite tasked in a polar
orbit. These craft are in an orbit that brings them around the
earth several (many) times a day. There are also several birds
up there. Any single satellite can get "line fix" on a station by
using the signal and the point the dopler shift "transitions".
The station would be on one side or the other of the sat along the
line. A second pass or a different bird would give a different line.
Where the lines cross - "X marks the spot".

But - does the FCC have a hook into such assets in orbit?
Probably not.

Best regards
Gil Jones

>If you had multiple satellites receiving the same signal at
>the same time, the difference in time of arrival would tell you where
>the source was. The GPS satellites have nuclear explosion detectors
>that operate this way.
>
>Also, if the transmitter continues to transmit for some time, and the
>satellite is not in a geostationary orbit, the Doppler shift of the
>the signal due to the satellite motion will change with time. The
>specific *pattern* of the Doppler shift, plus a knowledge of where
>the satellite was at each moment, tells you where the ground station is.
Close analysis here.

>The old Transit satellite navigation system used this principle with
>a transmitter on the satellite and the receiver on the vehicle (usually
>a ship). It took one overhead pass (about 15 minutes) of just one
>satellite to determine the ship's position.

>
>Another variant of this is used by the SARSAT/COSPAS system that finds
>emergency locator transmitters from airplane crashes. In this case,
>the satellites have very simple transponders that pick up frequencies
>in one band and retransmit them in another band. Ground stations
>monitoring the latter signal measure the Doppler shift of any ELT
>transmissions heard, and then from a knowledge of the satellite
>position and the receiving antenna position they can calculate the
>transmitter position.
>
> Dave

72. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38e57ff4.54093177@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115425
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Thu, 23 Mar 2000 18:56:19 GMT, "Old Biker" <enfield@3n.net> wrote:

>Perry Noid <perynoid@oklahoma.net> wrote
>
>I don't think Perry's question was "how" (technically) these dudes were found
>but rather why they were singled out among all the other scofflaws - and even
>that was asked retorically.

Final analysis - somebody got angry.

Best regards
Gil Jones

73. pcb for $26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tusunov@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c5j6b$5er$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115426

check http://run.to/pcb

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

74. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E648FF.12DD57B0@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Keith Wood wrote:
> His problem is that he will lose a lot of his puff rights when we all
> become 5 WPM Extras.

Then that's a good thing. Puffers are deadly poisonous.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

75. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E64B3B.77D0A99F@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115428
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
> You sound like a bleeding heart liberal with a touchy, feely
> story to whip up emotions.

Actually, I'm a Libertarian trying to get people to use their thought processes and wake up before it's too late. When you can just shrug off a homicide committed by the police against an absolutely innocent citizen, it may be too late to save the country from becoming a fascist police state. Next time it may be you or me.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

76. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E64B7D.3F3FB44@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115429
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
> Poor folks need to learn to shut up and do as their
> betters tell to.

Just like they did in WWII Germany, eh?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

77. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c5kei$6o7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <8c5411leg1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-deja.com wrote:

> > >>>>>> Yet, another example of the Clinton and Hollingsworth
> Whitehouse!<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

That's as irresponsible a statement as the broadcasters at WWCR.

--
LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

78. Re: Art Bell blasting and suing WWCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38E640F4.4B18@some.net>
Source record: 115431

Keep in mind that being Christian and claiming to be Christian can be
two different things. A real Christian would never dream of doing some
of the things some people do, like McVeigh, who claims to be Christian.

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> That's quite a shocker about Art Bell but he hit the nail on the head. WWCR
> is nothing but filth hate radio, period. But of course we must appreciate
> how clever they are besides being dangerous. It works like this:they call
> themselves World Wide CHRISTIAN Radio for a reason-by covering themselves in
> religious vestments and pretending to be elders, they automatically garner
> support where otherwise they wouldn't. Christians are proud of being
> Christian; it's quite normal therefore to many listeners, any hatemongering
> piece of machinery would be accepted if the word Christian is in
> association. WWCR is no more Christian than Adolf Hitler who seems to be
> their hero. Timothy McVeigh is Christian so what can be bad about him
> despite his killing all those people in the O.K.C. Murrah building? Isn't
> David Duke one too? And how about all white extremists who might parade
> around holding crosses or wearing them silk screened into T shirts? And the
> ones burning down Black churches and so forth and so on? How bad can these
> people be when eveyyone knows they're Christians? The truth is that WWCR and
> everyone who believes the garbage they put out in the name of Christ are the
> ANTITHESIS of what Christianty stands for. All a filthmongering WWCR
> broadcaster has to do is to come out with something like, "Jesus told me to
> tell everyone about Art Bell. The Lord demanded it..." and all the rest of
> that bullbleep. The gullible but otherwise well meaning will be easily led
> into believing anything hateful said by these WWCR cronies. They will take
> slander to be fact. Based upon what I myself heard, they will believe that
> Bill Clinton is a communist and that we don't have to pay any income taxes
> and that Hilary had multiple affairs and that foreign troops are here to
> slaughter us Americans and that a One World Government is going to take us
> over and all the rest of the crap that innundates the ears of listeners in
> an attempt at making them lose confidence in America, her pluralism,
> diversity and greatness. WWCR plays on the fact that lies repeated will
> catch on especially when painted on a canvas portraying Jesus Christ.
> Art Bell is suing WWCR and I hope he takes them to the cleaners. GO ART GO!

79. Re: Spam200: Read My Rewrite on rec.radio.amateur.policy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c5los$8ad$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115432

In article <8c3j5k$m0v$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I didn't know you could write in polish. Damn, you're one bright dude.
In
> fact I never knew the polish could write polish either. Damn, they're
dumb
> dudes. But all kidding aside Bob, polish, Polish or whatever, don't
let
> posting become laborious and painstaking because the majority on this
forum
> are illiterates anyhow so why break your butt? And let me tell you
about the
> Polish. Say whatever you want(Archie Bunker did a number on them), I
never
> met a Pole on welfare. They are the hardest working people I ever
> encountered and if the entire world had the Polish work ethic, this
would be
> a much more productive orb in the vast darkness of cyberspace or
whatever.
> You know why so many Polish names end in "ski?" Because they can't
spell
> "tobaggan."
> AF2Y,Doc
>
> ----------
> In article <8333-38E4F158-7@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
>
> > Spam2000,
> >
> > Good question. Yes, the crucial component of continued recovery.
> >
> > Please take note everyone that a drastic rewrite of the subject
satire
> > appears on rec.radio.amateur.policy. Like everything I write, polish
> > takes hours and days. If you're interested in the story, please read
> > the rewrite.
> >
> > Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> > Miami, Florida
> >
> Your regular riot Doc ..Too bad you SCREWED UP and cannot toss your
rhetoric on the ham bands. Three strikes and the "fart smellr" (smart
feller) is OUT!! Ha! Ha! your buddy kb1eve.

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80. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mooneer Salem <kg6aov@callsign.net>
Message-ID: <ZUsF4.12827$9m6.500081@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

The fact is, if anything's banned criminals and anyone else desperate enough will still be able to gain access to that particular object. This has been proven many times already.

This law would hurt many people, including sites that provide live streaming of the police bands etc. If passed, this would be one the many steps this country is taking in order to make itself a socialist nation.

Stuff like this makes me recall stories like Animal Farm and Farenheit 451, and I think the future of America is at stake.

-Mooneer (KG6AOV)

"John Bowers" <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8zqqhf$XY32$2@nnrp1.deja.com...
> On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
> : Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> : (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> : 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> : Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> : of what type of technology is used.
>
> It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
> For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
> you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
>
> Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
> potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
> be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
> and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
> because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
> why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
> encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
> jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> be banned too.
>
> But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical

> design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
> reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
> police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
> the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
> To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
> really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> what must be done.
>
> Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> element, and not any government which acts to block you.

81. Re: Help: Radio Installation Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38E7D4BA.F7DFAB3C@oio.net>
Source record: 115234

Jim,
Not going to be much help mounting the radios, but
may have a few things that can help you. Keep all
leads (power/ant) away from the computer module! No
idea where it is. Bumper mounting a 6M antenna is like
a fresh water fish...crappy. A 'hood' mount/roof mount
would be best.
If you have power windows or mirrors, can you get to
the 'boot' covering the wiring running from the door
to the car body? I found an access point there on my
car (a real pain, but no new holes). Do all the usual
by-passing, grounding, etc. And if you decide to use
the luggage rack for a mointing point, check to see if
it's grounded... some aren't. Thats all the advice I
can think of...that you probably already know anyway.
'Doc

82. Re: Glass Mounted Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38E7D70E.6F522E61@oio.net>
Source record: 115235

SBCmusic,
I'm aware of two kinds of 'window' antennas. One is
a 'feed-through', a stick on antenna on one side, a 'pad'
on the inside with coax connector. The other is a glass
mounted antenna, conducting tape stuck on the window, a
connection at the feed point.
Bad side:
The feed-through antenna is usually a 1/4 at lower VHF
freqs, and does have some losses. The feed through acts
like a capacitor, doesn't alwasy work well depending on
design/quality.
The 'stick-on' antenna tends to 'un-stick'. Also, you
have to be careful applying the tape, tears easily.
Good side:
No holes. Easily hidden. Keeps wife happy(sort of).

"Ain't no substitute for a big, ugly antenna"
'Doc

83. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <IJQF4.22022$QJ3.3542627@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115236
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > : > : > The German government
: > : > : > of the era was not as repressive to it own people
: > : > : > as it was to those countries it conquered.
: > : > :
: > : > : Hmmmmmm, somebody forgot to tell the German Jewish citizens.
: > : >
: > : > Most of us who are for gun rights seem to forget the intercity
: > : > blacks as well.
: > : >
: > : > We focus on German Jews, forgetting that Hitler increased
: > : > gun rights for Germans over what the socialist government
: > : > before him had given the German people.
: > : >
: > : > Not that I am even saying that Hitler was right, but it is the
: > : > wrong example for what you are trying to prove. Hitler was
: > : > not oppressive to the average German.
: > :
: > : Speaking purely as a historian, BULLSHIT!!!
: > :
: > : Hitler's regime was oppressive towards the average German. Anyone who
: > : stepped out of line risked a trip to the People's Courts and a one way
: > : ticket to the guillotine.
: >
: > One of the big questions was why so many Germans supported
: > Hitler.
:
: For many the simple answer was fear. In Nazi Germany a single critical
: remark being over-heard could earn you a one way ticket to Belsen.

And your neighbor would turn you in. Look at the number
of scholars asking why the average German was supportive
of the Nazis? The German public liked Hitler. Hitler even
had a huge support in the intellectual community. For the
most part Hitler, like Clinton, tried to appeal to the establishment
moderates of his society. His propagandists even were
trying to make him out a savior (their were paintings of him
looking like Christ).

: > In truth, Hitler was a step from what they had experienced
: > under the socialists.
:
: Pardon? Could you rephrase that so it makes some sense?
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The previous administration, before Hitler, was very socialist.
And very restrictive. Hitler was actually considered to be
liberating.

: > Germany, even today, is a society that is very homogenous.
:
: Not really, Germany is changing just like everywhere else. With so many
: "gastarbeiter" it is impossible for Germany to remain homogenous.

Even more so in France and the UK. It is a very big
arguement in Europe.

: > The little old ladies in every neighborhood keep a
: > sharp eye out for anyone who violates the norms. It is one reason
: > that Germany has fewer cops than here. They have a huge force
: > of old ladies.
:
: And you have a huge force of bullshit!

I have lived in Europe, mostly Germany. I have
been there 9 times. I assume that you have lived
there to speak with such authority?

Try washing your car on Sunday. Or not cleaning
your steps on Saturday. You will hear about it. If
you do not comply then they call the cops.

On average, I saw a politezi once a week. I see cops
here daily. When I came back, the US seemed like a
police state compared to Germany.

84. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38E7D80A.F6345F18@icss.net>
Source record: 115237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >>Someone wrote:
>
> >>>Because the NCTA was asking for change and they got it. Now the
> >>>PCTA is asking for that change to be undone, i.e. a step backwards.
>
> >> Seems to me that it was the NCTA who were demanding taking a step
> >> backwards (remembering that at one time, there was no code exam).
>
> >And at one time there were no radio rules or regulations. Just how far back
> >do you wish to push the NCTA?
>
> Off a cliff? =:)
>
> I'm not pushing anyone or anything. I was quite happy with the status quo.
> *Their* years of whining has pushed us back to the 1912 testing speed of
> 5 wpm.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

And that is a damned good start. Five wpm was relevant in 1912. It is not relevant today.

85. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38E7DEF3.9D8AEA76@icss.net>
Source record: 115238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Keith Wood wrote:

> W6RCecilA wrote:
> >
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > I'm not pushing anyone or anything. I was quite happy with the status quo.
> >
> > How about the April 16 status quo? :-)
>
> His problem is that he will lose a lot of his puff rights when we all
> become 5 WPM Extras.
>
> Funny how none of the competent Extras who I know personally are upset
> about this -- one said simply "if I need to prove anything, I'll just
> send the phone book at 35 WPM."
>
> Jeffrey probably isn't sure that he can prove competence at 20 WPM (much
> less high speeds), so his only "proof of skill" is that Extra ticket.

Keith, please don't taunt Jeff. He'll come back with yet more irrelevant Coast Guard stories.

86. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1a1aa27e.2cd92870@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com>
Source record: 115239

I don't know what you are smoking Doc, but please pass it around.
Crazy man, crazy!

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87. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8shucgg1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115240

If we could have been benevolent enough to take in BOATLOADS of disgruntled
oppressed Cubans in the Mariel Boatlift days, then we certainly have room
for a little kid whose mother died getting him here. End of dicussion. Reno
and Clinton are absolutely wrong! Attaway to go, Al.

In article <38E7CB8A.D7F473E6@uk2.net>, "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
wrote:

>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> The only REAL reason why certain so-called Americans on this board demand
>> that Elian be returned to the hell of a communist country is because they
>> are XENOPHOBIC. Either they fear or hate foreigners. They reason..."Aw, just
>> another Spanish onion in our midst.
>
> On the contrary, this has nothing to do with the fact that Elian is
> "just another ....". It has to do with considering all sides of the
> issue: Has Elian been given a unique opportunity- you bet. Would he be
> better off growing up in Cuba or US- United States by far. But you have
> to consider my point in my original post- if the situation were reversed
> we would expect him back. Don't get me wrong here, I'm not supporting
> Castro or communism, but just because we dislike a form of government
> doesn't mean that what people living in that country want is deemed
> irrelevant. Elian's father and family in Cuba want him back, and we have
> to acknowledge that fact.
>
>> Listen you
>> clowns-that kid is here for a reason. It was predetermined by God himself,
>> herself or itself that the boy would grow up in freedom. It's impossible to
>> believe that this little kid, floating all by himself on a raft in the
>> middle of the 90 miles of ocean separating the U.S. and Cuba got here by
>> luck? No way. It was Divine Providence.
>
> Divine Providence, God , and predetermination are irrelevant. It was
> purely luck.
>
>>Wise up you uncaring dopes and stop
>> thinking about your own carcasses and consider the future of a youngster. If
>
> There are more issues at stake here than the future of a youngster.
>
>> tons of Mexicans can cross over illegally and fall through the cracks while
>> all we do is yawn, then a deserving Elian should remain in the states. And

>> besides his mother divorced poppa for whoremongering. The kid belongs in the
>> care of a guy like that? A commie adulterer? You gotta be kidding!
>> AF2Y,Doc
>
> Doc I usually agree with your viewpoints but not this one. Your argument
> is based on emotion, nothing more, and more has to be considered than
> just emotion.
>
> Erik, KK7OA
>
>>
>> ----------
>> In article <38E6C5D0.D200BE7C@uk2.net>, "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> > Consider this: what if the situation were reversed and Elian and the
>> > father and (late) mother were from the US and the great uncles, etc were
>> > from Cuba and Elian had ended up in Cuba with them? Wouldn't we want
>> > him back, and EXPECT to have him returned? I rest my case.
>> >
>> > Erik, KK7OA
>> >

88. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <UglyJohn@mindspring.comNOSPAM>
Message-ID: <59tfesk8a1eadum6cscdf69usjqo67ldfi@4ax.com>
Source record: 115241

On Sun, 02 Apr 2000 16:08:43 GMT, w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:

>See "Rainreport" www.rainreport.com Captain Truth has been
>bagged and delivered, let us all hope he is banished forever from
>amateur radio for his qrming.
>
>W4FQF since 1952
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

Hey George,
I seem to remember a certain ham who went unidentified for years. He yelled "Herby baby number 1" and other things. He went by the name "Polly". Should Polly have been banished forever? Don't throw rocks in a glass house you hypocrite.

89. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <168fdbee.2e89ca5c@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com>
Source record: 115242

BORIIIIIIINNNNNNNNNGGGGGGGGG!!!!

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90. Re: Glass Mounted Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Spoecker <ke6nij@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <csWF4.15355$84.1703920@alfalfa.thegrid.net>
Source record: 115243

I have used a glass mount antenna for years on my previous vehicle and for local repeater work on 2 meters and 440 it was just dandy. I put it on a tinted window and was told that that could be a problem because the tinting is some kind of metallic substance and could interfere with the capacitive coupling. As far as I know this was no problem but who knows how much more power could have been put out if the window were non tinted. I should also say that a friend of mine put his antenna to close to the rear window windshield wiper and keying up the transmitter turned on the wiper. This is of course not an issue of the type of mount but still something to consider when figuring antenna location.

SBCmusic wrote in message <20000402175431.25892.00000266@nso-fd.aol.com>...
>I've never had any experience with glass (windshield) mounted antennas for
>vhf/uhf? I'm considering one for my old fishing truck. :))) So, if
you've
>got comments, good or bad, let me know!!!
>
>73,
>N9GSU

91. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@remailer.ch>
Message-ID: <20000402132941.17024.qmail@hades.rpini.com>
Source record: 115244

Danny's Gay lover, kokomo_guy <anonymous@cotse.com> wiped the goat smegma from his lips and drooled...
>
> KC8JBO wrote:
>
> > Hostname: host-216-78-36-18.ath.bellsouth.net
> > IP Address: 216.78.36.18
>
> And then followed that with
>
> > Shutup, Lloyd.
>
> Which made me laugh 'til I cried!
>
> With all of the evidence right in front of your nose, you
> never, never
> get it right. This time, the poster was Jimmy O'Brien; not
> Lloyd!!!
>
> And when you thought it was Jimmy, it was really Danny!!!
>
> Well, at least you're consistently maintaining your 0%
> batting average.
> --
> Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
> http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

It had to be one or the other, and I wouldn't talk about batting averages, imbecile. So go back to fornicating farm animals, from your picture, apparently, that's all you can get. Coward Josh.

The_Equalizer

Hey you! Claim your FREE anonymous email account: http://www.anonymous.to

92. Re: Newsgroup Announcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <UiwF4.20007$QJ3.3221414@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115314
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > Just as with gun control, there are moderate regulations
: > that could be applied in order to limit abuse.
:
: In the case of guns, a good start would be to enforce the
: laws we already have and keep the armed criminals in jail.
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No disagreement here. In fact if you lose your gun rights (felon, mental illness, misdemeanor domestic battery, what ever else they bring up....) should also result in the lost of voting rights, the right to be a professional (teacher, lawyer, CPA, doctor, etc) or work for the government. In other words if you can not be trusted with gun then you should not be trusted in any other area. That would put a real hurt on the democrats plans (creeping restrictions on gun ownership would then hurt them at the polls).

93. Re: Spam200: Read My Rewrite on rec.radio.amateur.policy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c653c$o89$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115315

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> whined in message
news:8c5los$8ad$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8c3j5k$m0v$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > I didn't know you could write in polish. Damn, you're one bright
dude.
<snipped for brevity>

> Your regular riot Doc ..Too bad you SCREWED UP and cannot toss your
> rhetoric on the ham bands. Three strikes and the "fart smellr" (smart
> feller) is OUT!! Ha! Ha! your buddy kb1eve.

I'd suggest you watch your OWN on-air behavior, Tolassi the VT moron.
Ha ha ...Steal from another ham, like you did KE9RY. Tolassi here stole
a picture from KE9RY, while RY went to the bathroom. And let's not
forget your badgering of a maritime mobile and a family member of the
same maritime mobile.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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94. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c658h$o9v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115316

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Hostname: host-216-78-36-18.ath.bellsouth.net
IP Address: 216.78.36.18

----- Original Message -----

Path: news!den-news-01.qwest.net!qwest!news.conectiv.net!
news.eecis.udel.edu!netnews.com!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!
news.gtei.net!newsfeed.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
Message-ID: <38E65C9F.8128E556@ham.com>
From: joe@ham.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.7 [en] (Win98; I)
X-Accept-Language: en
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy
References: <8c2khm$vo$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 34
Date: Sat, 01 Apr 2000 15:31:27 -0500
NNTP-Posting-Host: 216.78.36.18
X-Trace: news1.atl 954620747 216.78.36.18 (Sat, 01 Apr 2000 15:25:47
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NNTP-Posting-Date: Sat, 01 Apr 2000 15:25:47 EST
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:13322

From: <joe@ham.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Sent: Saturday, April 01, 2000 3:31 PM
Subject: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> <Nothing of importance>
> > W4FQF Since 1952 Jammer since 1952
>
> Word has it that the idiot K1TP has been jamming on twenty and seventy
> five meters as well. He is the latest moron to fall under the spell of
> jammers AF2Y, N9PGE, and the rest of the bad seed Goodfellows. Even
his
> stupid webpage at http://members.aol.com/jcunham/ shows the control
this
> jamming bunch of malcontents have over this moron. Riley has already
> received jamming reports from the Massachusetts area, and hopefully
this
> libeling, jamming idiot will be busted soon as well.
>
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Shutup, Lloyd.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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95. Ham radio resources links site:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: F6KEH <f6keh@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <8c64d6$j4o$7@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 115317

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Ham radio site :
F6KEH RESOURCES RELAY has been updated !

Visit it at : http://f6keh.free.fr/index_r
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96. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <JnxF4.20349$QJ3.3241271@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115318
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

: > But you use the emotional twisting style. Cops make mistakes,
: > mistakes that are costly. But they are not just running out killing
: > people at will.
:
: Of course they are, just like they did during prohibition. We
: never learn. Adults using drugs in the privacy of their own
: homes have a perfect right to do so and a large percentage of
: the population do just that. Many entertainers and even
: politicians smirk and admit doing such when they were young,
: but not presently (yeah, right). The war on drugs is a
: ploy by the government to take away the individual rights
: of the citizens and it is working.

That is a bit paranoid. At it height, illegal drug usage
only effected 14% of the population and that was in
the late '70s. Now it is only 6% of all Americans.

Why we are seeing a contraction of civil liberties is that
we increased those liberties in the '70s. Now the same
liberals who pushed those rights are rethinking their positions.

Do you remember how much power J Edger Hoover had?
Then those powers were removed by congress when he
died. Our government does not have as much power as
J Edger had.

: I use drugs every day - caffine to wake me up, St. John's Wort
: to stabilize my moods, and scotch to calm me down. Marijuana would
: be a lot better for my health than scotch but it seems the government
: would rather I have liver problems than smoke a God-given weed.

In proper usage, pot might be as useful as St. John's Wort. However
since we are now so urbanized (the rural population is highly urbanized
as well), there isn't a lot of good sense out there. I would not trust a
lot of suburban apartment dwellers with even a kerosene heater!! Let
alone a gun.

We really need to return to the military draft so that we can
teach these idiots what any farm boy grew up knowing.

97. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <FqxF4.20362$QJ3.3242214@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115319
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

: > The German government
: > of the era was not as repressive to it own people
: > as it was to those countries it conquered.
:
: Hmmmmmm, somebody forgot to tell the German Jewish citizens.

Most of us who are for gun rights seem to forget the intercity
blacks as well.

We focus on German Jews, forgetting that Hitler increased
gun rights for Germans over what the socialist government
before him had given the German people.

Not that I am even saying that Hitler was right, but it is the
wrong example for what you are trying to prove. Hitler was
not oppressive to the average German.

98. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Video Stringer <jeepshot@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <38E6A469.8E10D666@earthlink.net>
Source record: 115320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

John Bowers wrote:

Gums inflamed again el insipidness?

what is your point?

you are playing "stupid me"

why do you bother this blabber?

especially acting as if it's "sane?"

bill conduit
etc.

99. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate, and House.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3kly <n3kly@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c6c03$v29$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38E59D72.CA6E3709@corrupts.laws>,
money@corrupts.laws wrote:
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> Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon)
and
> Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners
regardless
> of what type of technology is used.
>
> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:s.2326:
>
> S.2326 : A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to strengthen
> and clarify prohibitions on electronic
> eavesdropping, and for other purposes.
> Sponsor: Sen Wyden, Ron - Latest Major Action: 3/29/2000 Referred to
the
> Senate Commerce, Science, and Transportation
>
> Here is another older bill(H.R.3489)from the House of the 106th
Congress
> anti-scanner members.
> 12/14/1999: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade,
> and Consumer Protection.
>
> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.03489:
>
> And another older anti-scanner bill that has not died (H.R.514).
>
> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.0514:
>
> I think they have gone nuts. It really is about covering censorship
> being forced on you by the bogus phrase of eavesdropping protection.
> Wireless business, money, and lawmakers and you pay the price for
> airtime and the hidden price of lost freedom. Restricted airwave
> monitoring laws helped insure the growth Nazi Germany before World War
> II.
>
The above links are blank..

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100. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <no-one@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <38E6B378.31A4@nowhere.com>
Source record: 115322
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
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> : > The German government
> : > of the era was not as repressive to it own people
> : > as it was to those countries it conquered.
> :
> : Hmmmmmm, somebody forgot to tell the German Jewish citizens.
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> Most of us who are for gun rights seem to forget the intercity
> blacks as well.
>
> We focus on German Jews, forgetting that Hitler increased
> gun rights for Germans over what the socialist government
> before him had given the German people.
>
> Not that I am even saying that Hitler was right, but it is the
> wrong example for what you are trying to prove. Hitler was
> not oppressive to the average German.

Speaking purely as a historian, BULLSHIT!!!

Hitler's regime was oppressive towards the average German. Anyone who stepped out of line risked a trip to the People's Courts and a one way ticket to the guillotine.

Phil

Peace, Bread, Land

101. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c6cv1gsj1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115323
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu> wrote:

>: Being a model citizen costs nothing.

>Like they say - "If you believe that, then I have a bridge to sell you".

Well then, just how much DOES is cost?

102. One fortnight away: restructuring!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8c6dd0ore1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Like it or not, just 2 more weeks. Haven't heard anything about those petitions for reconsideration. Just as well, I have CSCE's to cash in.

103. Re: ALERT New Troll!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <LPyF4.12599$64.438945@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I smell a stinky little troll.

John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8zqqhf$XY32$2@nnrp1.deja.com...
> On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
> : Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> : (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> : 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> : Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> : of what type of technology is used.
>
> It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
> For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
> you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
>
> Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
> potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
> be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
> and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
> because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
> why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
> encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
> jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> be banned too.
>
> But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
> design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
> reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
> police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
> the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
> To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
> really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> what must be done.
>
> Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of

> tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> element, and not any government which acts to block you.
>

104. Re: FCC Reverses in Partial Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8c6dl8$a34$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115326
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.flame,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Looks like complaints work. Or don't -- depending on your view of things. News bulletin is out regarding the latest FCC changes to the Amateur licensing.
>
>Are you ready for your retesting for code?
>
>I've listed the latest news at http://hfradio.org - right on the main page you'll find the link to the latest on the FCC decision.
>
Looked at your site, nice backround, saved it. Happy April Fool's to you too!

105. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c6dg1$hf0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

CousinNertnic <ntimmso@aol.com> wrote:
>(from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>"In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about
>to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful
>events that have occured to my family over the past several years.

Is this fellow a ham? If not, why's this posted to
rec.radio.amateur.misc?

106. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <00zF4.12611$64.438737@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115328

I generally agree with you Doc, but, no this time. What is wrong with
someone going HOME?
If Cuba sends all of the kid's classmates here, are we morally obligated to
keep them here too?
Like him or not, Fidel is a genius at putting the US in situations that
expose our hypocracy
when it is based only upon emotions.
Clinton is right to opt us out of his game. Nothing wrong with letting the
kid go HOME.
A father son-bond takes precedence over political/economic systems.
KR4AJ

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8c5m9p$vi5$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to
.313
> and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag KT4TR telling everyone that
little
> Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba with his red herring poppa. Like
> hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave that kid here! Wanna know why?
Here's
> some reasons. First of all, the kid's mother DIED bringing the child to
> freedom? The U.S.A. is to let her die in vain? Since when doesn't this
> country recognize the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression? Next,
> how about the theologic angle? Consider this: that little boy can now go
to
> church. I assume he's a Roman Catholic as are 99.9% of Cubans and now he
can
> go to Mass without Fidel's sonofabitch red secret police watching who
enters
> and leaves churches. We call ourselves good Christians, good Jews etc. Are
> we to therefore deny that God in his infinite wisdom had no purpose in
> allowing that child to LIVE and live FREE while all the others on the raft
> perished? Is there not a possibility that Elian was SENT HERE by the hand
of
> God almighty to mature in a free land and to later on pay back this
country
> with greatness in a certain field of endeavor? Think about it folks..you
> think things happen by accident? Thirdly, since the Mariel boatlift was
> encouraged and since we hardly ever send back illegal immigrants from the
> Caribbean and Mexico, why then does the State Department have such a
"thing"
> for little Elian's return? Has Reno and Clinton lost their minds making
such

> an issue over a six year old kid? Why not let the kid decide? Who says
he's
> so close to daddy? Who says he can't stand his guardians in Miami and the
> atmosphere and the toys and games and kids who are now his friends?
Although
> the Miami Cuban population has no right in threatening riots if Elian is
> forced out of the U.S.A., they still have a good reason to be mad as hell
> and so does every person in this nation who loves and respects liberty.
> There's only one person who has gained from this travesty-lousy Castro
which
> is exactly what he seeks. You think he really cares about the welfare of
> Elian's father or of Elian himself? All Fidel seeks is the same type of
> embarrassment for the USA that we suffered when he stuffed some of his
> Mariel boatlift vessels with criminals and dregs of society. By sending
> that kid back we play right into the hands of the bearded one and we
suffer
> a black eye. Keep Elian here IF HE HIMSELF WANTS TO STAY, with or without
> poppa. And if he stays, on April 15th take him to a VEC to make him an
Extra
> and we'll all be able to talk to him a day later.
> AF2Y,Doc
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107. Re: ATTN: "really"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c6dqvhvn1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115329

In article <38E61BDC.B3EF6BC6@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>I'm critical because CW is a very inefficient
>method of sending traffic, especially in an emergency.

Nonsense. It worked extremely well for 90+ years of emergencies on
the maritime frequencies.

108. Re: Art Bell blasting and suing WWCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <jazF4.12637$64.447568@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115330

If it were not for WWCR, how would we find out about magnetic healing and herbology that
cures all diseases including cancer? How would we learn about how not to pay taxes by filing
zero returns? How would we know about the miracle cure-all silver colloid solutions that cure
all ailments? How would we obtain the wisdom of brother stairway-to-heaven and pastor pete
peters who are the only ones who know the real meaning of the bible and hate they find concealed
between the lines? I find WWCR as entertaining as the X-files/. There is excellent fiction content
in its programming that appeals to the animal instinct that dwells deep inside of humanity.
KR4AJ

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8c57vu$cc5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> > (from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
> >
> > The Announcement:
> >
> > "In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about
> > to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful
> > events that have occured to my family over the past several years. This
> station has been described by newpapers and civic minded organizations as
> one of the country's leading broadcasters of hate radio.
> > The individuals, WWCR and its sister-station WNQM, have allowed to broadcast
> > over the airwaves, include a man who wrote a book entitled "The Hitler We
> > Loved And Why" and another man who stated over the airwaves that Jews are
> > the children of Satan and that African-Americans are "mud people".
>
> That's quite a shocker about Art Bell but he hit the nail on the head. WWCR
> is nothing but filth hate radio, period. But of course we must appreciate
> how clever they are besides being dangerous. It works like this:they call
> themselves World Wide CHRISTIAN Radio for a reason-by covering themselves in
> religious vestments and pretending to be elders, they automatically garner
> support where otherwise they wouldn't. Christians are proud of being

> Christian; it's quite normal therefore to many listeners, any
hatemongering
> piece of machinery would be accepted if the word Christian is in
> association. WWCR is no more Christian than Adolf Hitler who seems to be
> their hero. Timothy McVeigh is Christian so what can be bad about him
> despite his killing all those people in the O.K.C. Murrah building? Isn't
> David Duke one too? And how about all white extremists who might parade
> around holding crosses or wearing them silk screened into T shirts? And
the
> ones burning down Black churches and so forth and so on? How bad can these
> people be when eveyyone knows they're Christians? The truth is that WWCR
and
> everyone who believes the garbage they put out in the name of Christ are
the
> ANTITHESIS of what Christianty stands for. All a filthmongering WWCR
> broadcaster has to do is to come out with something like, "Jesus told me
to
> tell everyone about Art Bell. The Lord demanded it..." and all the rest of
> that bullbleep. The gullible but otherwise well meaning will be easily led
> into believing anything hateful said by these WWCR cronies. They will take
> slander to be fact. Based upon what I myself heard, they will believe that
> Bill Clinton is a communist and that we don't have to pay any income taxes
> and that Hilary had multiple affairs and that foreign troops are here to
> slaughter us Americans and that a One World Government is going to take us
> over and all the rest of the crap that innundates the ears of listeners
in
> an attempt at making them lose confidence in America, her pluralism,
> diversity and greatness. WWCR plays on the fact that lies repeated will
> catch on especially when painted on a canvas portraying Jesus Christ.
> Art Bell is suing WWCR and I hope he takes them to the cleaners. GO ART
GO!
>
>

109. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <bsHmOLNqZMpdqlGJ7eMSUdh7RxmH@4ax.com>
Source record: 115331

On 2 Apr 2000 03:06:41 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>CousinNertnic <ntimmso@aol.com> wrote:
>>(from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>>"In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about
>>to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful
>>events that have occured to my family over the past several years.
>
>Is this fellow a ham? If not, why's this posted to
>rec.radio.amateur.misc?

Yes, he is. W6OBB. He's one of the few broadcast radio personalities
that promote ham radio, too. He used to do a ham related show about 4
times a year. I always enjoyed them.

Jim
KG4GXP

110. Re: Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c6f6g$j9p$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115332

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>K0HB@uswest.net wrote:
>> "Kevin" <kmac@snet.net> writes:

>> >Can anyone suggest the best www pages for Amateur Radio Modifications?

>> Get a copy of "ARRL Handbook". Costs about $35.00.

>> After you study it, you will have the knowledge to modify anything
>> related to ham radio.

>Oh, really? Look in that book, then, and tell me how to do the CAP mod
>for an FT-23.

Your question shows why there is a salary difference between a broadcast
engineer and someone who calls himself a "TV news critter."

It's not about "looking in the book" but rather *studying* the book.

"Teach a man to fish..."

111. Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curt Phillips W4CP <cphillips@engineer.com>
Message-ID: <8c6iku$5tn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115333

In case you missed the mention in the ARRL Letter or QST:

Title: Frequency

A young man discovers that his ham radio set can reach 30 years into
the past - to communicate with his father, a firefighter who died in an
accident. The man desperately tries to find a way to change history and
save his father's life.

Stars: Dennis Quaid

Release Date: April 28th, 2000

Sneak Preview: Saturday, April 15th, 2000.

MPAA Rating: PG-13

Premise: When he receives a ham radio message from a fireman during a
freak sunspot, a police officer (Caviezel) soon realizes that he is
talking to his father (Quaid) back in 1969... before he died. The two
strike up a quick friendship, as you might expect, and soon become
partners across time to see if they can change history... but soon find
that as things change, well... things change, including the
endangerment of his [Quaid's] wife (Mitchell)...

Filming Location: Filming began in Toronto on May 3rd, 1999.

Genre: Thriller

FROM THE ARRL LETTER:
Ham moviegoers report seeing previews for the new movie Frequency,
starring Dennis Quaid and directed by Gregory Hoblit, that's set for an
April release. The ARRL was consulted in the interests of accuracy and
came up with an unused W2 call sign for the movie's protagonist to use.
The movie also recently got a plug on Entertainment Tonight.

========= Opinions expressed are solely those of the author ===========
Curt Phillips, CEM W4CP | In a time of drastic change it is the
Writer/Engineer/Gadgeteer |learners who inherit the future. The learned
ARRL Life; QCWA; NRA; AEE |usually find themselves equipped to live in
Surfin' the net @10 Mbps |world that no longer exists. -- Eric Hoffer
=== cphillips@engineer.com ==== [Copyright 2000 All rights reserved]===

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112. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38E6CA02.EAC198C3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 115334
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

> N9NWO wrote:
> > Poor folks need to learn to shut up and do as their
> > betters tell to.
>

Wow. Let's see...disarmament. Restrictions on communications.
Poor folks being told to shut up by their 'betters'.

Am I the only one who finds this eerily familiar?

113. Jammers exposed at last

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4AMP <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200004020530.AAA09990@cotse.com>
Source record: 115335

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To see the trash jammers and who they are go to
File:///C:/aux
Its time to open the books on them.
--
Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
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114. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c6nj9$b00$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115336

In article <200004020403.XAA07263@cotse.com>,
"kokomo_guy" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote:
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> KC8JBO wrote:
>
> > Hostname: host-216-78-36-18.ath.bellsouth.net
> > IP Address: 216.78.36.18
>
> And then followed that with
>
> > Shutup, Lloyd.
>
> Which made me laugh 'til I cried!

I have to throw in with you here. The post was far too literate for
Lloyd. First of all it was more than 3 lines... Then, can you imagine
Lloyd using "malcontents?" Or spelling "libeling" with only 2 "l"s? He
hasn't yet.

And, since it wasn't full of RG8 stair nonsense, or "the sky is falling"
nonsense, it wasn't cut-and-pasted from someone else.

LRod

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115. Re: Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c6no5$b1t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115337

In article <8c6iku$5tn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Curt Phillips W4CP <cphillips@engineer.com> wrote:

> A young man discovers that his ham radio set can reach 30 years into
> the past -

Hey! That's burp's kind of radio!

LRod

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116. Off topic - "profiling"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000402011838.09051.00000432@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 115338

This %)&*% has got to stop. Below is a a transcript of a short article I read in the American Guardian. It shows the mentality and just how far they'll go to paint Americans as "the problem."

Clinton-Gore Launch Gun Owner profiling?
The never ending stigmatization of gun owners by the Clinton-Gore Administration has now found an outlet in the "FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin." In an article entitled "Vehicle Stops Involving Extremist Group members" in the December issue, law enforcement officers are cautioned when making traffic stops that the display of "pro-gun" bumper stickers is a sign of possible extremist group involvement. Officers are also cautioned about the display of the Bible and the Constitution.
The fact that Bill Clinton and Al Gore could consider citizens to be extremists when they proudly declare their exercise of a constitutional right is -- after the past seven years -- not shocking. But is a powerful message about why millions of "American gun owners" MUST make their voices heard on Election Day 2000.

117. Infamous lib net qrmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ohara Sensei <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c6qhpdtc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115339

Greetings ;
I am not 1400 miles away,nor am I a coward as was staed abot Vic last night.

funny how the jaming gets stronger as I drive south on 41

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118. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c708q$9o3$9@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115340
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
: One of the "common" methods of tracking a ground signal from a
: satellite is to observe the signal from a satellite tasked in a polar
: orbit. These craft are in an orbit that brings them around the
: earth several (many) times a day. There are also several birds
: up there. Any single satellite can get "line fix" on a station by
: using the signal and the point the dopler shift "transitions".
: The station would be on one side or the other of the sat along the
: line. A second pass or a different bird would give a different line.
: Where the lines cross - "X marks the spot".

Directional fixes, even from an infinity of satellites, would only produce
a circle of probable location that is many miles (possibly hundreds) of
miles across.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

119. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c70gs$9o3$10@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115341
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb N9NWO <N9NWO@amsat.org> wrote:

: But you use the emotional twisting style. Cops make mistakes,
: mistakes that are costly. But they are not just running out killing
: people at will. And we are still a long way towards becoming a
: police state. All that is happening is that we are returning to the
: more conservative values we used to have. Unfortunately those
: individuals on the edges of society are pushing limits. These individuals
: must be reeled in and brought under control. Thus we send more
: to prison where we used to use other means of discipline. For
: one thing, those on the edges of society have abused the rest
: of us, especially when we give them another chance.

Conservative, yes. The values that we used to have, no. We used to
leave people alone, if they were not endangering others. These days,
both major parties want to control various aspects of our lives that
have nothing to do with harming others.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

120. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c70o8$9o3$11@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115342
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb N9NWO <N9NWO@amsat.org> wrote:

: That is a bit paranoid. At it height, illegal drug usage
: only effected 14% of the population and that was in
: the late '70s. Now it is only 6% of all Americans.

Too bad the government won't admit this - and get the hell out of our private lives. They are screaming and wailing that drug usage is destroying the country - while it is really the stupid drug laws, and the abuses by the authorities under these laws, which is really the problem.

: Why we are seeing a contraction of civil liberties is that
: we increased those liberties in the '70s. Now the same
: liberals who pushed those rights are rethinking their positions.

: Do you remember how much power J Edger Hoover had?
: Then those powers were removed by congress when he
: died. Our government does not have as much power as
: J Edger had.

Oh? Under the RICO statutes, any cop has MORE power than Hoover ever dreamed of having.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

121. Arizona Ocean Front Property For Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <kb9tmp@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c7id2$4vo$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115343
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.flame,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <t%jF4.69926$AT6.70601@dfw-read.news.verio.net>,
nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org (Tomas - NW7US) wrote:
> Looks like complaints work. Or don't -- depending on your view of
things. News bulletin is out regarding the latest FCC changes to the
Amateur licensing.
>
> Are you ready for your retesting for code?
>
> I've listed the latest news at http://hfradio.org - right on the main
page you'll find the link to the latest on the FCC decision.
>
> Guess I have to brush up now.
>
> 73
>
> 73 de NW7US, Tomas
<SNIP>

Any one interested in some Arizona beach front property just
next to the "OCEAN"? If you liked Tomas' restructureing
report email him about his property, it's listed with
Arizona's best realty firm, Duey, Cheatam, & Howe!
--
'73' From KB9TMP
It is best not meddle in the affairs of dragons,
for you are crunchy and taste good with ketchup!

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122. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sideband@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38E7522B.35EB0D26@mindspring.com>
Source record: 115344
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

So gps is only accurate to 100 miles +-?

Bill Nelson wrote:

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> : One of the "common" methods of tracking a ground signal from a
> : satellite is to observe the signal from a satellite tasked in a polar
> : orbit. These craft are in an orbit that brings them around the
> : earth several (many) times a day. There are also several birds
> : up there. Any single satellite can get "line fix" on a station by
> : using the signal and the point the dopler shift "transitions".
> : The station would be on one side or the other of the sat along the
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> Directional fixes, even from an infinity of satellites, would only produce
> a circle of probable location that is many miles (possibly hundreds) of
> miles across.
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> --
> Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

123. Re: New guy with questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malenymph@hot.net
Message-ID: <38e7551e.300147678@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 115345

On Mon, 27 Mar 2000 11:29:02 -0600, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>sideband,
> You don't ask easy questions, do you? The 'Tech'
>license gives you a partial 10 meter use, and all bands
>from there up (VHF/UHF).

The Tech class ticket does NOT give you 10m's. Even after April 15th.
He'll still need to pass the 5wpm test to get 10m or lower.

124. Re: WE OWN 10 METERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: malenymph@hot.net
Message-ID: <38e75610.300390034@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 115346

On 30 Mar 2000 04:06:17 GMT, cbrambo1@aol.com (CBRambo1) wrote:

>>You have that backwards, my friend. Hams had better start making full use of
>>10-meters. Otherwise, outband CB'ers will take *IT* over. It's a game of
>>sheer numbers here.
>
>Already happening. Truckers now use the lower portion of 10 for thier nets.
>
> >Already, "stray"
>>freebanders can be heard daily on the lower (CW) portion of 10-meters. If
>>they
>>tune up there and hear no activity, they consider it an "empty" frequency and
>>begin transmitting. Then, they bring their friends. Then, their friends
>>bring
>>THEIR friends. Then....
>
>Again, this is been going on for years. They are entrenched in the 10m band
>and will never give it back.

Unless we started USING IT. We're licensed to use 10m, they aren't.
Get on a USE THE BAND, work right OVER them.

125. Re: Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c7lev$fc6$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115347

In article <8c6iku$5tn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Curt Phillips W4CP
<cphillips@engineer.com> wrote:
> In case you missed the mention in the ARRL Letter or QST:
>
> Title: Frequency
>
> A young man discovers that his ham radio set can reach 30 years into
> the past - to communicate with his father, a firefighter who died in an
> accident. The man desperately tries to find a way to change history and
> save his father's life.
>
> Stars: Dennis Quaid
>
> Release Date: April 28th, 2000
>
> Sneak Preview: Saturday, April 15th, 2000.
>
> MPAA Rating: PG-13
> FROM THE ARRL LETTER:
> Ham moviegoers report seeing previews for the new movie Frequency,
> starring Dennis Quaid and directed by Gregory Hoblit, that's set for an
> April release. The ARRL was consulted in the interests of accuracy and
> came up with an unused W2 call sign for the movie's protagonist to use.
> The movie also recently got a plug on Entertainment Tonight

Sounds great. Did you say the sneak preview's on April 15th? Wonderful. On
the way home, everyone will drop in to their friendly VECs and walk out an
Extra. Then they can drive over to the closest truckstop and pick up a brand
new shiny Kenwood transceiver and start asking for "radio checks." which
will put even more emphasis into what a great movie it was.
AF2Y

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126. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <OzJF4.21581$QJ3.3427730@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115348
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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: > : > The German government
: > : > of the era was not as repressive to it own people
: > : > as it was to those countries it conquered.
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: > : Hmmmmmm, somebody forgot to tell the German Jewish citizens.
: >
: > Most of us who are for gun rights seem to forget the intercity
: > blacks as well.
: >
: > We focus on German Jews, forgetting that Hitler increased
: > gun rights for Germans over what the socialist government
: > before him had given the German people.
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: > Not that I am even saying that Hitler was right, but it is the
: > wrong example for what you are trying to prove. Hitler was
: > not oppressive to the average German.
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: Speaking purely as a historian, BULLSHIT!!!
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: Hitler's regime was oppressive towards the average German. Anyone who
: stepped out of line risked a trip to the People's Courts and a one way
: ticket to the guillotine.

One of the big questions was why so many Germans supported
Hitler. In truth, Hitler was a step from what they had experienced
under the socialists. Germany, even today, is a society that is very
homogenous. The little old ladies in every neighborhood keep a
sharp eye out for anyone who violates the norms. It is one reason
that Germany has fewer cops than here. They have a huge force
of old ladies.
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127. CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c7ra3dsm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115349

See "Rainreport" www.rainreport.com Captain Truth has been
bagged and delivered, let us all hope he is banished forever from
amateur radio for his qrming.

W4FQF since 1952

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128. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@ham.com
Message-ID: <38E776CD.D09267DF@ham.com>
Source record: 115350

LRod wrote:

> In article <200004020403.XAA07263@cotse.com>,
> "kokomo_guy" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote:
> >
> > KC8JBO wrote:
> >
> > > Hostname: host-216-78-36-18.ath.bellsouth.net
> > > IP Address: 216.78.36.18
> >
> > And then followed that with
> >
> > > Shutup, Lloyd.
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> > Which made me laugh 'til I cried!
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> I have to throw in with you here. The post was far too literate for
> Lloyd. First of all it was more than 3 lines... Then, can you imagine
> Lloyd using "malcontents?" Or spelling "libeling" with only 2 "l"s? He
> hasn't yet.
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> And, since it wasn't full of RG8 stair nonsense, or "the sky is falling"
> nonsense, it wasn't cut-and-pasted from someone else.
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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Looks like idiot John is starting to squirm now. This taken from the new
Goodfellow puppet webpage:
Sunday Scandal: I received this email today; Does anybody know what idiot
wrote this letter?????????????????????? It's a
good thing I write this page at a second grade level so the idiot element
of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
particular.can you imagine this idiot is actually walking the
streets....Check his web page..if I looked this stupid I wouldn't post
it for the world to see!!!! By the way-I've never jammed..only uneducated
nitwits without a life do stuff like that..I don't fall in
that category...my xyl keeps me to busy...

The guillty dog always barks. So there you have it, K1TP, Jon Cunningham,
New Goodfellow lap dog, jammer, and propaganda boy. They always recruit the
idiots!

129. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c7ttngkp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115351

In article <8c7ra3dsm1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> See "Rainreport" www.rainreport.com Captain Truth has been
> bagged and delivered, let us all hope he is banished forever from
> amateur radio for his qrming.
>
> W4FQF since 1952
It's to bad the fcc diden't give the hams that found him any credit for
finding him and doing the led work.. nd8v since 1978 herrrrrby still
here
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

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130. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38e77726.3209261@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115352
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 2 Apr 2000 08:27:06 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

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>: One of the "common" methods of tracking a ground signal from a
>: satellite is to observe the signal from a satellite tasked in a polar
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>: earth several (many) times a day. There are also several birds
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>a circle of probable location that is many miles (possibly hundreds) of
>miles across.
Then how come ELT signals are located with a mile or
so usually after two sat passes?

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>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
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131. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38e777a2.3333496@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115353
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 2 Apr 2000 08:31:24 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

>In rec.radio.cb N9NWO <N9NWO@amsat.org> wrote:
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>: But you use the emotional twisting style. Cops make mistakes,
>: mistakes that are costly. But they are not just running out killing
>: people at will. And we are still a long way towards becoming a
>: police state. All that is happening is that we are returning to the
>: more conservative values we used to have. Unfortunately those
>: individuals on the edges of society are pushing limits. These individuals
>: must be reeled in and brought under control. Thus we send more
>: to prison where we used to use other means of discipline. For
>: one thing, those on the edges of society have abused the rest
>: of us, especially when we give them another chance.
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>Conservative, yes. The values that we used to have, no. We used to
>leave people alone, if they were not endangering others. These days,
>both major parties want to control various aspects of our lives that
>have nothing to do with harming others.

Well put Bill.
There are now armies of gray
bureaucrats grimly determined
to help us and force us to pay
for their "essential actions and
policites" -

AND

afterall if it saves
just one child - it will be worth
the thousands that you have to pay.

>--
>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

132. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38e7784a.3501037@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115354
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Sun, 02 Apr 2000 15:21:18 GMT, "N9NWO" <N9NWO@AMSAT.org> wrote:

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>: > : > of the era was not as repressive to it own people
>: > : > as it was to those countries it conquered.
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>: stepped out of line risked a trip to the People's Courts and a one way
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>Hitler. In truth, Hitler was a step from what they had experienced
>under the socialists. Germany, even today, is a society that is very
>homogenous. The little old ladies in every neighborhood keep a
>sharp eye out for anyone who violates the norms. It is one reason
>that Germany has fewer cops than here. They have a huge force
>of old ladies.

Lets all moan in unison -
Oh where - or where -
has Susan B. Anthony gone?
Oh we need her today...

Sung to the tune of Tennessee Ernie Ford's "16 tons"
(well maybe something about a little dog would work better)

;>)

Best regards
Gil Jones

133. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19148-38E781A3-7@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115355

Art, I've never listened to WWCR but my heart brims with empathy and sympathy for you and yours.

In my view, yours is the most important story on this Newsgroup. We cannot be too careful about according all citizens the assumption of regularity in the face of such scurrilous rumors. Between the lines, I read a concerted campaign to bring you down.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

134. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8c81t7$7sk$1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 115356
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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>>a circle of probable location that is many miles (possibly hundreds) of
>>miles across.

jonesgil@usa.net writes:
>Then how come ELT signals are located with a mile or
>so usually after two sat passes?

Also, the Transit satellite navigation system gave a position fix
within a few km (I believe) after observing a single pass of a single
satellite.

But then, none of these systems actualy takes "directional fixes" from
the satellite - they observe the change in Doppler shift over time
as the satellite moves along its orbit.

So perhaps Bill is technically correct, in that directional fixes
are not useful for this, but he's commenting on a technique that
simply isn't used.

Dave

135. Wanted: Info on FT-470 - Scan Resume

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org
Message-ID: <D_LF4.71104$AT6.77981@dfw-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 115357
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I recently obtained a used FT-470 - I am trying to find out how to set the memory scan so that it will stay on an active memory while scanning.

Right now, when memory scanning, if it stops on a memory, it will listen for a few seconds, then resume scanning. I would like it to stay there until the frequency becomes quite again. Then resume. The FT-411E does this. How do I get the 470 to do this?

Also, what is the ALT for?

Thanks,

73 de NW7US

(Please modify my email address when replying. Remove the remove part.)
73 de NW7US, Tomas

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136. Re: President Adams SSB transmission problems, Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobra@no-spambudweiser.com
Message-ID: <38e78536.57963553@news.thegrid.net>
Source record: 115358
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb
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Try to get the Sams Photofacts for this rig and follow the allignment
procedures. This will help you better than anyone can explain.
Try the Local Library for the Photofacts and if they have them, get
them copied. Your library should have a copy machine.

If they dont have it for the Adams, Try the Madison. They use the same
main board and allignment procedures are all the same.

On Wed, 29 Mar 2000 18:59:01 +1200, "Southern Kiwi"
wrote:

>My Adams has a problem from the day I brought it.
>
>On AM the transmission is fine (4watts) and adjusting the mic gain has the
>expected results.
>However, on SSB (4watts instead of about 12PEP) when I adjust the mic gain
>it starts a nothing, peeks at about 1 3rd of the way round the dial then
>rapidly dwindles to nothing at about half way and stays there for the rest
>of the dial.
>I have had the cover off and adjusted, then replaced ct7 (ALC). No change.
>
>I am suspecting the mic gain control itself, but because it works on AM I'm
>not so sure.
>
>I brought the set second hand and it had a digicscan professionally wired
>in.
>
>I live out in the sticks and it will be difficult to get a "real" tech to
>look at it, does anyone have any more ideas on what I can look at?
>
>Cheers and thanx in advance
>--
>Southern Kiwi
>p.mccaul@spamsucks.ihug.co.nz
>
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137. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fse5ux0.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 115359
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 1 Apr 2000 07:57:03 GMT, Bill Nelson wrote:

>In rec.radio.cb Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu> wrote:
>
>: That's why it's so very important to conduct all dealings within your
>: life in not just a clean manner, but indeed, squeaky clean. Give no hint
>: of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
>: accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.
>
>Like they say - "If you believe that, then I have a bridge to sell you".

Jeffrey is right - when one conducts oneself in a "squeaky
clean~~" manner one doesn't have to constantly recall which
lies and fabrications one was using.....

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

138. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Jankowiak <vaxhackery@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38E79685.A6EEFC12@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 115360
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Bill Nelson wrote:

> In rec.radio.cb N9NWO <N9NWO@amsat.org> wrote:
>
> : That is a bit paranoid. At it height, illegal drug usage
> : only effected 14% of the population and that was in
> : the late '70s. Now it is only 6% of all Americans.
>
> Too bad the government won't admit this - and get the hell out of our
> private lives. They are screaming and wailing that drug usage is
> destroying the country - while it is really the stupid drug laws, and
> the abuses by the authorities under these laws, which is really the
> problem.

-
smartass mode *on*

I wish they would just go ahead and legalize drugs for adults. Then the people down the street that run the crack house would not have to fire off guns all night long to ward of the competition, and the savings in ammunition alone would more than allow crack to be sold for 1/10 of the price. The OD's resulting in death would soon bring the situation into a new equilibrium. And since it would be legal and they would not be trying to hide it, it would be alot easier for my neighbor to get a trip to jail for disorderly conduct, DUI, or public intox for smoking weed and crack all damn night with his 'home boys' and raising a rappin' ruckus so people can't sleep. It's all I can do to get him to quiet things down after 10 pm.

smartass mode *off*

139. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anon <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200004021906.PAA04531@cotse.com>
Source record: 115361

joe@ham.com wrote:

> good thing I write this page at a second grade level so
the idiot element
> of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
particular

Nice try, Jimmy, but it isn't working. Misdirection isn't
your
strong suit. joe@ham.com == James O'Brien.
--
Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

140. Ten-Tec Equipment for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: randas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8c85iv$hr4$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115362

I have for sale the following equipment. All in fine working order, and can be heard on the air. Would prefer to have local pickup (near Louisville,KY) but will ship in factory boxes if needed.

Omni-VI plus (factory upgraded to option 3)
All filter slots full Standard 2.4kc filter
#288..1.8kc SSB filter 6.3 IF
#285..500hz CW filter 6.3 IF
#282..250hz CW filter 6.3 IF
#218..1.8kc SSB filter 9mhz IF
#217..500hz CW filter 9mhz IF

Radio is in near mint condition..I'd say a 9.85 on the 10 scale. (10 being "perfect")

Included with the radio is a near mint 961 power supply/speaker , all power cables, manuals, and factory boxes.

Price for Omni-VI plus and power supply... $2,150 and some help on shipping if needed.

Have a "mint" 238 tuner..includes the factory supplied 1000pf 500V capacitor for added help on 160m if needed. Have manual and factory boxes.
Price for tuner is ..$300 plus help on shipping. (The buyer of the Omni-VI will have first chance at this tuner)

I will entertain offers...but please make them reasonable.

de Tim K0FL

Make a Package deal offer :-) NO TRADES

141. Re: Low Battery question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38E79DF8.163E9032@oio.net>
Source record: 115363

Boyd,
That is one of the symptoms of a 'low' battery. It
can also be a sign of other problems. The TS-440 doesn't
use 'paper' capacitors like some of the older radios, so
sitting idle for long periods isn't going to 'hurt' the
radio. It certainly can run the battery down though.
Unless your familiar with solid-state repaires you'll
probably have to take the '440 to a repairman anyway,
have him check it out to be sure the problem isn't from
some other than the battery.
'Doc

142. Digital Simulator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vladimir Timoshechkin <Vladimir.Tim@mail.ee>
Message-ID: <38E790A6.98EF9055@mail.ee>
Source record: 115364

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MacroSim Digital Simulator at http://freezone.anet.ee/visionics/
Over 480 simulation models. Autorouter, intuitive schematic editor,
diagram generator ...
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143. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <no-one@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <38E7A046.1C10@nowhere.com>
Source record: 115365
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
>
> : > : > The German government
> : > : > of the era was not as repressive to it own people
> : > : > as it was to those countries it conquered.
> : > :
> : > : Hmmmmmm, somebody forgot to tell the German Jewish citizens.
> : >
> : > Most of us who are for gun rights seem to forget the intercity
> : > blacks as well.
> : >
> : > We focus on German Jews, forgetting that Hitler increased
> : > gun rights for Germans over what the socialist government
> : > before him had given the German people.
> : >
> : > Not that I am even saying that Hitler was right, but it is the
> : > wrong example for what you are trying to prove. Hitler was
> : > not oppressive to the average German.
> :
> : Speaking purely as a historian, BULLSHIT!!!
> :
> : Hitler's regime was oppressive towards the average German. Anyone who
> : stepped out of line risked a trip to the People's Courts and a one way
> : ticket to the guillotine.
>
> One of the big questions was why so many Germans supported
> Hitler.

For many the simple answer was fear. In Nazi Germany a single critical
remark being over-heard could earn you a one way ticket to Belsen.

> In truth, Hitler was a step from what they had experienced
> under the socialists.

Pardon? Could you rephrase that so it makes some sense?

> Germany, even today, is a society that is very homogenous.

Not really, Germany is changing just like everywhere else. With so many
"gastarbeiter" it is impossible for Germany to remain homogenous.

> The little old ladies in every neighborhood keep a
> sharp eye out for anyone who violates the norms. It is one reason
> that Germany has fewer cops than here. They have a huge force
> of old ladies.

And you have a huge force of bullshit!

Phil

Peace, Bread, Land

144. pick one:....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: darth peter <uv@bart.nl>
Message-ID: <8c8a25thu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115366

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show locatie
Dope on Demand http://home.wanadoo.nl/dubster/
The Velvet stream http://www.xs4all.nl/~bmachine/
Lounge http://home.wanadoo.nl/streamteam/lounge.htm
The uncut http://home.wanadoo.nl/webradio/
Fluid / Sub Station Zero http://home.wanadoo.nl/ffm/
Captain Evil http://home.wanadoo.nl/fuckfm/captain.htm
Baretta http://home.wanadoo.nl/streaming/baretta.htm
Plastic Glamo Drama http://home.wanadoo.nl/radionet/
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FREE WEB RADIO ON DEMAND
Listen to music not commercials
http://members.home.nl/ffm/

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145. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000402160314.07321.00000389@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 115367

John Bowers Belched:

> Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
>should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
>enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
>For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
>conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
>of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
>you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
>
>Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
>potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
>be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
>and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
>because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
>why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
>encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
>jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
>be banned too.
>
>But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
>design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
>reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
>police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
>the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
>To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
>really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
>what must be done.
>
>Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
>tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
>element, and not any government which acts to block you.
>

Just think, this idiot can probably vote!
Scary, isn't it?

Yet another chicken in the henhouse willing to be guarded by the fox. What an
asshole!

146. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c8av7$uo4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115368

the real joke was that the official formal routine
> traffic was being passed on the net between the
actual receipents.

Kind of like the real joke on this newsgroup is
the continual same old drivel that Burt posts all
the time?

73,
N9GSU

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Before you buy.

147. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c8cq3mq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115369

<joe@ham.com> wrote in message news:38E776CD.D09267DF@ham.com...
>
> Looks like idiot John is starting to squirm now. This taken from the
new
> Goodfellow puppet webpage:
> Sunday Scandal: I received this email today; Does anybody know what
idiot
> wrote this letter???????????????????????? It's a
> good thing I write this page at a second grade level so the idiot
element
> of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
> particular.can you imagine this idiot is actually walking the
> streets....Check his web page..if I looked this stupid I wouldn't post
> it for the world to see!!!! By the way-I've never jammed..only
uneducated
> nitwits without a life do stuff like that..I don't fall in
> that category...my xyl keeps me to
busy...
>
> The guillty dog always barks. So there you have it, K1TP, Jon
Cunningham,
> New Goodfellow lap dog, jammer, and propaganda boy. They always
recruit the
> idiots!

But, Dimmy, you'd have to evolve several eons BEFORE _you_ could
approach anywhere near the idiot level.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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148. HAVE AN SGC-2020 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wsx@privacy.net
Message-ID: <38e7b093.555776@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115370

Would really appreciate some input here on the little 20 Watt
SGC-2020.....

Surely SOMEONE here must have one.????

Likes...Dislikes..???? Thank you..

149. Help: Radio Installation Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim & Doris Piper <iamweare@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <38E7A524.999D9BC6@cruzio.com>
Source record: 115371

My first posting didn't seem to make it.

Looking for tips and suggestions from anyone having experience with a late model Ford Explorer..

I recently purchased '98 Ford Explorer with a sunroom and a console that block access under the dash between the front seat.

I want to move my Icom 2710 dual bander and my 6M Azden from my '93 Explorer to my new one.

Problem:

Where/how do I

1. Mount the radios.

2. Route the power leads from the radio to the battery.

3. Mount an antennas.

Re: #1 -- My Icom has a remote head feature, though I don't have a remoting kit (yet).

Re: #2 -- Detroit apparently has ommitted any spare "ports" trhu the firewall. I had to drill at the bend in the floor at the firewall in my older Explorer to create my own access.

Re: #3 -- Looks like the only likely spot is almost all the way aft on the roof if I want to retain any use of my roof rack. I've been using a Larsen 2M/440 for the Icom and a Larsen 1/4-wave for my 6M. Maybe a bumber mount for my 6M?

I will appreciate any help. Thnx & 73 --

Jim Piper / KD6YKL

150. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8e6r$it6$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115372

Leaving my posts in your toilet bowl would add class to your meals.

In article <0b7bd549.4ddead51@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>, wufu
<wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:

> Don't forget Doc's ego! If he can't find an arguement about .313,
> he will find something else to drag to this neswgroup. Shame on
> you Doc!! Leave your diatribe in the toilet bowl.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

151. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8ebo$t1v$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115373

To me the kid looks happy to have gotten rid of daddy. Long live FREE CUBA. Down with Castro and freedom must never be compromised! Al Gore and Bob Torricelli from New Jersey are right.

In article <00zF4.12611$64.438737@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:

> I generally agree with you Doc, but, no this time. What is wrong with
> someone going HOME?
> If Cuba sends all of the kid's classmates here, are we morally obligated to
> keep them here too?
> Like him or not, Fidel is a genius at putting the US in situations that
> expose our hypocracy
> when it is based only upon emotions.
> Clinton is right to opt us out of his game. Nothing wrong with letting the
> kid go HOME.
> A father son-bond takes precedence over political/economic systems.
> KR4AJ
>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8c5m9p$vi5$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
>> Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to
> .313
>> and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag KT4TR telling everyone that
> little
>> Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba with his red herring poppa. Like
>> hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave that kid here! Wanna know why?
> Here's
>> some reasons. First of all, the kid's mother DIED bringing the child to
>> freedom? The U.S.A. is to let her die in vain? Since when doesn't this
>> country recognize the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression? Next,
>> how about the theologic angle? Consider this: that little boy can now go
> to
>> church. I assume he's a Roman Catholic as are 99.9% of Cubans and now he
> can
>> go to Mass without Fidel's sonofabitch red secret police watching who
> enters
>> and leaves churches. We call ourselves good Christians, good Jews etc. Are
>> we to therefore deny that God in his infinite wisdom had no purpose in
>> allowing that child to LIVE and live FREE while all the others on the raft
>> perished? Is there not a possibility that Elian was SENT HERE by the hand
> of
>> God almighty to mature in a free land and to later on pay back this
> country

>> with greatness in a certain field of endeavor? Think about it folks..you
>> think things happen by accident? Thirdly, since the Mariel boatlift was
>> encouraged and since we hardly ever send back illegal immigrants from the
>> Caribbean and Mexico, why then does the State Department have such a
> "thing"
>> for little Elian's return? Has Reno and Clinton lost their minds making
> such
>> an issue over a six year old kid? Why not let the kid decide? Who says
> he's
>> so close to daddy? Who says he can't stand his guardians in Miami and the
>> atmosphere and the toys and games and kids who are now his friends?
> Although
>> the Miami Cuban population has no right in threatening riots if Elian is
>> forced out of the U.S.A., they still have a good reason to be mad as hell
>> and so does every person in this nation who loves and respects liberty.
>> There's only one person who has gained from this travesty-lousy Castro
> which
>> is exactly what he seeks. You think he really cares about the welfare of
>> Elian's father or of Elian himself? All Fidel seeks is the same type of
>> embarrassment for the USA that we suffered when he stuffed some of his
>> Mariel boatlift vessels with criminals and dregs of society. By sending
>> that kid back we play right into the hands of the bearded one and we
> suffer
>> a black eye. Keep Elian here IF HE HIMSELF WANTS TO STAY, with or without
>> poppa. And if he stays, on April 15th take him to a VEC to make him an
> Extra
>> and we'll all be able to talk to him a day later.
>> AF2Y,Doc
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152. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8f3f$if7$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115374

The only REAL reason why certain so-called Americans on this board demand that Elian be returned to the hell of a communist country is because they are XENOPHOBIC. Either they fear or hate foreigners. They reason..."Aw, just another Spanish onion in our midst. Get rid of the kid." Listen you clowns-that kid is here for a reason. It was predetermined by God himself, herself or itself that the boy would grow up in freedom. It's impossible to believe that this little kid, floating all by himself on a raft in the middle of the 90 miles of ocean separating the U.S. and Cuba got here by luck? No way. It was Divine Providence. Wise up you uncaring dopes and stop thinking about your own carcasses and consider the future of a youngster. If tons of Mexicans can cross over illegally and fall through the cracks while all we do is yawn, then a deserving Elian should remain in the states. And besides his mother divorced poppa for whoremongering. The kid belongs in the care of a guy like that? A commie adulterer? You gotta be kidding!
AF2Y,Doc

In article <38E6C5D0.D200BE7C@uk2.net>, "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net> wrote:

> Consider this: what if the situation were reversed and Elian and the
> father and (late) mother were from the US and the great uncles, etc were
> from Cuba and Elian had ended up in Cuba with them? Wouldn't we want
> him back, and EXPECT to have him returned? I rest my case.
>
> Erik, KK7OA
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> Dan Finn wrote:
>>
>> I generally agree with you Doc, but, no this time. What is wrong with
>> someone going HOME?
>> If Cuba sends all of the kid's classmates here, are we morally .....

153. Glass Mounted Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000402175431.25892.00000266@nso-fd.aol.com>
Source record: 115375

I've never had any experience with glass (windshield) mounted antennas for vhf/uhf? I'm considering one for my old fishing truck. :))) So, if you've got comments, good or bad, let me know!!!

73,
N9GSU

154. Re: AF2Y: opposing viewpoints re: Born Agains

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8g1ardh1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115376

Hey sport. How much money do you donate to homes for unwed mothers? Would you be willing to adopt? I know a couple who had to go to China to adopt because of the 'UNAVAILABILITY" of Caucasian babies here.Why is that? If your theory is taking hold, then where's all the babies ready to be adopted? Beats me. Sure, of course you're right. Abort nothing. Even when a woman is raped or the victim of incest. Keep loading up society with UNWANTED kids. Think nothing of the loneliness of the unwanted kid but only to the phony moralists who preach the kind of crap you rub in for shampoo. I agree- late trimester abortions MUST be stopped but otherwise the decision must be left up to the parents or the unwed mother. How do you feel about killing abortion doctors, bozo? A good idea, right? They have no right to perform what's lawful just because some off- the- wall phony preacher tells you that Jesus wouldn't approve. Beats me as to the number of lawyers and spokespersons for Jesus we have in this society? Man there's nothing wronger in society than a believer gone bonkers.

In article <20000331081025.17590.00000568@nso-ch.aol.com>, toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:

> In article <8c24mi$72j$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:
>
>>Try to
>>dictate what kids can read in school and what networks can show on the tube
>
> Thank you for noticing our recent successes in this area. Alabama courtrooms
> now proudly display the Ten Commandments. Just a few weeks ago, a judge in
> Florida ruled that prayer can be spoken at high school graduation ceremonies.
> The momentum is certainly on our side.
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>
>>and what Hollywood can show in theaters
>
> Sorry, but I believe your liberal friends still control Hollywood.
>
>
>> and demand that a woman surrender all rights to her own body.
>
> Baby killers? Yes, we've been having recent successes in curbing them from
> committing infanticide as well.
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155. Re: Art Bell blasting and suing WWCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8gsvibj1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115377

Mr. Finn, your facetiousness is great. Keep up the good work because I never stopped to consider how important is WWCR.
Doc

In article <jazF4.12637$64.447568@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:

> If it were not for WWCR, how would we find out about magnetic healing and herbology that
> cures all diseases including cancer? How would we learn about how not to pay taxes by filing
> zero returns? How would we know about the miracle cure-all silver colloid solutions that cure
> all ailments? How would we obtain the wisdom of brother stairway-to-heaven and pastor pete
> peters who are the only ones who know the real meaning of the bible and hate they find concealed
> between the lines? I find WWCR as entertaining as the X-files/. There is excellent fiction content
> in its programming that appeals to the animal instinct that dwells deep inside of humanity.
> KR4AJ
>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:8c57vu$cc5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
>> > (from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>> >
>> > The Announcement:
>> >
>> > "In order that you all understand the gravity of the announcement I'm about
>> > to make, it's going to be necessary for me to repeat some very painful
>> > events that have occured to my family over the past several years. This
>> station has been described by newpapers and civic minded organizations as
>> one of the country's leading broadcasters of hate radio.
>> > The individuals, WWCR and its sister-station WNQM, have allowed to broadcast
>> > over the airwaves, include a man who wrote a book entitled "The Hitler We
>> > Loved And Why" and another man who stated over the airwaves that Jews are
>> > the children of Satan and that African-Americans are "mud people".
>>
>> That's quite a shocker about Art Bell but he hit the nail on the head.

> WWCR
>> is nothing but filth hate radio, period. But of course we must appreciate
>> how clever they are besides being dangerous. It works like this:they call
>> themselves World Wide CHRISTIAN Radio for a reason-by covering themselves
> in
>> religious vestments and pretending to be elders, they automatically garner
>> support where otherwise they wouldn't. Christians are proud of being
>> Christian; it's quite normal therefore to many listeners, any
> hatemongering
>> piece of machinery would be accepted if the word Christian is in
>> association. WWCR is no more Christian than Adolf Hitler who seems to be
>> their hero. Timothy McVeigh is Christian so what can be bad about him
>> despite his killing all those people in the O.K.C. Murrah building? Isn't
>> David Duke one too? And how about all white extremists who might parade
>> around holding crosses or wearing them silk screened into T shirts? And
> the
>> ones burning down Black churches and so forth and so on? How bad can these
>> people be when eveyyone knows they're Christians? The truth is that WWCR
> and
>> everyone who believes the garbage they put out in the name of Christ are
> the
>> ANTITHESIS of what Christianty stands for. All a filthmongering WWCR
>> broadcaster has to do is to come out with something like, "Jesus told me
> to
>> tell everyone about Art Bell. The Lord demanded it..." and all the rest of
>> that bullbleep. The gullible but otherwise well meaning will be easily led
>> into believing anything hateful said by these WWCR cronies. They will take
>> slander to be fact. Based upon what I myself heard, they will believe that
>> Bill Clinton is a communist and that we don't have to pay any income taxes
>> and that Hilary had multiple affairs and that foreign troops are here to
>> slaughter us Americans and that a One World Government is going to take us
>> over and all the rest of the crap that innundates the ears of listeners
> in
>> an attempt at making them lose confidence in America, her pluralism,
>> diversity and greatness. WWCR plays on the fact that lies repeated will
>> catch on especially when painted on a canvas portraying Jesus Christ.
>> Art Bell is suing WWCR and I hope he takes them to the cleaners. GO ART
> GO!
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156. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c8h07ibj2@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Uh oh.....

In article <8c5411leg1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rich7@my-deja.com wrote:

>> >>>>>> Yet, another example of the Clinton and Hollingsworth
> Whitehouse!<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

157. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8c8iu2$76s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115379

In article <8c8cq3mq1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> <joe@ham.com> wrote in message news:38E776CD.D09267DF@ham.com...
> >
> > Poor Dimmy O' would like to compete but doesn't have any of the
qualifications. At the risk of repitition, can you imagine this idiot
being allowed to roam the streets unescorted?Looks like idiot John is
starting to squirm now. This taken from the
> new
> > Goodfellow puppet webpage:
> > Sunday Scandal: I received this email today; Does anybody know what
> idiot
> > wrote this letter???????????????????????? It's a
> > good thing I write this page at a second grade level so the idiot
> element
> > of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
> > particular.can you imagine this idiot is actually walking the
> > streets....Check his web page..if I looked this stupid I wouldn't
post
> > it for the world to see!!!! By the way-I've never jammed..only
> uneducated
> > nitwits without a life do stuff like that..I don't fall in
> > that category...my xyl keeps me to
> busy...
> >
> > The guillty dog always barks. So there you have it, K1TP, Jon
> Cunningham,
> > New Goodfellow lap dog, jammer, and propaganda boy. They always
> recruit the
> > idiots!
>
> But, Dimmy, you'd have to evolve several eons BEFORE _you_ could
> approach anywhere near the idiot level.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

158. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
Message-ID: <38E7CB8A.D7F473E6@uk2.net>
Source record: 115380

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> The only REAL reason why certain so-called Americans on this board demand
> that Elian be returned to the hell of a communist country is because they
> are XENOPHOBIC. Either they fear or hate foreigners. They reason..."Aw, just
> another Spanish onion in our midst.

On the contrary, this has nothing to do with the fact that Elian is "just another ....". It has to do with considering all sides of the issue: Has Elian been given a unique opportunity- you bet. Would he be better off growing up in Cuba or US- United States by far. But you have to consider my point in my original post- if the situation were reversed we would expect him back. Don't get me wrong here, I'm not supporting Castro or communism, but just because we dislike a form of government doesn't mean that what people living in that country want is deemed irrelevant. Elian's father and family in Cuba want him back, and we have to acknowledge that fact.

> Listen you
> clowns-that kid is here for a reason. It was predetermined by God himself,
> herself or itself that the boy would grow up in freedom. It's impossible to
> believe that this little kid, floating all by himself on a raft in the
> middle of the 90 miles of ocean separating the U.S. and Cuba got here by
> luck? No way. It was Divine Providence.

Divine Providence, God , and predetermination are irrelevant. It was purely luck.

>Wise up you uncaring dopes and stop
> thinking about your own carcasses and consider the future of a youngster. If

There are more issues at stake here than the future of a youngster.

> tons of Mexicans can cross over illegally and fall through the cracks while
> all we do is yawn, then a deserving Elian should remain in the states. And
> besides his mother divorced poppa for whoremongering. The kid belongs in the
> care of a guy like that? A commie adulterer? You gotta be kidding!
> AF2Y,Doc

Doc I usually agree with your viewpoints but not this one. Your argument is based on emotion, nothing more, and more has to be considered than just emotion.

Erik, KK7OA

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> In article <38E6C5D0.D200BE7C@uk2.net>, "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
> wrote:
>
> > Consider this: what if the situation were reversed and Elian and the
> > father and (late) mother were from the US and the great uncles, etc were
> > from Cuba and Elian had ended up in Cuba with them? Wouldn't we want
> > him back, and EXPECT to have him returned? I rest my case.
> >
> > Erik, KK7OA
> >

159. Re: Help: Radio Installation Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
Message-ID: <38E7CE68.52766A93@uk2.net>
Source record: 115381

Jim & Doris Piper wrote:
>
> My first posting didn't seem to make it.
>
> Looking for tips and suggestions from anyone having experience with a
> late model Ford Explorer..
<CUT>

A way you could mount the radios would be to install one of those overhead racks that mounts above the windshield where the sun-visors attach and mount them on the underside of that- sort of a ceiling mount type thing. and the wires could then be run under the plastic trim that runs from the top to bottom of the windshield. As for the antennas you could mount them in the hood channels with a Larsen TMB-34 mount (in the AES catalog).

Erik, KK7OA

160. WTB Drake Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <llkfess4a644dr8nd6ps2gc8qeqjmmbq8e@4ax.com>
Source record: 115382
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Seems like a never ending quest.

I'm looking for the following Drake C-line gear, must be good to
excellent condition, fully operational (if otherwise, please state
what's up).

MS-4 Speaker
T4X-C Transmitter
500 and 250 Hz 2nd IF filters for R4C

I would also be interested in an R4C, as long as it has 5 filter
positions (not 4).

Please call toll free at (800) 962-2949, or email to
NeilR@innermedia.com

Thanks, and best 73's.

Neil, N1DMA

161. Re: Newsgroup Announcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <N9NWO@AMSAT.org>
Message-ID: <dyQF4.22012$QJ3.3539621@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115383
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

: Now to give you just an idea about how many dead we are talking about here
: regarding abortions), click on this link and be _amazed_.
:
: The lives lost in all the wars together PALE in comparison with the deaths
: from this *procedure*

The only good thing is that most of the abortions are
performed on liberal women. I like keeping their
numbers down.

: Look at this url long and hard. let it sink in.
:
: http://www.ohiolife.org/stats/wardead.htm
:
: Lg
:
:
:

162. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115184

Your memory is playing tricks on you my good man. In reality what you heard was two stations on the air with legal calls, identified, very much within their rights under part 97, attempting to have amateur radio communications under a bombardment from a now defunct amateur and his minions in S. C. and other places maybe even from your QTH.

In the process chafing your feelings no end by being successful. In the meantime your qrming heros are all getting caught and getting the heave ho from our wonderful hobby.

I am happy, if you are not happy. get over it.

W4FQF Since 1952

In article <8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Wm (Ohara Sensei) <ka9dhz@my-deja.com> wrote:
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>
> True and good to see him nailed.But somehow
> from my mis guided traveling brother it sounds strange.
>
> I remember hearing for years,two hams from the memphis area a few miles apart
> with massive signals acting as if the frequency was not in use and talking
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> Remember to treat other on the level and be square with them.
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163. Re: Wanted: Info on FT-470 - Scan Resume

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kv7g@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8cak98$2ei$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115185
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

They call that "Pause" mode.
To set the scan resume mode, press F/M and then STEP (7). a small "P" or "5"
in the shaded box at the upper left indicates the current mode.
Press F/M to change it, or just press STEP (7) alone to return to the
frequency display.
5 = 5 second delay then resume scan
P = pause till signal is not present.

Bud - KV7G - Yuma, AZ

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Mailto:kv7g@mindspring.com
Web Page http://www.qsl.net/kv7g

Tomas - NW7US <nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org> wrote in message
news:D_LF4.71104$AT6.77981@dfw-read.news.verio.net...
> I recently obtained a used FT-470 - I am trying to find out how to set the
memory scan so that it will stay on an active memory while scanning.
>
> Right now, when memory scanning, if it stops on a memory, it will listen
for a few seconds, then resume scanning. I would like it to stay there
until the frequency becomes quite again. Then resume. The FT-411E does
this. How do I get the 470 to do this?
>
> Also, what is the ALT for?
>
> Thanks,
>
> 73 de NW7US
>
> (Please modify my email address when replying. Remove the remove part.)
> 73 de NW7US, Tomas
>
> --
> : http://accessnow.com -- Brinnon, Washington : 122.93W : 47.67N :
> : HOME: http://hfradio.org and http://cw.hfradio.org :
> : - :
> : World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : CW/SSB DX Hound :
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164. Re: Captain Truth is in Newton NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cak9m$1pu$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115186

FIGS.

In article <38e7e927.31265916@news.mindspring.com>, UglyJohn@mindspring.com (John) wrote:

> Who is in Newton NC that we know? Anyone know?

165. Re: Brain dead WA9KJB!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cakhf$1pu$2@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115187

OUCH!

In article <l55F4.9025$64.298625@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Man in
the Mu-Mu" <spam9000@gulfbreeze.net> wrote:

>
> radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote in message
> <8c246a$l3j$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>...
>
>>Seymour isn't braindead but instead a cagey
>>sneaky two-faced altercocker
>>pretending to be an innocent demure Mary Poppins
>>while in reality turning out to be Mack the Knife.
>
>
> This is actually a blessing in disguise Doc.
> Your correct in you observations, and with
> some luck, Seymoue "Mack" will be soon dead of a
> painful brain hemorrhage, or wind up in a
> nursing home with 8 tubes plugged into him
> and a Foley catheter up his bung. (grin)
>
>
>
>

166. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8cal83hiq1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 115188
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> writes:

>Correct. But I was answering the original question - which WAS about
>using directional fixes.

In Usenet, the articles are arranged in a tree that shows which article
you are following up - i.e. which one you were reading when you wrote your
reply. If you had followed up the *original* article, it would have been
clear that this is the context that you were replying in.

Instead, your comments about directional fixes from satellites were
posted as a followup to and article that was clearly talking about
using Doppler effects for position location, not directional fixes.
That's the context of your article, and that's why it caused so much
puzzlement. You weren't contributing to the discussion in progress
in that thread, but leaping back to the original question.

If you wanted to comment on the original question, it would have been
better to post your article as a followup to *that* article.

Dave

167. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8canrsiea1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115189

In article <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> Your memory is playing tricks on you my good man. In reality what you
> heard was two stations on the air with legal calls, identified, very
> much within their rights under part 97, attempting to have amateur
> radio communications under a bombardment from a now defunct amateur
and
> his minions in S. C. and other places maybe even from your QTH.
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> I am happy, if you are not happy. get over it.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952
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>
Item one: The guy signing W4FQF IS NOT W4FQF. It is coming from Cary

N.C. FQF is in the Memphis area.

Item two: W4FQF, W4LLI, WA4KBX and others were indeed jamming on 3.901
at the behest of K4OKA. That is the facts...period.

Now since you are NOT W4FQF I'd recommend you keep your mouth shut liar.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8capd8$k4q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115190

Dan:

This is indeed the one, the only, W4FQF, Friend Of Billy Jack W4LLI,. I remember you were in there qrming me at that time. Don't be so quick to come in here and accuse others.
Your past is not a shining example of what a ham radio operator should do. But that is in the past, you have cleaned up your act for the most part, but still under the influence of the evil one.. We need to get the troublesome people out of amateur radio.

Mr Hollingsworth is doing a wonderful job in doing just that. And he has the help of a dedicated group of amateurs working for him.

Why carp and complain when a rulebreaker is brought to justice?
Everyone should forget the past and try to make amateur radio a enjoyable hobby again.

W4FQF, Since 1952 Standing for good amateur practices

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169. Re: Captain Truth is in Newton NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8capsrkkc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115191

He is on that list, but I will never tell til next Sunday !!
After Mr Hollingsworth announces it. Wait like everyone else!!
W4FQF Since 1952 (It ain't Ralph or another Abernathy thats for sure!!
In article <8c94c7$pm6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8c8tqciir1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <38e7e927.31265916@news.mindspring.com>,
> > UglyJohn@mindspring.com (John) wrote:
> > > Who is in Newton NC that we know? Anyone know?
> >
>
> > This may mean nothing, but one of them is an Abernethy, same unusual
> > spelling, and less than 5 miles (as the crow flies) from
the "Hickory"
> > Abernethy. Coincidence? Moreover, the "Hickory" Abernethy's address
is
> > much closer to Newton than Hickory. Can't wait to hear how this
turns
> > out.
>
> I stand corrected; error in using Street Atlas USA. His address is in
> Hickory, but still less than 7 crow flying miles from the Newton
> address. And, he was born in '23, she in '46. Still too much
coincidence
> for me. And I still can't wait to hear how this turns out. This may
give
> Daddy/Daughter Dance a whole new meaning.
>
> Of course I could be wrong...
>
> LRod
>
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170. 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfcommsys@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 115192

What happened to 14.313 and 3.950? These freqs used to be in heavy use almost continuously (14.313 in the day and 3.950 at night), with all sorts of interesting "entertainment". Now both freqs are like a ghost town. All I hear on 313 are a few weak stations from time to time, and 3.950 is completely dead for hours at a time except for WA9KJI and his friendlies who show up in the early evening. What happened to the Liberty Net guys during the week? (Yes, I know that the LIberty Net still meets on Saturday, but I used to enjoy all the political-type discussions that took place on weeknights). Hearing WA9KJI bitch and moan about the Liberty Net folks every time he gets on the air is getting boring fast, especially since they have apparently abandoned 3.950 except for Saturday.

Dammit, I demand my entertainment!!!

171. A wealth of info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mom_of6 <tamalla@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8car6hmaq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115193

I have been working on some pages with information on False Prophet R. G. Stair. Exposing his failed prophecies and doctrine. Plus personal e-mails and comments to callers. Links to other critiques...

http://user.netomia.com/momofsix/index.html

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172. Re: Wanted: Info on FT-470 - Scan Resume

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cantrell <coffee_man12@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8casc9nnq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115194
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

you already have the FM->7 answer, but the ALT key, according the my little cheat sheet is

FM -> ALT : Alternating Band Memory Select

So, good luck with that.

73 de WA2VXU/6

In article <D_LF4.71104$AT6.77981@dfw-read.news.verio.net>, nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org (Tomas - NW7US) wrote:
> I recently obtained a used FT-470 - I am trying to find out how to set the memory scan so that it will stay on an active memory while scanning.
>
> Right now, when memory scanning, if it stops on a memory, it will listen for a few seconds, then resume scanning. I would like it to stay there until the frequency becomes quite again. Then resume. The FT-411E does this. How do I get the 470 to do this?
>
> Also, what is the ALT for?
>
> Thanks,
>
> 73 de NW7US
>
> (Please modify my email address when replying. Remove the remove part.)
> 73 de NW7US, Tomas
>
> --
> : http://accessnow.com -- Brinnon, Washington : 122.93W : 47.67N :
> : HOME: http://hfradio.org and http://cw.hfradio.org :
> : - :
> : World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : CW/SSB DX Hound :
> : 10x56526 : FISTS 7055 : Code Warrior #60 : FISTS NW Member #57 :
> : :
> : Member, ARRL -- Official Webmaster of the North West ARRL Site :
> : NWARRL - http://hfradio.org/nwarrl/ :
>
> Get your FREE Ham Radio Website today, create online equidistant
> azimuth maps, swap and shop, books, check propagation, read dx
> news, and more. All at http://hfradio.org/ - SWL/HAM/Live!
>

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173. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cat7home1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115195

GrossleyObese <joe@ham.com> whined in message
news:38E8C70B.4A988C21@ham.com...
>
> Hello Roger. You have more certified mail on the way, mama's boy.

Thanks for outing yourself, Dimmy. You never were very bright.
It wasn't an official warning letter. I wasn't the only one on it,
either. Try harder, fatso. And clean up that dumpy QTH.
And DO keep throwing carriers on 3.901, Dimmy, I want to see YOUR name
in print.

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174. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8catcv$op9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115196

In article <8c8iu2$76s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
sludgehummer007@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8c8cq3mq1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > <joe@ham.com> wrote in message news:38E776CD.D09267DF@ham.com...
> > >
> > > Poor Dimmy O' would like to compete but doesn't have any of the
> qualifications. At the risk of repitition, can you imagine this idiot
> being allowed to roam the streets unescorted?Looks like idiot John is
> starting to squirm now. This taken from the
> > new
> > > Goodfellow puppet webpage:
> > > Sunday Scandal: I received this email today; Does anybody know
what
> > idiot
> > > wrote this letter?????????????????????? It's a
> > > good thing I write this page at a second grade level so the idiot
> > element
> > > of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
> > > particular.can you imagine this idiot is actually walking the
> > > streets....Check his web page..if I looked this stupid I wouldn't
> post
> > > it for the world to see!!!! By the way-I've never jammed..only
> > uneducated
> > > nitwits without a life do stuff like that..I don't fall in
> > > that category...my xyl keeps me to
> > busy...
> > >
> > > The guillty dog always barks. So there you have it, K1TP, Jon
> > Cunningham,
> > > New Goodfellow lap dog, jammer, and propaganda boy. They always
> > recruit the
> > > idiots!
> >
> > But, Dimmy, you'd have to evolve several eons BEFORE _you_ could
> > approach anywhere near the idiot level.
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> >
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Your alpha-numeric keys help formulating a reply.

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175. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cathr$p2m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115197

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8canrsiea1@nnrp1.deja.com...

Path: news!ord-feed.news.verio.net!news.altair.com!uwvax!enews.sgi.com!
korova.insync.net!newsfeed.enteract.com!newsswitch.lcs.mit.edu!news-
spur1.maxwell.syr.edu!news.maxwell.syr.edu!nntp2.deja.com!
nnrp1.deja.com!not-for-mail
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC
Date: Mon, 03 Apr 2000 17:45:12 GMT
Organization: Deja.com - Before you buy.
Lines: 46
Message-ID: <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <8c7ra3dsm1@nnrp1.deja.com> <38E8AE31.804B24C@ahole.com>
<8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 166.62.188.225
X-Article-Creation-Date: Mon Apr 03 17:45:12 2000 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.0; Windows 98;
DigExt)
X-Http-Proxy: 1.1 x41.deja.com:80 (Squid/1.1.22) for client
166.62.188.225
X-MyDeja-Info: XMYDJUIDw4fqf
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:13476

> In article <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > Your memory is playing tricks on you my good man. In reality what
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> > heard was two stations on the air with legal calls, identified, very
> > much within their rights under part 97, attempting to have amateur
> > radio communications under a bombardment from a now defunct amateur
> > and his minions in S. C. and other places maybe even from your QTH.
> >
> > In the process chafing your feelings no end by being successful. In
> > the meantime your qrming heros are all getting caught and getting
the
> > heave ho from our wonderful hobby.
> >
> > I am happy, if you are not happy. get over it.
> >
> > W4FQF QRMER Since 1952
>
> Item one: The guy signing W4FQF IS NOT W4FQF. It is coming from Cary

> N.C. FQF is in the Memphis area.

Yeah, this post is too literate for Polly, but still substandard.
You're a little off about the location, though:
Hostname: usr56-dialup343.mix2.Atlanta.cw.net
IP Address: 166.62.188.225

> Item two: W4FQF, W4LLI, WA4KBX and others were indeed jamming on
3.901
> at the behest of K4OKA. That is the facts...period.

This is correct. I personally HEARD these goings on. FQF and LLI
running legal limit to talk across their town, Memphis, and KBX,
the "Yoko Ono" of the Rumphumpers, doing his chanting and caterwauling.

> Now since you are NOT W4FQF I'd recommend you keep your mouth shut
liar.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

My, oh, my! LOL!

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176. Re: Liberty net mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000403154714.15991.00000664@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 115198

ka9dhz@my-deja.com writes ...

>The liberty net is interesting while in mobile operstion.
>
>I always wonders why the jamming gets louder as I drive south on 41 through
>Indiana??
>
>Interesting and very consistant observation.
>

I think I know what you're trying to say without actually coming out and saying it. As we all know, sky wave propogation can be fickle and misleading. The only real proof you're going to get is via groundwave.
Assuming, of course, that you're actually interested in finding the truth and not just engaging in speculation for the fun of it.

177. Wufu, we know where you are!.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cauas$e32$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115199

In case anybody's interested, "wufu" posts from the Information Sciences Institute, University of Southern California, 4676 Admiralty Way, Suite 330, Marina del Rey, CA., 90292-6695. I am becoming a computer genius but isn't it obvious?
AF2Y

In article <168fdbee.2e89ca5c@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com>, wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:

> BORIIIIIIINNNNNNNNNGGGGGGGGG!!!!
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

178. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38E91C6C.248FB47A@ahole.com>
Source record: 115200

Is this not the pot calling the kettle black?

w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Dan:
>
> This is indeed the one, the only, W4FQF, Friend Of Billy Jack W4LLI,. I
> remember you were in there qrming me at that time. Don't be so quick to
> come in here and accuse others.
> Your past is not a shining example of what a ham radio operator should
> do. But that is in the past, you have cleaned up your act for the most
> part, but still under the influence of the evil one.. We need to get
> the troublesome people out of amateur radio.
>
> Mr Hollingsworth is doing a wonderful job in doing just that. And he
> has the help of a dedicated group of amateurs working for him.
>
> Why carp and complain when a rulebreaker is brought to justice?
> Everyone should forget the past and try to make amateur radio a
> enjoyable hobby again.
>
> W4FQF, Since 1952 Standing for good amateur practices
>
> In article <8canrsiea1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > Your memory is playing tricks on you my good man. In reality what
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> > > heard was two stations on the air with legal calls, identified, very
> > > much within their rights under part 97, attempting to have amateur
> > > radio communications under a bombardment from a now defunct amateur
> > and
> > > his minions in S. C. and other places maybe even from your QTH.
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> > > In the process chafing your feelings no end by being successful. In
> > > the meantime your qrming heros are all getting caught and getting
> the
> > > heave ho from our wonderful hobby.
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> > > I am happy, if you are not happy. get over it.
> > >

> > > W4FQF Since 1952
> > >
> > > In article <8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > > Wm (Ohara Sensei) <ka9dhz@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > True and good to see him nailed.But somehow
> > > > from my mis guided traveling brother it sounds strange.
> > > >
> > > > I remember hearing for years,two hams from the memphis area a few
> > > miles apart
> > > > with massive signals acting as if the frequency was not in use and
> > > talking
> > > > over ongoing qsos
> > > >
> > > > Remember to treat other on the level and be square with them.
> > > >
> > > > What we plant we reap.
> > > >
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> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> > N.C. FQF is in the Memphis area.
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> > Item two: W4FQF, W4LLI, WA4KBX and others were indeed jamming on 3.901
> > at the behest of K4OKA. That is the facts...period.
> >
> > Now since you are NOT W4FQF I'd recommend you keep your mouth shut
> liar.
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> > Dan/W4NTI
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> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
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179. Re: AF2Y about W4ASX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cavonorf1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115201

Sledgehammer007 posts through AOL. via 22080 Pacific Boulevard, Sterling, VA 20166. Jeez, I feel like Inspector Jacques Clousteau tracking down the Pink Panther. No one will escape my magnifying glass.
AF2Y

In article <8c0r4h$51n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, sledgehammer007@my-deja.com wrote:

>
>> >
>> You are a FOOL Doc who needs some proffesional help. Give it up and
>> get some help.
>>
>> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> Before you buy.
>>If David had an education, could spell basic words, and had more than
> a one track mind, he might not be so boring!!!!
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

180. Re: AF2Ys letter to WA9KJB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cb02pbbg1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115202

No, this smelly creep is not smelly creep Polly even though his name is forged. This reprobate forges posts through Cable & Wireless USA, 9000 Regency Parkway, Suite 200, Cary, NC 27511. Polly the smelly creep is in Fisherville, TN.
73,
Jacques Clousteau AF2Y

In article <8c2kkc$10r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:

> AF2Y for all your hollering and tomfoolary, the fact is you have
> received three letters from the FCC. One for your telephone
> interference ???? session of tape playing on 14313, and the other two
> for diliberate inteference to ongoing qsos.
> How many time are you going to be allowed to interfere with amateurs
> before the FCC decides to pull the plug on your "Radio Fun".
> The best thing for you to do, is to stop the qrm and run a law abiding
> operation . If you are not able to do this, maybe it is time for you to
> find a new hobby.
> Just quit qrming , its as simple as that.
> You can post your silliness here with out harm to any one, keep doing
> it.
> W4FQF Since 1952
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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181. Re: code for apple

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com>
Message-ID: <38E90497.B779F7B7@icoms.com>
Source record: 115203

jerry fincher wrote:
>
> was wondering if anybody out there knows of any code tutor for the apple
> g3 computer, i could use a virtual pc program but that would mean
> running microshmuck windows. and i don't like using a product that was
> stolen from it's inventor.

Jerry,

Putting the Windoz slams aside, if you want to learn code for anything
more than just passing the test. You need a program that will teach via
the Koch method. The only two programs that I know about that can
do that is supermorse and MorseCat beta version. Supermorse is a DOS
and
MorseCat is Windows.

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON
x929

182. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cb0l1pev1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

VideoStringer has to be watched V E R Y carefully. He posts through
Performance Systems International, 510 Huntmar Park Drive, Herdon, VA 22070.
Someone else to turn in.
Jacques

In article <38E6A469.8E10D666@earthlink.net>, Video Stringer
<jeepshot@earthlink.net> wrote:

>
>
> John Bowers wrote:
>
> Gums inflamed again el insipidness?
>
> what is your point?
>
> you are playing "stupid me"
>
> why do you bother this blabber?
>
> especially acting as if it's "sane?"
>
> bill conduit
> etc.
>

183. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cb17sntb1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

CousinNertnic posts through UUNET TECHNOLOGIES, 3060 Williams Drive,
Fairfax, VA.

In article <_KjF4.11500$9m6.452917@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"CousinNertnic" <ntimmso@aol.com> wrote:
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184. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cb2qp$v37$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115206

In article <8capd8$k4q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> Dan:
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> This is indeed the one, the only, W4FQF, Friend Of Billy Jack W4LLI,.
I
> remember you were in there qrming me at that time. Don't be so quick
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>
You claim you are indeed the real one and only W4FQF? Then explain to me your hypocrisy of acting hollier than thou on 14.313 and staying clear of 3.901? You claim to be pure as the wind driven snow Polly. Bullshit.

I at least have the balls and morals to admit my wrong doing. I have done so on the air on many occassions and right here in print on this newsgroup.

So get off your high horse before someone knocks you off it.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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185. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate,and House.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cb1kq$ik5$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.politics.usa.congress,alt.news-media

Nonsense@spam thinks he can get away with that pseudonym but we know he
posts through SPLITROCK SERVICES in THE WOODLANDS, TEXAS 77381. Gotcha.
The Pink Panther

In article <38E62DB1.53E80D6B@spam.com>, nonsense@spam.com wrote:

>
> money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
>> Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
>> (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
>> 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
>> Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
>> of what type of technology is used.

186. Re: Badwill hunting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cb1ts$9fm$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

CDN with just three letters thinks he can escape detection. He posts through
GLOBAL CROSSING, 1111 KARLSTAD DRIVE, SUNNYVALE, CA. 94089. Nothing escapes
me!
Jacques Clousteau Schwartz

In article <8uuaes83ii4qvvftu33dkp7cs0ohuit7ce@4ax.com>, cdn
<dnorris@k7no.com> wrote:

> On Thu, 30 Mar 2000 11:31:57 GMT, "Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>If you went to a zoo armed with a shotgun, the animals all being behind
>>cage, the animals were chained and you shot them one by one would that
>>be called hunting?
>>
>>What do we call that in HAM radio?
>>
>>We call it DX hunting via the DX Packet Cluster.
>>
>>Am I missing something?
>>
>>
> Out on leave are you Bert? Make sure you take your meds. Prozac,
> ritalin, midol...&C.
>
>

187. Re: Digital Simulator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cb2e4$f8h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115209

Vladimir is NOT a mad Russian. He's a mad Estonian and is posting from the capital of that country, Tallinn. Only kidding about the mad Russian, Vlad. Welcome to America-sit down we;ll have some borscht, some KLEB and a glass tea!
Nikita

In article <38E790A6.98EF9055@mail.ee>, Vladimir Timoshechkin <Vladimir.Tim@mail.ee> wrote:

> MacroSim Digital Simulator at http://freezone.anet.ee/visionics/
> Over 480 simulation models. Autorouter, intuitive schematic editor,
> diagram generator ...
>

188. Car Battery Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: philz@pobox.com
Message-ID: <38e90bc5.3022388@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 115210

I'm getting ready to hook up my 2M into the van I've recently purchased and had a question about tying it directly to the battery ... which I've done before in my previous car, so I know that it works just fine.

This van has side post battery cables. The battery has both top and side posts, and of course only the side posts are in use. The question is: Is it OK or not to purchase a couple of top post battery terminals to use solely for hooking up the rig? The only thing that would be connected to the top posts would be the + and - for the rig.

Has anyone done this? What were the results?

Thanks ... Phil KF4IUU

189. Re: ALERT New Troll!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: grendal <unknownuser@aol.com>
Message-ID: <38E911AD.337A1624@aol.com>
Source record: 115211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Dan,
You must be upwind. From here, it smells like a sewer of unwashed neo-Nazis.
With apologies for not pub'ing my email address.
grendal

Dan Finn wrote:

> I smell a stinky little troll.
>
> John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote in message
> news:8zqqhf$XY32$2@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
> >
> > : Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> > : (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> > : 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> > : Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> > : of what type of technology is used.
> >
> > It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> > reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> > should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> > enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
> >
> > For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> > conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> > of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
> > you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
> >
> > Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
> > potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
> > be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
> > and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
> > because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
> > why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
> > encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
> > jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> > be banned too.
> >
> > But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
> > design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
> > reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
> > police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
> > the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.

> >
> > To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
> > really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> > what must be done.
> >
> > Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> > tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> > element, and not any government which acts to block you.
> >

190. Re: Car Battery Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Coyotes of the Canyon <fdecker@catskill.net>
Message-ID: <sei4iokreop103@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115212

Absolutely OK. You can also buy a pair of adaptors for your side-terminal battery cables to replace the existing bolts, that have a stud for mounting accessory cables.

"Phil" <philz@pobox.com> wrote in message news:38e90bc5.3022388@news.rdu.bellsouth.net...
> I'm getting ready to hook up my 2M into the van I've recently purchased and had a question
> about tying it directly to the battery ... which I've done before in my previous car, so I
> know that it works just fine.
>
> This van has side post battery cables. The battery has both top and side posts, and of
> course only the side posts are in use. The question is: Is it OK or not to purchase a
> couple of top post battery terminals to use solely for hooking up the rig? The only thing
> that would be connected to the top posts would be the + and - for the rig.
>
> Has anyone done this? What were the results?
>
> Thanks ... Phil KF4IUU

191. T832 6063 drawn Aluminum Tubing Source

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nyles & Karen Priest <npriest@tcccom.net>
Message-ID: <38e978ac.0@windy.powercom.net>
Source record: 115213

Can anyone give me a source for 1.250" OD 6063 T8 Aluminum Tubing. I need a replacement 7' 6" piece and the shipping charge is more than the tubing. A Wisc, Minn, Michigan, or Illinois supplier is preferred.
Thanks for the anticipated help!
73's W9KUW Nyles

192. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Strabo <strabo@flashmail.com>
Message-ID: <38E91889.90BABC6D@flashmail.com>
Source record: 115214
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Cap'n Crunch wrote:

> Strabo wrote in message <38E8491F.B7C4354C@flashmail.com>...
> >Negative. As I have no license, I could transmit with 10,000 watts on
> >3.900 causing a stir. When the FCC came to investigate they would
> >treat the matter differently than if I had a license. Now they would be
> >compelled to stop the interference with the amateurs, but the
> >legal basis would not be the same as with an amateur.
>
> True.... you wouldn't have a license to loose, but the FCC would treat you
> the same license or no. The fine would be the same... Any legal charges
> would be the same... the only big difference would be the fact that you'd
> have no license to be threatened with the revocation of. (..you may even
> find you qualify for a few extra fines and penalties due to the lack of a
> license)
>
> You don't have to have a license to drive a car, practice medicine, or pilot
> a plane, but the penalties for doing so without a license would generally be
> a bit higher for the unlicensed offender as more charges would be brought.
>

> >Administrative law is not law but regulation, and only has
> >merit when dealing with a signatory of that regulation. Thus
> >the license agreement. Without the license the regulations that
> >apply to amateurs may not apply to the general public.
>
> ...So you believe that if you never get a driver's license that you're
> immune from prosecution for drunk driving or speeding? ...That if you
> practice medicine without a license that you're safe from any malpractice
> charges?.. BULL!

I'm not arguing against guidelines in these matters but only how
they're implemented. Your responses do point out one of the
weaknesses of the system, while I suppose all States have passed
laws against practicing medicine without a license, how would a
malpractice suit be filed since technically only practitioners have
licenses? Such a charge for damages would have to be something like
malicious assault or intent to do bodily harm. Then the court
would have to prove intent or fraud or whatever the charge
might be. No, such licenses are there to protect the business side
of medicine. Doctor-caused deaths and hospital-caused illnesses
run around 1.5 million a year.

The driver license senario is easier. Drive without a license and
hit a pedestrian. Assuming that it was your fault then the pedestrian
files the same charge as if you ran him over with a wagon or on
a bicycle. If it wasn't your fault then you get charged with driving
without a license. Remember, all of the traffic laws are municipal
or county regulations from the corporate city or county. If you do
not have a license then you are not charged with those. You will
be charged for any personal or property damages incurred by
your actions.

> >Your license however does specify that you, the licenseholder, will
> >allow them entry to your station whenever they want and to 'search
> >and seize'. That's your agreement with them.
>
> .... I hold several Commercial licenses as well as a Ham license.. NOWHERE
> on the license or the application does it state the above....
>

I could have sworn that the FCC license agreement with amateurs
stipulates that the FCC has a right to examine your station equipment
as it wishes.

> >The public has no
> >agreement with the FCC. You get nothing in return as the airwaves
> >are public anyway and cannot be verboden.
>
> ...Old argument... if airwaves are 'everyman's right' and 'publicly' held,
> then what pretense do you base land or water rights/ownership on?

Again, I'll be the last one to argue against the need to manage
airwaves etc.

193. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fsgg1c0.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 115215
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Mon, 03 Apr 2000 03:32:48 -0400, Strabo wrote:

>> ANY person who does things regulated by the agency is subject
>> to administrartive proceedings shether they have a license or
>> not.

>Negative. As I have no license, I could transmit with 10,000 watts on
>3.900 causing a stir. When the FCC came to investigate they would
>treat the matter differently than if I had a license. Now they would be
>compelled to stop the interference with the amateurs, but the
>legal basis would not be the same as with an amateur.

That's right....instead of a penalty for violating FCC Rules
you would be hit with the same or greater penalty for operating
without a license which is a OS Code violation.

>> Administrstive proceedinhs ARE due process - one is given
>> notice of the offense and the opportunity to respond and
>> present evidence in his/her behalf as to why the proposed
>> penalty should ne mitigated (reduced) oe cancelled. If you
>> mean "court proceedings", the results of administrative
>> proceedings can be appealed in the courts if the accused feels
>> that the Administrative Law Judge did not follow the rules.
>>
>Due process is a component of common or Constitutional law
>and is only concerned with criminal matters.

Give that answer on a law school exam and lose 10 points......

>Administrative law is not law but regulation, and only has
>merit when dealing with a signatory of that regulation. Thus
>the license agreement. Without the license the regulations that
>apply to amateurs may not apply to the general public.

I don't know where you get that (actually I cnn make a good
guess from your phrasing but do not consider it a source of
accurate legal information or education).

>> >All good reasons not to get a federal license in the first place. It
>> >is the voluntary license that allows the assault on hearth and
>> >home with the 'forfeiture' of equipment.
>>
>> More Misinformation.
>>
>> Unlicensed operators are subject to sesrch and seizure by court
>> order (warrant) just as licensed operators are. In fact, the

>> prima facie case necessary to secure the warrant(s) is a lot
>> easier to make when the person is unlicensed.
>
>Well Phil, I'm sure you're proud to be a ham and involved in
>such a serious way.

I'm also proud to be an attorney who specializes in US and international communications enforcement and regulatory law and who has spent over 20 years teaching that subject. In fact I was one of the principal writers of the FCC's internal search and seizure and forfeiture guidelines and practice.

How many years have YOU worked in and taught comm law?

>First, an unlicensed airwave transmitter
>is not an operator in the technical sense. It may simply be a
>short causing major interference on a ham or BC band.

In a techical sense the "operator" is the person/agency responsible for putting the transmitter or other radiating device on the air or for keeping it off the air, as required.

>A warrant for what, to do what, to whom? Was someone killed?
>A robbery perhaps? Search and seizure? Sounds pretty drastic.

That's exactly what it is. A warrant from the US District Court directed to the US Marshal or to any authorized Federal law enforcement agent specifying the premises to be entered and searched and the property (if any) to be seized.

The situation does not have to be criminal in nature - for instance a warrant is necessary (and I have had first hand experience with getting same) for the FCC to enter unattended or unoccupied private property in case of accidental or inadvertent transmission causing harmful interference (a legally defined term) to radio communications,

>The only time the (American) public and its airwaves have been
>subject to the type of control you suggest, was during WWI and
>WWII and then under emergency war powers.

Where are you getting this nonsense? (Same place as above, I suspect.)

Go read the following sections of the Communications Act (Title 47, United States Code):

501 (criminal penalties for violation of radio law statutes),
502 (criminal penalties for violation of FCC regulations),
503 and 504 (administrative penalties and procedure for violation of either statutes or regulations)
510 (standards and procedures for seizure and forfeiture of equipment).

These statutes are in effect at all times, At no time is there
any exemption for persons who hold or do not hold licenses.

>Your license however does specify that you, the licenseholder, will
>allow them entry to your station whenever they want and to 'search
>and seize'. That's your agreement with them.

As you have been told by others, there is bo such thing.

There is a whole set of FCC Rules which obligate persons to
make radio equipment available for inspection "at any reasonable
hour", which has been defined to include any time the station
is in operation or shortly thereafter.

>The public has no agreement with the FCC.

FCC Rules apply to all persons, licensed or not, and the
sections of the Act cited above make non-licensed persons just
as liable to penalties as licensed persons.

>You get nothing in return as the airwaves are public anyway and cannot
>be verboden.

"Airwaves are public" ? Urban myth.

>The reason for the license is to allow easy control of those airwaves
>by the government.

"Easy control ... by the government" ? Another urban myth.

You're loaded with 'em.

>Most hams agree that this is a good thing. I agree that control is
>necessary but that the FCC is not the best way to do it.

It sure beats any other alternative.....

>Some of you guys are real hot on 'law and order' but you must realize
>that there is a big difference between a crime against a person (the
>only real crime)

Most qualified legal experts will disagree with THIS urban myth.

>and a regulation that is designed as a management tool for the public
>good.

Smoke and mirrors.....go and learn.....

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

194. TS-850 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mike W0RSR"
Message-ID: <38e92076.10163122@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 115216

Does anyone know where to find some factory and non-factory mods for
Kenwood TS-850??

Thanks.
--Mike worsr@home.com

195. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sox@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000403190816.09055.00000627@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 115217

I know what happened. It all got real boring. w9Sox

196. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cb9rb$6j8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115218

Dan Dan Dan:

What purpose would it serve to drag up old bones such as you are trying to extract from a long ago scrap heap?

The only thing that matters is this is a new day. There should be no more qrming by anyone. Your penchant for extracting "confessions" from people involved serves no useful purpose.

Forget about what has happened and worry about the condition the amateur bands are in today.

Why don't you forget the past and try to make amateur radio a good clean hobby again. Are perhaps by chance, it would be turning your back on your qrming friends that think differently.

There will be no "confessions" from me Dan . Just the promise that I will do everything in my power to clean up amateur radio back to a delightful hobby. I have been doing this for some time.

Think about it.

W4FQF Since 1952 working for the cleaning up of amateur radio!!

In article <8cb2qp$v37$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8capd8$k4q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> >
> > Dan:
> >
> > This is indeed the one, the only, W4FQF, Friend Of Billy Jack W4LLI,.
> I
> > remember you were in there qrming me at that time. Don't be so quick
> to
> > come in here and accuse others.
> > Your past is not a shining example of what a ham radio operator should
> > do. But that is in the past, you have cleaned up your act for the most
> > part, but still under the influence of the evil one.. We need to get
> > the troublesome people out of amateur radio.
> >
> > Mr Hollingsworth is doing a wonderful job in doing just that. And he
> > has the help of a dedicated group of amateurs working for him.

> >
> > Why carp and complain when a rulebreaker is brought to justice?
> > Everyone should forget the past and try to make amateur radio a
> > enjoyable hobby again.
> >
> > W4FQF, Since 1952 Standing for good amateur practices
> >
> > In article <8canrsiea1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > In article <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > Your memory is playing tricks on you my good man. In reality
what
> > you
> > > > heard was two stations on the air with legal calls, identified,
> very
> > > > much within their rights under part 97, attempting to have
amateur
> > > > radio communications under a bombardment from a now defunct
> amateur
> > > and
> > > > his minions in S. C. and other places maybe even from your QTH.
> > > >
> > > > In the process chafing your feelings no end by being successful.
> In
> > > > the meantime your qrming heros are all getting caught and
getting
> > the
> > > > heave ho from our wonderful hobby.
> > > >
> > > > I am happy, if you are not happy. get over it.
> > > >
> > > > W4FQF Since 1952
> > > >
> > > > In article <8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > > > Wm (Ohara Sensei) <ka9dhz@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > True and good to see him nailed.But somehow
> > > > > from my mis guided traveling brother it sounds strange.
> > > > >
> > > > > I remember hearing for years,two hams from the memphis area a
> few
> > > > miles apart
> > > > > with massive signals acting as if the frequency was not in use
> and
> > > > talking
> > > > > over ongoing qsos

> > > > >
> > > > > Remember to treat other on the level and be square with them.
> > > > >
> > > > > What we plant we reap.
> > > > >
> > > > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> > > > >
> > > >
> > > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > > > Before you buy.
> > > >
> > > Item one: The guy signing W4FQF IS NOT W4FQF. It is coming from
Cary
> > > N.C. FQF is in the Memphis area.
> > >
> > > Item two: W4FQF, W4LLI, WA4KBX and others were indeed jamming on
> 3.901
> > > at the behest of K4OKA. That is the facts...period.
> > >
> > > Now since you are NOT W4FQF I'd recommend you keep your mouth shut
> > liar.
> > >
> > > Dan/W4NTI
> > >
> > > --
> > > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> > >
> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > > Before you buy.
> > >
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> >
> You claim you are indeed the real one and only W4FQF? Then explain to
> me your hypocrisy of acting hollier than thou on 14.313 and staying
> clear of 3.901? You claim to be pure as the wind driven snow Polly.
> Bullshit.
>
> I at least have the balls and morals to admit my wrong doing. I have
> done so on the air on many occassions and right here in print on this
> newsgroup.
>
> So get off your high horse before someone knocks you off it.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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197. BUILD YOUR OWN C`A.B,L,E B,O`X...FREE C`A.B,L.E`... 1771

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjsmyw@dfdsdfg.com
Message-ID: <iN9G4.36811$QJ3.3877069@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115219
Cross-posted to: pnet.education.distance,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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A: The answer is YES. In respect to satellite,
you just get more stuff! There is one exception:
The descrambler will not work with DSS satellite.

Q: Do I need a converter box?
A: This plan works with or without a converter box.
Specific instructions are included in the plans for each!
Q: Can the cable company detect that I have the descrambler?

A: No, the signal descrambles right at the box and does
not move back through the line!

Q: Do I have to alter my existing cable system,
television or VCR?
A: The answer is no!

Q: Does this work with my remote control?
A: The answer is yes. The descrambler is
manually controlled--but very easy to use!

Q: Can you email me the plans?
A: No the program comes with an easy to follow picture guide.

Q: Does this work everywhere across the country?
A: Yes, everywhere in the USA plus England,
Brazil, Canada and other countries!

Q: Is this deal guaranteed?
A: Yes, if you are unhappy for any reason we will refund your money.

Q: When I order, when will I get my package?
A: We mail out all orders within 24 hours of receiving them.

Q: How much does it cost to get the instruction
plans, the easy to follow diagram, and most
important of all the "Using a Descrambler LEGALLY Report".
A: You get the complete 6 page report and instruction package all for just--$10.00

Q: How do I order?
A: Fill out form below and send it, along
with your $10.00 payment to:

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198. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38e9204a.68555943@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115220
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 3 Apr 2000 07:29:12 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

>In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
>:>
>:>Directional fixes, even from an infinity of satellites, would only produce
>:>a circle of probable location that is many miles (possibly hundreds) of
>:>miles across.
>
>: Then how come ELT signals are located with a mile or
>: so usually after two sat passes?
>
>Because they don't take directional fixes.

Don't you really mean - because they "do" take
a directional fix... After all - without a direction
component - you can not resolve a direction.
Since a direction IS resolved from the satellite
then - ergo - there must be a direction component.
And with two direction components - you have
a fix. Simple idea - Simple math - simple system -

>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

Regards
Gil Jones

199. Re: Wufu, we know where you are!.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <04a3be02.d304a5f7@usw-ex0104-087.remarq.com>
Source record: 115221

#2 BOOOOOOORRRRRRRRIIIIIIIIINNNNNNNNNNGGGGGGGG!!

Your level of intelligence is only exceeded by your leavings in
the toilet!

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200. Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <UglyJohn@mindspring.comNOSPAM>
Message-ID: <f5hies8i3c8emi0au0lss3kkqai82jgjsb@4ax.com>
Source record: 115222

Ok, who is he?

201. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim Shaffer, Jr." <jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net>
Message-ID: <u2giesg7b3ufvjaq1el3bafojvjj6ojmnk@4ax.com>
Source record: 115223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

On 2 Apr 2000 03:06:41 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>Is this fellow a ham? If not, why's this posted to
>rec.radio.amateur.misc?

For what it's worth (not much), Art Bell *is* a ham. And why did *you* set
followups to rec.radio.cb, which wasn't even in the original newsgroup list?

--
"Alan Turing predicted that the idea of machines thinking would be routine
by the end of the century. The very second that time ran out for his prediction
was the second that computers were set to demonstrate their complete stupidity
because they couldn't add up dates." --Stephen Grand

202. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#leaqeen$GA.265@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 115224
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Strabo wrote
>Remember, all of the traffic laws are municipal
>or county regulations from the corporate city or county.

In Arizona most of the traffic regulations are enforced under
state law using title 28.

203. FS: Ten-Tec Gear Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: randas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8cbp99$t75$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115225

The Amplifier, power supply and transverter are sold..(Thanks)

I still have for sale the following equipment. All in fine working order, and can be heard on the air. Would prefer to have local pickup (near Louisville,KY) but will ship in factory boxes if needed.

Omni-VI plus (factory upgraded to option 3)
All filter slots full Standard 2.4kc filter
#288..1.8kc SSB filter 6.3 IF
#285..500hz CW filter 6.3 IF
#282..250hz CW filter 6.3 IF
#218..1.8kc SSB filter 9mhz IF
#217..500hz CW filter 9mhz IF

Radio is in near mint condition..I'd say a 9.85 on the 10 scale. (10 being "perfect")

Included with the radio is a near mint 961 power supply/speaker , all power cables, manuals, and factory boxes.

Price for Omni-VI plus and power supply... $2,150 "OBO" and some help on shipping if needed.

Have a "mint" 238 tuner..includes the factory supplied 1000pf 500V capacitor for added help on 160m if needed. Have manual and factory boxes.
Price for tuner is ..$300 plus help on shipping. (The buyer of the Omni-VI will have first chance at this tuner)

73 de Tim K0FL

204. Re: Car Battery Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ssparky <ssparky2@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <OIfG4.15563$84.1728983@alfalfa.thegrid.net>
Source record: 115226

This is exactly how you should do it. My Yaesu 2500 has been hooked up this way for a year, and works perfectly. I used marine terminals and 10 gage wire. You may need additional filtering to eliminate alternator noise. Also, keep the wires as far away from the spark plug wires as possible.
"Phil" <philz@pobox.com> wrote in message news:38e90bc5.3022388@news.rdu.bellsouth.net...
> I'm getting ready to hook up my 2M into the van I've recently purchased and had a question
> about tying it directly to the battery ... which I've done before in my previous car, so I
> know that it works just fine.
>
> This van has side post battery cables. The battery has both top and side posts, and of
> course only the side posts are in use. The question is: Is it OK or not to purchase a
> couple of top post battery terminals to use solely for hooking up the rig? The only thing
> that would be connected to the top posts would be the + and - for the rig.
>
> Has anyone done this? What were the results?
>
> Thanks ... Phil KF4IUU

205. Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38E86C6C.FE6D1E21@sccoast.net>
Source record: 115227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a Yaesu FT-847 that has VERY weak AM modulation (I've had many reports to that effect). Its been that was since purchase, so I suspect poor factory adjustment. Front panel mic gain/power adjustments seem to have no benefitial effect.

Is there a simple pot, trimmer, or other component, that I can adjust to set AM modulation (which one), or should I send it back to Yaesu for repair?

Email replies preferred, but not required.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

206. Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38E89FAA.67078FFC@sccoast.net>
Source record: 115228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a Yaesu FT-847 with VERY low AM modulation (I've received many reports to that effect). I think this problem has existed since purchase (the radio is not that old now), so I suspect poor factory adjustment. The panel mic/power settings seem to have no beneficial effect on this problem (neither does switching mics).

Is there a pot, trimmer, or other component, that I can adjust to set the AM modulation (which one), or should I just return the radio to Yaesu for repair?

Any assistance is appreciated. Email reply preferred, but not required.

By the way, the first copy of this message did not seem to go through, so I'm sending it again. I hope I'm not posting a duplicate message. Sorry if I did.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

207. Low Battery question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd Durdle <bdurdle@roadrunner.nf.net>
Message-ID: <38E83C71.863E63A7@roadrunner.nf.net>
Source record: 115245

Occasionally my frequency display readout starts blinking.
After a while it stops and remains steady. I have also
noticed that after such a display my stored memory
frequencies are all incorrect but when I return to them
later they are all functioning properly again. All of this
usually occurs just after power up. The radio, a Kenwood
TS-440S, had been used only once or twice in a couple of
years. Could all of this be the result of a low back-up
lithium battery or indications of a more serious problem.

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http://www.angelfire.com/nf/durdlesden/
Boyd Durdle ICQ# 5657674
11 Ayrshire Place
St. John's, NF A1B 3L4
(709)726-9207
"Our life is what our thoughts make of it." Marcus
Aurelius
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208. Re: Glass Mounted Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000402201612.09350.00000424@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 115246

Thanks, Doc for the info. I assume you're saying they're fine for light duty, local work :)))))

209. Captain Truth is in Newton NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: UglyJohn@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38e7e927.31265916@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 115247

Who is in Newton NC that we know? Anyone know?

210. Re: Captain Truth is in Newton NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c8tqciir1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115248

In article <38e7e927.31265916@news.mindspring.com>,
UglyJohn@mindspring.com (John) wrote:
> Who is in Newton NC that we know? Anyone know?

Here's the list, all 52 of them:

K4GXA
K4QIJ
K4WGY
K4ZO
KA4CMT
KB2CGC
KB4FWN
KB4OKX
KB4OKY
KB4ZYI
KC4IKR
KC4IME
KC4MCS
KC4WBM
KD4DMS
KD4IJP
KD4OWL
KD4TRN
KD4ZJQ
KE4DLK
KE4DLO
KE4DLZ
KE4GEX
KE4JAL
KE4LJP
KE4LWE
KE4NSY
KE4NTD
KE4VJQ
KE4VJR
KE4VJY
KF4BXE
KF4GET
KF4HFK
KF4TEA
KF4WRA
KF4ZXG
KG4AHB
KG4GTA

KO4HQ
KR4ZC
N0WKU
N4AWV
N4WAV
NO4N
W4EMV
W4LA
WA4UZD
WB4NMB
WB4REB
WB4VWB
WW1R

Anything look good to anyone?

This may mean nothing, but one of them is an Abernethy, same unusual spelling, and less than 5 miles (as the crow flies) from the "Hickory" Abernethy. Coincidence? Moreover, the "Hickory" Abernethy's address is much closer to Newton than Hickory. Can't wait to hear how this turns out.

Now before anyone gets their hormones in an uproar, this information is all public domain and was gleaned from an internet database and Street Atlas USA (R). I don't want to hear any crap about contacting your lawyer. Well actually, go ahead; I need a good laugh.

LRod

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Before you buy.

211. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c8vlbdsg1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115249
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>>That's why it's so very important to conduct all dealings within your
>>life in not just a clean manner, but indeed, squeaky clean. Give no hint
>>of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
>>accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.

>Tell that to the father who was gunned down in Pasadena, TX when
>the swat team accidentally chose the wrong address. Unannounced,
>someone broke down his front door. He reached for his shotgun
>to defend his family from the unidentified intruder and was mowed
>down in a hail of bullets. The police said, Oops, sorry, wrong address.

Of course, you state only one side of the story. Whatever the truth
regarding that incident, sadly, a VERY small number of anomalies will
occur.

The vast majority of law-abiding, upstanding citizens will never come in
contact with the authorities in a negative manner. For proof, take the
number of such incidents similar to what you've mentioned above, say,
over the last decade, divide that by 148.7 million, multiply by 100, and
toss a percent sign on the end.
Jeff KH6O

212. Re: Ham radio aids victims of pirate attack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <38e80d64.73082441@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 115250

On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 07:42:54 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <8c39bf$1sl$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
>> The US Maritime Academy now teaches its cadets methods of piracy
>> evasion. The South China Sea is ruled by some very vicious and
>> well-organized pirate groups, who will board a cargo ship in a stealth
>> manner, murder or send adrift its crew, then steal the ship and sell
>> its cargo. It's amazing that this is still taking place in this day
>> and age.
>
>Time to resurrect Q ships.
>
>LRod
>

now THAT'S a creative idea!!

213. Re: Captain Truth is in Newton NC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8c94c7$pm6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115251

In article <8c8tqciir1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <38e7e927.31265916@news.mindspring.com>,
> UglyJohn@mindspring.com (John) wrote:
> > Who is in Newton NC that we know? Anyone know?
>

> This may mean nothing, but one of them is an Abernethy, same unusual
> spelling, and less than 5 miles (as the crow flies) from the "Hickory"
> Abernethy. Coincidence? Moreover, the "Hickory" Abernethy's address is
> much closer to Newton than Hickory. Can't wait to hear how this turns
> out.

I stand corrected; error in using Street Atlas USA. His address is in
Hickory, but still less than 7 crow flying miles from the Newton
address. And, he was born in '23, she in '46. Still too much coincidence
for me. And I still can't wait to hear how this turns out. This may give
Daddy/Daughter Dance a whole new meaning.

Of course I could be wrong...

LRod

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214. Re: Kenwood TM-G707: need info on how to put into service mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bd994@lafn.org
Message-ID: <8c935e$74n$1@zook.lafn.org>
Source record: 115252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <ant3117550b0Kjhw@g6tsf.demon.co.uk>, paul@g6tsf.demon.co.uk
says...
>
>In article <8c2ler$3fd$1@zook.lafn.org>, Melinda Dengler
><URL:mailto:bd994@lafn.org> wrote:
>> I need to put my G707 mobile into service mode to adjust the deviation &
>> frequency. Can someone tell me how to do this? On my FT8500 it's a simple
>> matter of holding 3 buttons down on power up. I just need to know which
>> buttons to hold down on the 707. Thanks.
>>
>> Mel
>
>You may find the info you need in the Downloads part of the Kenwood US
>web site.
>

Nope. already checked, not there.

215. ACS Newsletter for 3/27/00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8c951hjfv1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115253
Cross-posted to: alt.firefighters,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info

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The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC230 Amateur Radio Withdrawn!
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

EMC230 Amateur Radio Withdrawn! For release 3/27/2000

FCC Order No. 87

"At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D.C. on the 8th day of December, l941:
Whereas a state of war exists between the United States and the Imperial Japanese Government, and the withdrawal from private use of all amateur frequencies is required for the purpose of the National Defense;
IT IS ORDERED, that except as may hereafter be specifically authorized by the Commission, no person shall engage in any amateur radio operation in the continental United States, its territories and possessions, and that all frequencies heretofore allocated to amateur radio stations under Part 12 of

the Rules and Regulations BE, AND THEY ARE HEREBY, WITHDRAWN from use by any person except as may hereafter be authorized by the Commission. By order of the Commission:
- T.J. Slowie, Secretary."

A few hours after the first bomb fell on Pearl Harbor, Amateur Radio in normal peacetime ceased to exist. The frequencies we used were deathly silent - an ominous nothingness, not a chirp, nothing.

Transmitters were packed away, receivers turned to some other use. Soon the U.S. Government wanted to buy "commercially made" transmitters and receivers. My Hallicrafters Skybuddy receiver and a Stancor 200 watt AM transmitter went to the war effort.

Today thousands of Amateurs have no knowledge of those events, so this bulletin is a reminder of Amateur Radio privileges.

Prior to WW2 I participated in a forerunner to the ARRL ARES (Amateur Radio Emergency Service.) There was no RACES or other emergency communications (EMCOMM) unit in use by government.

After WW2 ended the right to operate on Amateur frequencies was restored. I was in the U.S.Navy and my parents mailed my CW transmitter (an 807 and a rectifier tube and few other parts.) What a thrill to be on-the-air again. CQ....CQ....CQ de .....! WOW! It was great! Even if it was from outside a navy base, since operation from the base was not permitted.

So, why write about this in the year 2000? As a reminder that the use of FCC assigned Amateur frequencies is a privilege, not a right.

The FCC regulations say that the paramount purpose of the Amateur Service is PUBLIC SERVICE. I understand that to mean to help our communities in time of need with our skills and abilities in communications. In the year 2000 there are many ways to do that. Numerous organizations, methods and means exist so you can help those in your area.

Please find a way to make that part of your future. The rewards that come to you will be those you don't expect, but will find interesting! If my experience is indicative at all, you will find ways to be of help you cannot anticipate. 73's de W6WWW

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newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions,
suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with
the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and
suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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If you have tried this procedure and can't get it to work, please contact <listmaster at harthaven.com> and place "Manual request" in the subject line. Be sure to include both your old and new addresses, if applicable.

216. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <seg78phieop9@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

some day, they'll be right, if no one makes it their business to never let
it happen.

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8c3aio$343$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Darryl Wagoner darryl@icoms.com wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >> Wayne Woodhams wwoodhamsww@vcnet.com wrote:
>
> >>>But unless something had massively changed in the hobby, it was
> >>>doomed to go down the tubes.
>
> >>Your prediction is older than you are: In "...1922 many radio
> >>magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung away
> >>from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying the
> >>end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)
>
> >Your point is?
>
> That throughout our 90+year history, folks have been predicting the
> end of amateur radio. But regardless of their doom and gloom, we're
> still being awarded new frequencies: the WARC bands from '79, and
> the current Executive Branch NTIA proposal.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O
>

217. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <seg7hhqteop176@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeff, you say that as if it's something anyone with zero experience with the FCC bureaucracy can do.

Ever get an experimental license yourself?

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message news:8c3a2k$2hs$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com> wrote:
> >Hams own about 6.5% of the freqs between 50-2000 Mhz
>
> ...and 12.5% of everything below 30 MHz!
>
> >real value is. My guess is that is a fair exchange for what WILL BE
> >added to the state of art by hams. This is provided that the FCC lets
> >us advance the state of the art.
>
> If you find yourself wanting to conduct research in an area that's
> prohibited on the ham bands, there's nothing preventing you from
> applying for an Experimental License from the FCC.
>
> >Don't let the ham get stuck in the past, because there is so much future
> >to it. Code test drags down the hobby.
>
> With that, your argument falls flat, for there are no code tests required
> for the real estate you feel has the most value.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

218. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate,and House.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <seg7q856eop27@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It's actually about the powerful wanting to use the cheap toys w/o having to worry about any of their odd conversations coming back to haunt them.

such things as the use of intercepted communications in political campaigns will do nothing for the monitoring community.

the rule makers are probably in that job because they don't wish to know the laws of physics and don't like their snouts rubbed in them either.

<money@corrupts.laws> wrote in message news:38E59D72.CA6E3709@corrupts.laws...
>
>
> Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> of what type of technology is used.
>
> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:s.2326:
>
> S.2326 : A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to strengthen
> and clarify prohibitions on electronic
> eavesdropping, and for other purposes.
> Sponsor: Sen Wyden, Ron - Latest Major Action: 3/29/2000 Referred to the
> Senate Commerce, Science, and Transportation
>
>
> Here is another older bill(H.R.3489)from the House of the 106th Congress
> anti-scanner members.
> 12/14/1999: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade,
> and Consumer Protection.
>
> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.03489:
>
> And another older anti-scanner bill that has not died (H.R.514).
>
> http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d106:h.r.0514:
>
>
> I think they have gone nuts. It really is about covering censorship
> being forced on you by the bogus phrase of eavesdropping protection.
> Wireless business, money, and lawmakers and you pay the price for

> airtime and the hidden price of lost freedom. Restricted airwave
> monitoring laws helped insure the growth Nazi Germany before World War
> II.

219. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <seg83n2ueop59@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115257

depends if the high-volume superstructure's there for the terabyte
communications system to be up.

there is a place for communications that doesn't need all the wire.

Man in a mu mu <tootaloot@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:vKJE4.6711$9m6.248673@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Burt wrote in message ...
> >Recently I was told that several messages were passed on a local two
> >meter "traffic" net that exemplify the type of traffic hams think
> >useful. The text of the message was essentially "thanks for a great time
> >with you today", the real joke was that the official formal routine
> >traffic was being passed on the net between the actual receipents. And
> >two of them see each other every day.
>
> Sounds like just another obsolete sorry excuse for ham radio.
>
> You know Burt, you really have to wonder if these folks actually
> think this 1930's style messaging is relavant today. It speaks
> volumes of just how backwards ham radio is in this age of
> Tera-byte communications! I often wonder if we look like a
> bunch of "Amish farmers" to the rest of the technological world.
>
> >Welcome to ham radio-set your watch back 40 years
>
>
> No, try SIXTY(60) Years.
>
>
>

220. Riley Hollingsworth, Esquire: Part 97 and the Constitution

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9302-38E81D67-2@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115258

Doc, most hams by now agree with Riley Hollingsworth, Esq. that the service should not become a circus. To circumscribe most non-business conduct further by basis, purpose and scope is Constitutionally infirm, akin to Robert's Rules of Order with Robert ruling.

Conflicts in the law present an ever-present problem, where the Constitution and Part 97 (as interpreted) are incompatible. Let's not fool ourselves into accepting the two as magically exclusive.

In my opinion, Doc raises some excellent points connecting with religion. The most powerful argument against selectivity of enforcement in religious subject-matter is the First Amendment's, Establishment Clause prohibition. Basically this says the U.S. cannot establish or condone one religion over anothel. So quieting a ham of one religious persuasion but permitting another of a different persuasion his right of free speech squarely violates the Establishment Clause.

Doc, your argument resting on type of response is invalid. The moment we have any obligation for what the next guy does and says is the moment we forfeit our Constitutional rights. Of course I'm not contemplating culpability by conspiratorial conduct nor fighting words.

Ordinarily we can look at case law to see what we can and cannot do. Not in this case. When Riley was appointed to rescue ham radio, we had risen to bickering of alarming levels. Just as President Abraham Lincoln threw the Constitution to the wind during the Civil War, shouldn't our regulators do the same if there is no other choice? We know Lincoln had his private confidantes; should we expect different?

As much as Due Process is important, a strong argument can be made for just what Mr Hollingsworth is doing, asserting agency authority to its full breadth. Remember, until a Court of competent jurisdiction supports one of these Constitutional theories, Riley is empowered to act pretty much as he wants.

Lately we have seen a hesitance to officially sanction in favor of setting the ham straight informally, as well as an adequate recitation of the accused's rights. And who could have single-handedly pulled off such relative peace?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

221. ADMS-D2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Edey <vk4sx@dingoblue.net.au>
Message-ID: <38e83a92$0$6521@news01.syd.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 115259

Hello,can anybody inform me what the D2 cable consists of for programing the
ft8100r Yaesu VHF/UHF mobile rig,
also is there a site to aquire the software ??
very near got to rob a bank to buy it in VK..
rgds Dennis vk4sx..

222. Re: ADMS-D2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Edey <vk4sx@dingoblue.net.au>
Message-ID: <38e83fd9$0$6527@news01.syd.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 115260

ADMS-2D software and cable kit not D2 ,mite be ..R2 D2 haha

223. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Strabo <strabo@flashmail.com>
Message-ID: <38E8491F.B7C4354C@flashmail.com>
Source record: 115261
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Phil Kane wrote:

> On Fri, 31 Mar 2000 05:25:55 -0500, Strabo wrote:
>
> >Hams sign a one-sided agreement with the federal government
> >that opens them up to administrative procedings thus bypassing
> >due process.
>
> Misinformation.
>
> ANY person who does things regulated by the agency is subject
> to administrartive proceedings shether they have a license or
> not.
>
>

Negative. As I have no license, I could transmit with 10,000 watts on 3.900 causing a stir. When the FCC came to investigate they would treat the matter differently than if I had a license. Now they would be compelled to stop the interference with the amateurs, but the legal basis would not be the same as with an amateur.

And let me be clear. I'm jumping in on this thread just to make a point about licensing, not to comment on its original purpose. Ham licensing has a long history and amateur radio is an honorable pursuit. My concern is for a government that has gone far beyond its original purpose and in many cases has lied and defrauded the public over licensing issues.

> Administrstive proceedinhs ARE due process - one is given
> notice of the offense and the opportunity to respond and
> present evidence in his/her behalf as to why the proposed
> penalty should ne mitigated (reduced) oe cancelled. If you
> mean "court proceedings", the results of administrative
> proceedings can be appealed in the courts if the accused feels
> that the Administrative Law Judge did not follow the rules.
>

Due process is a component of common or Constitutional law and is only concerned with criminal matters.

Administrative law is not law but regulation, and only has merit when dealing with a signatory of that regulation. Thus the license agreement. Without the license the regulations that apply to amateurs may not apply to the general public.

>
> >All good reasons not to get a federal license in the first place. It
> >is the voluntary license that allows the assault on hearth and
> >home with the 'forfeiture' of equipment.
>
> More Misinformation.
>
> Unlicensed operators are subject to sesrch and seizure by court
> order (warrant) just as licensed operators are. In fact, the
> prima facie case necessary to secure the warrant(s) is a lot
> easier to make when the person is unlicensed.
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

Well Phil, I'm sure you're proud to be a ham and involved in
such a serious way. First, an unlicensed airwave transmitter
is not an operator in the technical sense. It may simply be a
short causing major interference on a ham or BC band.

A warrant for what, to do what, to whom? Was someone killed?
A robbery perhaps? Search and seizure? Sounds pretty drastic.
The only time the (American) public and its airwaves have been
subject to the type of control you suggest, was during WWI and
WWII and then under emergency war powers. There would be
an action as I describe above but it would fall under interference
with interstate commerce and it is not a criminal act in and of
itself.

Your license however does specify that you, the licenseholder, will
allow them entry to your station whenever they want and to 'search
and seize'. That's your agreement with them. The public has no
agreement with the FCC. You get nothing in return as the airwaves
are public anyway and cannot be verboden. The reason for the license
is to allow easy control of those airwaves by the government. Most
hams agree that this is a good thing. I agree that control is necessary
but that the FCC is not the best way to do it.

Some of you guys are real hot on 'law and order' but you must realize
that there is a big difference between a crime against a person (the
only real crime) and a regulation that is designed as a management
tool for the public good.

224. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c9h3o$9n2$6@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115262
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb sideband@mindspring.com wrote:
: So gps is only accurate to 100 miles +-?

Note I said "directional fixes" - which was in answer to the original question.
GPS tracking has nothing to do with direction. It uses the time difference
of the received signals to calculate the location.

The same could be done by satellite - but that was not the question that was
asked.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

225. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c9h88$9n2$7@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115263
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In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
:>
:>Directional fixes, even from an infinity of satellites, would only produce
:>a circle of probable location that is many miles (possibly hundreds) of
:>miles across.

: Then how come ELT signals are located with a mile or
: so usually after two sat passes?

Because they don't take directional fixes.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
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226. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c9hap$9n2$8@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115264
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In rec.radio.cb Dave Martindale <davem@cs.ubc.ca> wrote:

: But then, none of these systems actualy takes "directional fixes" from
: the satellite - they observe the change in Doppler shift over time
: as the satellite moves along its orbit.

: So perhaps Bill is technically correct, in that directional fixes
: are not useful for this, but he's commenting on a technique that
: simply isn't used.

Correct. But I was answering the original question - which WAS about
using directional fixes.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

227. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c9hgo$9n2$9@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115265
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb Pat Jankowiak <vaxhackery@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

: smartass mode *on*

: I wish they would just go ahead and legalize drugs for adults. Then the
: people down the street that run the crack house would not have to fire
: off guns all night long to ward of the competition, and the savings in
: ammunition alone would more than allow crack to be sold for 1/10 of the
: price. The OD's resulting in death would soon bring the situation into a
: new equilibrium. And since it would be legal and they would not be trying
: to hide it, it would be alot easier for my neighbor to get a trip to jail
: for disorderly conduct, DUI, or public intox for smoking weed and crack
: all damn night with his 'home boys' and raising a rappin' ruckus so
: people can't sleep. It's all I can do to get him to quiet things down
: after 10 pm.

: smartass mode *off*

If the currently illegal drugs were legalized, it would have to be with
government controls - such as we have on alcohol. They don't work well
due to insufficient penalties for such things as drunken driving, but
do work better than the current prohibition.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

228. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8c9ho6$9n2$10@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115266
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam> wrote:
:>
:>: That's why it's so very important to conduct all dealings within your
:>: life in not just a clean manner, but indeed, squeaky clean. Give no hint
:>: of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
:>: accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.
:>
:>Like they say - "If you believe that, then I have a bridge to sell you".

: Jeffrey is right - when one conducts oneself in a "squeaky
: clean~~" manner one doesn't have to constantly recall which
: lies and fabrications one was using.....

So? That still doesn't stop the cops from busting in your door - either
because of a mistake or on a whim.

: 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

229. AF2Y replies to W4ASX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8c9s5udkg1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115267

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Bob Sherin, W4ASX

My shtick is this; I'll be hard hitting as it relates to ham radio enforcement. OBJECTIVE NON-PARTISAN conduct on the part of an enforcer is OBLIGATORY if he is to get the support of everyone. As I said, I have nothing whatsoever against KC3AU except for the fact that he uses .313 as a

pulpit which I find offensive in the same way I'd find anyone of any religious persuasion banging away incessantly, monontonously and dogmatically. His predeliction for unnecessarily bombarding us with the New Testament generally and the Born Again movement specifically is as much an irritant to a frequency needing to be relaxed than someone as controversial as I who even innocently might provoke the type of response unwanted by Riley. Yet Riley thinks enough of him to warrant giving out his private phone number and the same might go for a few others as well? What kind of message does this send? KC3AU and other pets can be considered WATCHDOGS whose gripes will be acted upon by enforcement even if UNWARRANTED! It sort of reminds me of reprehensible societies which depended on squealers to keep a dictatorship in power. It's reminiscent of the commie and Nazi hierarchy depending on kids to turn in their own parents and siblings if anything contrary to propaganda was heard. I personally see nothing wrong with Riley getting on the air to work anyone he wishes-that's IMPERSONAL and ACCEPTABLE in our hobby/service, however to provide a home number to anyone shows favoritism which is UNACCEPTABLE and I honestly would harbor the same sentiments if I myself could be considered one of his pets. To prove how this violates my and your rights, read this. In the end of 1999, out of the clear blue sky, I received an e-mail from Riley warning me against intentional jamming. That's odd; in 31 years of hamming never had that subject been broached. The story is that due to phone calls and e-mails by unscrupulous troublemakers on 14.313, Riley was led into believing that the jamming, traced to New Jersey, was coming from MY station. Naturally it was ridiculous and I denied everything because it was a unproven bullbleep, period. BUT just the fact that he believed it very well could have led him into believing that I interfered with Polly and MXL which also was untrue. Did those same squealers having reached him previously influence him in the latest instance? Very possibly but at this stage, I can't prove it but am suspicious. The point is that my "enemies" won-I lost. They could not handle me on .313, wanted me off it and succeeded therefore they have a right to boast however knowing that KC3AU has Riley's private number, and others might too, would YOU be willing to tempt the ire of John and friends? Would you now like to debate his religious theories on .313 even in a most gentlemanly demeanor? What's to stop him from TURNING YOU IN? No, I strongly doubt if John would do it but what about Riley's other pets? Remember, if they were able to get me into deep enough trouble to warrant my departure from .313, YOU'RE NEXT! I have seen enforcement go from punishing the REAL RAGTAG hardnosed unindentified as well as identified foulmouthed jammers to those whose provocativeness can hardly be compared to the aforementioned. Intelligent debating on .313 has been extinguished along with guaranteed rights. It's become the graveyard shift which explains the mass migration to .275 which, as I'm hearing ever increasingly, is supplanting .313 as the HOT SPOT all over again. But then again, when one considers that KT4TR, W4FQF, KB4MXL, WA9KJB,WA2EXQ and K3QAM are PERSONNAE NON GRATA on it, how bad can it be? Pay attention to what I write-if you get on 14.313, you are leaving yourself open to headaches. KEEP OFF THE GRASS!
AF2Y, Doc

230. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <no-one@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <38E878EB.4F87@nowhere.com>
Source record: 115268
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

N9NWO wrote:
>
> : For many the simple answer was fear. In Nazi Germany a single > : critical
> : remark being over-heard could earn you a one way ticket to Belsen.
>
> And your neighbor would turn you in. Look at the number
> of scholars asking why the average German was supportive
> of the Nazis? The German public liked Hitler. Hitler even
> had a huge support in the intellectual community.

He also had many opponents, who were to scared to say anything!

> For the most part Hitler, like Clinton, tried to appeal to the
> establishment moderates of his society.

No he did not. He tried to appeal to the nationalistic thugs, not the
moderates!

> His propagandists even were trying to make him out a savior (their
> were paintings of him looking like Christ).

Many believed he was at first, however they quickly figured out the
truth!

>
> : > In truth, Hitler was a step from what they had experienced
> : > under the socialists.
> :
> : Pardon? Could you rephrase that so it makes some sense?
>
> The previous administration, before Hitler, was very socialist.

The Weimar Republic was not "very socialist". It would be fair to call
it left wing, but not to the degree you are suggesting. The government
was hated by the extreme left.

> And very restrictive.

Nothing compared to the restrictions under Hitler!

> Hitler was actually considered to be liberating.

For a short time, until people figured out what he was really like!

>
> : > Germany, even today, is a society that is very homogenous.
> :

> : Not really, Germany is changing just like everywhere else. With so many
> : "gastarbeiter" it is impossible for Germany to remain homogenous.
>
> Even more so in France and the UK. It is a very big
> arguement in Europe.

For once I agree with something you have said!!

>
> : > The little old ladies in every neighborhood keep a
> : > sharp eye out for anyone who violates the norms. It is one reason
> : > that Germany has fewer cops than here. They have a huge force
> : > of old ladies.
> :
> : And you have a huge force of bullshit!
>
> I have lived in Europe, mostly Germany. I have
> been there 9 times. I assume that you have lived
> there to speak with such authority?

I am English, I have lived in Europe all my life!

Phil

Peace, Bread, Land

231. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38E8A866.73B7E12D@ahole.com>
Source record: 115269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

CB is a hobby..... is ham radio CB?

Darryl Wagoner wrote:
>
> Liberty_nits wrote:
> >
> > It is OBVIOUS, trained operators? Hobby? Try again. It is only a
> > hobby in your mind.....
>
> I think you would be hard pressed to prove that ham radio is anything
> but
> at hobby in court or to any thinking non-ham. If you have an interest
> in continuing this hobby, you best hope and pray that everyone continues
> to believe it is a hobby. Because if anyone starts to look at it as
> a service it would be shut down in a heart beat! Because it doesn't
> work
> any more! Not as a service.
>
> Hams own about 6.5% of the freqs between 50-2000 Mhz which is where the
> real value is. My guess is that is a fair exchange for what WILL BE
> added
> to the state of art by hams. This is provided that the FCC lets us
> advance
> the state of the art. If you are one of those who think that your run
> of the mill ham can't advance the art, think again. Times are changing,
> but hams are also changing. The next advances will be done using a
> keyboard
> instead of a voltmeter and O-Scope. Hams can still make a difference.
>
> Don't let the ham get stuck in the past, because there is so much future
> to it. Code test drags down the hobby. Written test should only be
> enough
> to make sure the ham knows the rules and won't kill someone using the
> radio.
> Maybe the test is OK the way it is. It does make sure you are smart
> enough
> and commited enought to learn to pass it. I also think it helps kept
> hams
> from abusing the privs. Code does do anything to advance the hobby. No
> one has came even close to proving that! But I am sure it has excluded
> people
> that could have advance the hobby greatly.
>

> Soon to be a Digital Age Extra
>
> --
> Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON
> x929

232. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38E8AE31.804B24C@ahole.com>
Source record: 115270

Didn't Hitler do the same think. Eliminated people that didn't
agree with his view of the world...

w4fqf@my-deja.com (QRMer himself) wrote:
>
> See "Rainreport" www.rainreport.com Captain Truth has been
> bagged and delivered, let us all hope he is banished forever from
> amateur radio for his qrming.
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

233. Relief height correction factor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nando_pedreira@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ca5iaspe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115271

Hi all!

I'd like to know how to calculate the relief height correction factor at a point between the transmitter and the receiver of a radio-communication system, due to the 4/3 effective earth radius. Let me clarify my question: how much higher would be a mountain of hight "x" meters at a distance "d1" of the transmitter if I consider the effective earth radius of 4/3 ? The distance between transmitter and receiver is "d".

Thanks in advance,

Fernando Pedreira

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234. ** FLEA at MIT ** Sunday April 16th Cambridge MA

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Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1gsl@mit.edu
Message-ID: <38e8ad1b$0$21254@senator-bedfellow.mit.edu>
Source record: 115272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,sci.electronics.misc,ne.forsale,ne.general,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Subject: ** FLEA at MIT ** Sunday April 16th Cambridge MA
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PO Box 82 MIT Br Cambridge MA 02139-7082 617 258 3754
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235. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cap'n Crunch <kcfamily@tir.com>
Message-ID: <R92G4.4167$I8.910183@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 115273
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Strabo wrote in message <38E8491F.B7C4354C@flashmail.com>...
>Negative. As I have no license, I could transmit with 10,000 watts on
>3.900 causing a stir. When the FCC came to investigate they would
>treat the matter differently than if I had a license. Now they would be
>compelled to stop the interference with the amateurs, but the
>legal basis would not be the same as with an amateur.

True.... you wouldn't have a license to loose, but the FCC would treat you the same license or no. The fine would be the same... Any legal charges would be the same... the only big difference would be the fact that you'd have no license to be threatened with the revocation of. (..you may even find you qualify for a few extra fines and penalties due to the lack of a license)

You don't have to have a license to drive a car, practice medicine, or pilot a plane, but the penalties for doing so without a license would generally be a bit higher for the unlicensed offender as more charges would be brought.

>Administrative law is not law but regulation, and only has
>merit when dealing with a signatory of that regulation. Thus
>the license agreement. Without the license the regulations that
>apply to amateurs may not apply to the general public.

...So you believe that if you never get a driver's license that you're immune from prosecution for drunk driving or speeding? ...That if you practice medicine without a license that you're safe from any malpractice charges?.. BULL!

>Your license however does specify that you, the licenseholder, will
>allow them entry to your station whenever they want and to 'search
>and seize'. That's your agreement with them.

.... I hold several Commercial licenses as well as a Ham license.. NOWHERE on the license or the application does it state the above....

>The public has no
>agreement with the FCC. You get nothing in return as the airwaves
>are public anyway and cannot be verboden.

...Old argument... if airwaves are 'everyman's right' and 'publicly' held, then what pretense do you base land or water rights/ownership on?

236. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E8B1B5.2048A44@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Liberty_nits wrote:
> CB is a hobby.....

CB is not supposed to be a hobby, by definition.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca
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237. Re: AF2Y replies to W4ASX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27078-38E8AFA9-35@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115275

Doc, lots of merit and depth to what you say. Perhaps my view is simplistic.

I know we want neutral regulation. But one person doing his best will need help from the community, which naturally won't encompass all, and has his own personal prejudices and biases. Though we don't want to admit it, we all have biases and prejudices. Into this flawed atmosphere enters one person to regulate, and he does the best he can with virtually no resources.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

238. Re: Jammers exposed at last

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38E8B9ED.D6FD695B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 115276

W4AMP wrote:
>
> To see the trash jammers and who they are go to
> File:///C:/aux
> Its time to open the books on them.

Well, sir. Since your "File:///C:/aux" points to
a file on your hard drive and not on a web page,
we're going to have a very rough time reading it, aren't we?

239. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38E8BAED.B00D51CB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 115277

What's happening to Art is a very good example of what's happening
to several hams these days:
To be accused makes you automatically guilty in the eyes of most people.
It's a shameful situation.

D.S.

240. Liberty net mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wm <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cafj2$8ca$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115278

The liberty net is interesting while in mobile operstion.

I always wonders why the jamming gets louder as I drive south on 41 through
Indiana??

Interesting and very consistant observation.

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Federal agent asks directions
How do I get to Lexington or Concord?
A Patriot answers
Dont push it! Your really don't want to go there.

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241. ** New England Ham - Electronic Fleamarket Dates ** April ** Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1gsl@mit.edu
Message-ID: <38e8bdbe$0$21251@senator-bedfellow.mit.edu>
Source record: 115279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,ne.forsale

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17 Oct Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F
Thanks to Everyone for our Biggest + Best Season
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8 April Twin Mt NH NARC + LARK Richard WB1ASL 603 788 4428 A

15 April Montreal PQ MARC @LaSalle Legion http://www.marc.qc.ca/fest.html W

16 April Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F
Third Sunday -- April thru October

16 April Bristol CT ICRC St.Paul CHS $4@9 $10/T TG$8 Jack WK1S 860 621 6623 +

29 April Nashua NH NE Antique RC $5@8 $1@9 @ Res Ctr Church 617 923 2665 F

29,30 Apr Waltham MA Photographica @HS $5@10 ~photo~ bef 9PM Ed 617 965 0807 F

30 Ap Poughkeepsie NY MtBARC Ken KL7JCQ 914 485 9617 A+

7 May Yonkers NY Metro70 @LincolnHS $19/T@7 $6@9 Otto WB2SLQ 914 969 1053 F+

8 May Greenfield MA FCARA Mon 6PM @WESCO $2/tg Dick N1EWK 413 774 4669 F+

12,13 May Rochester NH Hoss Traders @FG x13 rt16 Joe K1RQG 207 469 3492 F

20 May Forestdale RI RIFMRS @VFW rt146 8A flea+auct Rick K1KYI 401 725 7507

21 May Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

21 May Farmingville NY Radio CentralARC Neil KC2KY 516 737 0019 A+

27 May Vernon CT NARC@TollandAgC I84x67 $3@9 $7TG $15/T Wayne 860 487 1921 F+

2-4 June Rochester NY ARRL Atlantic Conv Harold K2HC 716 424 7184 A

3 June Herman ME PineStARC @HS $8@6:30 $4@8 Ed K1DTW 207 825 4417

3 June E Hartford CT VintageR Mus 711 Main $12/T@7 $1@8 John 860 675 9916 F+

4 June Corona NYC @ HallofScience $5@9 $10/S@7:30 Steve WB2KDG 718 898 5599 F+

4 June Newington CT NARL Thomas WB1CZX 860 666 4539 A+
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10 Jun Doaktown NB @AnglicanCH $3/T@8 $3@10 Ron VE1BCQ 506 365 4674 R+

10 June E.Falmouth MA FARA @FG Rt151 $8/sp@7 $3@9 Ralph N1YHS 508 548 6405 F+

11 June Bethpage NY LIMARC Ed KC2AYC 516 520 9311 A

17 June Goshen CT SoBARC @FG rt 63 nr4 8AM Lee K1LEE 860 435 0051 +

18 June Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F
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13 Aug Orange MA Mohawk ARC John AE1B 978 249 5905 A+

20 Aug Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

20 Aug Adams MA NoBARC @BoweFG $20/S@6 $5@8 Joel N1WCF 413 442 2609 F+

26-27 Aug Boxboro MA ARRL NE DivConv $8+ $14/T/day@8 Dave W1TQ 978 649 3907

27 Aug Yonkers NY YARC John WB2AUL 914 969 6548 A

27 Aug Enfield CT East V-UHF Conf @Radisson $3B$8S@8 Mark K1MAP 413 566 2445 +

9 Sept BallstonSpa NY SCRACES fri6P $5+5/T+15cmp Darlene N2XQG 518 587 2385 W+

10 Sept S Dartmouth MA SE MassARA @club $2@9 $0/S@7 Bill K1IBR 508 996 2969 F

10 Sept Bethpage NY LIMARC Rich N2WJL 516 520 9311 A

16 Sept White Plains NY WECA Thomas WB2NHC 914 741 6606 A

16 Sept Forestdale RI RIFMRS @VFW rt146 8A flea+auct Rick K1KYI 401 725 7507

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28 Oct Longueuil PQ Montreal SARC $10/T@6 $5@9 Micheline VE2XW 450 446 0477 R

29 Oct Lindenhurst NY GSBARC+SCRC @KoC $6@9 $20@7 Phil N2MUN 631 226 0698 F+

4 Nov Londonderry NH IRS @Lions Hall $10@6 $3@8 Paul K1LL 603 883 3308 +
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2 Dec E Hartford CT VintageR Museum @Church $12/T@7 $1@8 John 860 675 9916 F
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21 Jan Yonkers NY Metro70 @LincolnHS Otto WB2SLQ 914 969 1053 A+

24 Feb Milton VT NVT WinterHamfest @8 @HS Rt7 Mitch W1SJ 802 879 6589 +

25 Feb Hicksville NY LIMARC Eddie KC2ACY 516 520 9311 A+

4 Mar Lindenhurst NY GSBARC Phil N2MUN 631 226 0698 F+

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73 Steve F
W1GSL

242. Turning in the VE badge

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wm <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cag43$91r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115280

What a strange thread is going here.It takes "guts" to quit the ARRL and turn in your VE badge? Strange to think it takes courage to quit.

Things change,amateur radio changes,those who don't change are left in the dust.

So

WAHHH WAHHHH BOO HOOO we will miss you.Just go ahead and take your ball home and don't play with the rest of the kids

--
Federal agent asks directions
How do I get to Lexington or Concord?
A Patriot answers
Dont push it! Your really don't want to go there.

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243. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wm <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115281

True and good to see him nailed.But somehow
from my mis guided traveling brother it sounds strange.

I remember hearing for years,two hams from the memphis area a few miles apart
with massive signals acting as if the frequency was not in use and talking
over ongoing qsos

Remember to treat other on the level and be square with them.

What we plant we reap.

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244. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@ham.com
Message-ID: <38E8C70B.4A988C21@ham.com>
Source record: 115282

KC8JBO wrote:

> <joe@ham.com> wrote in message news:38E776CD.D09267DF@ham.com...
> >
> > Looks like idiot John is starting to squirm now. This taken from the
> new
> > Goodfellow puppet webpage:
> > Sunday Scandal: I received this email today; Does anybody know what
> idiot
> > wrote this letter?????????????????????? It's a
> > good thing I write this page at a second grade level so the idiot
> element
> > of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
> > particular.can you imagine this idiot is actually walking the
> > streets....Check his web page..if I looked this stupid I wouldn't post
> > it for the world to see!!!! By the way-I've never jammed..only
> uneducated
> > nitwits without a life do stuff like that..I don't fall in
> > that category...my xyl keeps me to
> busy...
> >
> > The guillty dog always barks. So there you have it, K1TP, Jon
> Cunningham,
> > New Goodfellow lap dog, jammer, and propaganda boy. They always
> recruit the
> > idiots!
>
> But, Dimmy, you'd have to evolve several eons BEFORE _you_ could
> approach anywhere near the idiot level.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

Hello Roger. You have more certified mail on the way, mama's boy.

245. Re: Liberty net mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000403130917.20132.00000764@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 115283

Could be propagation or ....?

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

246. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Im2Stupid@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5577-38E9D9B0-4@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115084

Poor Oris. Nasty Fornicating Child Neglector Dirtball. Still harassing people on usenet. The goodfags never learn. say hello to your 250 pound pig wife for me idiot.

247. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Im2Stupid@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5577-38E9DE91-6@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115085

Yep, another member of the Gayfellows ARG caught by the FCC. But little dumbass Oris is still in here showing his smelly rear. He has nothing better to do, N4CND cannot keep a job, he cannot support his 250 pound wife and his adopted kids worth a damn. What do you expect from life-long trailer trash? Maybe one day he will discover soap, we can only hope.

248. Re: W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Im2Stupid@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5576-38E9DAB0-11@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115086

Previous post by N9PGE, Mick Slater. One of the new internet harassers and qrm'ers recruited by the gayfellows. Such a bad alcoholic he lost his family and his career. His own brother does not even want to see him. Drink up Mick, soon Riley will nail you jamming as well, you drunken hump.

249. KC8JBO Receives Second Letter From FCC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Im2Stupid@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5576-38E9DBDD-12@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115087

Poor deformed light bulb head! Two letters from the FCC and he is still on the newsgroups harassing folks. And the last letter tells him explicitly not to harass other amateurs. Oh well, Light bulb head is one of the dumbest the gayfllows ever recruited. Change Mommy's Pampers, they smell like they are full!

250. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8cdmnf$2ppa$1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 115088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <sej69tg3eop156@corp.supernews.com>,
Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote:
>Code haters say that CW is out dated and digital is all that matters in order
>for ham radio to move forward, but you code haters are a pack of fools and
>lack the ambition to move ham radio forward and accomplish something.
....

This newsgroup seems to be populated by two distinct groups - bitter
old men, and snot-nosed teenagers. Where's the middle aged firmly on
middle ground?

I'm 40, and just passed my Extra. I could have passed 4B and waited
til April 15, but I did 1C the old fashioned way because it gave me
satisfaction. It did NOT make me a superior being...

I support the restructuring because it was necessary for the survival
of ham radio at a time when "under-utilized spectrum" is being auctioned
off to the highest bidder. I enjoy operating CW, but as anything other
than a nice, quaint pasttime, it is obsolete (i.e. not used commercially
at all anywhere).

Many of the smartest E.E.s I know are Techs, while some of the biggest
buffoons on the air hold Extra tickets. Obviously, the ability to copy
20wpm Morse code has done nothing to "weed out" morons, and it is
certainly no measure of operator "class"!
73, Mike, WA9CQ

251. The .313 "Hap Holligans"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cdngp$s9v$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115089

In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>, rfcommsys@aol.com (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:

What happened to 14.313 and 3.950?

I can't tell you what happened to 3.950 since for me it holds little or no interest but 14.313 is a different story. I was the one who made it interesting; I was the one who made it funny; I was the one who added spontaneity and several of the Howard Johnson 28 flavors. And I never used foul langauge, never told off color stories, never did NUTHIN' but add interest, spontaneity, fun and several of Howard Johnson's 28 flavors. And it's over for me on that rotten megahertz trap now manned by the most boring finks to ever spray spit into a microphone. When I got a letter from Riley which had the tone of his going after someone who had been cited for intentionally interfering a dozen times, which reflected his condemnation of a real dyed in the wool radio criminal instead of an innocent bigmouth which is what I am, I said, "That's all she wrote." As the great Margaret Mitchell wrote, Gone With the Wind." Anyone with any personality whatsoever,stupid enough to stay on the frequency, is not playing with a full deck. Why in the name of common sense should a good ham put himself at the mercy of a group of power hungry maniacs who feel they have Riley Hollingsworth in their pocket? And I was there to see the WHOLE NINE YARDS my good man and to see those misfits who for years carried on like lunatics now in the a position to influence Riley, that's too much. I and others think this way: we'd rather lose a frequency than out tickets, period. I call the creeps on .313, "Hap Holligans" because their main thrill in life is to read and discuss the enforcement issues presented in the R.A.I.N, reports and to discuss them in such a way so as to cast all inference of dirty dealings away from themselves onto others. These "Holligans" feel they're Riley's boys and I say they just might be, unfortunately. What once was a wonderful frequency, even TONED DOWN, is no longer that. It's boring and lousy with washerwomen like Seymour, WA9KJB and Bob, KB4MXL. Listen if you want to either learn everything about nothing or nothing about everything. P.U.
AF2Y, Doc

252. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <jGPqONA3eZEyJ+T8jQBO6jRUJjaY@4ax.com>
Source record: 115090

On 4 Apr 2000 16:07:47 -0500, mikebo@Mars.mcs.net (Michael Borowiec)
wrote:

>Interesting that this was posted on April Fool's day... DUH!
>- Mike, WA9CQ

Well, it's still up on the web site. Premier is supposed to announce
the new host of the show which will go from 5 live nights a week to 7,
in a couple weeks. We won't have Arty to kick around anymore but the
nice folks at Premier will provide a new equally lovable moron, I'm
sure.

Jim
KG4GXP

253. Re: Oris grim, spelling bee champ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdqnkcb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115091

In article <5577-38E9DD60-5@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Im2Stupid@webtv.net (meRoger NotaWiseman) wrote:
> God Oris, will you ever progress beyond your third grade reading
level?
> How is the jamming and Internet harassment going for your group the
> gayfellows? I sure hope your neglected brats are ok, I hear DEFACS
will
> be by soon. So get 250 pound Suzy to clean up your filthy hovel and
get
> ready. Oh, I almost forgot, congrats on getting fired again. Does this
> make 20 now? You never were much of a provider for that other man's
> kids. Later dictionary boy.

Hey Dimmy, still wading though knee-deep garbage in your rented hovel?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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254. Re: KC8JBO Receives Second Letter From FCC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdqupds1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115092

In article <5576-38E9DBDD-12@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Im2Stupid@webtv.net (meRoger NotaWiseman) wrote:
> Poor deformed light bulb head!

Poor, thrice-convicted drug dealing felon Obese Dimmy O' Brainless.

>Two letters from the FCC and he is still
> on the newsgroups harassing folks. And the last letter tells him
> explicitly not to harass other amateurs.

Yeah, ON THE AIR. Riley could care less about the Internet.

>Oh well, Light bulb head is
> one of the dumbest the gayfllows ever recruited. Change Mommy's
> Pampers, they smell like they are full!

I would imagine having your nose up somebody's rectum is au naturale,
eh, Jimmy?

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255. MRF449A ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Walsh <ei5em@gofree.indigo.ie>
Message-ID: <YPtG4.1782$sB3.1026@news.indigo.ie>
Source record: 115093

Anybody know where in Europe I can find a supplier for a MRF449A transistor?

Mni Tnx de Tony EI5EM

256. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdr7ovl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115094

In article <5577-38E9DE91-6@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Im2Stupid@webtv.net (meRoger NotaWiseman) wrote:
> Yep, another member of the Gayfellows ARG caught by the FCC.

I know you're attending that 5th rate welfare college, but they
didn't "catch" anybody. I suppose your brain stem is fried from years
of abuse, but you seriously need to learn how to read, O'Brainless.

> But little
> dumbass Oris is still in here showing his smelly rear. He has nothing
> better to do, N4CND cannot keep a job, he cannot support his 250 pound
> wife

Hey, If I were you, I wouldn't say ANYTHING about somebody else's wife,
oh, keeper of Donna "Shamu" O' Brainless.

>and his adopted kids worth a damn. What do you expect from
> life-long trailer trash? Maybe one day he will discover soap, we can
> only hope.

Hey dimmy, do your rigs have petrified bird crap all over the outside
covers, or what?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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257. Re: Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdrd2$11t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115095

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cd4i9
$6be$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8cct51$tl8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8cchtghda1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > Yeah, only if he gets rid of a certain operator in Barre, VT.
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Dont worry about me Roger. It is a good thing you have shitty
> equipment or you would be in that report too.

Tolassi, I know you are illiterate, and mentally handicapped, but my FT-
920 is fairly new, bought brand new in December, 1998. So is my Antron
Power supply and I have a new outboard (That's external to the radio,
stupid!) antenna tuner.
Now, it's obvious to this newsgroup that you are a world-class idiot,
and even more obvious to those who would have the displeasure of
hearing your effeminate voice on the air and hearing your uneducated
opinions that you are an idiot. From what I understand, you are running
a used Kenwood from the 1980's. Compare and contrast your backward
technologied rig to one that has DSP, etc, (I know this is asking a
lot out of you, mental midget) and decide. Alternatively, get someone
near you who has some mot of intelligence and have them do it for you,
dumbass.

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258. Re: Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdri8$13e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115096

RuPaul, aka <dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cd4be$68d$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8c7lev$fc6$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >
> > Sounds great. Did you say the sneak preview's on April 15th?
> Wonderful. On
> > the way home, everyone will drop in to their friendly VECs and walk
> out an
> > Extra. Then they can drive over to the closest truckstop and pick up
> a brand
> > new shiny Kenwood transceiver and start asking for "radio checks."
> which
> > will put even more emphasis into what a great movie it was.
> > AF2Y
> >
> > Or they can tune YOU in, Doc. Just listening to you will give them
a
> good idea of how a ham conducts himself. I know what your thinking
> Doc, but I didnt get TWO warnings for interference. You have done
> alot to destroy our hobby with your antics. I can say that it is a
> good thing you cant go to a ham fest because they would carry you out.

No, Tolassi, you received at least TWO letters concerning a RETEST. And
I saw several other letters on your harassment of Fred Roll.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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259. WTB: DRSI TYPE 2 Dead or Alive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis A. Homerick" <w8nw@richnet.net>
Message-ID: <38ea6c08$0$1380@news.richnet.net>
Source record: 115097

Thanks for reading this message. I am looking for a type 2 drsi tnc working of not.

Dennis, w8nw

260. Re: KC8JBO Receives Second Letter From FCC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdruj$1m9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115098

In article <8cdqupds1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <5576-38E9DBDD-12@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> Im2Stupid@webtv.net (meRoger NotaWiseman) wrote:
> > Poor deformed light bulb head!
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> Poor, thrice-convicted drug dealing felon Obese Dimmy O' Brainless.
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> >Two letters from the FCC and he is still
> > on the newsgroups harassing folks. And the last letter tells him
> > explicitly not to harass other amateurs.
>
> Yeah, ON THE AIR. Riley could care less about the Internet.

Additionally, the letter was sent to the first name on the letter,
N8WGM. It concerned the two of us NOT taking our personal dispute to
the air.
I quote:
"The purpose of this letter is to caution you both to review Section
97.1 of the Amateur Radio Service rules, and to make certain that
whatever disputes that may exist are not carried over to Amateur Radio
Frequencies."
No mention of any Warning as per a normal warning letter is on the
document. Too bad, Dimmy.

> >Oh well, Light bulb head is
> > one of the dumbest the gayfllows ever recruited. Change Mommy's
> > Pampers, they smell like they are full!
>
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261. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdsb7$210$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115099

In article <8cdl6u$q1n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> I dont know why everyone says your a dummy--my sound bites were
amoung
> the best Danny boy
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>
They sure were "the incredible shrinking brain". Riley liked them too.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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262. Re: The .313 "Hap Holligans"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cdsmb$2b8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115100

My Oh My, sounds like "Sour Grapes" time from three time notated qrmer AF2Y. You got caught qrming simple as that. Next time you are outta here!! The reason you don't come on 313 is because of your compulsion to qrm. Dont blame Seymore are anyone else. YOU qrmed, YOU made your bed, NOW. YOU lay in it . Next time "Exit Stage left QRMer" then, you are outta amateur radio and you know it ..

W4FQF since 1952

In article <8cdngp$s9v$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
rfcommsys@aol.com
> (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:
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> What happened to 14.313 and 3.950?
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> I can't tell you what happened to 3.950 since for me it holds little
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> interest but 14.313 is a different story. I was the one who made it
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> which had the tone of his going after someone who had been cited for
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> a real dyed in the wool radio criminal instead of an innocent
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> is what I am, I said, "That's all she wrote." As the great Margaret
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> wrote, Gone With the Wind." Anyone with any personality
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> of power hungry maniacs who feel they have Riley Hollingsworth in
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> pocket? And I was there to see the WHOLE NINE YARDS my good man and
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> those misfits who for years carried on like lunatics now in the a
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> to influence Riley, that's too much. I and others think this way: we'd
> rather lose a frequency than out tickets, period. I call the creeps
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> "Hap Holligans" because their main thrill in life is to read and
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> enforcement issues presented in the R.A.I.N, reports and to discuss
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263. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdtjl$3he$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115101

In article <8cdkrppls1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> Dan:
>
> There is no use discussing this subject again with you. You are not
> acting rational. I will put you in the same category as your minion in
> West Va, and your boss in Easly S.C. In the future feel free to lie ,
> bend the truth, and anything else you are so good at doing about me if
> it makes you feel good.. There will be no words from me. I will
however
> check in on any frequency within the rules, to talk to my friends. It
> is depressing to read your posts. I see a very unhappy man.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952
>
> In article <8cdbj0ejf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8cb9rb$6j8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > Dan Dan Dan:
> > >
> > > What purpose would it serve to drag up old bones such as you are
> > trying
> > > to extract from a long ago scrap heap?
> > >
> > > The only thing that matters is this is a new day. There should be
no
> > > more qrming by anyone. Your penchant for extracting "confessions"
> from
> > > people involved serves no useful purpose.
> > >
> > > Forget about what has happened and worry about the condition the
> > > amateur bands are in today.
> > >
> > > Why don't you forget the past and try to make amateur radio a good
> > > clean hobby again. Are perhaps by chance, it would be turning your
> > > back on your qrming friends that think differently.
> > >
> > > There will be no "confessions" from me Dan . Just the promise
that I
> > > will do everything in my power to clean up amateur radio back to a
> > > delightful hobby. I have been doing this for some time.
> > >
> > > Think about it.

> > >
> > > W4FQF Since 1952 working for the cleaning up of amateur radio!!
> > >
> > You are the one that brought this up in the first place. So get
that
> > straight. And as long as YOU or ANYONE puts out a blatent LIE then
I
> > shall certainly stand up and be counted.
> >
> > If you don't this stuff brought up, then don't bring it up. If you
> > don't want countered, then tell the TRUTH.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
> >
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I am beginning to believe that you actually believe this crap your
putting out. Have you considered professional help for your "problem"?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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264. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fsiefs0.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 115102
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Tue, 04 Apr 2000 02:11:49 -0400, Strabo wrote:

>> Give that answer on a law school exam and lose 10 points......
>
>I've no doubt of that. Administrative proceedings are the
>rules of the agency for which they were written, obstensibly
>following congressional desires.

>Administrative proceedings use the rules written by the
>agency for the agency to enforce the prohibitions and permissions
>of the agency.

Wromg again - the rules and authority for administrative
procedure are found in Title 5 of the United States Code,
which are of course statutes enacted by The Congress.

>Administrative processes are designed to take the
>place of due process.

You're not paying attention to what you were told about
due process.

>> I don't know where you get that (actually I cnn make a good
>> guess from your phrasing but do not consider it a source of
>> accurate legal information or education).
>
>I have the advantage of not being a lawyer.

>> How many years have YOU worked in and taught comm law?

>None whatsoever.

So youe statements are based on not having any professional
education, training,or experience in law, communications
or otherwise.....just what we expected from your statements'
content.

We have a name for this ... the "W" word.

End of communication.......

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

265. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <k4ow@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <8ce004fcg1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Who cares if he quits?

Michael Borowiec wrote in message <8cdlj3$2ogk$1@Mars.mcs.net>...
>In article <_KjF4.11500$9m6.452917@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
>CousinNertnic <ntimmso@aol.com> wrote:
>>(from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>>
>>The Announcement:
>....
>>I have decided to retire from the broadcast business at the end of this
>>month, my last show to be April 26, 2000.
>>
>Interesting that this was posted on April Fool's day... DUH!
>- Mike, WA9CQ

266. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AndroidCat XENU <androidcat99@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <QXwG4.4457$096.1011647@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 115104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
news:1cgvdskii8dcrosacnrp81nm4uhad3l821@4ax.com...
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>
> >POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE wrote:
> >> Because it is 'not' a HOBBY.. Read my lips again: IT IS A SERVICE,
> >> NOT A HOBBY.
> >
> >Please tell us exactly how you manage to keep your amateur radio
> >service at 100%. For me, and most of the hams I know, it is
> >98% hobby, 2% service. Service is a secondary standby operation
> >at best.
>
> I think he may have the alternate definition of "service" in mind.

Who cares. It's OFF TOPIC for rec.radio.scanners!

Ron of that ilk.

267. Great New Swap-Shop!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Arthur <deanntx@tyler.net>
Message-ID: <38EAAB37.C018511@tyler.net>
Source record: 115105

If you are looking for equipment, or have something you want to trade or sell, our new message board will email you when you have replies to your ad's. This will keep you informed so that you do not have to keep checking back to see if anyone has replied to your advertisement.

You can scan down and look at topics, create your own topic of discussion without have to read the entire message.

Like I said, if you have something to sell, something you are looking for, or just need help or information, place your add on our new message board, and when you have a reply, you will be emailed and told who replied to it.

Just go to the CB City Website at "cbcity.com" and click on "Msg Board" and it will take you to where you can post or read the Swap-Shop Advertisements.

We have had one of the most visited Swap Shop message boards on the internet, and have seen a lot of sales take place.

Come on by and check it out, you will be glad that you did.

Our URL is in the header of this message, some come on by.

Dean
CB City

268. Re: WTB: DRSI TYPE 2 Dead or Alive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <14063a81.d3f74bf1@usw-ex0102-015.remarq.com>
Source record: 115106

How much are working ones going for?

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

269. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. Hoover" <OLDhooverSNAG@uk2.net>
Message-ID: <38EAB94B.57CFB8E8@uk2.net>
Source record: 115107

Robert Casey wrote:

> Echo tends to ruin intelligability.

That's the point.

10-4 Good buddy? (<-just kidding of course!)

270. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8cei2i$57l$1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 115108
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

larryn@ozemail.com.au writes:

>>If you wanted to comment on the original question, it would have been
>>better to post your article as a followup to *that* article.

>Um, not always true, Dave, depends on what news reader one is using
>and what options one is using.

>Forte Agent allows sorting of incoming group by thread, subject,
>author, date or size, and most don't show the tree structure.

Well, my postings, the posting in question, and most other postings
in the newsgroup ARE threaded, which is controlled by the References
header line. Some people may choose news readers that don't understand
the threading, or don't display it - that's their choice. But many
people DO pay attention to the threading, since it helps make sense
of the flow of conversation.

So it would be incorrect to assume that ALL readers see the threading -
but equally bad to assume that NO readers see it. I would suggest that
if you really want to post an article that doesn't fit into the normal
threading tree, either move to the point in the tree where it *does*
fit, or delete the References header line entirely so it doesn't appear
as part of a thread at all. Better to provide no threading information
than to provide incorrect information.

Dave

271. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8ceib2$58c$1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 115109
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

jonesgil@usa.net writes:

>I said they take a directional fix -
>You agree don't you?

No. At no point in time does the satellite know where the ground
transmitter is with respect to the satellite. That would be a
directional fix.

>I stated a direction IS RESOLVED from the satellite.
>You agree don't you?

A position is resolved, and a direction can be calculated.
This process takes examining the signal over time.
That's different from "taking a directional fix".

Dave

272. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cbgd9dts1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115134

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news-peer.gip.net!news.gsl.net!gip.net!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!
news.gtei.net!nntp2.deja.com!nnrp1.deja.com!not-for-mail
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC
Date: Mon, 03 Apr 2000 23:35:07 GMT
Organization: Deja.com - Before you buy.
Lines: 165
Message-ID: <8cb9rb$6j8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <8c7ra3$dsm$1@nnrp1.deja.com> <38E8AE31.804B24C@ahole.com>
<8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com> <8calb3$fdu$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<8canrs$iea$1@nnrp1.deja.com> <8capd8$k4q$1@nnrp1.deja.com> <8cb2qp$v37
$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
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X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.0; Windows 95;
Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.0; Win9x/NT; JUNO))
X-Http-Proxy: 1.1 x30.deja.com:80 (Squid/1.1.22) for client
166.62.188.80
X-MyDeja-Info: XMYDJUIDw4fqf
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:13507

Hostname: usr56-dialup202.mix2.Atlanta.cw.net
IP Address: 166.62.188.80

<w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cb9rb$6j8$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Dan Dan Dan:
>
> What purpose would it serve to drag up old bones such as you are
trying
> to extract from a long ago scrap heap?
>
>
> The only thing that matters is this is a new day. There should be no
> more qrming by anyone. Your penchant for extracting "confessions" from
> people involved serves no useful purpose.
>
> Forget about what has happened and worry about the condition the
> amateur bands are in today.
>
> Why don't you forget the past and try to make amateur radio a good
> clean hobby again. Are perhaps by chance, it would be turning your
> back on your qrming friends that think differently.
>
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> There will be no "confessions" from me Dan . Just the promise that I
> will do everything in my power to clean up amateur radio back to a
> delightful hobby. I have been doing this for some time.
>
> Think about it.
>
>
> W4FQF Since 1952 working for the cleaning up of amateur radio!!

Shutup, O' Brainless.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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273. Re: Car Battery Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cbj9r$h31$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115135

Coyotes is right, you can do it and it works well.
Just use a fuse close there to the battery, so if there is a short along the way to the radio, you do not have a GIANT fire.
Also, use 12 or 10 gauge wire. It will have a lower voltage drop over the distance you are carrying the current, and will make things work better.(it's really worth the extra trouble)

Radio Oger

In article <38e90bc5.3022388@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>,
philz@pobox.com (Phil) wrote:
> I'm getting ready to hook up my 2M into the van I've recently purchased and had a question
> about tying it directly to the battery ... which I've done before in my previous car, so I
> know that it works just fine.
>
> This van has side post battery cables. The battery has both top and side posts, and of
> course only the side posts are in use. The question is: Is it OK or not to purchase a
> couple of top post battery terminals to use solely for hooking up the rig? The only thing
> that would be connected to the top posts would be the + and - for the rig.
>
> Has anyone done this? What were the results?
>
> Thanks ... Phil KF4IUU
>
--
Radio Oger
Giving a straight answer every time.

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274. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cblirjau1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115136

In article <8c7ra3dsm1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> See "Rainreport" www.rainreport.com Captain Truth has been
> bagged and delivered, let us all hope he is banished forever from
> amateur radio for his qrming.
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
They got the Mother*&^ker its about damn time! I winder if they will ever get that slime ball loser that is throwing carriers on 3.901. We all know who that is. Is the FCC that afraid of that peice of crap? I mean that have caught the same trash doing this kind of thing and then going up on 2-meters and orginizing MORE jamming of the 75-meter band. I wonder when this loser will sell his TS-50 and broken dentron MLA 2500 to pay for MORE lawyer fees when the FCC gets him. HO HO HO!
Covert62

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275. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cbjuicrh1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net> wrote:
>Jeff, you say that as if it's something anyone with zero experience with the
>FCC bureaucracy can do.

If someone has the background to design and assemble equipment with
the goal of conducting on-air research, then they'll surely have
no trouble gaining the knowledge necessary for applying for such
a license, assuming the FCC feels their project is worthwhile.
Such a license was awarded last year to a group of hams conducting
progation tests on the newly proposed 5 MHz band.

>Ever get an experimental license yourself?

Never needed one. The stuff I build is legal for use on the ham bands.

73, Jeff KH6O

>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>>Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com> wrote:

>>>Hams own about 6.5% of the freqs between 50-2000 Mhz

>> ...and 12.5% of everything below 30 MHz!

>>>real value is. My guess is that is a fair exchange for what WILL BE
>>>added to the state of art by hams. This is provided that the FCC lets
>>>us advance the state of the art.

>>If you find yourself wanting to conduct research in an area that's
>>prohibited on the ham bands, there's nothing preventing you from
>>applying for an Experimental License from the FCC.

>>>Don't let the ham get stuck in the past, because there is so much future
>>>to it. Code test drags down the hobby.

>> With that, your argument falls flat, for there are no code tests required
>> for the real estate you feel has the most value.
>> 73, Jeff KH6O

276. Re: W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cbm3vjtp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115138

OH my! Does he have to rejester in his community as a SEX OFFENDER? If this is true why is't there any mention of this crap until NOW? I mean with all the troble this loser has caused if this where true it would of been out a long time ago. I do know that he has been introuble with the Sheriff over CDS but I know nothing about being a sex offender. Megans law says that a convicted sex offender must rejester with the local police and this list must be made public. Is This SLIMEBALL LOSER on that list in Paulding county? Please stick to the facts about this SLIMMY peice of CRAP, they are bad enough. This guy is a loser, everyone knows it SO WHY MAKE UP LIES ABOUT THE BASTARD!
Covert62

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277. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cbmdskdf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115139

In article <8c8cq3mq1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> But, Dimmy, you'd have to evolve several eons BEFORE _you_ could
> approach anywhere near the idiot level.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>
Are you sure you have give this loser enough time to evolve? A one cell
animal has more brain capacity then DIMMY!
Covert62!

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278. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cbkc1$d85$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net> wrote:
>Jeff, you say that as if it's something anyone with zero experience with the
>FCC bureaucracy can do.

Go to www.fcc.gov/oet/faqs/elbfaqs.html -- that's the FCC's FAQ for their
Part 5 Experimental Radio Service.

Jeff KH6O

279. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cbqft$om1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115141

In article <00zF4.12611$64.438737@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
> I generally agree with you Doc, but, no this time. What is wrong with
> someone going HOME?
> If Cuba sends all of the kid's classmates here, are we morally obligated to
> keep them here too?
> Like him or not, Fidel is a genius at putting the US in situations that
> expose our hypocracy
> when it is based only upon emotions.
> Clinton is right to opt us out of his game. Nothing wrong with letting the
> kid go HOME.
> A father son-bond takes precedence over political/economic systems.
> KR4AJ
>
See ya later Elian !!! You belong with your father.
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8c5m9p$vi5$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> > Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to
> .313
> > and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag KT4TR telling everyone that
> little
> > Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba with his red herring poppa. Like
> > hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave that kid here! Wanna know why?
> Here's
> > some reasons. First of all, the kid's mother DIED bringing the child to
> > freedom? The U.S.A. is to let her die in vain? Since when doesn't this
> > country recognize the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression? Next,
> > how about the theologic angle? Consider this: that little boy can now go
> to
> > church. I assume he's a Roman Catholic as are 99.9% of Cubans and now he
> can
> > go to Mass without Fidel's sonofabitch red secret police watching who
> enters
> > and leaves churches. We call ourselves good Christians, good Jews etc. Are
> > we to therefore deny that God in his infinite wisdom had no purpose in
> > allowing that child to LIVE and live FREE while all the others on the raft
> > perished? Is there not a possibility that Elian was SENT HERE by the hand
> of
> > God almighty to mature in a free land and to later on pay back this
> country
> > with greatness in a certain field of endeavor? Think about it folks..you
> > think things happen by accident? Thirdly, since the Mariel boatlift was
> > encouraged and since we hardly ever send back illegal immigrants from the
> > Caribbean and Mexico, why then does the State Department have such a

> "thing"
> > for little Elian's return? Has Reno and Clinton lost their minds making
> such
> > an issue over a six year old kid? Why not let the kid decide? Who says
> he's
> > so close to daddy? Who says he can't stand his guardians in Miami and the
> > atmosphere and the toys and games and kids who are now his friends?
> Although
> > the Miami Cuban population has no right in threatening riots if Elian is
> > forced out of the U.S.A., they still have a good reason to be mad as hell
> > and so does every person in this nation who loves and respects liberty.
> > There's only one person who has gained from this travesty-lousy Castro
> which
> > is exactly what he seeks. You think he really cares about the welfare of
> > Elian's father or of Elian himself? All Fidel seeks is the same type of
> > embarrassment for the USA that we suffered when he stuffed some of his
> > Mariel boatlift vessels with criminals and dregs of society. By sending
> > that kid back we play right into the hands of the bearded one and we
> suffer
> > a black eye. Keep Elian here IF HE HIMSELF WANTS TO STAY, with or without
> > poppa. And if he stays, on April 15th take him to a VEC to make him an
> Extra
> > and we'll all be able to talk to him a day later.
> > AF2Y,Doc
> >
> >
> >

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280. Morse exercises No.17

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8cbta9eep1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 115142
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr17_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr17_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr17_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

281. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cap'n Crunch <kcfamily@tir.com>
Message-ID: <hUeG4.4035$UQ1.588984@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 115143
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Strabo wrote in message <38E91889.90BABC6D@flashmail.com>...
>I'm not arguing against guidelines in these matters but only how
>they're implemented. Your responses do point out one of the
>weaknesses of the system, while I suppose all States have passed
>laws against practicing medicine without a license, how would a
>malpractice suit be filed since technically only practitioners have
>licenses?

Good point... perhaps that was a poor analogy, but the unlicensed
practitioner would still be hauled into court... THAT's the point... and the
lack of a license would make for MORE charges not less.

>No, such licenses are there to protect the business side
>of medicine. Doctor-caused deaths and hospital-caused illnesses
>run around 1.5 million a year.

Medical licenses are no there to protect the BUSINESS.. they are required by
states as a means to protect the PATIENT... you must have the degree and
medical board certification to BE a doctor, the license allows you to WORK
as a doctor.

>The driver license senario is easier. Drive without a license and
>hit a pedestrian. Assuming that it was your fault then the pedestrian
>files the same charge as if you ran him over with a wagon or on
>a bicycle. If it wasn't your fault then you get charged with driving
>without a license.

...you lost me there... faulty logic. License or no the charges will be the
same and probably harsher for the unlicensed driver.

>I could have sworn that the FCC license agreement with amateurs
>stipulates that the FCC has a right to examine your station equipment
>as it wishes.

...Not in so many words.. it says only that "the authority granted (your
license privileges) is subject to the orders, rules, and regulations of the
FCC, the statutes of the US, and the provisions of any treaty to which the
US is a party, which are binding upon radio operators." The rules and regs
of the FCC DO stipulate that inspection is an FCC option, but it is NOT ONLY
for licensees... it is for any STATION licensed or not. Visit the FCC
website and READ this page... the url follows:
http://www.fcc.gov/eb/inspect.html

BE SURE TO READ THE VERY FIRST LINES... the FCC's authority and existence
was granted by and created by Congress.

>> >The public has no
>> >agreement with the FCC.

Oh no?..... go back to the above URL and reread.

282. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Strabo <strabo@flashmail.com>
Message-ID: <38E987A4.D894CC0A@flashmail.com>
Source record: 115144
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Phil Kane wrote:

<snipped>

> That's right....instead of a penalty for violating FCC Rules
> you would be hit with the same or greater penalty for operating
> without a license which is a OS Code violation.
>
> >> Administrstive proceedinhs ARE due process - one is given
> >> notice of the offense and the opportunity to respond and
> >> present evidence in his/her behalf as to why the proposed
> >> penalty should ne mitigated (reduced) oe cancelled. If you
> >> mean "court proceedings", the results of administrative
> >> proceedings can be appealed in the courts if the accused feels
> >> that the Administrative Law Judge did not follow the rules.
> >>
> >Due process is a component of common or Constitutional law
> >and is only concerned with criminal matters.
>
> Give that answer on a law school exam and lose 10 points......

I've no doubt of that. Administrative proceedings are the
rules of the agency for which they were written, obstensibly
following congressional desires.

Administrative proceedings use the rules written by the
agency for the agency to enforce the prohibitions and permissions
of the agency. Administrative processes are designed to take the
place of due process. Where is the jury? Where is the court?
It is not Constutional due process.

That is because administrative rules and regulations have nothing
to do with crimes against persons or property. The closest the
FCC comes to its congressional instruction is its original purpose
of regulating the airwaves for Interstate Commerce.

There may be some hams still around from the time when the federal
government decided to kick the operators off their preferred frequencies
and stuck them with higher bands that didn't work well with equipment
of the time. Did the do this to benefit the public? No, it was said
to be for commerce. Because a deal had been cut with RCA and
other lucrative contracts and Tesla was out of the way, the road
was paved for a rosy future. But first it was necessary to pacify
the public and force licensing in order to ensure control.

> >Administrative law is not law but regulation, and only has
> >merit when dealing with a signatory of that regulation. Thus
> >the license agreement. Without the license the regulations that
> >apply to amateurs may not apply to the general public.
>
> I don't know where you get that (actually I cnn make a good
> guess from your phrasing but do not consider it a source of
> accurate legal information or education).

I have the advantage of not being a lawyer.

>
> >> >All good reasons not to get a federal license in the first place. It
> >> >is the voluntary license that allows the assault on hearth and
> >> >home with the 'forfeiture' of equipment.
> >>
> >> More Misinformation.
> >>
> >> Unlicensed operators are subject to sesrch and seizure by court
> >> order (warrant) just as licensed operators are. In fact, the
> >> prima facie case necessary to secure the warrant(s) is a lot
> >> easier to make when the person is unlicensed.
> >
> >Well Phil, I'm sure you're proud to be a ham and involved in
> >such a serious way.
>
> I'm also proud to be an attorney who specializes in US and
> international communications enforcement and regulatory law and
> who has spent over 20 years teaching that subject. In fact I
> was one of the principal writers of the FCC's internal search
> and seizure and forfeiture guidelines and practice.
>
> How many years have YOU worked in and taught comm law?
>

None whatsoever.

I sensed a familiarity with the code from the way you toss about
'search and seizure and forfeiture'.

>
> >First, an unlicensed airwave transmitter
> >is not an operator in the technical sense. It may simply be a
> >short causing major interference on a ham or BC band.
>
> In a techical sense the "operator" is the person/agency
> responsible for putting the transmitter or other radiating
> device on the air or for keeping it off the air, as required.
>

So a peculiar short in a powerline that causes interference
an operator?

> >A warrant for what, to do what, to whom? Was someone killed?
> >A robbery perhaps? Search and seizure? Sounds pretty drastic.
>
> That's exactly what it is. A warrant from the US District
> Court directed to the US Marshal or to any authorized Federal
> law enforcement agent specifying the premises to be entered
> and searched and the property (if any) to be seized.
>
> The situation does not have to be criminal in nature - for
> instance a warrant is necessary (and I have had first hand
> experience with getting same) for the FCC to enter unattended
> or unoccupied private property in case of accidental or
> inadvertent transmission causing harmful interference (a
> legally defined term) to radio communications,

Understood. And is the legal basis of this is the Commerce clause?
That is, the interference with commerce across State lines? Or would
this drastic action be warranted because of security reasons?

Why not wait for the householder's return. Or call them or leave
a note. Sounds like imminent danger.

> >The only time the (American) public and its airwaves have been
> >subject to the type of control you suggest, was during WWI and
> >WWII and then under emergency war powers.
>
> Where are you getting this nonsense? (Same place as above, I
> suspect.)
>
> Go read the following sections of the Communications Act (Title
> 47, United States Code):
>
> 501 (criminal penalties for violation of radio law statutes),
> 502 (criminal penalties for violation of FCC regulations),
> 503 and 504 (administrative penalties and procedure for violation
> of either statutes or regulations)
> 510 (standards and procedures for seizure and forfeiture of equipment).
>
> These statutes are in effect at all times, At no time is there
> any exemption for persons who hold or do not hold licenses.

These were in effect in 1940? Special legislation was put in place
for both wars that dealt with the general public.

I'm not suggesting that there is an 'exemption'. I said, in so many words,
that amateurs are held to a different standard, that they are expected to
know what is permissible as that is in part the purpose of a license.

There is no exemption unless there is a presumption of ownership.
And the presumption on the part of the FCC is that some part of
the federal government owns the electromagnetic radiation spectrum
and then makes 'exemptions' where there is no license.

>Your license however does specify that you, the licenseholder, will

> >allow them entry to your station whenever they want and to 'search
> >and seize'. That's your agreement with them.
>
> As you have been told by others, there is bo such thing.
>
> There is a whole set of FCC Rules which obligate persons to
> make radio equipment available for inspection "at any reasonable
> hour", which has been defined to include any time the station
> is in operation or shortly thereafter.

What persons? All persons? Then these are rulings and not law.
This set of FCC rules sounds like the ones I alluded to. Obviously
they cannot apply to those who have no such equipment so they
must apply to those the FCC knows has this equipment, the
license holders.

>
> >The public has no agreement with the FCC.
>
> FCC Rules apply to all persons, licensed or not, and the
> sections of the Act cited above make non-licensed persons just
> as liable to penalties as licensed persons.
>
>

So the FCC can obtain a warrant and enter any persons household
and search and seize and forfeit whenever it thinks it is warranted.

> >You get nothing in return as the airwaves are public anyway and cannot
> >be verboden.
>
> "Airwaves are public" ? Urban myth.
>
> >The reason for the license is to allow easy control of those airwaves
> >by the government.
>
> "Easy control ... by the government" ? Another urban myth.
>
> You're loaded with 'em.
>
> >Most hams agree that this is a good thing. I agree that control is
> >necessary but that the FCC is not the best way to do it.
>
> It sure beats any other alternative.....
>
> >Some of you guys are real hot on 'law and order' but you must realize
> >that there is a big difference between a crime against a person (the
> >only real crime)
>
> Most qualified legal experts will disagree with THIS urban myth.
>

Qualified legal experts are precisely why the US is in such a
precarious position. Most citizens by far care little and know less
about interfering with radio waves. Like a busy intersection
without a stoplight, drivers learn to cooperate thus allowing
the traffic to flow. I've seen this many times before stoplights
were put in place, sometimes causing problems. This because
a programmed stoplight cannot adapt to un programmed
conditions. Such is the case with the massive body of law
and regulation. It develops and encourages dependency and
is not capable of adapting to conditions making justice a
theosphical theory and efficiency impossible.

What has happened to CB radio since the first days of licensing?
It got raucous and nasty, quieted down and emerges years later
as a workable system to the point where self-assigned numbers
and names serve as identifiers. A crude example since the frequency
is not very good for distance or local, the general public was never
involved and the only knowledgable people, the hams, never
invested their expertise to educate the CB users. But like the
intersection example, solutions do emerge without the need for
heavy handed law.

> >and a regulation that is designed as a management tool for the public
> >good.
>
> Smoke and mirrors.....go and learn.....
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

283. Re: ICOM ad says it all (a piece of cake) Facts Just In!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sej52fuqeop86@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yes, licensing is a piece of cake now (i.e. dumbed down).
Just got the following e-mail from Bart Jahnke at the
ARRL VEC for proof. It appears that a stream of idiots
scrambling for the new "No Brain Required"
licenses have back-logged the ARRL. I thought
restructuring was to move ham radio forward, but it won't
be these hams that do it because they're to lazy to accomplish anything.
Restructuring puts the word 'amateur' back in 'amateur radio'. You can bet
these "Give me something for nothing" hams are gonna move
ham radio forward. Yeah Right!

At 04:28 PM 4/1/00 -0500, Jahnke, Bart, W9JJ <bjahnke@arrl.org> wrote:
>Dear VE:
>
>Here are a few items of interest to you all.
>
>FCC processing
>
>Turnaround time is about 3 weeks, with the main delay on our end. You all
>are so busy, our queue is full. We will keep hammering away at it, but
>it'll probably be early May before things settle back.
>
>FCC has had two notable license grant problems in the past few weeks--and
>they appear related to each other. A couple weeks back, FCC renewal
>processing would fail to renew a license if the request included some other
>change, such as in an address change. Call it a modifications problem, if
>you will. This past week, several hundred applications with (you guessed
>it) modifications were messed up. Most seemed to be new licenses granted for
>upgrades, but the license class did not change. FCC says they have renew
>the renewal/mods and are rerunning this weekend the upgrade applications
>that they messed up.
>
>VE Express Newsletter can be found on the ARRLWeb in Adobe PDF format at
>http://www.ARRL.ORG/arrlvec/ then see the March 27, 2000 announcement item.
>A version is in route by mail as well to all ARRL VEs. The on-line
>newsletter contains 10-pages of forms. We are also mailing these forms to
>Field Stocked, Software supplied and April 15th or later Test Date
>registered VEs. Note one error that got by on. At the top right of the new
>Candidate Roster, the grandfather Tech credit date should read "3/21/87" and
>not 3/14/87.
>
>The mass of new test supplies are being mailed April 4th and 5th to the
>above mentioned teams. Field Stocked packets alone are going to a total of

>865 Field Stocked team liaisons.
>
>The Software update will follow for a April 7th mailing to 2500 users and an
>ARRL/VEC web page link will be available to download the software, if you
>already have ExamWin as supplied by ARRL VEC at an earlier date.
>
>Sheer phone and email traffic have delayed the VE Manual update progress
>somewhat. We expect to send the finished manuscript to the printer April
>11th. The printer will mail the update to you all about April 27th direct
>from the printer's bindery. All 25,000 current ARRL VEs will receive the
>updated 8th edition manual at that time.
>
>Speaking of phones and email, the "vec@arrl.org" queue is filling faster
>that we have been able to keep up--hundreds of emails per day. The phones
>are busy too--often half or more of our 7 phones are busy during the day at
>the same time. To help us, suggest that your examinees wait three weeks
>before checking for new license info--at least for now. In this way, we can
>keep our lines open to help you, our VEs! There's no good answer regarding
>the emails--we will just keep chipping away at it (another reason that I and
>many of your VEC staff are working weekends as well). Please excuse us if
>our acknowledgements or replies seem later than you'd expect.
>
>If you tried to reach us Friday March 31st but encountered phone problems,
>that was on our end. We did a phone system upgrade on Friday, and the phone
>company started their processes a bit too soon. In any event, bear with us
>early next week as we sort out the bugs--and learn how they work. The
>handset still appears to work the same as before (with an ear and
>mouthpiece) so we seem to be off to a good start. :-)
>
>If you have any pressing needs, call us at 800-927-7583.
>
>73,
>
>Bart J. Jahnke, W9JJ
>Manager
>ARRL VEC
>
>vec@arrl.org
>
>
>

284. Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sej69tg3eop156@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Code haters say that CW is out dated and digital is all that matters in order for ham radio to move forward, but you code haters are a pack of fools and lack the ambition to move ham radio forward and accomplish something. The only people moving amateur radio forward are the satellite operators/builders and AMSAT. Amsat is light years ahead in digital. The ARRL and everyone else have their heads up their ass scheming ways to rake in more money. In 1987 the no-code tech was created for those who wanted to go digital. We were told it would be good for the hobby to have a codeless license. Well if digital is so important then why aren't the no-codes and *everyone* else using it? Fewer hams use digital modes than CW. Hams aren't using digital either because they're too lazy, or too stupid. Laziness and stupidity justify Restructuring. By refusing to learn and use something, you limit yourself. So how can ham radio move forward if we limit our selves? It can't move forward, it can only move backward toward CB. And that's what we're getting after April 15th, more CB! Most of you were talking on channel-19 in 1987 so you don't know how good the operators on the ham bands were back then. The bands got worse in the years after 1987. You'll get alot more enjoyment from ham radio knowing and using CW than you can without it. So don't talk any bullshit about how digital is the savior of ham radio when most of you sorry asses aren't using it and not even planning to. Just go back to rec.radio.cb where you came from and bullshit those people some more.

kb7adl

285. Re: Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cchtghda1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115147

In article <f5hies8i3c8emi0au0lss3kkqai82jgjsb@4ax.com>,
John <UglyJohn@mindspring.comNOSPAM> wrote:
> Ok, who is he?
> The FCC has located the station of bootlegger "Captain Truth" now what happens is the letter must reach the Captain, then the Raine report (and arrl) will disclose the name of this infamous jammer. The ham bands will be safer thanks to the efforts of our beloved FCC enforcement team headed by Mr, (king) Hollingsworth.

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286. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EA005A.9F5F3085@ahole.com>
Source record: 115148
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Strabo wrote:
>
> Cap'n Crunch wrote:
> The driver license senario is easier. Drive without a license and
> hit a pedestrian. Assuming that it was your fault then the pedestrian
> files the same charge as if you ran him over with a wagon or on
> a bicycle. If it wasn't your fault then you get charged with driving
> without a license. Remember, all of the traffic laws are municipal
> or county regulations from the corporate city or county.

No no no. As a police officer the laws for traffic are 'state'
laws, not municipal or county. These agencies enforce the traffic
laws that are in the STATE TRAFFIC CODE. Also your license is
property of the state since the state is the one that gives you the
right to drive.

>If you do
> not have a license then you are not charged with those. You will
> be charged for any personal or property damages incurred by
> your actions.
>
> > >Your license however does specify that you, the licenseholder, will
> > >allow them entry to your station whenever they want and to 'search
> > >and seize'. That's your agreement with them.
> >
> > .... I hold several Commercial licenses as well as a Ham license.. NOWHERE
> > on the license or the application does it state the above....
> >
>
> I could have sworn that the FCC license agreement with amateurs
> stipulates that the FCC has a right to examine your station equipment
> as it wishes.
>
> > >The public has no
> > >agreement with the FCC. You get nothing in return as the airwaves
> > >are public anyway and cannot be verboden.
> >
> > ...Old argument... if airwaves are 'everyman's right' and 'publicly' held,
> > then what pretense do you base land or water rights/ownership on?
>
> Again, I'll be the last one to argue against the need to manage
> airwaves etc.

287. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EA00BF.D8FBEE0F@ahole.com>
Source record: 115149

When are you going to start wind bag....

w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Dan Dan Dan:
>
> What purpose would it serve to drag up old bones such as you are trying
> to extract from a long ago scrap heap?
>
> The only thing that matters is this is a new day. There should be no
> more qrming by anyone. Your penchant for extracting "confessions" from
> people involved serves no useful purpose.
>
> Forget about what has happened and worry about the condition the
> amateur bands are in today.
>
> Why don't you forget the past and try to make amateur radio a good
> clean hobby again. Are perhaps by chance, it would be turning your
> back on your qrming friends that think differently.
>
> There will be no "confessions" from me Dan . Just the promise that I
> will do everything in my power to clean up amateur radio back to a
> delightful hobby. I have been doing this for some time.
>
> Think about it.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952 working for the cleaning up of amateur radio!!
>
> In article <8cb2qp$v37$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8capd8$k4q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > Dan:
> > >
> > > This is indeed the one, the only, W4FQF, Friend Of Billy Jack
> W4LLI,.
> > I
> > > remember you were in there qrming me at that time. Don't be so quick
> > to
> > > come in here and accuse others.
> > > Your past is not a shining example of what a ham radio operator
> should

> > > do. But that is in the past, you have cleaned up your act for the
> most
> > > part, but still under the influence of the evil one.. We need to get
> > > the troublesome people out of amateur radio.
> > >
> > > Mr Hollingsworth is doing a wonderful job in doing just that. And he
> > > has the help of a dedicated group of amateurs working for him.
> > >
> > > Why carp and complain when a rulebreaker is brought to justice?
> > > Everyone should forget the past and try to make amateur radio a
> > > enjoyable hobby again.
> > >
> > > W4FQF, Since 1952 Standing for good amateur practices
> > >
> > > In article <8canrsiea1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > > Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > > In article <8calb3fdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > > > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > Your memory is playing tricks on you my good man. In reality
> what
> > > you
> > > > > heard was two stations on the air with legal calls, identified,
> > very
> > > > > much within their rights under part 97, attempting to have
> amateur
> > > > > radio communications under a bombardment from a now defunct
> > amateur
> > > > and
> > > > > his minions in S. C. and other places maybe even from your QTH.
> > > > >
> > > > > In the process chafing your feelings no end by being successful.
> > In
> > > > > the meantime your qrming heros are all getting caught and
> getting
> > > the
> > > > > heave ho from our wonderful hobby.
> > > > >
> > > > > I am happy, if you are not happy. get over it.
> > > > >
> > > > > W4FQF Since 1952
> > > > >
> > > > > In article <8cagfd$9dn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > > > > Wm (Ohara Sensei) <ka9dhz@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > > > >
> > > > > >
> > > > > > True and good to see him nailed.But somehow
> > > > > > from my mis guided traveling brother it sounds strange.
> > > > > >

> > > > > > I remember hearing for years,two hams from the memphis area a
> > few
> > > > > > miles apart
> > > > > > > with massive signals acting as if the frequency was not in use
> > and
> > > > > > talking
> > > > > > > over ongoing qsos
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > Remember to treat other on the level and be square with them.
> > > > > > >
> > > > > > > What we plant we reap.
> > > > > > >
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> > > > > >
> > > > > > Item one: The guy signing W4FQF IS NOT W4FQF. It is coming from
> Cary
> > > > > N.C. FQF is in the Memphis area.
> > > > >
> > > > > Item two: W4FQF, W4LLI, WA4KBX and others were indeed jamming on
> > 3.901
> > > > > at the behest of K4OKA. That is the facts...period.
> > > > >
> > > > > Now since you are NOT W4FQF I'd recommend you keep your mouth shut
> > > liar.
> > > > >
> > > > > Dan/W4NTI
> > > > >
> > > > > --
> > > > > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> > > > >
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> > > > >
> > > >
> > > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> > > >
> > > You claim you are indeed the real one and only W4FQF? Then explain to
> > me your hypocrisy of acting hollier than thou on 14.313 and staying
> > clear of 3.901? You claim to be pure as the wind driven snow Polly.
> > Bullshit.
> >
> > I at least have the balls and morals to admit my wrong doing. I have
> > done so on the air on many occassions and right here in print on this
> > newsgroup.

> >
> > So get off your high horse before someone knocks you off it.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
> >
> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> >
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288. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38E9ED3A.727E529@IEEE.org>
Source record: 115150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
> Hams aren't using digital either because they're too lazy,
> or too stupid.

Speak for yourself, Vincent. I rarely use anything except
digital anymore. PACTOR II is a dream come true. It will
maintain copy when I can't even hear the signal.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

289. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1918d8a0.44905459@usw-ex0105-038.remarq.com>
Source record: 115151

Had Elian's mother survived, she should have been charged
with reckless endangerment of a child. I've seen some full
of shit postings, but yours merits special attention.
Notice too how the fed are tip-toeing around the Cubans.
The Branch Davidian kids might still all be alive today
if the fed had exhibited similar sensitivities.

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290. Re: Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cct51$tl8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115152

In article <8cchtghda1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <f5hies8i3c8emi0au0lss3kkqai82jgjsb@4ax.com>,
> John <UglyJohn@mindspring.comNOSPAM> wrote:
> > Ok, who is he?
> > The FCC has located the station of bootlegger "Captain Truth" now
> what happens is the letter must reach the Captain, then the Raine
> report (and arrl) will disclose the name of this infamous jammer. The
> ham bands will be safer thanks to the efforts of our beloved FCC
> enforcement team headed by Mr, (king) Hollingsworth.

Yeah, only if he gets rid of a certain operator in Barre, VT.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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291. ELECT MR. HOLLUNGSWORTH AS PRESIDENT ~ !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000404100355.01047.00000002@ng-cm1.aol.com>
Source record: 115153

Maybe he could clean up the White House and bring some self respect to that screwed up branch of the government!!! What better choice do we have.

But then again we would lose the best enforcement official we have ever had at the FCC.

Just a thought!
73's
W0CBF

292. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000404100655.22701.00002686@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 115154

In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>, rfcommsys@aol.com (RFCOMMSYS) writes:

>What happened to 14.313 and 3.950? These freqs used to be in heavy use almost >continuously (14.313 in the day and 3.950 at night), with all sorts of >interesting "entertainment". Now both freqs are like a ghost town.

Simple. Riley ran 'em off the ham bands, so they all got computers and Internet connections. You can find most of the problem operators right here in this newsgroup, continuing their daily libel and defamation campaigns against each other. Same trash, different medium. Instead of a mic, they now use a mouse.

293. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38E9F77B.645D64E1@nashville.com>
Source record: 115155

W6RCecilA wrote:
> I rarely use anything except
> digital anymore. PACTOR II is a dream come true. It will
> maintain copy when I can't even hear the signal.

Do you ever miss the human touch of communicating with something other
than a machine??

- Jon NU4JJ

294. Re: ELECT MR. HOLLUNGSWORTH AS PRESIDENT ~ !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000404105305.14369.00002066@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 115156

>Maybe he could clean up the White House and bring some self respect to that
>screwed up branch of the government!!! What better choice do we have.
>

His name is Hollingsworth not Hollungsworth.
He's nothing more than a dictator who sits in his high and mighty orafice
and tells people what they can and cannot say.
We don't need dictators as presidents.
His unwillingness to take final action with the likes of seveal of the most
notorious jammers on 14.313 and 3.950 is proof to me that this guy has a
political agenda. How many warnings is this guy going to give out to 2Y, ART,
KJI and the rest of the nutcases who support the Clintonistas.
I remember his saying..."There is no free speech in amature radio."
Nonsense. In America there is no one who can say there is no free speech. See
the First amendment to the CONSTITUTION.

He is an appointee of and appointee of the Clinton administration. He is
tainted with the scandalls by association.
Remember. The FCC was involved in illegal jamming of a ham radio station
at WACO. The FCC presided over the selling off of some of the ham spectrum.
Hollingworth was reported to be invovled in that scam.
The situation the we now have in ham radio should have never happend. But
it did due to the inaction by the FCC. The FCC is responsible for allowing the
situation to get out of hand.

Hollingsworth as President?
How about NO, never.
We've had enough lawyers in the White house. Screw the lawyers who continually
screw the American people

295. Re: W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cd1kf$2sp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115157

In article <71WMWNUA36620.1191087963@anonymous.poster>,
Widow@wol.be (Anonymous remailer) wrote:

> W4AMP is a child raping moron!

This is an insult to all other child raping morons.

LRod

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296. Re: Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000404111451.14369.00002075@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 115158

Yeah and there's a new movie out with a guy who goes 30 years into the future with a ham radio. It's called Stabbed in the Back To The Future.
He gets on the air and is hit with a massive fine for transmitting on government owned frequencies 14.313 and 3950. He realizes that the Government is out of control and has taken over the lives of everyone.
He is then attacked by a senile old FCC enforcer named Riley Hollingworth and his new wife Janet Reno..
Jack booted FCC thugs armed with laser weapons attack annd destroy the QTH of this poor guy. All in the name of making the airwaves secure for the owners of the airwaves.
The Movie Stars Mel Gibson as William Wallace, a patriot who sees the danger of government run amuck and Kelsey Grammer as Riley Hollingworth the evil but somewhat comical enforcer who unevenly enforces the dreaded radio laws.
Special guest apperance by Charleston Heston who is trapped in this time warp and says to Janet Reno----"Get you hand off me you damned Dirty Ape!. ".

297. Re: Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cd4be$68d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115159

In article <8c7lev$fc6$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> In article <8c6iku$5tn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Curt Phillips W4CP
> <cphillips@engineer.com> wrote:
> > In case you missed the mention in the ARRL Letter or QST:
> >
> > Title: Frequency
> >
> > A young man discovers that his ham radio set can reach 30 years into
> > the past - to communicate with his father, a firefighter who died
in an
> > accident. The man desperately tries to find a way to change history
and
> > save his father's life.
> >
> > Stars: Dennis Quaid
> >
> > Release Date: April 28th, 2000
> >
> > Sneak Preview: Saturday, April 15th, 2000.
> >
> > MPAA Rating: PG-13
> > FROM THE ARRL LETTER:
> > Ham moviegoers report seeing previews for the new movie Frequency,
> > starring Dennis Quaid and directed by Gregory Hoblit, that's set
for an
> > April release. The ARRL was consulted in the interests of accuracy
and
> > came up with an unused W2 call sign for the movie's protagonist to
use.
> > The movie also recently got a plug on Entertainment Tonight
>
> Sounds great. Did you say the sneak preview's on April 15th?
Wonderful. On
> the way home, everyone will drop in to their friendly VECs and walk
out an
> Extra. Then they can drive over to the closest truckstop and pick up
a brand
> new shiny Kenwood transceiver and start asking for "radio checks."
which
> will put even more emphasis into what a great movie it was.
> AF2Y
>
> Or they can tune YOU in, Doc. Just listening to you will give them a

good idea of how a ham conducts himself. I know what your thinking
Doc, but I didnt get TWO warnings for interference. You have done
alot to destroy our hobby with your antics. I can say that it is a
good thing you cant go to a ham fest because they would carry you out.
>

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298. Re: Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cd4i9$6be$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115160

In article <8cct51$tl8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8cchtghda1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > In article <f5hies8i3c8emi0au0lss3kkqai82jgjsb@4ax.com>,
> > John <UglyJohn@mindspring.comNOSPAM> wrote:
> > > Ok, who is he?
> > > The FCC has located the station of bootlegger "Captain Truth" now
> > what happens is the letter must reach the Captain, then the Raine
> > report (and arrl) will disclose the name of this infamous jammer.
The
> > ham bands will be safer thanks to the efforts of our beloved FCC
> > enforcement team headed by Mr, (king) Hollingsworth.
>
> Yeah, only if he gets rid of a certain operator in Barre, VT.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
> Dont worry about me Roger. It is a good thing you have shitty
equipment or you would be in that report too.

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299. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cd4ur$6u8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115161

In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
rfcommsys@aol.com (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:
> What happened to 14.313 and 3.950? These freqs used to be in heavy
use almost
> continuously (14.313 in the day and 3.950 at night), with all sorts of
> interesting "entertainment". Now both freqs are like a ghost town.
All I hear
> on 313 are a few weak stations from time to time, and 3.950 is
completely dead
> for hours at a time except for WA9KJI and his friendlies who show up
in the
> early evening. What happened to the Liberty Net guys during the week?
(Yes, I
> know that the LIberty Net still meets on Saturday, but I used to
enjoy all the
> political-type discussions that took place on weeknights). Hearing
WA9KJI bitch
> and moan about the Liberty Net folks every time he gets on the air is
getting
> boring fast, especially since they have apparently abandoned 3.950
except for
> Saturday.
>

I agree with you sir. I also miss the "old days" on those
frequencies. Today we are under the cloak of a person who wants all
the bands to sound like the intercon net--Dull stupid and totally
boring. What we need to do is pray the FCC will promote this man out
of our hair so we can hve SOME FUN!!
> Dammit, I demand my entertainment to

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300. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cd7micvm1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote in message
news:sej69tg3eop156@corp.supernews.com...
Just go back to rec.radio.cb where you came from and
> bullshit those people some more.

No.

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

301. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8cd8nphhn1@ssauraaa-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 115163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" <vlfiscus@mcn.net> went on a illucid tirade in msg news:sej69tg3eop156@corp.supernews.com...
> Code haters say that CW is out dated and digital is all that matters in order
> for ham radio to move forward, but you code haters are a pack of fools and
> lack the ambition to move ham radio forward and accomplish something. ...

Narrowminded Grandpa Vince (troll) can only react as typically happens in situations like this, he feels threatened, feels that he is losing something, and has to defend since he lacks the intelligence and self-awareness to see alternatives. Human nature is pretty consistent, we hate change and fight anything new or different, from wanting to hang onto the "world is flat" theory, to having organizations like the KKK to "protect" our racial purity from "infiltration". His mindless ramblings are just another form of "there goes the neighborhood, undesirables are moving in", or "the sky is falling". The more we evolve past the blind pre-programmed, inherited behavior of humans as animals, the more we can move forward and see other options.

As an Extra, I would like to have some distinction between an Extra that had to earn his stripes under more stringent requirements and the new Extra "Lite". However, I see the dropping of CW as a positive thing to allow others to use modes that the majority uses anyway and that they are restricted completely from now. I also realize that my wanting to have something like an "Extra Plus" is also purely a human frailty, I want the recognition.

Once again, I offer this for entertainment...

Once again, prevailing thought has called upon the canned HAM to respond. In light of the recent FCC testing requirements changes, those self appointed to protect our rights have used the airwave soapbox to decry the injustice of it all. A recent satirical "test" was passed around, but the CannedHam used his ample snout to root out the "real" test and found this ripe truffle. He presents it here for your pleasure:

Fred
N4IXL

FCC EXTRA CLASS LICENSE EXAM

1. A change long lobbied for is announced by the FCC, do you:

a. complain miserably on every band for which you have access
b. stock supplies in preparation for the obvious end of the world
c. make sure everyone knows how hard things were when you first became a ham
d. all of the above

2. Proper testing procedure should include:

a. the ability to solve a triple integral equations and Fourier transforms
b. the design and construction of an entire HF rig using tubes
c. the ability to send 30wpm cw using a foot paddle while standing on your head
d. all of the above

3. The FCC moves to another letter in sequence denoting new hams, you must:

a. Listen for the new calls and let them know how long you have been a ham and that you are a higher class
b. Coordinate with your buddies to not respond to these "appliance operators"
c. Make sure to "educate" all the new calls as to the proper procedures of being a HAM according to you
d. all of the above

4. When you received your license it also gave you which rights?

a. omnipotence: your opinion is always right and there is no room for other, obviously wrong, views
b. your fringe interest such as QRP, CW, ATV, APRS, etc. must be imposed on others
c. to post and say controversial or extreme views and expect no dissention or debate
d. all of the above

5. HAM radio should always maintain the same set of rules since Marconi because:

a. You had to do it, so should everybody else
b. We wouldn't want to ruin the neighborhood by letting all those lazy CB rejects into the hobby
c. You can't possibly be a good HAM radio operator without an EE degree and 20wpm code skills
d. all of the above

6. A good way to assert you opinion is to:

a. say and write vile right wing diatribes but laugh or put a smiley on it and say is is a "joke"
b. hang out only in groups of people who believe as you do to reinforce your opinions
c. let everyone know that it is not an opinion, but rather a fact and only an idiot couldn't see that
d. all of the above

7. The HAM radio motto is:

a. intolerance, self-righteousness, arrogance
b. exclusion, close-mindedness, bitterness
c. conservatism, the Klan, the NRA
d. Veni, Vidi, Vinci

8. The recent "proposal for change" in rulemaking has asked for the following:

a. reciting 500 memorized stories, chants, and formulas in a dark, candle lit room to 12 hooded elders
b. electric shock therapy for any question missed regarding Q signals or pro-signs
c. skills test showing the ability to solder 50 surface mount components in 5 minutes
d. proficiency in setting up a remote mountain top station using magnet wire, chewing gum and burlap

9. The proper way to maintain your skills as a HAM are:

a. troll newsgroups and nets to learn clever catch phrases like "appliance operator" and "codeless tech"
b. get on 2m repeaters and use Q signals like "QTH" and "QSL", and terms like "ROGER" and "OVER"
c. put down others so that you can appear to be above them without actually having to elevate yourself
d. all of the above

10. When you first became a HAM radio operator

a. You aced all exams without a missed question, could send 30wpm CW, and built all of your own equipment
b. You had to walk 20 miles in a blizzard, at night, with a broken leg to take your tests at the FCC office
c. You didn't have to worry about those damn parasites that didn't have to pass a code test
d. Marconi was still a Novice

The "Canned" HAM

302. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdbj0ejf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115164

In article <8cb9rb$6j8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> Dan Dan Dan:
>
> What purpose would it serve to drag up old bones such as you are
trying
> to extract from a long ago scrap heap?
>
> The only thing that matters is this is a new day. There should be no
> more qrming by anyone. Your penchant for extracting "confessions" from
> people involved serves no useful purpose.
>
> Forget about what has happened and worry about the condition the
> amateur bands are in today.
>
> Why don't you forget the past and try to make amateur radio a good
> clean hobby again. Are perhaps by chance, it would be turning your
> back on your qrming friends that think differently.
>
> There will be no "confessions" from me Dan . Just the promise that I
> will do everything in my power to clean up amateur radio back to a
> delightful hobby. I have been doing this for some time.
>
> Think about it.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952 working for the cleaning up of amateur radio!!
>
You are the one that brought this up in the first place. So get that
straight. And as long as YOU or ANYONE puts out a blatent LIE then I
shall certainly stand up and be counted.

If you don't this stuff brought up, then don't bring it up. If you
don't want countered, then tell the TRUTH.

Dan/W4NTI

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303. Anyone remember KB6IO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <2121d@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <X5qG4.44753$QJ3.4138142@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 115165

Anyone remember KB6IO, Milton F Brewster III??
His last recorded entry in a callbook was 1993.

He is still on the NGs but is a little extreme, skewed
towards the left-wing.

I am just curious why anyone would drop a license,
especially an Advanced license. There is no record
of him currently being licensed that I can find.

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****
In two days, tomorrow will
be yesterday!
****

304. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38EA2DC7.4FB9DF8D@nashville.com>
Source record: 115166

Fred wrote:
>
> As an Extra, I would like to have some distinction between an Extra that had
> to earn his stripes under more stringent requirements and the new Extra
> "Lite".

How would you suggest this?? Trumpets in the background when you call
CQ??

305. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38EA2150.3A3C95F6@oio.net>
Source record: 115167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

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Vincent,
Lighten up a bit Vince. It isn't the 'end of the world'
yet. I do agree in so much as I 'hate' to see things "dumbed-
down", but that doesn't necessarily mean that code speed has
to be the deciding factor.
'Doc
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306. Re: TS-850 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38EA2250.812BAC84@oio.net>
Source record: 115168

Mike,
There seems to be only two mods that are'half-way'
worth doing. 'Opening up' the xmt coverage, and
increasing boradcast band sensitivity. Not really
sure either are worth while.
Try 'QRZ', they have 'mods' for most radios.
'Doc

307. Re: A wealth of info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38EA232C.4F389FAF@oio.net>
Source record: 115169

Mom_of6,
Please tell me what this has to do with 'radio'.
I'm sure all this means something to you, but I'm not
sure what it has to do with what this NG is about. Did
he ever broadcast on radio? Was he a 'ham'? Or is
this just more 'off-topic' spam?
'Doc

308. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdd65$gi6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115170

In article <8cd4ur$6u8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> rfcommsys@aol.com (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:
> > What happened to 14.313 and 3.950? These freqs used to be in heavy
> use almost
> > continuously (14.313 in the day and 3.950 at night), with all sorts
of
> > interesting "entertainment". Now both freqs are like a ghost town.
> All I hear
> > on 313 are a few weak stations from time to time, and 3.950 is
> completely dead
> > for hours at a time except for WA9KJI and his friendlies who show up
> in the
> > early evening. What happened to the Liberty Net guys during the
week?
> (Yes, I
> > know that the LIberty Net still meets on Saturday, but I used to
> enjoy all the
> > political-type discussions that took place on weeknights). Hearing
> WA9KJI bitch
> > and moan about the Liberty Net folks every time he gets on the air
is
> getting
> > boring fast, especially since they have apparently abandoned 3.950
> except for
> > Saturday.
> >
>
> I agree with you sir. I also miss the "old days" on those
> frequencies. Today we are under the cloak of a person who wants all
> the bands to sound like the intercon net--Dull stupid and totally
> boring. What we need to do is pray the FCC will promote this man out
> of our hair so we can hve SOME FUN!!
> > Dammit, I demand my entertainment to
>
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>
Translation; David Tolassi said " I also miss the "old days" where I
could be a Lt. in BARF again, where I could jam the "Texas traders
net", where I could play sound bites from my digital recorder, where I
could badmouth Intercon and assist my buddies in harrassing them. etc.
etc".

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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309. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38EA2412.1E0C9851@oio.net>
Source record: 115171

RFCOMMSYS,
If you had said 'abuse' instead of 'use', I might
have read the rest of your message. If you must be
entertained, please satisfy that 'urge'. But, please
do so somewhere that is designed for that type of
trash, okay?
'Doc

310. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <O3EGrMmn$GA.361@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 115172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote
>The bands got worse in the years after 1987.

I have numerous quotes from my 1930's magazines on how ham radio was getting worse and worse and was going to die. The more things change...

>You'll get alot more enjoyment from ham radio knowing and
>using CW than you can without it.

A simple solution Vince. Simply use only CW. A number of ops are doing that these days. Those awful new codeless hams won't be able to bother you... (Unless you keep hanging around these newsgroups. But heck, that's what makes the place fun. And that's why you stay here isn't it. Cmon, admit it...)

311. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8cdedusvr1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 115173
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

jonesgil@usa.net writes:

>>Because they don't take directional fixes.

>Don't you really mean - because they "do" take
>a directional fix... After all - without a direction
>component - you can not resolve a direction.
>Since a direction IS resolved from the satellite
>then - ergo - there must be a direction component.
>And with two direction components - you have
>a fix. Simple idea - Simple math - simple system -

But it's not how the ELT location system works.

Ultimately, you're trying to establish a *position* for the transmitter.

You can do this by taking angular bearings from several locations, and
then see where the bearing lines cross. That's how much land-based
radio direction finding works.

You can find a position by measuring absolute distance from a set of
ground stations using the time it takes radio signals to propagate
from one to the other. Once you know the distance from each ground
station to the target, you can draw a circle of that radius around
the location of each station and see where the circles intersect.
Simple in principle, but requires precise time sync between transmitter
and receiver.

In practice, this is actually done by measuring the *difference* in
time of arrival, not absolute time of arrival, of radio signals.
For any two fixed stations, a third station that sees a given time
offset between signals from those two stations must be somewhere on
a hyperbola of constant time offset. Use 3 or more stations in
pairs, and you get 2 or 3 of these lines, and the intersection tells
you where the unknown station is. This is how LORAN works, and GPS
is very similar.

But the ELT-finding system uses non of these methods. It uses the
moving satellite and a ground receiver to measure Doppler shift of
the ELT transmitter. For a given instant in time, the locations on
the ground that can have a particular Doppler shift as seen by
the satellite forms a particular line along the ground. But as the
satellite moves, the Doppler shift changes, and the shape of the
line on the ground with that particular Doppler shift also moves.
There will be only one point on the ground that gives the *particular*
pattern of change in Doppler shift seen from one or two continuous

satellite passes.

So the system can establish a position on the ground, without ever having the ability to take a directional fix at any instant in time. In fact, the satellite doesn't even have any measuring equipment on it - all it does is receive the signal at one frequency, translate it to another frequency and retransmit it. All the measuring electronics and computation hardware is on the ground.

Dave

312. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004041944160.132-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 115174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The "No-Code" Technician Class was implemented in 1991, not 1987.

On Tue, 4 Apr 2000, Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
> Code haters say that CW is out dated and digital is all that matters in order
> for ham radio to move forward, but you code haters are a pack of fools and
> lack the ambition to move ham radio forward and accomplish something. The only
> people moving amateur radio forward are the satellite operators/builders and
> AMSAT. Amsat is light years ahead in digital. The ARRL and everyone else have
> their heads up their ass scheming ways to rake in more money. In 1987 the
> no-code tech was created for those who wanted to go digital. We were told it
> would be good for the hobby to have a codeless license. Well if digital is so
> important then why aren't the no-codes and *everyone* else using it? Fewer
> hams use digital modes than CW. Hams aren't using digital either because
> they're too lazy, or too stupid. Laziness and stupidity justify Restructuring.
> By refusing to learn and use something, you limit yourself. So how can ham
> radio move forward if we limit our selves? It can't move forward, it can only
> move backward toward CB. And that's what we're getting after April 15th, more
> CB! Most of you were talking on channel-19 in 1987 so you don't know how good
> the operators on the ham bands were back then. The bands got worse in the
> years after 1987. You'll get alot more enjoyment from ham radio knowing and
> using CW than you can without it. So don't talk any bullshit about how digital
> is the savior of ham radio when most of you sorry asses aren't using it and
> not even planning to. Just go back to rec.radio.cb where you came from and
> bullshit those people some more.

313. Re: Anyone remember KB6IO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004041952050.132-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 115175

On Tue, 4 Apr 2000, N9NWO wrote:
> Anyone remember KB6IO, Milton F Brewster III??
> His last recorded entry in a callbook was 1993.
>
> He is still on the NGs but is a little extreme, skewed
> towards the left-wing.
>
> I am just curious why anyone would drop a license,
> especially an Advanced license. There is no record
> of him currently being licensed that I can find.

If he's in a 1993 callbook, but not after, and since his license didn't expire until 1997 (March 31 to be precise), then:

1) He's dead, or
2) He got his license yanked.

Both are good reasons why he disappeared.

314. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38EA7486.361E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 115176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> I have a Yaesu FT-847 with VERY low AM modulation (I've received many
> reports to that effect). I think this problem has existed since
> purchase (the radio is not that old now), so I suspect poor factory
> adjustment. The panel mic/power settings seem to have no beneficial
> effect on this problem (neither does switching mics).
>
> Is there a pot, trimmer, or other component, that I can adjust to set
> the AM modulation (which one), or should I just return the radio to
> Yaesu for repair?
>
> Any assistance is appreciated. Email reply preferred, but not required.
>
> By the way, the first copy of this message did not seem to go through,
> so I'm sending it again. I hope I'm not posting a duplicate message.
> Sorry if I did.
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
Don't waste your time. The 847 is not made with AM in mind. You would
have to do some major surgery to make it sound OK.
73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

315. Re: TS-850 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdj3i$ni3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115177

In article <38EA2250.812BAC84@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> Mike,
> There seems to be only two mods that are'half-way' worth doing.

Can't say I agree with that.

> 'Opening up' the xmt coverage,

Don't see the point in that one.

> and increasing boradcast band sensitivity.

May be worthwhile for some, but doesn't blow my skirt up.

Two mods that are of interest are 1) adding a solid state output for key an amp, and 2) adding a separate antenna jack.

The first is undocumented as far as I know; I just figured it out from the schematic. I wanted solid state switching for my Alpha 87A, so I just added an NPN transistor to the switching circuit that controls the reed relay (just to invert the switch) and added an RCA jack on the back panel for it.

The second is well documented, and moderately difficult. I haven't done it yet, but intend to.

Here is a website with 850 mod information:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/1138/850mod1.html

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316. Re: A wealth of info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cdjog$o9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115178

In article <38EA232C.4F389FAF@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>
> Mom_of6,
> Please tell me what this has to do with 'radio'.
> I'm sure all this means something to you, but I'm not
> sure what it has to do with what this NG is about.

It's to annoy n0vfp.
See in article <frCt4.12363$Wv2.139374@news2.mia>
dated 25 Feb 2000 00:00:00 GMT
among other nonsense he said:

"I just want to say that some of my core beliefs were formed by
listening to [Stair], and that I is what i'm proud of. I just feel that
people should let [him] do the work God has called [him] to do."

It's really quite sad.

But mom's post is sort of in response to an OT post in this ng.

Spam? No. Troll? Perilously close.

LRod

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317. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: no morse <nomorseNOnoSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <00728b3e.572a50c1@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>
Source record: 115179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

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318. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cdkrppls1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115180

Dan:

There is no use discussing this subject again with you. You are not acting rational. I will put you in the same category as your minion in West Va, and your boss in Easly S.C. In the future feel free to lie , bend the truth, and anything else you are so good at doing about me if it makes you feel good.. There will be no words from me. I will however check in on any frequency within the rules, to talk to my friends. It is depressing to read your posts. I see a very unhappy man.

W4FQF Since 1952

In article <8cdbj0ejf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8cb9rb$6j8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > Dan Dan Dan:
> >
> > What purpose would it serve to drag up old bones such as you are
> trying
> > to extract from a long ago scrap heap?
> >
> > The only thing that matters is this is a new day. There should be no
> > more qrming by anyone. Your penchant for extracting "confessions"
from
> > people involved serves no useful purpose.
> >
> > Forget about what has happened and worry about the condition the
> > amateur bands are in today.
> >
> > Why don't you forget the past and try to make amateur radio a good
> > clean hobby again. Are perhaps by chance, it would be turning your
> > back on your qrming friends that think differently.
> >
> > There will be no "confessions" from me Dan . Just the promise that I
> > will do everything in my power to clean up amateur radio back to a
> > delightful hobby. I have been doing this for some time.
> >
> > Think about it.
> >
> > W4FQF Since 1952 working for the cleaning up of amateur radio!!
> >
> You are the one that brought this up in the first place. So get that
> straight. And as long as YOU or ANYONE puts out a blatent LIE then I
> shall certainly stand up and be counted.

>
> If you don't this stuff brought up, then don't bring it up. If you
> don't want countered, then tell the TRUTH.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

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319. Re: 14.313 & 3.950 - What Happened?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cdl6u$q1n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115181

I dont know why everyone says your a dummy--my sound bites were amoung
the best Danny boy

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320. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8cdlj3$2ogk$1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 115182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <_KjF4.11500$9m6.452917@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
CousinNertnic <ntimmso@aol.com> wrote:
>(from www.artbell.com) 3/31/2000
>
>The Announcement:
....
>I have decided to retire from the broadcast business at the end of this
>month, my last show to be April 26, 2000.
>
Interesting that this was posted on April Fool's day... DUH!
- Mike, WA9CQ

321. Oris grim, spelling bee champ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Im2Stupid@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5577-38E9DD60-5@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115183

God Oris, will you ever progress beyond your third grade reading level? How is the jamming and Internet harassment going for your group the gayfellows? I sure hope your neglected brats are ok, I hear DEFACS will be by soon. So get 250 pound Suzy to clean up your filthy hovel and get ready. Oh, I almost forgot, congrats on getting fired again. Does this make 20 now? You never were much of a provider for that other man's kids. Later dictionary boy.

322. Re: K1TP, New Goodfellow jammer and Web Propaganda Boy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cbcsn$a06$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115229

In article <38E8C70B.4A988C21@ham.com>,
joe@ham.com wrote:
>
>
> KC8JBO wrote:
>
If I was Dimmy O'Brainless, I would sue K1TP for putting a picture of
his wife Donna's butt on that webpage. Poor Dimmy!!!! I've seen people
that didn't know anything, But Dimmy doesn't even suspect anything.> >
<joe@ham.com> wrote in message news:38E776CD.D09267DF@ham.com...
> > >
> > > Looks like idiot John is starting to squirm now. This taken from
the
> > new
> > > Goodfellow puppet webpage:
> > > Sunday Scandal: I received this email today; Does anybody know
what
> > idiot
> > > wrote this letter?????????????????????? It's a
> > > good thing I write this page at a second grade level so the idiot
> > element
> > > of our readership can understand it.....Dimmy O' in
> > > particular.can you imagine this idiot is actually walking the
> > > streets....Check his web page..if I looked this stupid I wouldn't
post
> > > it for the world to see!!!! By the way-I've never jammed..only
> > uneducated
> > > nitwits without a life do stuff like that..I don't fall in
> > > that category...my xyl keeps me to
> > busy...
> > >
> > > The guillty dog always barks. So there you have it, K1TP, Jon
> > Cunningham,
> > > New Goodfellow lap dog, jammer, and propaganda boy. They always
> > recruit the
> > > idiots!
> >
> > But, Dimmy, you'd have to evolve several eons BEFORE _you_ could
> > approach anywhere near the idiot level.
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
>
> Hello Roger. You have more certified mail on the way, mama's boy.
>
>

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323. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wm <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cbd5jaac1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115230

Well what the heck.All this BS is supposedly over.Perhaps folks can agree on something. Everybody can just pick on Donny to vent thier frustration.

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324. Re: Jammers exposed at last

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cbdbjabk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115231

In article <38E8B9ED.D6FD695B@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> W4AMP wrote:
> >
> > To see the trash jammers and who they are go to
> > File:///C:/aux
> > Its time to open the books on them.
>
> Well, sir. Since your "File:///C:/aux" points to
> a file on your hard drive and not on a web page,
> we're going to have a very rough time reading it, aren't we?
>They don't call him Dimmy O'Brainless without good reason

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325. W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Widow@wol.be
Message-ID: <71WMWNUA36620.1191087963@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 115232

It's true, he did jail time for the molestation of a 9 yo little boy. The moron part I made up
though...

326. Re: W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cbg66dju1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115233

In article <71WMWNUA36620.1191087963@anonymous.poster>,
Widow@wol.be (Anonymous remailer) wrote:
> It's true, he did jail time for the molestation of a 9 yo little boy.

And your proof is?

>The moron part I made up
> though...

He is a moron, just like the idiot from yahoo. The idiot from yahoo
actually thinks he's had sex. He seriously lacks the equipment, that's
why he's known as the "itsy-bitsy" pitbull.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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327. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryn@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <h8okes4v99t650oa81ko72u70q17854uci@4ax.com>
Source record: 114984
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Mon, 03 Apr 2000 11:56:43 +0100, Phil <no-one@nowhere.com> ,
sharing an opinion worldwide on misc.survivalism, and inviting
comments from others, caused the following words to appear on our
monitors:

>N9NWO wrote:
>>
>> : For many the simple answer was fear. In Nazi Germany a single > : critical
>> : remark being over-heard could earn you a one way ticket to Belsen.
>>
>> And your neighbor would turn you in. Look at the number
>> of scholars asking why the average German was supportive
>> of the Nazis? The German public liked Hitler. Hitler even
>> had a huge support in the intellectual community.
>
>He also had many opponents, who were to scared to say anything!

1==> What percentage is "many", and how could it be proved? When
things were going well, he certainly had plenty of support. After the
war was lost it would have been hard to find many who would have
admitted being supporters.

>> For the most part Hitler, like Clinton, tried to appeal to the
>> establishment moderates of his society.
>
>No he did not. He tried to appeal to the nationalistic thugs, not the
>moderates!

2==> Sorry, but he seems to have had great support from most of the
population.
>
>> His propagandists even were trying to make him out a savior (their
>> were paintings of him looking like Christ).
>
>Many believed he was at first, however they quickly figured out the
>truth!

3==> Well, as far as anyone can tell, the overwhelming majority of the
German population supported Hitler. We can only judge by what they
said and did. There is, of course, no way to tell what anyone
actually thinks.

During the inquisition, I suppose that the RCC had a lot of support
too. If anyone had any reservations most kept quiet about them.
>>

>> : > In truth, Hitler was a step from what they had experienced
>> : > under the socialists.
>> :
>> : Pardon? Could you rephrase that so it makes some sense?
>>
>> The previous administration, before Hitler, was very socialist.
>
>The Weimar Republic was not "very socialist". It would be fair to call
>it left wing, but not to the degree you are suggesting. The government
>was hated by the extreme left.

4==> Am pretty doubtful that it could even call it particularly left
wing, but this, of course, can be hard to define. A lot of Americans
thought that President Franklin D. Roosevelt and his "new deal" were
both very "left wing".

Many Americans today think that universal medical care is a "left wing
socialist plot". According to 1999 World Almanac, in 1997 over 43
million Americans are not covered by health insurance.
>
>> And very restrictive.
>
>Nothing compared to the restrictions under Hitler!

5==> Depends on who you were. Certainly there were increasingly
severe restrictions on Jews, but the average German didn't seem to
feel very restricted.
>
>> Hitler was actually considered to be liberating.
>
>For a short time, until people figured out what he was really like!

6==> Um, what percentage of the people and when? ...Again, we cannot
get inside people's head to find out what they really think, but he
certainly seemed to have plenty of support. ...Of course, when ones
children belong to the Hitler Youth and report any deviation to the
Gestapo, one would keep ones opinions to oneself.

>>
>> : > Germany, even today, is a society that is very homogenous.
>> :
>> : Not really, Germany is changing just like everywhere else. With so many
>> : "gastarbeiter" it is impossible for Germany to remain homogenous.
>>
>> Even more so in France and the UK. It is a very big
>> arguement in Europe.
>
>For once I agree with something you have said!!
>
>>
>> : > The little old ladies in every neighborhood keep a
>> : > sharp eye out for anyone who violates the norms. It is one reason

>> : > that Germany has fewer cops than here. They have a huge force
>> : > of old ladies.
>> :
>> : And you have a huge force of bullshit!
>>
>> I have lived in Europe, mostly Germany. I have
>> been there 9 times. I assume that you have lived
>> there to speak with such authority?
>
>I am English, I have lived in Europe all my life!
>
7==> Are you two talking about violation of social norms or violation of actual laws? As I understand it, Germans are great ones for rules and insistence that they be followed. For example, it is illegal to litter in Germany, England, America, and Australia. However, have been told the difference is that in Germany the person littering will be challenged or reported, which wouldn't usually be the case in the other countries.

..larryn

>Phil
>
>Peace, Bread, Land

"/ Simul Justus et Peccator / "

328. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryn@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <niqkescb9usbcnqbgpni2hcak6u3opphld@4ax.com>
Source record: 114985
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 3 Apr 2000 07:37:42 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> ,
sharing an opinion worldwide on misc.survivalism, and inviting
comments from others, caused the following words to appear on our
monitors:

>In rec.radio.cb Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam> wrote:
>:>
>:>: That's why it's so very important to conduct all dealings within your
>:>: life in not just a clean manner, but indeed, squeaky clean. Give no hint
>:>: of impropriety, and you'll never have to worry about being falsely
>:>: accused of anything. Being a model citizen costs nothing.
>:>
>:>Like they say - "If you believe that, then I have a bridge to sell you".
>
>: Jeffrey is right - when one conducts oneself in a "squeaky
>: clean~~" manner one doesn't have to constantly recall which
>: lies and fabrications one was using.....
>
>So? That still doesn't stop the cops from busting in your door - either
>because of a mistake or on a whim.

It isn't a perfect world, and no matter what the system there will
always be some mistakes. The only way to eliminate the extremely
small percentage of mistaken raids is to eliminate all raids.

I somehow doubt that American or Australian or British cops go around
kicking in doors on a whim.

...larryn
>
>: 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

"/ Simul Justus et Peccator / "

329. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38eac31d.92027498@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114986
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 5 Apr 2000 02:30:02 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

> jonesgil@usa.net writes:
>
>>>Because they don't take directional fixes.
>
>>Don't you really mean - because they "do" take
>>a directional fix... After all - without a direction
>>component - you can not resolve a direction.
>>Since a direction IS resolved from the satellite
>>then - ergo - there must be a direction component.
>>And with two direction components - you have
>>a fix. Simple idea - Simple math - simple system -
>
>No, I meant exactly what I said.
>
>The only method that is precise enough is to use time delays.
>
>Each measurement provides a radius on which the object can be located.
>But two measurements are not enough - as two intersecting circles will
>have two points where they cross. Three measurements are required to
>provide a direction. Four measurements will provide an altitude (if
>such is desired) as well.
>
>--
>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

Hi Bill -
HOw can you justify that statement
when the equipment being tracked
does not have a means of providing
any feedback?

A time measurement depends upon knowing when
the signal is transmitted.

An ELT (or CB if we are still in that box)
is a transmitter that is not coupled into
the system. Unlike a DME or GPS or radar transponder,
the transmitter is just sending a signal.
Any other station has no clue of the
timing or phase lag or anything
else regarding the signal. If received
from a satellite - the dopler shift of

the satellite's receiver (with respect
to the transmitter on the ground) can
be measured by an analysis of the satellite's
rebroadcast of the signal.

A time delay measurement would require
the analysis of the transponder signal
to have knowledge of the actual time of transmission.
This is information you don't have from an ELT
(or CB, or ...)

Where you getting this data?

Best regards
Gil

330. Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11401-38EAC822-34@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114987

No question he has made mistakes. No question he sometimes confuses the good guys and bad.

Still, lack of respect for Riley Hollingsworth, Esquire, is folly.

Here's a regulator who cares about the future of ham radio and is making a herculean effort to guide our service/hobby into a peaceful era. Insisting that fighting words be kept out of ham radio, he appears to be moving against anyone who is so prone.

It is my fervent belief that If we respond to Riley compliantly, we need not worry about what frequency we go on. I hear: "Stay off 313 but 275 is OK." With no intention of fighting, why should I give up one frequency for another?

Personally, I have confidence that I'll have no trouble with enforcement. Instead, I believe Riley will act against anyone he senses is intentionally causing trouble, which includes anyone involved in setting up others.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

331. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EACD31.ED2F0E4C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Chris wrote:
>
> Don't waste your time. The 847 is not made with AM in mind. You would
> have to do some major surgery to make it sound OK.
> 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

I realise that Yaesu did not put a lot of effort into AM when they designed this radio, but I'm getting what I think is unusually weak AM modulation. Others that I have contacted on the radio are reporting a strong signal, but have to turn up their volume and listen hard to actually hear what I'm saying. That cannot be normal, no matter how bad the AM section was set up.

Actually, I've had the radio for several months, and have never used the AM mode. A friend, an older ham that is addicted to older AM radios, was the first to discover this problem when he wanted to talk to me using one of his older AM rigs. At first, we thought his older radio was the problem. But after a check with a couple of other operators, with newer rigs, we finally figured out that it was my radio with the problem.

At this point, it looks like the radio is headed to Yaesu for repair.

By the way, several people have suggested the mods pages around the internet. None of these, so far, seem to have any info that would help. The hidden allignment menu does not seem to have anything to adjust AM modulation, at least not that I could find. If you know something I don't (not hard), let me know.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

332. Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cejg4quf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma encryption machines was stolen from a London museum as per CNN. Please alert any Enigma collectors that you might know of. CNN said the museum has posted an announcement on a web site, but didn't give a URL.
73, Jeff KH6O

333. Re: ELECT MR. HOLLiNGSWORTH AS PRESIDENT ~ !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11400-38EACBF5-88@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114990

rfimitter,

There is a great deal of difference in acting as a regulator and bringing a Court case. The former can be fired off in the form of a letter on mere suspicion while the latter takes legal resources to make and prove a case at law.

Being one person, Riley Hollingworth, Esq. is acting almost wholly by letter, often on flimsy documentation. Even if he is wrong, we need only act in good faith to avoid the complained of behavior.

I believe that cooperation, not counter-productive argument, is key.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

334. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11401-38EAD08D-37@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114991

KE6NIJ,

Actually, it's improving from the time I came on here a year ago. I am so proud when I read great ham opinions, sufficiently so that I wade through the rest to find them.

After all, this is a free speech forum where every shade of opinion needs representation: e.g. ignorance, hate, prejudice, trolling, flaming, etc.

I am also thrilled at the growth I sometimes see around me, not to speak of my own, ha, ha.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

335. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38ead49c.96506879@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114992
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 4 Apr 2000 22:18:26 -0700, davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:

>jonesgil@usa.net writes:
>
>>I said they take a directional fix -
>>You agree don't you?
>
>No. At no point in time does the satellite know where the ground
>transmitter is with respect to the satellite. That would be a
>directional fix.
>
>>I stated a direction IS RESOLVED from the satellite.
>>You agree don't you?
>
>A position is resolved, and a direction can be calculated.
>This process takes examining the signal over time.
Buzzz - wrong .

Nope - only one point - where the dopler transitions
as the satellite passes from being behind to ahead
of the transmitter.

The only examination "over time" is to listen
to the signal for the instantaneous shift that occurs
at the point the satellite is in line. That point does
form the direction. The transmitter is exactly
below or abeam of the path of the satellite.

>That's different from "taking a directional fix".
That is a direction in its purest form.

> Dave

Regards
Gil

336. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EAD734.BA70C6B6@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114993

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork
> with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to .313
> and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag
> KT4TR telling everyone that little
> Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba
> with his red herring poppa. Like
> hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave
> that kid here! Wanna know why? Here's
> some reasons. First of all, the kid's
> mother DIED bringing the child to
> freedom?

Look, neither you or I know why she decided to head for America. It was certainly not because she was poor - she lived a middle-class lifestyle in Cuba. And it was certainly not because of political freedom - her husband was a member of the government (which didn't stop her from marrying him).

I tend to think it was an effort to get at her husband. She wanted to do the one thing that would hurt him the most - take his child and leave the country. But, who knows what the real story is?

> Since when doesn't this country recognize
> the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression?

Man, you're still living in the past. The cold war is over. Some of the worst governments in history are now our close allies and trading partners. It is silly to fuss about oppression in Cuba while we do business with China every day.

> Next, how about the theologic angle? Consider
> this: that little boy can now go to
> church. I assume he's a Roman Catholic
> as are 99.9% of Cubans and now he can
> go to Mass without Fidel's sonofabitch
> red secret police watching who enters
> and leaves churches.

Nonsense. There is not any evidence of any person in Cuba suffering any hardship cause by attending church. Again, more cold war rhetoric.

> Thirdly, since the Mariel boatlift was
> encouraged and since we hardly ever
> send back illegal immigrants from the

> Caribbean and Mexico, why then does
> the State Department have such a "thing"
> for little Elian's return?

Because the boy is six year old child. He is too young to make such choices for himself (he didn't come to America, his mother made him come). The boy was born in Cuba. His friends and classmates are in Cuba. His teachers are in Cuba. His father is in Cuba. Everything, and everyone, he knows is in Cuba.

I think it is an outrage that some people within this country would attempt to keep him away from everything that he knows, and is familar with, all in the name of cold war politics. If you don't like Castro, take your fight to Castro. Leave this little boy out of your petty cold war games.

> <snip> By sending that kid back we play right
> into the hands of the bearded one and we suffer
> a black eye.

By sending the child back, we comply with both US and international law (laws that we worked hard to put into place). We have no legal right to hold this clild. The relatives in Florida have no legal right to hold this child. In fact, were his father to to come to the US, I feel certain that he could press kidnapping charges against those holding Elian. If our government were to agree with those now holding Elian, related charges could be brought in international courts.

And don't give me this liberal versus conservative bullcrap. I'm a dedicated conservative that believes that family is important - even more important than politics. And I don't fight my battles using a young child as a weapon.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

337. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cekhi$s34$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114994
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>When you
>can just shrug off a homicide committed by the police against
>an absolutely innocent citizen, it may be too late to save the
>country from becoming a fascist police state. Next time it may
>be you or me.

No one's shrugging off a sad anomoly such as that. But take
the number of such events, divide by 248 million, multiply
by 100, and toss a percent sign on the end. When such events
become greater than 0.0000001%, then it's time to panic.
Jeff

338. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EAD9C1.EC8F6D1C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114995

"E. Hoover" wrote:
>
> Consider this: what if the situation were reversed and Elian and the
> father and (late) mother were from the US and the great uncles, etc were
> from Cuba and Elian had ended up in Cuba with them? Wouldn't we want
> him back, and EXPECT to have him returned? I rest my case.

This is the key to this whole debate. It was exactly because of this that international law (laws we advocated) were established. These laws were designed to protect our children just as much as they protect other children around the world. They were designed to keep countries from using children as political pawns.

These same laws are also supposed to protect Elian from being used as a political pawn by the people holding him in Florida. By returning him to his father in Cuba, we are showing the world that we respect the law. More importantly, we would be showing the world that we are better than someone that would use a child as a weapon in some petty cold war.

And, even more important than that, we would be doing what is right. We would be returning the boy to everything that he knows (the friends, classmates, family, neighbors, teachers, schools, books, television, and everything else that he grew up with). In other words, we are returning him to his home.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

339. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ceku3sjo1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114996
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> *Their* years of whining has pushed us back to the 1912 testing speed of
>> 5 wpm.

>And that is a damned good start. Five wpm was relevant in 1912. It is not
>relevant today.

Oh, I don't know -- there are, by several magnitudes, more Morse users
today than then in 1912.

340. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000405022145.14354.00002235@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114997

>Still, lack of respect for Riley Hollingsworth, Esquire, is folly.

"Lawyers Suck" the life out of every society they prey upon. They entangle themselves in government for the power it gives them and they then pass laws that will benefit their guild brothers and sisters. Esquires are of title and as per the original 13th amendment, should never be allowed in government. Including the FCC. The Founding fathers knew about CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.

Lack of respect---Folly? Respect must be earned.
Not forced upon anyone.

>Here's a regulator who cares about the future of ham radio

Ask Hollingsworth about his involvement with the sell off of some of the ham frequencies a few years back . He seems to care not for ham radio but for the commercialization of the ham frequencies. Especially the VHF and UHF segments. Get those guys off the UHF & VHF segments by dropping CW requirements. .

341. Re: TOW THE PARTY LINE OR YOU ARE NEXT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.comno2nci
Message-ID: <20000405062459.01048.00000173@ng-cm1.aol.com>
Source record: 114998

>be careful how you talk about Heir Hollingshimmler and his henchmen.
>you will be hunted down by his OO-Gestopo lackys.

Kids, this is why I tell you not to smoke crack.

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

342. WTB Collins Speaker or 516f-2 Cabinet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <nu8mes8938qg54os06ck9baih5s96817qe@4ax.com>
Source record: 114999
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Hi all.

I'm looking for a Collins 312b-3 speaker, or a 516F-2 cabinet that I
can put a speaker into. Need not be perfect condition, but not dented
please.

Thanks in advance, and any/all leads are gratefully received.

Neil, N1DMA
(800) 962-2949
NeilR@innermedia.com

343. Re: KC8JBO Receives Second Letter From FCC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EB49A1.5D53ECEB@ahole.com>
Source record: 115000

Sorry Charlie but the FCC has no jurisdiction here in the news
group....

meRoger NotaWiseman wrote:
>
> Poor deformed light bulb head! Two letters from the FCC and he is still
> on the newsgroups harassing folks. And the last letter tells him
> explicitly not to harass other amateurs. Oh well, Light bulb head is
> one of the dumbest the gayfllows ever recruited. Change Mommy's
> Pampers, they smell like they are full!

344. Re: The .313 "Hap Holligans"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EB4C67.4CC2EC96@ahole.com>
Source record: 115001

Hey Polly, er George, how much was your fine from the FCC for your
QRMing?

w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> My Oh My, sounds like "Sour Grapes" time from three time notated qrmer
> AF2Y. You got caught qrming simple as that. Next time you are outta
> here!! The reason you don't come on 313 is because of your compulsion
> to qrm. Dont blame Seymore are anyone else. YOU qrmed, YOU made your
> bed, NOW. YOU lay in it . Next time "Exit Stage left QRMer" then, you
> are outta amateur radio and you know it ..
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
> In article <8cdngp$s9v$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> rfcommsys@aol.com
> > (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:
> >
> > What happened to 14.313 and 3.950?
> >
> > I can't tell you what happened to 3.950 since for me it holds little
> or no
> > interest but 14.313 is a different story. I was the one who made it
> > interesting; I was the one who made it funny; I was the one who added
> > spontaneity and several of the Howard Johnson 28 flavors. And I never
> used
> > foul langauge, never told off color stories, never did NUTHIN' but add
> > interest, spontaneity, fun and several of Howard Johnson's 28
> flavors. And
> > it's over for me on that rotten megahertz trap now manned by the most
> boring
> > finks to ever spray spit into a microphone. When I got a letter from
> Riley
> > which had the tone of his going after someone who had been cited for
> > intentionally interfering a dozen times, which reflected his
> condemnation of
> > a real dyed in the wool radio criminal instead of an innocent
> bigmouth which
> > is what I am, I said, "That's all she wrote." As the great Margaret
> Mitchell
> > wrote, Gone With the Wind." Anyone with any personality
> whatsoever,stupid

> > enough to stay on the frequency, is not playing with a full deck. Why
> in the
> > name of common sense should a good ham put himself at the mercy of a
> group
> > of power hungry maniacs who feel they have Riley Hollingsworth in
> their
> > pocket? And I was there to see the WHOLE NINE YARDS my good man and
> to see
> > those misfits who for years carried on like lunatics now in the a
> position
> > to influence Riley, that's too much. I and others think this way: we'd
> > rather lose a frequency than out tickets, period. I call the creeps
> on .313,
> > "Hap Holligans" because their main thrill in life is to read and
> discuss the
> > enforcement issues presented in the R.A.I.N, reports and to discuss
> them in
> > such a way so as to cast all inference of dirty dealings away from
> > themselves onto others. These "Holligans" feel they're Riley's boys
> and I
> > say they just might be, unfortunately. What once was a wonderful
> frequency,
> > even TONED DOWN, is no longer that. It's boring and lousy with
> washerwomen
> > like Seymour, WA9KJB and Bob, KB4MXL. Listen if you want to either
> learn
> > everything about nothing or nothing about everything. P.U.
> > AF2Y, Doc
> >
> >
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

345. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge. Hey Cecil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EB4CCA.6EB6E546@ahole.com>
Source record: 115002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

If nobody cares why did you reply?

AndroidCat XENU wrote:
>
> Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
> news:1cgvdskii8dcrosacnrp81nm4uhad3l821@4ax.com...
> > W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >
> > >POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE wrote:
> > >> Because it is 'not' a HOBBY.. Read my lips again: IT IS A SERVICE,
> > >> NOT A HOBBY.
> > >
> > >Please tell us exactly how you manage to keep your amateur radio
> > >service at 100%. For me, and most of the hams I know, it is
> > >98% hobby, 2% service. Service is a secondary standby operation
> > >at best.
> >
> > I think he may have the alternate definition of "service" in mind.
>
> Who cares. It's OFF TOPIC for rec.radio.scanners!
>
> Ron of that ilk.

346. Re: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: TB <tb124@aol.com>
Message-ID: <4qGG4.112$Zl2.4159@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 115003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Why just list the damn thing on eBay and be done with it. I am sure anyone
who needs parts has already seen your ad. I for one am tired of seeing it
every 2-3 days.

servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com wrote in message
<38e67a2b.21618022@news.eunet.yu>...
>For sale parts for FT-101Z.
>
>Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working
>conditions unless otherwise noted.
>
>Buyer to pay S/H.
>
>Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

347. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <38EB5F3A.2910@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 115004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I heard they got the following ransom note---

" sghee-keitm-fhgle-qwtyr-mjflk-bndfg-sdliy-zdgjh" and then in
handwriting it said, "or you will never see it again."

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma encryption
> machines was stolen from a London museum as per CNN. Please alert
> any Enigma collectors that you might know of. CNN said the museum
> has posted an announcement on a web site, but didn't give a URL.
> 73, Jeff KH6O

348. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bilateral frickative <foobar@woowoo.com>
Message-ID: <%QGG4.3806$g35.139010@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net> wrote in message
news:38EB5F3A.2910@roanoke.infi.net...

> I heard they got the following ransom note---
>
> " sghee-keitm-fhgle-qwtyr-mjflk-bndfg-sdliy-zdgjh" and then in
> handwriting it said, "or you will never see it again."

I heard that the note read:"05435-04565-71432-05874-66382-99946"

(Which when translated says: "Herbie is STILL HERE!")

349. Alinco DJ-V5T mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: somoted@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cffml$pm2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115006

Does anyone know what the total modification result is after cutting the blue wire to frequency modify the Alinco DJ-V5T is?

Please email: tmathis@bigfoot.com

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350. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <V5HG4.3474$Vb6.128951@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 115007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hmm, I wonder, how tough is the Enigma algorithm by todays
standards? I know, not secure, but just for S&G I wonder if
anyone has implemented it in software, and if some of the
intercepted comuniques are availible in unencrypted form.

Mike

Bilateral frickative <foobar@woowoo.com> wrote in message
news:%QGG4.3806$g35.139010@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net> wrote in message
> news:38EB5F3A.2910@roanoke.infi.net...
>
> > I heard they got the following ransom note---
> >
> > " sghee-keitm-fhgle-qwtyr-mjflk-bndfg-sdliy-zdgjh" and then in
> > handwriting it said, "or you will never see it again."
>
> I heard that the note read:"05435-04565-71432-05874-66382-99946"
>
> (Which when translated says: "Herbie is STILL HERE!")
>
>
>
>

351. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfgli$qp6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <V5HG4.3474$Vb6.128951@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
> Hmm, I wonder, how tough is the Enigma algorithm by todays
> standards?

If memory serves, wasn't it basically just a substitution algorithm? It was complicated by first 4 then later 5 decades of offset, which, given the computing power of the time (all human), rendered it relatively indecipherable, but if you put a Pentium on it today, it ought to be duck soup to work out all the possibilities.

LRod

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352. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. White" <mwhite@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <38EB424A.5DFE39F7@mitre.org>
Source record: 115009
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> I wonder if anyone has implemented it in software, and if some of the
> intercepted comuniques are availible in unencrypted form.

Here are two Java-based Enigma simulators, with class libraries if you
want to build your own. There is also a pointed to original German
Enigma messages.

http://www.attlabs.att.co.uk/andyc/enigma/enigma_j.html
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Launchpad/6720/

Mike

353. Re: ELECT MR. HOLLUNGSWORTH AS PRESIDENT ~ !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfheprpc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115010

In article <20000404105305.14369.00002066@ng-md1.aol.com>,
rfemitter@aol.com (Rfemitter) wrote:

> >Maybe he could clean up the White House and bring some self respect
> >to that screwed up branch of the government!!! What better choice do
> >we have.
> >
>
> His name is Hollingsworth not Hollungsworth.
> He's nothing more than a dictator who sits in his high and mighty
> orafice and tells people what they can and cannot say.

And it's orifice, not orafice, and besides it's office.

> I remember his saying..."There is no free speech in amature
> radio."

It's amateur, not amature.

> Nonsense. In America there is no one who can say there is no free
> speech. See the First amendment to the CONSTITUTION.

Like many people you are sadly misinformed as to what constitutes free
speech and what's in the Constitution.

> He is an appointee of the Clinton administration.

I think you will find he is an FCC employee, not an appointee. I'm
pretty sure his employment predates 1992.

> He is tainted with the scandalls by association.

By what stretch of logic? And what is a "scandall" anyway?

> Remember. The FCC was involved in illegal jamming of a ham radio
> station at WACO.

Oh, pulllease.

> The FCC presided over the selling off of some of the ham
> spectrum.

I must have missed that.

> Hollingworth was reported to be invovled in that scam.

Scam? Reported by whom?

> The situation the we now have in ham radio should have never
> happend. But it did due to the inaction by the FCC. The FCC is
> responsible for allowing the situation to get out of hand.

So, let me see if I have this straight: the FCC is responsible for all the bad things happening; but you don't want the FCC to fix anything it allegedly did wrong. Does that characterize your assertions?

> Hollingsworth as President?
> How about NO, never.
> We've had enough lawyers in the White house. Screw the lawyers who
> continually screw the American people

Sort of limits the possibilities, doesn't it? Who do you have in mind?

LRod

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354. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfhkd$rt3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115011

In article <QiJD4.4258$na.272866@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Man in the mu mu" <tootaloot@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> ...who don't know to take off a water filled boot...

Your metaphor sucks. The correct version is, "couldn't empty a water
filled boot with the instructions on the sole."

LRod

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355. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. White" <mwhite@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <38EB4397.A3223AF1@mitre.org>
Source record: 115012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> I wonder if ... some of the intercepted comuniques are availible

Here is a raw Enigma intercept from just before the war:

+ HRKM 13617 1807 -
AN HEERESGRUPPENKOMMANDO 2= 06 18 24 (FRX)
2109 -1750 - 3 TLE - FRX FRX - 1TL -172=

01 07 09 (In pencil; AGI)
HCALN UQKRQ AXPWT WUQTZ KFXZO MJFOY RHYZW VBXYS IWMMV WBLEB
DMWUW BTVHM RFLKS DCCEX IYPAH RMPZI OVBBR VLNHZ UPOSY EIPWJ
TUGYO SLAOX RHKVC HQOSV DTRBP DJEUK SBBXH TYGVH GFICA CVGUV
OQFAQ WBKXZ JSQJF ZPEVJ RO -

2TL - 166 - 25 02 05 (In pencil; YBE)
ZZWTV SYBDO YDTEC DMVWQ KWJPZ OCZJW XOFWP XWGAR KLRLX TOFCD
SZHEV INQWI NRMBS QPTCK LKCQR MTYVG UQODM EIEUT VSQFI MWORP
RPLHG XKMCM PASOM YRORP CVICA HUEAF BZNVR VZWXX MTWOE GIEBS
ZZQIU JAPGN FJXDK I -

3TL - 176 - 12 21 14 (In pencil; LUN)
DHHAO FWQQM EIHBF BMHTT YFBHK YYXJK IXKDF RTSHB HLUEJ MFLAC
ZRJDL CJZVK HFBYL GFSEW NRSGS KHLFW JKLLZ TFMWD QDQQV JUTJS
VPRDE MUVPM BPBXX USOPG IVHFC ISGPY IYKST VQUIO CAVCW AKEQQ
EFRVM XSLQC FPFTF SPIIU ENLUW O =
1 ABT GEN ST D H NR. 2050/38 G KDOS +

Have at it! See http://home.cern.ch/f/frode/www/crypto/tbombe.html for
more details, and a decrypt and translation if you are stumped :-)

356. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Bertone <dbertone@flash.net>
Message-ID: <38EB5248.27CF4F89@flash.net>
Source record: 115013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: dbertone.vcf

andy wrote:

> I heard they got the following ransom note---
>
> " sghee-keitm-fhgle-qwtyr-mjflk-bndfg-sdliy-zdgjh" and then in
> handwriting it said, "or you will never see it again."
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >
> > One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma encryption
> > machines was stolen from a London museum as per CNN. Please alert
> > any Enigma collectors that you might know of. CNN said the museum
> > has posted an announcement on a web site, but didn't give a URL.
> > 73, Jeff KH6O

That's a bad break. Now the Jerry's will know that we have it and change their code. I thought they only kept them at Blechly Park? Who got one out of there? Churchill is going to be pissed along with Roosevelt. Does that meean D-Day is postponed or are they going ahead before it was scheduled to? You shouldn't have made a posting out here and the press shouldn't have said anything because it may be only held by someone who thinks they only got a typewriter. Now the Jerry's know we have it. I hope they shoot you and the media for TREASON!!!!!!!!!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

357. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sb@zip.com.au
Message-ID: <38eb3577.3070856@news.zip.com.au>
Source record: 115014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yes, there are some simulations of various enigma types (railway, army etc) available from the net. I forget the URLs but try a search. With these you can set the wheel settings and start point and view the plain text, encrypted text as well as the rotor connections moving.

Simon

On Wed, 05 Apr 2000 13:21:57 GMT, "Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:

>Hmm, I wonder, how tough is the Enigma algorithm by todays
>standards? I know, not secure, but just for S&G I wonder if
>anyone has implemented it in software, and if some of the
>intercepted comuniques are availible in unencrypted form.
>
>Mike
>
>
>Bilateral frickative <foobar@woowoo.com> wrote in message
>news:%QGG4.3806$g35.139010@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>>
>> andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net> wrote in message
>> news:38EB5F3A.2910@roanoke.infi.net...
>>
>> > I heard they got the following ransom note---
>> >
>> > " sghee-keitm-fhgle-qwtyr-mjflk-bndfg-sdliy-zdgjh" and then in
>> > handwriting it said, "or you will never see it again."
>>
>> I heard that the note read:"05435-04565-71432-05874-66382-99946"
>>
>> (Which when translated says: "Herbie is STILL HERE!")
>>
>>
>>
>>
>>
>
>

// VK2UA : Simon BUXTON, Sydney, Australia \\
// Email : sb@zip.com.au \\
// : simon.buxton@workcover.nsw.gov.au \\
// Web Sites: <http://www.zip.com.au/~sb/w_hobby.htm> \\
// <http://www.zip.com.au/~sb/hec4.htm> \\
// <http://www.zip.com.au/~sb/wars> \\

// <http://www.zip.com.au/~sb/anars> \\

358. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfioo$t8p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38EB5248.27CF4F89@flash.net>,
dbertone@flash.net wrote:

> That's a bad break. Now the Jerry's will know that we have it and
> change their code. I thought they only kept them at Blechly Park?
> Who got one out of there? Churchill is going to be pissed along with
> Roosevelt.
> Does that meean D-Day is postponed or are they going ahead before it
> was scheduled to? You shouldn't have made a posting out here and the
> press shouldn't have said anything because it may be only held by
> someone who thinks they only got a typewriter. Now the Jerry's know
> we have it. I hope they shoot you and the media for TREASON!!!!!!!!!

At least the JAs don't know we have JN25 yet.

LRod

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359. Re: The .313 "Hap Holligans"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cfit4$9je$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115016

Oh was the Memphis Moron actually fined for QRMing? If so, why was it hushed up? Please tell us more Mr. Liberty_nits and thank you.
AF2Y

In article <38EB4C67.4CC2EC96@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Hey Polly, er George, how much was your fine from the FCC for your
> QRMing?
>
>
>
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>>
>> My Oh My, sounds like "Sour Grapes" time from three time notated qrmer
>> AF2Y. You got caught qrming simple as that. Next time you are outta
>> here!! The reason you don't come on 313 is because of your compulsion
>> to qrm. Dont blame Seymore are anyone else. YOU qrmed, YOU made your
>> bed, NOW. YOU lay in it . Next time "Exit Stage left QRMer" then, you
>> are outta amateur radio and you know it ..
>>
>> W4FQF since 1952
>>
>> In article <8cdngp$s9v$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> > In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
>> rfcommsys@aol.com
>> > (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:
>> >
>> > What happened to 14.313 and 3.950?
>> >
>> > I can't tell you what happened to 3.950 since for me it holds little
>> or no
>> > interest but 14.313 is a different story. I was the one who made it
>> > interesting; I was the one who made it funny; I was the one who added
>> > spontaneity and several of the Howard Johnson 28 flavors. And I never
>> used
>> > foul langauge, never told off color stories, never did NUTHIN' but add
>> > interest, spontaneity, fun and several of Howard Johnson's 28
>> flavors. And
>> > it's over for me on that rotten megahertz trap now manned by the most
>> boring
>> > finks to ever spray spit into a microphone. When I got a letter from
>> Riley

>> > which had the tone of his going after someone who had been cited for
>> > intentionally interfering a dozen times, which reflected his
>> condemnation of
>> > a real dyed in the wool radio criminal instead of an innocent
>> bigmouth which
>> > is what I am, I said, "That's all she wrote." As the great Margaret
>> Mitchell
>> > wrote, Gone With the Wind." Anyone with any personality
>> whatsoever,stupid
>> > enough to stay on the frequency, is not playing with a full deck. Why
>> in the
>> > name of common sense should a good ham put himself at the mercy of a
>> group
>> > of power hungry maniacs who feel they have Riley Hollingsworth in
>> their
>> > pocket? And I was there to see the WHOLE NINE YARDS my good man and
>> to see
>> > those misfits who for years carried on like lunatics now in the a
>> position
>> > to influence Riley, that's too much. I and others think this way: we'd
>> > rather lose a frequency than out tickets, period. I call the creeps
>> on .313,
>> > "Hap Holligans" because their main thrill in life is to read and
>> discuss the
>> > enforcement issues presented in the R.A.I.N, reports and to discuss
>> them in
>> > such a way so as to cast all inference of dirty dealings away from
>> > themselves onto others. These "Holligans" feel they're Riley's boys
>> and I
>> > say they just might be, unfortunately. What once was a wonderful
>> frequency,
>> > even TONED DOWN, is no longer that. It's boring and lousy with
>> washerwomen
>> > like Seymour, WA9KJB and Bob, KB4MXL. Listen if you want to either
>> learn
>> > everything about nothing or nothing about everything. P.U.
>> > AF2Y, Doc
>> >
>> >
>>
>> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> Before you buy.

360. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38EB5635.6E9AC6DB@nashville.com>
Source record: 115017

LRod wrote:
>
> Your metaphor sucks. The correct version is, "couldn't empty a water
> filled boot with the instructions on the sole."

To be precise...it's "couldn't pour piss out of a boot even with
instructions on the sole".

But, who's precise these days?

361. MAHA Rapid charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William J. Laukaitis" <Lauwi@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8cfmtsbcc1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 115018

Hi,

I am looking into these MAHA rapid Chargers. I have an Icom T81A. Anyone use these charger(s)?? Any comments??

Bill

362. 6 cm hpa's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Wilson <tim@cmwave.com>
Message-ID: <38EB5F10.2ADBB61D@cmwave.com>
Source record: 115019

FS quantity 4 Varian vzj2700d4 3kw klystron hpa's. complete and operational with solid state ipa's and 80 dB of gain. wr-137 input and output. 20 dB manual attenuator. 208 volts three phase. Full metering: beam voltage, beam current, body current, reflected power, forward power (4000 watts), drive power, filament volts and current, beam and filament hours. Many spares including klystrons,
filament and beam transformers, 3 phase autotransformers, meters, wiring harnesses, and more.
These amps have either 12 or 24 channel tubes and will make >3kw across any 40 mHz. bandwidth.
Higher power outputs are easily obtainable with reduced bandwidth tuning of the klystron. The tube is a Varian va936 series, 5 cavity. Typical operating parameters are 8kv@1 amp with PO about 3 kw. I
have operated the amps at 8.5kv with output near 4kw. The beam power supply is variable from about 4 kv up to about 10 kv. The amp has arc detection and shutdown, as well as an output isolator.
For more specific information please e-mail or phone. SERIOUS INQUIRES ONLY! THESE ARE NOT TOYS!

Tim Wilson
Carolina Microwave
770-322-7522
tim@cmwave.com

363. AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cfo91dno1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115020

Yesterday I made reference to the 14.313 yentas, washerwomen and instigators as "Holligans" based on their predilection for "studying" all those enforcement letters from Riley which are immediately posted by Hap Holly on his www.rainreport.com/ and then getting on that miserably corrupt frequency to sanctimoniously and piously state their cases against anyone so targeted. It's like the National Enquirer of amateur radio. And so here's something to contemplate. Being that the enforcement letters are seen worldwide and neither Hap nor Riley have any reservations about allowing the smearing of anyone who might get in enforcement's way, whether deserved or undeserved, how about Hap offering equal time? Allow me to explain. As far as I can understand it, freedom of speech is theoretically dead on .313; I think it was Riley himself who stated that it doesn't apply to ham radio. It's a bitter pill to swallow but why must it also apply to Hap's website? Our rights are also going by the wayside on the Internet? Is this acceptable to you? It isn't to me. If Hap offered equal time, I estimate the preponderance of hams wouldn't bother replying because the majority have been CAUGHT IN THE ACT and that's that. But how about those poor souls, me included, who are guilty, guilty, guilty without being guilty? Hell, even QST picked up on my case by publishing Riley's remark that I never disputed the charge. What ridiculousness-I was NEVER ASKED TO REPLY BY PHONE OR BY LETTER BECAUSE NO EVIDENCE WAS EVER OFFERED BY TRANSCRIPT OR TAPE OF MY INTERFERING WITH W4FQF and KB3MXL! Of course I replied to Riley-he has the authority and deserved some type of reply-but I didn't stress the charge of jamming because of lack of evidence. To what was I supposed to reply? "The Commission has evidence that.....?"What kind of evidence? E mails from biased "Holligans?' The Herbie crowd? The anti-WB2OTK crowd? Anti-Semites? Oh heck, let's skip it; enough of me- I'm posting this on behalf of others who have been wounded by conspiracy. Take Fred Roll for example-a nicer guy you'd never want to meet on the air or off. The guy gets "whacked" for blowing up at David Tolassi? For God's sake-at Dayton Fred had enough on that Vermont cockroach to put him in the hospital but Fred chose to shake hands. And what does the Green Mountain Greenhorn turn around and do? Mock him some more on .313 and FRED GETS WHACKED? Talk about injustice and rash improper action on the part of enforcement! Had the Commission taken that Green Mountain crazy s.o.b. off the air years ago for jamming, tape playing and annoying Intercon, there never would have been a reason for Fred's anger. I was privy to tons of harassment and slander thrown at Fred by Tolassi for a DECADE, and Fred gets whacked? Damn, it's enough to make one lose faith in the justice system! Had Hap given Fred the chance to explain before a WORLDWIDE audience, I'm sure he would have. And to add insult to injury, who's on the air boasting about the "downfall" of Mr. Roll? You guessed it."David Toiletsi, King Flush." And let's take the situation with Rich,WB2OTK. When Riley's last letter was up on Hap's screen in the blink of an eye, I began getting E mails and phone calls having the same theme, ?"You

got nailed because you support Rich. Are you satisfied?" My answer? I STILL SUPPORT WB2OTK! Riley offered him a break last year but Rich rejected it without really thinking it over. Riley got angry and Rich got frustrated from applied pressure. He typed an E mail to Riley resigning from ham radio. I and others talked him out of sending it. Rich then agreed it would have been wrong, tabled it but didn't DELETE. Uh oh! His wife that night sits down at the computer and by accident launches the missive Riley's way and wham. Riley accepts it although speculation arises on the legitimacy of leaving ham radio by E mail. Mrs. Whiten swears before a judge that it was SHE not her husband who sent it. Riley still accepts it because in my opinion having Rich off the air helped his agenda of putting a cork in 14.313 and 3.901. Rich could get back on by re-testing but he refuses since he tested before the FCC to begin with. The protracted stalemate begins with Riley holding all the cards. I wrote Mr. H. on behalf of Rich and many feel I stepped in it because of doing so. My reply: it's my life; I don't turn my back on friends and if you don't like it, take a hike! Now before you go off half cocked convinced that I'm anti-Riley and anti-Commission, allow me to clarify my position. You are mistaken! Before Riley showed up, things were OUT OF HAND and I myself openly admit that AF2Y most certainly was part of the problem and not the solution. I went overboard making it all too obvious about whom I liked and despised. This was admitted to and apologized for to Mr.H and I haven't had nor will I have an argument on the bands ever again. Riley told me, "Enjoy the hobby" and by God, the man was 100% on target. However I dispute all allegations of interfering with anyone, period! On the plus side, how can anyone fault Mr.H. for nabbing persons having a pocketful of callsigns under false pretenses? How can one fault Mr.H. for nabbing and eliminating persons who got their licenses fraudently? How can anyone fault the man for nabbing jammers in the act and removing them? We're talking about punishing true blue radio criminals and that should be applauded however enforcement can suffer the same stigma as individual hams who are more part of the problem that the solution. It can err; it can be unfairly excessive and those hurt by it should be afforded the same right to put their defense before the scrutiny of hams worldwide as does the Commission its offense. I like Hap Holly, the man. Having had a QSO or two with him, I appreciate his forthrightness and courage proving that even one handicapped can come to the forefront of our great hobby/service. By and large, his website is excellent and interesting. Now all I ask is that it it be FAIR.
73,
Doc,AF2Y

364. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfpt9$61a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115021

In article <38EB5635.6E9AC6DB@nashville.com>,
Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:
> LRod wrote:
> >
> > Your metaphor sucks. The correct version is, "couldn't empty a water
> > filled boot with the instructions on the sole."
>
> To be precise...it's "couldn't pour piss out of a boot even with
> instructions on the sole".
>
> But, who's precise these days?

Now that you mention it, I do recall that. I stand corrected. Thanks.

LRod

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365. Re: ELECT MR. HOLLUNGSWORTH AS PRESIDENT ~ !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfpvt$63b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115022

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In article <8cfhep$rpc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000404105305.14369.00002066@ng-md1.aol.com>,
> rfemitter@aol.com (Rfemitter) wrote:
>
> > >Maybe he could clean up the White House and bring some self respect
> > >to that screwed up branch of the government!!! What better choice
do
> > >we have.
> > >
> >
> > His name is Hollingsworth not Hollungsworth.
> > He's nothing more than a dictator who sits in his high and
mighty
> > orafice and tells people what they can and cannot say.
>
> And it's orifice, not orafice, and besides it's office.
>
> > I remember his saying..."There is no free speech in amature
> > radio."
>
> It's amateur, not amature.
>
> > Nonsense. In America there is no one who can say there is no free
> > speech. See the First amendment to the CONSTITUTION.
>
> Like many people you are sadly misinformed as to what constitutes free
> speech and what's in the Constitution.
>
> > He is an appointee of the Clinton administration.
>
> I think you will find he is an FCC employee, not an appointee. I'm
> pretty sure his employment predates 1992.
>
> > He is tainted with the scandalls by association.
>
> By what stretch of logic? And what is a "scandall" anyway?
>
> > Remember. The FCC was involved in illegal jamming of a ham
radio
> > station at WACO.
>
> Oh, pulllease.
>
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> > The FCC presided over the selling off of some of the ham
> > spectrum.
>
> I must have missed that.
>
> > Hollingworth was reported to be invovled in that scam.
>
> Scam? Reported by whom?
>
> > The situation the we now have in ham radio should have never
> > happend. But it did due to the inaction by the FCC. The FCC is
> > responsible for allowing the situation to get out of hand.
>
> So, let me see if I have this straight: the FCC is responsible for all
> the bad things happening; but you don't want the FCC to fix anything
it
> allegedly did wrong. Does that characterize your assertions?
>
> > Hollingsworth as President?
> > How about NO, never.
> > We've had enough lawyers in the White house. Screw the lawyers who
> > continually screw the American people
>
> Sort of limits the possibilities, doesn't it? Who do you have in mind?
>
> LRod
>
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>

The Bard said it all regarding lawyers...LOL!!!!!!!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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366. Re: KC8JBO Receives Second Letter From FCC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cfq5v$6ce$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115023

In article <38EB49A1.5D53ECEB@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Sorry Charlie but the FCC has no jurisdiction here in the news
> group....
>
> meRoger NotaWiseman wrote:
> >
> > Poor deformed light bulb head! Two letters from the FCC and he is
still
> > on the newsgroups harassing folks. And the last letter tells him
> > explicitly not to harass other amateurs. Oh well, Light bulb head
is
> > one of the dumbest the gayfllows ever recruited. Change Mommy's
> > Pampers, they smell like they are full!
>

Unfortunately. Like I said, O'Brien's not very smart.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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367. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10703-38EB6435-42@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115024

rfemitter,

Notwithstanding the validity of your comments on the legal community, you cannot stereotype everyone under one umbrella. As to spectrum sales, how can you hold that against someone acting in a ministerial position for an agency of the U.S. government which gets its cues from Congress?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

368. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000405122929.15994.00001202@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 115025

Good comments Bob and I agree

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

369. KC8JBO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <8cfvc4$cm3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115026

Just stopping here for a "drive by".....Has the 'ole GOAT been asking
about me, HORSEHEAD?

Change Mommy's
Pampers, they smell like they are full!

PITBULL

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370. KC8JBO & GOAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <8cfvgecnh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115027

Just stopping here for a "drive by".....Has the 'ole GOAT been asking
about me, HORSEHEAD?

KC8JBO #1 QRM'er

Change Mommy's
Pampers, they smell like they are full!

PITBULL

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371. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8cfu6d$a6f$1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 115028
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What does the RF waveform look like on an oscilloscope?

Using AM with no modulation, you should see a carrier of constant amplitude. Modulation causes the amplitude of the RF waveform to increase in some places and decrease in others - the "envelope" of the waveform is actually the audio signal. 100% modulation is defined as the point at which the minimum amplitude of the RF waveform reaches zero. You want to avoid 100% modulation, but you should be able to come somewhere near it.

If the modulated waveform shows only small amplitude changes, the modulation level is way below what it should be.

Dave

372. WB2OTK back on the air!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <8cfvrc$d4e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115029

I will be back on 14.313 VERY SOON.......Stay tuned.

Rich ex WB2OTK

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373. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pete owen <nutmeg@w-link.net>
Message-ID: <38EB7D7F.306016DD@w-link.net>
Source record: 115030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'll send you a vbasic zip if you like...

Pete

Mike Yetsko wrote:

> Hmm, I wonder, how tough is the Enigma algorithm by todays
> standards? I know, not secure, but just for S&G I wonder if
> anyone has implemented it in software, and if some of the
> intercepted comuniques are availible in unencrypted form.
>

374. Re: WB2OTK back on the air!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cg0qk$e6b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115031

In article <8cfvrc$d4e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
richwhiten@hotmail.com wrote:
> I will be back on 14.313 VERY SOON.......Stay tuned.
>
> Rich ex WB2OTK

Hey dummy, if you're gonna try to forge the identity of
WB2OTK, at least be clever enough to mask the fact that
you're posting from a public computer in a library in
east-central Minnesota!

Some fools are so easy to spot!

Hans

--
If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.

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375. AF2Y: another thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cg1up$s9f$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115032

Oh by the way in case you're interested in WB2OTK....no one knew about it except Riley, me and a few of Rich's closest on -the- air buddies. When the conflict arose between Riley and him and in disgust, aggravation and frustration Rich composed that "goodbye to ham radio instead of arguing letter," there was something FAR more important on Rich's mind than ham radio. It was called BREAST CANCER. It's frightening to hear those words, isn't it folks? Mrs. Whiten was diagnosed with a suspicious lump in that area and being that cancer has been in her family.....well you put yourself in WB2OTK's place. I'd say he was very very upset, distraught, anxious and preoccupied and YOU'D BE TOO! I think it's proper to lay off someone who'd tend more to cry than to yak on a mic, don't you? Remember when I was at odds with Tom, KE9RY and mad enough to post some pretty facetious and mean things about him on this board because I felt I was wronged? I did and Tom called and admitted that he was being hurt emotionally by them and I STOPPED. I still felt used and wronged and insulted but I STOPPED because I felt for the guy and still respecting his feelings and I stopped for good. I'm not about to exacerbate his problems because I'm not like that and hopefully KE9RY knows it. I wasn't sure if Rich wanted me to post this info but I felt obliged to. By the same token we all realize Hap Holly is blind and I wanted no one to think that my posting regarding his website reflected anything but honest criticism rather than an attempt at picking on a handicapped person. Folks, in life sometimes you have to retreat in favor of someone's emotional and/or physical welfare but that didn't happen in the case of Richard Whiten versus Riley Hollingsworth. I honestly feel badly for Rich because a proposed thirty day suspension turned into a sixty day suspension which turned into a 120 day suspension and all the while he was precoccupied with his wife's health condition. Would that biopsy send a life or death message? Now you know why he penned that "enough is enough" letter which was sent by ACCIDENT. He wasn't trying to show up authority but rather reacting to stress compounded on more stress. Isn't a man in this position entitled to a mistake and be forgiven? How many times did he have to apologize to authority? Wasn't a sworn affidavit enough to convince Riley of his wife's accidental folly? A man who took his test before an FCC official is now made to re-test as if he didn't get his ticket legitimately in the first place?
How about it Hap? How about putting this letter on your website? I'm better with words than is Rich and that's why I wrote it but HE FEELS IT and has suppressed it while too many loose cannons on 20 and 75 who fancy themselves as having Mr. H. in their hip pockets gloat like all hell over his prolonged absence from the ham bands.
AF2Y, Doc

376. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000405150052.02614.00002668@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 115033

>Notwithstanding the validity of your comments on the legal community,
>you cannot stereotype everyone under one umbrella. As to spectrum
>sales, how can you hold that against someone acting in a ministerial
>position for an agency of the U.S. government which gets its cues from
>Congress?
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida

MY point is that all of Washington is beyond redemption. It's systematic.

Too much power concentrated in one area.

Too much of our money spent by career politicians who think they can tell the US citizens what to do.

Spectrum sales to benefit who?
Lots of money means lots of payoffs.

I wish I had the answer as to handle the use of valuable spectrum space.

I think that using that space for the best purpose is by far the way to go. If ham radio looses out, so be it.
But who decides what is the best purpose?
A buerocrat in Washington?
These guys couldn't even predict how many cell phones would be in use in 5 years. They were off by about 10 million.

Congress has not the intelligence or the wisdom to define who gets to use what.

They all have their hands out waiting for the payola from special interests who have their own ideas.

I'm just complaining about the way it's being done.

377. Re: Alinco DJ-V5T mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <K5brOOR8+VHZEZmJ7punY79aKmya@4ax.com>
Source record: 115034

On Wed, 05 Apr 2000 13:39:35 GMT, somoted@my-deja.com wrote:

>Does anyone know what the total modification result is after cutting the blue
>wire to frequency modify the Alinco DJ-V5T is?

I'm curious too...I just bought one from Lentini today @ $209.95.

The Alinco web site says 76 to 999.995 except 824 - 850 cellular
blocked.

Jim
KG4GXP

378. From the Mouths of QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20362-38EB9633-29@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115035

They have the ear of the FCC. These are hams not content with cleaning up the bands nor letting the past fade. Rather these comprise the status quo on 14313, a group out to destroy hams they dislike.

Now ruled by mob mentality, 313 is a frequency where individual opinion is not tolerated and to be accepted means caving in to the will of the group. Even hams known for their decency will throw in a barb during your transmissions to impress the group.

This morning I tried to break in to 313. Retorted a ham, "You're not welcome here." Then another weighed in: "He's a trouble maker." Before I knew it, a conversation was underway about how bad I was. (Mind you, I've been off the air for 5 years and have no intention of arguing on the air.)

The repartee went like this: "He sounds like Raincoat Charlie." "We have a qrmer on the frequency." "He's a fag." It didn't stay like that, because these hams signed out and I was picked up by KB4MXL and W2EXQ, who were very much gentlemen.

Of all the alleged trouble on ham radio, such behavior is unacceptably worse than much of what has been sanctioned thus far.

First, arrogating power over a frequency squarely violates Part 97, a transgression that is readily provable on its face. Secondly, you have a group of guys weighing in based upon no more than the lead guy's prejudice. And third, you have an ongoing train of talk among this group portraying the breaker, who did nothing more than say "break" and "W4ASX", as someone ripe for FCC sanction.

Having done investigative reports on ham radio's deepening difficulty for over a decade, I know that some who have gotten letters from Riley deserve them far less than some who are confidantes and otherwise esteemed. Moreover, more hams have been intentionally run off of 313 than remain there. I, for one, have no intention of abandoning a frequecy to which I'm entitled.

To the FCC: Can we even the playing field, so everyone who acts contrary to Part 97 is called to task, not just a few on one side of the body politic?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

379. Re: Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: UglyJohn@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38eb9ffe.274717776@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 115036

On Tue, 04 Apr 2000 22:47:02 GMT, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

If you really think you're speaking to Tolassi, then you really are a
moron.

380. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29281-38EBA114-21@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115037

Rfemitter,

Lots of wise observations coupled with a radical viewpoint. Who said,
"Power corrupts, absolute power corrupts absolutely?" Tell us how else
it should be done?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

381. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29281-38EBA319-23@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115038

Doc, great insightful email. As I read it, I wasn't aware of the author and was surpriised at the end to see your name. I applaud your telling the story with your own involvement in tact, because most of us find it impossible to be objective about ourselves.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

382. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115039

Well just a thought Doc? You sure get long winded.You got your fingers burned by Riley and you deserved it. Playing Hitler speeches on top of Bob and George got you popped buddy. Not once but TWICE, and now the bitter tears. Those of us who know and detest you realize you would normally have DEMANDED the tapes and what ever that the FCC had on you,instead you knew they could put you away and shutup. Good idea.
As for Fred Roll I had no idea his wife Rosey was in the truck when I asked him the queston, and I apologized and meant it. It's not my fault the bozo blamed me for his actions instead of standing up like a man and saying he lost his cool and would never do it again. Something you guys do alot.
Next: What about the things you have done the last decade? Driving WB4GDP nuts with you Holocaust rhetoric. Your comments that "may your holy water turn to hydrocloric acid" and your EVIL prayers broadcast on the ham bands. The way your buddies drove KA4MUJ to the brink of ham insanity. Condoning Pig Pen Pete and Roll's visit (packing weapons) to Mikes' QTH.
Not nice Doc. You got caught just like your friend in Easly. The B.A.R.F. won the war.
Also if 'OTK thinks he is going to come back and be the obnoxiuos bully he was, he is SORLEY mistake. You and your cronies are on the ropes and I for one are happy for it. Sign off Doc--Get another hobby

LT tolassi B.A.R.F retired
PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.

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383. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

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Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cgb1o$qd0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115040

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> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
> Bob stop being such a "nice guy". You know darn well that it's ABOUT
TIME Doc squirmed abit. I for one am enjoying seeing him twitch on the
end of Riley's rope.

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384. Re: AF2Y: another thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Time--2--Go@webtv.net
Message-ID: <7547-38EBADAF-33@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115041

>Oh, Lordy! This crowd's got more excuses >than Carter's got liver
pills!

>Let's see. How many excuses have we had >now?

>1) I didn't send it. It was a forgery.
>2) It was on "file". My wife accidentally sent it.
>3) I'm on medication. I sometimes have mood >swings because of it.
>4) It wasn't sent by U.S. mail, so it isn't valid.
>5) I wrote it for "therapy". It wasn't suppose to >be sent.

>And now the latest: "I was preoccupied with >the possibility my wife
might lose her tit and I >might think she's not a real woman any more."

>YOU ARE DISGUSTING PEOPLE! To bring >up PRIVATE medical information
about your >spouse to bolster your cause in getting back >on the air
without punishment is INSANE, >SICK AND DAMNED
>PERVERTED!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

>Unbelievable!!!!!!!!!!! Have they no >shame?????

I couldn't agree more, Paul. Shameful.

I.F.S.

385. Re: another thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <KuOG4.723$4c3.16401@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 115042

I'm sure the only reason Rich might be upset was the possible loss of his wife's paycheck. He might have to get a job and deal with the rest of the little people out here. Gerd, W2ISB

386. Preliminary unveiling: Capt. Truth, et al

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cgdsatke1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115043

According to the FCC, their "Capt. Truth" investigation is centered on
K4QIJ. Never heard of him.

LRod

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387. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cgdt6tlv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115044

In article <8cfo91dno1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Yesterday I made reference to the 14.313 yentas, washerwomen and
instigators
> as "Holligans" based on their predilection for "studying" all those
> enforcement letters from Riley which are immediately posted by Hap
Holly on
> his www.rainreport.com/ and then getting on that miserably corrupt
frequency
> to sanctimoniously and piously state their cases against anyone so
targeted.
> It's like the National Enquirer of amateur radio. And so here's
something to
> contemplate. Being that the enforcement letters are seen worldwide and
> neither Hap nor Riley have any reservations about allowing the
smearing of
> anyone who might get in enforcement's way, whether deserved or
undeserved,
> how about Hap offering equal time? Allow me to explain. As far as I
can
> understand it, freedom of speech is theoretically dead on .313; I
think it
> was Riley himself who stated that it doesn't apply to ham radio. It's
a
> bitter pill to swallow but why must it also apply to Hap's website?
Our
> rights are also going by the wayside on the Internet? Is this
acceptable to
> you? It isn't to me. If Hap offered equal time, I estimate the
> preponderance of hams wouldn't bother replying because the majority
have
> been CAUGHT IN THE ACT and that's that. But how about those poor
souls, me
> included, who are guilty, guilty, guilty without being guilty? Hell,
even
> QST picked up on my case by publishing Riley's remark that I never
disputed
> the charge. What ridiculousness-I was NEVER ASKED TO REPLY BY PHONE OR
BY
> LETTER BECAUSE NO EVIDENCE WAS EVER OFFERED BY TRANSCRIPT OR TAPE OF
MY
> INTERFERING WITH W4FQF and KB3MXL! Of course I replied to Riley-he has
the
> authority and deserved some type of reply-but I didn't stress the

charge of
> jamming because of lack of evidence. To what was I supposed to reply?
"The
> Commission has evidence that.....?"What kind of evidence? E mails from
> biased "Holligans?' The Herbie crowd? The anti-WB2OTK crowd?
Anti-Semites?
> Oh heck, let's skip it; enough of me- I'm posting this on behalf of
others
> who have been wounded by conspiracy. Take Fred Roll for example-a
nicer guy
> you'd never want to meet on the air or off. The guy gets "whacked" for
> blowing up at David Tolassi? For God's sake-at Dayton Fred had enough
on
> that Vermont cockroach to put him in the hospital but Fred chose to
shake
> hands. And what does the Green Mountain Greenhorn turn around and do?
Mock
> him some more on .313 and FRED GETS WHACKED? Talk about injustice and
rash
> improper action on the part of enforcement! Had the Commission taken
that
> Green Mountain crazy s.o.b. off the air years ago for jamming, tape
playing
> and annoying Intercon, there never would have been a reason for Fred's
> anger. I was privy to tons of harassment and slander thrown at Fred by
> Tolassi for a DECADE, and Fred gets whacked? Damn, it's enough to make
one
> lose faith in the justice system! Had Hap given Fred the chance to
explain
> before a WORLDWIDE audience, I'm sure he would have. And to add insult
to
> injury, who's on the air boasting about the "downfall" of Mr. Roll?
You
> guessed it."David Toiletsi, King Flush." And let's take the situation
with
> Rich,WB2OTK. When Riley's last letter was up on Hap's screen in the
blink of
> an eye, I began getting E mails and phone calls having the same theme,
?"You
> got nailed because you support Rich. Are you satisfied?" My answer? I
STILL
> SUPPORT WB2OTK! Riley offered him a break last year but Rich rejected
it
> without really thinking it over. Riley got angry and Rich got
frustrated
> from applied pressure. He typed an E mail to Riley resigning from ham
radio.
> I and others talked him out of sending it. Rich then agreed it would
have
> been wrong, tabled it but didn't DELETE. Uh oh! His wife that night

sits
> down at the computer and by accident launches the missive Riley's way
and
> wham. Riley accepts it although speculation arises on the legitimacy
of
> leaving ham radio by E mail. Mrs. Whiten swears before a judge that it
was
> SHE not her husband who sent it. Riley still accepts it because in my
> opinion having Rich off the air helped his agenda of putting a cork in
> 14.313 and 3.901. Rich could get back on by re-testing but he refuses
since
> he tested before the FCC to begin with. The protracted stalemate
begins with
> Riley holding all the cards. I wrote Mr. H. on behalf of Rich and many
feel
> I stepped in it because of doing so. My reply: it's my life; I don't
turn my
> back on friends and if you don't like it, take a hike! Now before
you go
> off half cocked convinced that I'm anti-Riley and anti-Commission,
allow me
> to clarify my position. You are mistaken! Before Riley showed up,
things
> were OUT OF HAND and I myself openly admit that AF2Y most certainly
was part
> of the problem and not the solution. I went overboard making it all
too
> obvious about whom I liked and despised. This was admitted to and
apologized
> for to Mr.H and I haven't had nor will I have an argument on the bands
ever
> again. Riley told me, "Enjoy the hobby" and by God, the man was 100%
on
> target. However I dispute all allegations of interfering with anyone,
> period! On the plus side, how can anyone fault Mr.H. for nabbing
persons
> having a pocketful of callsigns under false pretenses? How can one
fault
> Mr.H. for nabbing and eliminating persons who got their licenses
fraudently?
> How can anyone fault the man for nabbing jammers in the act and
removing
> them? We're talking about punishing true blue radio criminals and that
> should be applauded however enforcement can suffer the same stigma as
> individual hams who are more part of the problem that the solution. It
can
> err; it can be unfairly excessive and those hurt by it should be
afforded
> the same right to put their defense before the scrutiny of hams
worldwide as

> does the Commission its offense. I like Hap Holly, the man. Having had
a QSO
> or two with him, I appreciate his forthrightness and courage proving
that
> even one handicapped can come to the forefront of our great
hobby/service.
> By and large, his website is excellent and interesting. Now all I ask
is
> that it it be FAIR.
> 73,
> Doc,AF2Y

You have a nerve. Haps web page only reports the news. You want him to
only report what suits you. You sound like a Gore voter Doc.

Hap's web page is fair
>

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388. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

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Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <AxOG4.725$4c3.16426@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 115045

It seems like Doc has way too much time on his hands... think he could get a Taxi license? Gerd, W2ISB

389. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <KyOG4.726$4c3.16431@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 115046

Does the word moron and CBer fit? Gerd, W2ISB

"Robert Casey" <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:8cea54$66m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
>
> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.
>

390. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Neece <radioranch@qth.com>
Message-ID: <38EBAC43.18F9332D@qth.com>
Source record: 115047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc
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My wife had one of those enema machines too, but it couldnt translate nuthin!!! I did have some fun with the machine and her poodle tho', til is busted!!! (the poodle)....now I use it for drilling holes in the back yard to put ground rods in!! M

Don Bertone wrote:

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> > > 73, Jeff KH6O
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> That's a bad break. Now the Jerry's will know that we have it and change
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Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10703-38EBB956-87@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115048

dtollasi,

Yes, I hear what you are saying, but I think Doc's role is epitimized in his own writing. Is it possible that your bias is so deep that you are unable to understand him?

Mind you, I am not trying to be disrespectful to you. Yet I see all too often how biases color reason.

For example, I knew the late Mike Gallego, KA4MUJ. His tirades were, in my view, the result of severe mental disorder. So sick did he sound that I was ready to take the car up to Fort Lauderdale to calm him down. I never got the chance. In retrospect, his mental state could very well have been connected with his death.

Let's not lay guilt trips on our fellow hams.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
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From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cgff4$em7$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115049

Gertie, you have the compassion of a hangman.

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Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: radioranch.vcf

My wife had one of those enema machines too, but it couldnt translate
nuthin!!! I did have some fun with the machine and her poodle tho',
til is
busted!!! (the poodle)....now I use it for drilling holes in the back
yard
to put ground rods in!! M

Don Bertone wrote:

> andy wrote:
>
> > I heard they got the following ransom note---
> >
> > " sghee-keitm-fhgle-qwtyr-mjflk-bndfg-sdliy-zdgjh" and then in
> > handwriting it said, "or you will never see it again."
> >
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > >
> > > One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma
encryption
> > > machines was stolen from a London museum as per CNN. Please alert
> > > any Enigma collectors that you might know of. CNN said the museum
> > > has posted an announcement on a web site, but didn't give a URL.
> > > 73, Jeff KH6O
>
> That's a bad break. Now the Jerry's will know that we have it and
change
> their code. I thought they only kept them at Blechly Park? Who got
one
> out of there? Churchill is going to be pissed along with Roosevelt.
Does
> that meean D-Day is postponed or are they going ahead before it was
> scheduled to? You shouldn't have made a posting out here and the
press
> shouldn't have said anything because it may be only held by someone
who
> thinks they only got a typewriter. Now the Jerry's know we have it.
I
> hope they shoot you and the media for TREASON!!!!!!!!!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

395. Re: AF2Y: another thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cgfu1$ve1$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115052

What I wish for you is to become preoccupied and anxious over a health matter in your immediate family which will shut your stupid mouth and render your typing ability useless as if it's of any use now.

In article <7547-38EBADAF-33@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Time--2--Go@webtv.net (Isaac Shift) wrote:

>>Oh, Lordy! This crowd's got more excuses >than Carter's got liver
> pills!
>
>>Let's see. How many excuses have we had >now?
>
>>1) I didn't send it. It was a forgery.
>>2) It was on "file". My wife accidentally sent it.
>>3) I'm on medication. I sometimes have mood >swings because of it.
>>4) It wasn't sent by U.S. mail, so it isn't valid.
>>5) I wrote it for "therapy". It wasn't suppose to >be sent.
>
>>And now the latest: "I was preoccupied with >the possibility my wife
> might lose her tit and I >might think she's not a real woman any more."
>
>>YOU ARE DISGUSTING PEOPLE! To bring >up PRIVATE medical information
> about your >spouse to bolster your cause in getting back >on the air
> without punishment is INSANE, >SICK AND DAMNED
>>PERVERTED!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>>Unbelievable!!!!!!!!!!!! Have they no >shame?????
>
> I couldn't agree more, Paul. Shameful.
>
> I.F.S.
>

396. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cgfvv$ve1$2@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115053

Thanks Bob and I'm awaiting a reply from Hap.

In article <29281-38EBA319-23@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> Doc, great insightful email. As I read it, I wasn't aware of the author
> and was surpriised at the end to see your name. I applaud your telling
> the story with your own involvement in tact, because most of us find it
> impossible to be objective about ourselves.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

397. Re: KC8JBO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cghoi$20b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115054

Path: news!ord-feed.news.verio.net!nuq-peer.news.verio.net!
news.verio.net!newsfeed.mesh.ad.jp!newssvt07.tk!newsfeed.stanford.edu!
logbridge.uoregon.edu!news.maxwell.syr.edu!nntp2.deja.com!
nnrp1.deja.com!not-for-mail
From: richwhiten@hotmail.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: KC8JBO
Date: Wed, 05 Apr 2000 18:07:13 GMT
Organization: Deja.com - Before you buy.
Lines: 16
Message-ID: <8cfvc4$cm3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <8cbg66dju1@nnrp1.deja.com> <5576-38E9DBDD-12@storefull-
108.iap.bryant.webtv.net> <38EB49A1.5D53ECEB@ahole.com>
<8cfq5v$6ce$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.180.6.218
X-Article-Creation-Date: Wed Apr 05 18:07:13 2000 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.08 [en] (WinNT; U ;Nav)
X-Http-Proxy: 1.0 x42.deja.com:80 (Squid/1.1.22) for client
209.180.6.218

Hennepin County Library system server....

X-MyDeja-Info: XMYDJUIDgththtyj
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:13667
<richwhiten@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:8cfvc4$cm3
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Just stopping here for a "drive by".......Has the 'ole GOAT been
asking
> about me, HORSEHEAD?

Yeah, she wondered how you could be considered a man with the 10^-18
sized tool (YOUR atto-sex-organ, in other words). She said she made you
turn beet red when you couldn't get it up after 5 hours of trying. She
said at least she wanted something she could see without the aid of an
electron microscope.

Of course, we know this couldn't really happen, because you lack the
courage to even come by my house, don't you?

> Change Mommy's
> Pampers, they smell like they are full!

Oh, so YOU ADMIT having your nose in other peoples' rectums then?

BTW..I turned your e-mails in to the police today! Hohohohohohohoho
And I gave them a list of names, addresses, and phone numbers of who it

might be. Like (320) 283-5176. Wait..worry that it might be you that gets the knock on the door. Watch over your hunchbacked shoulders.. LOL!!!!!!

>
>
>
> PITBULL WITH AIDS
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

Changed back to hotmail from yahoo, huh? SPANK!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

398. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cggdq$4dk$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115055

David Toiletsi...pay attention to Bob. He speaks the truth. Your stupidity
is superceded only by your ignorance and if I figure right, the next test
you take to upgrage will bring you to Novice.

In article <10703-38EBB956-87@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> dtollasi,
>
> Yes, I hear what you are saying, but I think Doc's role is epitimized in
> his own writing. Is it possible that your bias is so deep that you are
> unable to understand him?
>
> Mind you, I am not trying to be disrespectful to you. Yet I see all too
> often how biases color reason.
>
> For example, I knew the late Mike Gallego, KA4MUJ. His tirades were, in
> my view, the result of severe mental disorder. So sick did he sound
> that I was ready to take the car up to Fort Lauderdale to calm him
> down. I never got the chance. In retrospect, his mental state could
> very well have been connected with his death.
>
> Let's not lay guilt trips on our fellow hams.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

399. Re: ICOM ad says it all (a piece of cake) Facts Just In!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EBC57C.9BEA725E@icss.net>
Source record: 115056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

> Yes, licensing is a piece of cake now (i.e. dumbed down).
> Just got the following e-mail from Bart Jahnke at the
> ARRL VEC for proof. It appears that a stream of idiots
> scrambling for the new "No Brain Required"
> licenses have back-logged the ARRL.

How could it have backlogged the ARRL?

> I thought
> restructuring was to move ham radio forward, but it won't
> be these hams that do it because they're to lazy to accomplish anything.
> Restructuring puts the word 'amateur' back in 'amateur radio'. You can bet
> these "Give me something for nothing" hams are gonna move
> ham radio forward. Yeah Right!

They'll have the same opportunity to not move amateur radio forward as you have had.

400. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Coyotes of the Canyon <fdecker@catskill.net>
Message-ID: <senhfhairfg121@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 115057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is probably revenge for the upcoming movie "U-571" due out 21 April,
in which an American commando team boards the eponymous U-boat to steal an
Enigma machine!

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8cejg4quf1@news.hawaii.edu...
> One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma encryption
> machines was stolen from a London museum as per CNN. >

401. Re: WB2OTK back on the air!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cghue$21u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115058

K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cg0qk$e6b$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8cfvrc$d4e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> richwhiten@hotmail.com wrote:
> > I will be back on 14.313 VERY SOON.......Stay tuned.
> >
> > Rich ex WB2OTK
>
> Hey dummy, if you're gonna try to forge the identity of
> WB2OTK, at least be clever enough to mask the fact that
> you're posting from a public computer in a library in
> east-central Minnesota!
>
> Some fools are so easy to spot!
>
> Hans
>
> --
> If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
> but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.

Send complaints to the Hennepin County Internet Librarian
gpeterson@hclib.org.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

402. Re: Enough! Who is Captain Truth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cgi6s$2iq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115059

John <UglyJohn@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:38eb9ffe.274717776@news.mindspring.com...
> On Tue, 04 Apr 2000 22:47:02 GMT, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

Too much of a newbie to put <snip>, huh?

> If you really think you're speaking to Tolassi, then you really are a
> moron.

And your callsign is?
I know EXACTLY who I'm talking to. So go back to your corner, you old
fool. The server is a dialup in the Atlanta area, sometimes, Which
comes from the convict O'Brainless, and Tolassi uses Together.net in
VT, which is the source of some of the posts. Learn to read.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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403. Re: From the Mouths of QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cgic9$2l5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115060

In article <20362-38EB9633-29@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> They have the ear of the FCC. These are hams not content with
cleaning
> up the bands nor letting the past fade. Rather these comprise the
> status quo on 14313, a group out to destroy hams they dislike.
>
> Now ruled by mob mentality, 313 is a frequency where individual
opinion
> is not tolerated and to be accepted means caving in to the will of the
> group. Even hams known for their decency will throw in a barb during
> your transmissions to impress the group.
>
> This morning I tried to break in to 313. Retorted a ham, "You're not
> welcome here." Then another weighed in: "He's a trouble maker."
Before
> I knew it, a conversation was underway about how bad I was. (Mind
you,
> I've been off the air for 5 years and have no intention of arguing on
> the air.)
>
> The repartee went like this: "He sounds like Raincoat Charlie." "We
> have a qrmer on the frequency." "He's a fag." It didn't stay like
> that, because these hams signed out and I was picked up by KB4MXL and
> W2EXQ, who were very much gentlemen.
>
> Of all the alleged trouble on ham radio, such behavior is unacceptably
> worse than much of what has been sanctioned thus far.
>
> First, arrogating power over a frequency squarely violates Part 97, a
> transgression that is readily provable on its face. Secondly, you
have
> a group of guys weighing in based upon no more than the lead guy's
> prejudice. And third, you have an ongoing train of talk among this
> group portraying the breaker, who did nothing more than say "break"
and
> "W4ASX", as someone ripe for FCC sanction.
>
> Having done investigative reports on ham radio's deepening difficulty
> for over a decade, I know that some who have gotten letters from Riley
> deserve them far less than some who are confidantes and otherwise
> esteemed. Moreover, more hams have been intentionally run off of 313
> than remain there. I, for one, have no intention of abandoning a
> frequecy to which I'm entitled.

>
> To the FCC: Can we even the playing field, so everyone who acts
contrary
> to Part 97 is called to task, not just a few on one side of the body
> politic?
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
>
Now tell them how it went with you when you called in on 14.275, the
Goodfellows. You know the ones that are the "bad guys" according to
some.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

404. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cgh3rsur1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115061

In article <8cgdt6tlv1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> You have a nerve. Haps web page only reports the news. You want him to
> only report what suits you. You sound like a Gore voter Doc

To be quite frank Toiletsi I'm surprised you can actually understand what I write when taking into consideration your uncouth behavior augmented by an imbecilic state of concentration. When considering your new line of work the best we can all wish for is for you to become a human conductor accommodating one million volts.
AF2Y

405. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net>
Message-ID: <38EBBAB0.4AF6B37C@foxvalley.net>
Source record: 115062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Coyotes of the Canyon wrote:
>
> This is probably revenge for the upcoming movie "U-571" due out 21 April,
> in which an American commando team boards the eponymous U-boat to steal an
> Enigma machine!
>
> "Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> news:8cejg4quf1@news.hawaii.edu...
> > One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma encryption
> > machines was stolen from a London museum as per CNN. >

Hummmmmmm ancient crap who cares!

--

The Box said "Win95,98,2000 NT4.0 or better" So I installed Linux !

'73 de David--kb9lpk <><

e-mail:kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net
homepg:http://users.foxvalley.net/~kb9lpk-3
hamorg:kb9lpk@kb9lpk.ampr.org.

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http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
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406. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EBCDAC.7A6833FB@icss.net>
Source record: 115063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

Michael Borowiec wrote:

> In article <sej69tg3eop156@corp.supernews.com>,
> Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote:
> >Code haters say that CW is out dated and digital is all that matters in order
> >for ham radio to move forward, but you code haters are a pack of fools and
> >lack the ambition to move ham radio forward and accomplish something.
> ....
>
> This newsgroup seems to be populated by two distinct groups - bitter
> old men, and snot-nosed teenagers. Where's the middle aged firmly on
> middle ground?
>
> I'm 40, and just passed my Extra. I could have passed 4B and waited
> til April 15, but I did 1C the old fashioned way because it gave me
> satisfaction. It did NOT make me a superior being...
>
> I support the restructuring because it was necessary for the survival
> of ham radio at a time when "under-utilized spectrum" is being auctioned
> off to the highest bidder. I enjoy operating CW, but as anything other
> than a nice, quaint pasttime, it is obsolete (i.e. not used commercially
> at all anywhere).
>
> Many of the smartest E.E.s I know are Techs, while some of the biggest
> buffoons on the air hold Extra tickets. Obviously, the ability to copy
> 20wpm Morse code has done nothing to "weed out" morons, and it is
> certainly no measure of operator "class"!
> 73, Mike, WA9CQ

Mike, congratulations on your upgrade. Good going.

Brian/N0iMD

407. FS Kenwood TMV-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Dropp <ddropp@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <38ebcdda$0$40643@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 115064

For Sale a Kenwood TMV-7A Dual Band Radio in out of the box new condition, the radio has never been mobil and the mic cord is not even stretched out. Comes complete with all packing material and manual 350.00 plus shipping.

408. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EBD055.F73C7188@icss.net>
Source record: 115065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> In article <38EA9CB5.9D87E13B@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> >Brian wrote:
>
> >> Keith, please don't taunt Jeff. He'll come back with yet more irrelevant Coast
> >> Guard stories.
>
> >Perhaps so, but since I have him filtered . . . hehehehehehe
>
> But you just made a *direct* response to one of my posts last week.

Big, big mistake. ;^)

409. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EBD430.2F442181@icss.net>
Source record: 115066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >> *Their* years of whining has pushed us back to the 1912 testing speed of
> >> 5 wpm.
>
> >And that is a damned good start. Five wpm was relevant in 1912. It is not
> >relevant today.
>
> Oh, I don't know -- there are, by several magnitudes, more Morse users
> today than then in 1912.

Good. No need to force anyone else to learn it.

410. Re: another thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13231-38EBD04A-50@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115067

Gerd, Happens that I've known Rich, his Wife and Daughter over a period of years. I have always been impressed by--and somewhat envious of--their closeness and the Whiten's superb parenting skills.

Gerd, let me be the first to tell you that your put-down is, in fact, far from reality.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

411. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sideband@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38EBDA56.45D73E03@mindspring.com>
Source record: 115068

LRod wrote:

> In article <38EB5635.6E9AC6DB@nashville.com>,
> Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:
> > LRod wrote:
> > >
> > > Your metaphor sucks. The correct version is, "couldn't empty a water
> > > filled boot with the instructions on the sole."
> >
> > To be precise...it's "couldn't pour piss out of a boot even with
> > instructions on the sole".
> >
> > But, who's precise these days?
>
> Now that you mention it, I do recall that. I stand corrected. Thanks.
>
> LRod

I thought it was "with the instructions written on the heel".

412. Re: FCC Reverses in Partial Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Adams <ke8hh@arrl.com>
Message-ID: <CF9D143A59F15989.C98143F33CEDC170.912AF13A0F1F1F8E@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 115069
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.flame,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 10:15:53 GMT, nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org
(Tomas - NW7US) wrote:

>Looks like complaints work. Or don't -- depending on your view of things. News bulletin is out regarding the latest FCC changes to the Amateur licensing.
>
>Are you ready for your retesting for code?
>
>I've listed the latest news at http://hfradio.org - right on the main page you'll find the link to the latest on the FCC decision.
>
>Guess I have to brush up now.
>
>73
>
>73 de NW7US, Tomas

Now that was mean!

You just turned on all the cw-fanatics and gave meaning to
their lives!

Wait until they realize the _date_ it was posted! :-)

Rick <ke8hh>

--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@arrl.net
adamsr@voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

413. AF2Y: a Miami explosion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cgmek$2n7$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115070

How 'bout this one? All of you, hammer007 and other knuckleheads, stop to consider this. The Cubans especially in Miami are getting hot as hell over the Elian matter. There are lots of them too. Now suppose we begin to see a vision of let's say Watts or Detroit or Newark back in the '60s. Remember those garden parties folks? Burn baby burn and all that stuff amounting to many millions upon millions of dollars repairing the damage? No one wants to see anyone or any group break the law especially in riotous rancor but IT HAPPENS and it's going to happen again. Absolutely illegal and unjustified and in defiance of American law but it's going to happen not only down there but up here in Union City, New Jersey.
What then are we supposed to do about angry people going beserk? Did we gun down angry Blacks in the '60s? Didn't they riot, burn and loot but what was our response? Rat a tat tat with machine guns? You bet not. Do we shoot Mexicans coming across our borders illegally? No. And are we going to shoot rioting Cubans if indeed someone does set off the fuse? You bet not and a great city like Miami will sustain an unbelievable amount of damage. All who say that Casto has us where he wants us would be right if Elian is ordered home with poppa because we not would not only look bad in the eyes of a world which looks to America for hope but Fidel will get one hell of a laugh as cities go up in flames. Those who say that Miami Cubans are blackmailing the government by threatening riots are RIGHT but what's better-to see the bigwigs from INS stand up and beat their chests like King Kong proclaiming that NOBODY DICTATES TO US or seeing mass rioting especially when we will not use force of arms to stop it? Yes, if the Cubans knew that insurrection would be met with gunfire, none would be stupid enough to go off the deep end but that ain't the case hams and hamlets. Carter, Reagan, Bush and Clinton welcomed them in most cordially and now there's trouble in River City and a stupid, uncaring act by our government will make all of them rue the day when they beckoned, "Come on over." For those of you who've never seen beautiful "palmtreed" Miami, you're missing something. It's a magnificent place which I personally have delighted in visiting in addition to Miami Beach. You can get a great corned beef sandwich on rye along Collins Avenue. I'd hate like hell to see everything go up in flames and it just might happen. Miss Reno, the fire at Waco has been haunting you for years. Do you really need the additional flames of Miami?
AF2Y

414. Re: From the Mouths of QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13232-38EBD6FA-24@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 115071

Funny Dan,

Those "bad folks" on 14275 acted like the good guys, ha, ha. But in all fairness to 313, it isn't everyone who misbehaves, only a clique at 10 AM EDST this morning.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

415. Re: AF2Y: a Miami explosion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1d738020.e159d696@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com>
Source record: 115072

Isn't there another newsgroup that would be better suited than
this ham radio one? I know you are hurting for attention, but do
you have to stoop so low to do this?

Besides, it is.....#3 BBOOOORRRRRIIIIIINNNNNNGGGGGGGG

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416. Re: Alinco DJ-V5T mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benjamin Ng <kk7ben@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <38EBEDBF.11FFF777@arrl.net>
Source record: 115073

I think I saw one posted at www.mods.dk Good luck.

Benjamin
KK7BEN

Jim wrote:

> On Wed, 05 Apr 2000 13:39:35 GMT, somoted@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> >Does anyone know what the total modification result is after cutting the blue
> >wire to frequency modify the Alinco DJ-V5T is?
>
> I'm curious too...I just bought one from Lentini today @ $209.95.
>
> The Alinco web site says 76 to 999.995 except 824 - 850 cellular
> blocked.
>
> Jim
> KG4GXP

417. WANTED: ICOM IC-T7H modification data...Can the Tx be expanded???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Snodgrass <jas466@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <8cgsed$flk@r02n01.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 115074

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University Police
Security and Traffic unit
The Pennsylvania State University
jas466@police.psu.edu
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418. TOW THE PARTY LINE OR YOU ARE NEXT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Widow@wol.be
Message-ID: <V6S0PD7636621.0858912037@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 115110

be careful how you talk about Heir Hollingshimmler and his henchmen.
you will be hunted down by his OO-Gestopo lackys.
They will stalk you at your house and follow you in your mobile
waiting for you to make a mistake so Heir Hollingshimmler
can write you the dreaded letter which makes you guilty no matter what.
you must must must must not talk about anything that upsets
Heir Hollingshimmler or anything not approved by him
or the central committee. if you do they will "start a file"
on you and then your goose is cooked sooner or later.
the OO-snitches will see to it.

and never never offend an OO or he will report you and
you will see your callsign on the rain report.
be a good little stooge or they will sudden find out
you are a "jammer."

and all the arrl toadies shouted

"heil Hollingshimler!"
"seig Hiram! seig Hiram! seig Hiram!"

419. Re: TOW THE PARTY LINE OR YOU ARE NEXT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ce2jh$8ru$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115111

In article <V6S0PD7636621.0858912037@anonymous.poster>,
Widow@wol.be (Anonymous remailer) wrote:
> be careful how you talk about Heir Hollingshimmler and his henchmen.
> you will be hunted down by his OO-Gestopo lackys.
> They will stalk you at your house and follow you in your mobile
> waiting for you to make a mistake so Heir Hollingshimmler
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> you will see your callsign on the rain report.
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>
> and all the arrl toadies shouted
>
> "heil Hollingshimler!"
> "seig Hiram! seig Hiram! seig Hiram!"
>
>
Thats good !!! LOL !!!

Dan/W4NTI
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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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420. Re: TOW THE PARTY LINE OR YOU ARE NEXT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ce451$ao8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115112

In article <V6S0PD7636621.0858912037@anonymous.poster>,
Widow@wol.be (Anonymous remailer) wrote:
> be careful how you talk about Heir Hollingshimmler and his henchmen.
> you will be hunted down by his OO-Gestopo lackys.
> They will stalk you at your house and follow you in your mobile
> waiting for you to make a mistake so Heir Hollingshimmler
> can write you the dreaded letter which makes you guilty no matter
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> and never never offend an OO or he will report you and
> you will see your callsign on the rain report.
> be a good little stooge or they will sudden find out
> you are a "jammer."
>
> and all the arrl toadies shouted
>
> "heil Hollingshimler!"
> "seig Hiram! seig Hiram! seig Hiram!"

Here's some German for you:

"Lech mich am Arsch."

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE|ARES/RACES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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421. Re: TOW THE PARTY LINE OR YOU ARE NEXT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ce4i5$b4g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115113

In article <8ce451$ao8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <V6S0PD7636621.0858912037@anonymous.poster>,
> Widow@wol.be (Anonymous remailer) wrote:
> > be careful how you talk about Heir Hollingshimmler and his henchmen.
> > you will be hunted down by his OO-Gestopo lackys.
> > They will stalk you at your house and follow you in your mobile
> > waiting for you to make a mistake so Heir Hollingshimmler
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> what.
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> > or the central committee. if you do they will "start a file"
> > on you and then your goose is cooked sooner or later.
> > the OO-snitches will see to it.
> >
> > and never never offend an OO or he will report you and
> > you will see your callsign on the rain report.
> > be a good little stooge or they will sudden find out
> > you are a "jammer."
> >
> > and all the arrl toadies shouted
> >
> > "heil Hollingshimler!"
> > "seig Hiram! seig Hiram! seig Hiram!"
>
> Here's some German for you:
>
> "Lech mich am Arsch."

Damn..forgot the LOL!

> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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422. Re: W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ce4nbber1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115114

Alcoholic Jimmy O' Brien drooled as
meRoger NotaWiseman <Im2Stupid@webtv.net> wrote in message news:5576-
38E9DAB0-11@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> Previous post by N9PGE, Mick Slater. One of the new internet harassers
> and qrm'ers recruited by the gayfellows. Such a bad alcoholic he
lost
> his family and his career. His own brother does not even want to see
> him. Drink up Mick, soon Riley will nail you jamming as well, you
> drunken hump.

How much money did YOU blow on drugs and alcohol, Dimmy?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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423. Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ce4e8$b30$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115115

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From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Re: CAPTAIN TRUTH "NAILED, BAGGED.,DELIVERED TO FCC
Date: Tue, 04 Apr 2000 20:55:31 GMT
Organization: Deja.com - Before you buy.
Lines: 64
Message-ID: <8cdkrppls1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <8c7ra3dsm1@nnrp1.deja.com> <38E8AE31.804B24C@ahole.com>
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X-Article-Creation-Date: Tue Apr 04 20:55:31 2000 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.0; Windows 98;
DigExt)
X-Http-Proxy: 1.1 x37.deja.com:80 (Squid/1.1.22) for client
63.254.136.24
X-MyDeja-Info: XMYDJUIDw4fqf
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:13567

Hostname: MMPHA010-0786.splitrock.net
IP Address: 63.254.136.24

<w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cdkrppls1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Dan:
>
> There is no use discussing this subject again with you. You are not
> acting rational. I will put you in the same category as your minion in
> West Va, and your boss in Easly S.C. In the future feel free to lie ,
> bend the truth, and anything else you are so good at doing about me if
> it makes you feel good.. There will be no words from me. I will
however
> check in on any frequency within the rules, to talk to my friends. It
> is depressing to read your posts. I see a very unhappy man.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952

Poor baby.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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424. Gordon West's (WB6NOA) Radio school, online?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8cpa@qsl.net
Message-ID: <38ea99fe.29417495@netnews.att.net>
Source record: 115116

Anyone got a URL for his school? I got his book from Radio Shack for the General, I wanna get the new book with new questions for the new extra test. I love Gordon's style of writing study manual's... can anyone give me a URL? or does he even have one?

73's

-Chuck

Soon to be General class.

Chuck K8CPA
Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
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MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com
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Firetalk:237969
AOL IM: RadioMan29
Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
(Download at http://www.firetalk.com)

425. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EA9CB5.9D87E13B@bctv.com>
Source record: 115117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Brian wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
>
> > W6RCecilA wrote:
> > >
> > > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > > I'm not pushing anyone or anything. I was quite happy with the status quo.
> > >
> > > How about the April 16 status quo? :-)
> >
> > His problem is that he will lose a lot of his puff rights when we all
> > become 5 WPM Extras.
> >
> > Funny how none of the competent Extras who I know personally are upset
> > about this -- one said simply "if I need to prove anything, I'll just
> > send the phone book at 35 WPM."
> >
> > Jeffrey probably isn't sure that he can prove competence at 20 WPM (much
> > less high speeds), so his only "proof of skill" is that Extra ticket.
>
> Keith, please don't taunt Jeff. He'll come back with yet more irrelevant Coast
> Guard stories.

Perhaps so, but since I have him filtered . . . hehehehehehe
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426. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EA9D2E.814C1F9D@bctv.com>
Source record: 115118

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Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
> > I rarely use anything except
> > digital anymore. PACTOR II is a dream come true. It will
> > maintain copy when I can't even hear the signal.
>
> Do you ever miss the human touch of communicating with something other
> than a machine??
>
> - Jon NU4JJ

You mean like Beep Mode? hehehehehehh
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427. Re: Ham radio in new movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EA9DB8.3474985C@bctv.com>
Source record: 115119

Rfemitter wrote:
>
>
> Yeah and there's a new movie out with a guy who goes 30 years into the future
> with a ham radio. It's called Stabbed in the Back To The Future.
> He gets on the air and is hit with a massive fine for transmitting on
> government owned frequencies 14.313 and 3950. He realizes that the Government
> is out of control and has taken over the lives of everyone.
> He is then attacked by a senile old FCC enforcer named Riley
> Hollingworth and his new wife Janet Reno..

Sorry, this doesn't qualify as science fiction. SF must feature some
level of possibility, and I just can't suspend my disbelief enough to
buy the idea that Janet Reno is heterosexual.

428. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of... Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: fmaxsc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <38eacbf4.36442366@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 115120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

I'm 47, have BA, BS, M.Ed., Ph.D, extra call for many many years, lived and traveled around the world, speak two languages (curse in neither), and I'm not an ounce better than anyone else in any way. I have been able to take advantage of opportunities that others have provided. The restructuring will provide opportunities for many. I just hope that most get beyond the "hardening of the categories" and encourage the hobby to grow.

Fred Maxwell
WA4PAV / 3DA0AH

429. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ce7jtejv1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115121
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Strabo <strabo@flashmail.com> wrote:
>There may be some hams still around from the time when the federal
>government decided to kick the operators off their preferred frequencies
>and stuck them with higher bands that didn't work well with equipment
>of the time.

That was 1912; amateurs were restricted to the frequencies 1.5 MHz and higher ("200 meters and down"). Hams redesigned their equipment and discovered that the government had given them a gold mine -- they discovered that worldwide communication was possible on those bands that we now call the MF and HF frequencies.

>Did they do this to benefit the public?

Certainly. For example, it made transiting the high seas much safer.

>No, it was said to be for commerce.

And it *was* for commerce. Amateurs had to be segregated from the maritime and naval radio traffic, for, prior to 1912, it was a free-for-all -- amateurs intentionally interfered with ship-to-shore radio communications endangering the lives of all those on the high seas. Hams hindering the passing of Titanic-related traffic finally was the last straw. Radio law came into being. There are dozens of radio history books available which will document the total mess which existed prior to licensing; separation of the radio services *had* to take place.

>Because a deal had been cut with RCA
>and other lucrative contracts and Tesla was out of the way, the road
>was paved for a rosy future.

Whatever credibility you *might* have had just went out the Windows. RCA was created on October 17th, 1919, fully five years after amateurs were relocated up to 1.5 MHz and above. Prior to WWI, the only "broadcasters" were amateurs themselves; equipment was still very crude, most of it home-built. Only because of the World War did radio and electronics rapidly advance, permitting the concept of "broadcasting" to come into being. See "History of Radio to 1926," by Archer.

> But first it was necessary to pacify
>the public and force licensing in order to ensure control.

Nonsense. There was no concept of "broadcasting" which existed when radio law came into force in 1912; when radio was shut down in

1917 due to WWI, there was still no concept of commercial broadcasting.
None whatsoever.

>I have the advantage of not being a lawyer.

That's no excuse for not studying radio history.

>So a peculiar short in a powerline that causes interference
>an operator?

The responsible "operator" is the owner of that power line.

>Qualified legal experts are precisely why the US is in such a
>precarious position. Most citizens by far care little and know less
>about interfering with radio waves. Like a busy intersection
>without a stoplight, drivers learn to cooperate thus allowing
>the traffic to flow.

Poor analogy. In your intersection, drivers can see other drivers
and avoid interfering with each other. But as you pointed out above,
"most citizens by far care little and know less about interfering
with radio waves." Also, radio waves, unlike cars, are not visible;
an unknowing operator manning a transmitter can create a huge
swath of interference affecting aviation, maritime, broadcast, public
safety, etc. communications. Thus, a need does exist for government
control of the RF spectrum.

Your uncontrolled intersection with all drivers cooperating is a
fantasy; there will always be selfish drivers who will not cooperate,
leaving behind mayhem.

>conditions. Such is the case with the massive body of law
>and regulation. It develops and encourages dependency and
>is not capable of adapting to conditions making justice a
>theosphical theory and efficiency impossible.

Nice dream. It reminds me of the school of thought which says that
students have the ability to create their own mathematics necessary
to solve a given problem. That's like asking someone to build a
building without providing him the tools to do so. Give him the
tools, then he can build. Provide those students with the needed
techniques, then they can solve.

>What has happened to CB radio since the first days of licensing?
>It got raucous and nasty, quieted down and emerges years later
>as a workable system to the point where self-assigned numbers
>and names serve as identifiers.

Workable system? There goes your credibility again!

>A crude example since the frequency is not very good for distance or
>local,

A frequency is either useful for local or for distance communications
(and, at different times, both).

>the general public was never involved

Part 95 communications was/is open to the public.

>and the only knowledgable people, the hams, never
>invested their expertise to educate the CB users.

The FCC's Part 95 regulations were/are all that's needed to educate
those users: Power output limited to 4 watts, no external power
amplifiers, antenna must be no more than 20 feet above its supporting
structure and no more than 60 feet above ground, only FCC type accepted
equipment, no internal modifications permitted, no obscene language,
no interfering with others, no one-way transmissions, no music, whistling,
or other sound effects, no communications greater than 155 miles, no
communications with foreign users, et cetera. Many of the users have
ignored the regulations causing the channels to become utterly useless.
It's just like your make-believe uncontrolled intersection -- selfish
drivers, ignoring protocol, causing traffic-jamming accidents.

>But like the intersection example, solutions do emerge without the need
>for heavy handed law.

Your uncontrolled intersection has already had a dozen accidents today,
two of which were fatal, yet it's only 4pm. What until the drunks come out
after midnight.

Jeff KH6O

430. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ce86g$f6p$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115122

In article <1918d8a0.44905459@usw-ex0105-038.remarq.com>,
wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Had Elian's mother survived, she should have been charged
>with reckless endangerment of a child.

Nope. Hundreds of thousands of refugees (Cuban, Haitian, Vietnamese)
are in the US, having risked life and limb in unseaworthy craft
in order to escape from their homelands. They've all been welcomed.

431. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ce8qifqo1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 115123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38EA9CB5.9D87E13B@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Brian wrote:

>> Keith, please don't taunt Jeff. He'll come back with yet more irrelevant Coast
>> Guard stories.

>Perhaps so, but since I have him filtered . . . hehehehehehh

But you just made a *direct* response to one of my posts last week.

432. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8ce9mile1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004041944160.132-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>,
D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
>The "No-Code" Technician Class was implemented in 1991, not 1987.
>
Also, no coders don't have access to HF anyway. So these so called ex-CBers
can't have had *any* impact on HF. Only after they learn some code can
they have upgraded and gotten on HF.

433. Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8cea54$66m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 115125

Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.

Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

434. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8ce8fa$99t$4@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 115126
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

jonesgil@usa.net writes:

>>Because they don't take directional fixes.

>Don't you really mean - because they "do" take
>a directional fix... After all - without a direction
>component - you can not resolve a direction.
>Since a direction IS resolved from the satellite
>then - ergo - there must be a direction component.
>And with two direction components - you have
>a fix. Simple idea - Simple math - simple system -

No, I meant exactly what I said.

The only method that is precise enough is to use time delays.

Each measurement provides a radius on which the object can be located.
But two measurements are not enough - as two intersecting circles will
have two points where they cross. Three measurements are required to
provide a direction. Four measurements will provide an altitude (if
such is desired) as well.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

435. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38EAB244.58EDFED4@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 115127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

> Who cares if he quits?
>

Ramona

436. Windows HAM radio software at http://www.dxsoft.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: amx@i.am
Message-ID: <8cee6u$ll3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115128

Hello, All!

I want attend your attention to our WWW-site -
"Windows HAM Radio software by the DxSoft grop"

URL is http://www.dxsoft.com

There are next software:

RZ4AG AALog HAM logger
Platform: Windows 3.1x/9x/NT
AALog is a comprehensive logger program designed for
amateur radio station operators. It has convenient
interface, good set of tools, fast and very easy in use. It
look like your paper log an use all power of your
computer. It is able to be integrated with the CW terminal
program CwType, morse decoder CwGet and
RTTY/PSK31 software TrueTTY

UA9OSV TrueTTY - RTTY and PSK31 software
Platform: Windows 9x/NT
Program to receive and transmit RTTY (radioteletype)
and PSK31 (BPSK mode) via sound card. No additional
hardware required - your need only transceiver and
computer with sound card.
Optionally you can use simple circuit for PTT-control.

UA9OSV CwGet morse decoder
Platform: Windows 9x/NT
Program to decode morse code (CW) via sound card. No
additional hardware required - your need only receiver
and computer with sound card.
It is software morse decoder that REALLY work!

UA9OSV CwType morse terminal
Platform: Windows 9x
The terminal program for CW-operators. You can
transmit both from the keyboard and from the paddle
connected to a joystick- or LPT-connector.

Best regards,
Sergei,
UA9OSV
http://www.dxsoft.com

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

437. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: khenynbilt@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <ngeles844f3vhkmet042v7e4jvp9eov2mf@4ax.com>
Source record: 115129

Ditto!

On Mon, 03 Apr 2000 10:38:21 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>What's happening to Art is a very good example of what's happening
>to several hams these days:
>To be accused makes you automatically guilty in the eyes of most people.
>It's a shameful situation.
>
>D.S.

438. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38EABB2A.C882DCDF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 115130

Robert Casey wrote:
>
> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
>
> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

There was a guy in suburban St Louis, St Charles, actually, in the
late 60s, early 70s who not only used an Echoplex on his
transmitter, but all manner of music sources, sound effects and
multiple voices. The quality of the sound was wonderful...We found
that was because he was using a heavily modified Collins transmitter
and about near a Kilowatt. Nightly he would put on his show. I still
have tapes of the night that Uncle Charlie came calling on old Echo.
The show was good, but came to an abrupt screeching halt.
To answer your question? Because they can. And for many of the
same reasons they adjust SWR by trimming the coax.

439. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Johnson - KC7ZWG <kc7zwg@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <38EABE1F.D1079A4@earthlink.net>
Source record: 115131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

hey there,
also have a 847 and was wondering what you did to fix it?

Dwight Stewart wrote:

> I have a Yaesu FT-847 that has VERY weak AM modulation (I've had many
> reports to that effect). Its been that was since purchase, so I suspect
> poor factory adjustment. Front panel mic gain/power adjustments seem to
> have no benefitial effect.
>
> Is there a simple pot, trimmer, or other component, that I can adjust
> to set AM modulation (which one), or should I send it back to Yaesu for repair?
>
> Email replies preferred, but not required.
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

440. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38eac057.91317339@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 115132
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 4 Apr 2000 12:05:34 -0700, davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:

>jonesgil@usa.net writes:
>
>>>Because they don't take directional fixes.
>
>>Don't you really mean - because they "do" take
>>a directional fix... After all - without a direction
>>component - you can not resolve a direction.
>>Since a direction IS resolved from the satellite
>>then - ergo - there must be a direction component.
>>And with two direction components - you have
>>a fix. Simple idea - Simple math - simple system -
>
>But it's not how the ELT location system works.
An ELT just transmits an AM signal on 121.5MHz or 243MHz

I have apent too many hours in Cessnas and Pipers
at tree tops in the mountains for C.A.P. not to know
how the system works.

>Ultimately, you're trying to establish a *position* for the transmitter.
Yes -

>You can do this by taking angular bearings from several locations, and
>then see where the bearing lines cross. That's how much land-based
>radio direction finding works.
So -

>You can find a position by measuring absolute distance from a set of
>ground stations using the time it takes radio signals to propagate
>from one to the other. Once you know the distance from each ground
>station to the target, you can draw a circle of that radius around
>the location of each station and see where the circles intersect.
>Simple in principle, but requires precise time sync between transmitter
>and receiver.
Not for ELTs
Not satellites
Not CBs

>In practice, this is actually done by measuring the *difference* in
>time of arrival, not absolute time of arrival, of radio signals.
>For any two fixed stations, a third station that sees a given time
>offset between signals from those two stations must be somewhere on
>a hyperbola of constant time offset. Use 3 or more stations in

>pairs, and you get 2 or 3 of these lines, and the intersection tells
>you where the unknown station is. This is how LORAN works, and GPS
>is very similar.
Not ELTs
Not CBs
Not satellites

>But the ELT-finding system uses non of these methods. It uses the
>moving satellite and a ground receiver to measure Doppler shift of
>the ELT transmitter.
Yes

>For a given instant in time, the locations on
>the ground that can have a particular Doppler shift as seen by
>the satellite forms a particular line along the ground. But as the
>satellite moves, the Doppler shift changes, and the shape of the
>line on the ground with that particular Doppler shift also moves.
>There will be only one point on the ground that gives the *particular*
>pattern of change in Doppler shift seen from one or two continuous
>satellite passes.
Even more important - that absolute delta in signal
when the satellite changes position from the transmitter
being "header of" to being "behind" the satellite.
At that instant - the transmitter on the ground is
"in line" with the satellite. Since the position of the
satellite is known - the DIRECTION is known.

>
>So the system can establish a position on the ground, without ever
>having the ability to take a directional fix at any instant in time.
The satellite just has a transponder on board -
rebroadcasting the ELT (or whatever) signal.

>In fact, the satellite doesn't even have any measuring equipment
>on it - all it does is receive the signal at one frequency,
>translate it to another frequency and retransmit it. All the measuring
>electronics and computation hardware is on the ground.
So what?

I said
"Don't you really mean - because they "do" take
a directional fix... After all - without a direction
component - you can not resolve a direction.
Since a direction IS resolved from the satellite
then - ergo - there must be a direction component.
And with two direction components - you have
a fix. Simple idea - Simple math - simple system - "

I said they take a directional fix -
You agree don't you?

I stated a direction IS RESOLVED from the satellite.
You agree don't you?

Why are you arguing with me?
In order to get a directional fix - your
measurement must have a direction component.

> Dave

Dave - I believe we are in violent agreement.
I naver said that the satellite had a 1940s
vintage loop antenna and some servo
wildly turned the loop to get a direction
did I?

Gil

441. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryn@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <tihjessvha66ds3jug8orv0gbc9o83rqs8@4ax.com>
Source record: 115133
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 3 Apr 2000 10:43:31 -0700, davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) ,
sharing an opinion worldwide on misc.survivalism, and inviting
comments from others, caused the following words to appear on our
monitors:

>Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> writes:
>
>>Correct. But I was answering the original question - which WAS about
>>using directional fixes.
>
>In Usenet, the articles are arranged in a tree that shows which article
>you are following up - i.e. which one you were reading when you wrote your
>reply. If you had followed up the *original* article, it would have been
>clear that this is the context that you were replying in.
>
>Instead, your comments about directional fixes from satellites were
>posted as a followup to and article that was clearly talking about
>using Doppler effects for position location, not directional fixes.
>That's the context of your article, and that's why it caused so much
>puzzlement. You weren't contributing to the discussion in progress
>in that thread, but leaping back to the original question.
>
>If you wanted to comment on the original question, it would have been
>better to post your article as a followup to *that* article.
>
> Dave

Um, not always true, Dave, depends on what news reader one is using
and what options one is using. Went through this a few weeks ago with
Velek over a "NT" [no text] post that didn't tie to anything.

Forte Agent allows sorting of incoming group by thread, subject,
author, date or size, and most don't show the tree structure.

...larryn
"/ Simul Justus et Peccator / "

442. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cj86b$11d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114884

In article <23684-38ECCCB1-28@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> dtollasi,
>
> We've never met nor do I have any preconceived notions. If you feel
the
> emotion of hate, as you report, why not turn it around? Escalating
hate
> merely stirs your own cauldron of rage. It surely doesn't do a thing
to
> the other guy.
>
> Here's a suggestion: Behave in a way that makes you very proud of
> yourself. Then, paying no attention to the excesses of others, live
> your life in the most spiritual way possible.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
>
Forget it Bob, David is not happy until he has a controvesy going. He
thrives on it.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

443. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net>
Message-ID: <38ECD9AF.903DD5FD@foxvalley.net>
Source record: 114885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

q wrote:
>
> > yes; crap, no. Millions died to defeat Hitler so that you could sit in
> > safety and plenty, making snide comments about things you obviously know
>
> ...and as well as sitting in safety and plenty, the countries who were
> rescued by the US no sit smuggly back and take potshots at the US, telling
> us how awful we are and how they are superior to us!
>
> Riot in the street. Throw (or worse bomb or shoot) things at the US
> embassy. Attack US tourists.
>
> GO FIGURE! I guess it's human nature not to be thankful for assistance in
> times of dire peril. Countries and people collectively seem to have short
> memories!

Well after all these years it sure looks like the propaganda (crap!)still works!

exploit a very small piece of intelligence and the Box office makes millions over the supposed controversy. The germans did it less than 10 days after the Enigma machine was compromised!

Yep I am grateful for the agents that gave there lives and first hand intel through espionage not exploited Enigma
machine. Come on people wake up! Just another analogy of the truth. No not ungrateful just realistic!

No short memories here. Read the files,they are available, if you don't know how than its best to remain silent
ya think?

Yes certainly Millions died, but it was not thanks to the infamous Enigma machine. That's my only point!

Who knows? maybe one would certainly pull a stunt like this for the publicity of a movie???????

Yes propaganda still works.
--

The Box said "Win95,98,2000 NT4.0 or better" So I installed Linux !

'73 de David--kb9lpk <><

e-mail:kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net
homepg:http://users.foxvalley.net/~kb9lpk-3

hamorg:kb9lpk@kb9lpk.ampr.org.

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http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
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444. Re: Doc and others being railroaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Two many raydeos <kafd7562@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <H66H4.2851$y4.34430@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114886

Bob Sherin <Trebb@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:23684-38ECCB0E-26@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> Further I urge
> my fellow hams to cooperate with Riley. Don't fight nor characterize
> unnecessarily. If you think he's made a miscue, ask for the evidence
> and communicate in good faith.
>
> If we get with the program, we'll come out with our
> licenses in tact and ham radio will be improved.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

A curious point Bob, and one I generally agree with.

I do have one question however, that I think you may be
in a knowlegable position to answer.

I understand that when an Attorney is granted
a licence to practice Law in a particular State or
Political Jurisdiction, he is then granted membership in a
fraternal organization commonly refered to as the "BAR".

The "BAR", I have heard, allegedly stands for "British
Admiralty Reagent", members of the same then
granted the authority to use the suffix
"Esquire" or "Esq" after their legal last name.

Do you have any information on just what the terms
"BAR" and "Esquire / Esq" legally confer to the
individuals to whom the same is conferred?

445. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38ECF850.8F475F77@nashville.com>
Source record: 114887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> What would we expect from an organization that thinks it's fine to
> discount the memberships of old farts who receive social security check
> handouts every month in addition to their fat pensions, but thinks the
> disabled can go fend for themselves, by denying a rate reduction at
> every board meeting. That's right, discount it for the most frequent
> service users, leave it at $34 for the poor folks who are disabled.
>
> Discount it for kids who have no other expenses in life, screw the guy
> on oxygen or the guy with no legs. Let him shell out the 6 bucks to keep
> K1ZZ, et al., comfy in northeast Connecticut.

You've made your agenda perfectly clear. Thanks for your input.

Now please direct it to the ARRL.

446. AstroAlert: Potential Major Auroral/Geomagnetic Storm Warning - 06-07Apr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Solar Terrestrial Dispatch <STD@Solar.Spacew.Com>
Message-ID: <38ECF116.2B8CF71B@Solar.Spacew.Com>
Source record: 114888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.astro.,sci.astro.amateur

A s t r o A l e r t

06 and 07 April

** Potential category G3 Geomagnetic Storm **

One of the most vigorous interplanetary disturbances to impact the Earth
so far this solar cycle collided with the Earth's magnetosphere near 16:40
UTC on 06 April. The disturbance was preceded by one of the strongest shock
fronts yet observed this solar cycle. Solar wind velocities almost
instantaneously increased by almost 200 kilometers per second within a minute
or two from a background quiet-time value of 380 km/sec to a value exceeding
570 km/sec. The strength of the magnetic fields in space (which originate
from the Sun and are dragged outward by the solar wind) also increased
dramatically in magnitude by a factor of almost 4 times the normal quiet-time
background value.

The sudden increase in solar wind pressure against the Earth's
magnetosphere, combined with the favorable southward orientation of the solar
wind magnetic fields resulted in increased erosion and compression of the
sunward side of the Earth's magnetic field. This has caused the GOES-8 and
GOES-10 geosynchronously orbiting spacecraft (and all other geosynchronously
orbiting spacecraft near the "noon sector" of the Earth) to pass through the
protective barrier that separates the quiet and stable magnetic field of the
Earth from the more turbulent and hazardous environment inside what is known
as the magnetosheath which is the transition region between the solar wind
and the Earth's magnetic field. Passage of spacecraft through these regions
can affect satellite health and can make it difficult for satellite

operators
to maintain spacecraft pointing stability.

The effects of this disturbance are also being strongly felt in the

Earth's ionosphere. This is producing heavy degradation in the quality
of
radio signals that rely on the ionosphere to propagate to distant
locations
around the world. Communications with spacecraft may also be affected.
The
disturbed ionosphere can cause spacecraft signals to begin to
scintillate,
which can affect communications with spacecraft.

Another adverse effect of this storm will be to increase the
atmospheric
drag on satellites. This effect is expected to begin within the next 3
hours
(anytime after about 23:00 UTC on 06 April) and is caused in-part by the

heating and expansion of the Earth's upper atmospheric envelope. This
increased drag can change the orbital elements of lower orbiting
spacecraft,
particularly those spacecraft with perigees below about 500 kilometers.

Intensely varying magnetic fields can also cause problems for
electrical
power generating companies, particularly those whose power-generating
grids
are located in the upper-middle and high latitude regions. The problems
manifest themselves as induced electrical currents that are superimposed
upon
the existing electrically generated power flowing through power lines.
These
induced currents can damage (and in rare cases even destroy) expensive
equipment such as electrical power transformers. In most cases, the
general
public will not notice the effects of these induced currents. The
equipment
that brings power to your house are well regulated against such events.
The
worst that can happen is the complete loss of electrical power if damage

should occur to the large transformers and other susceptible equipment
maintained by the power companies. An extreme example of such an event
occurred in Quebec in March 1989, where power was lost to more than 6
million people. Since then, power companies such as Hydro Quebec have
expended considerable sums of money to help protect against recurrences
of
geomagnetically induced power outages.

A strong geomagnetic and auroral storm is currently brewing over
the
northern Russian and European regions, based on the latest spacecraft
imagery. There is uncertainty whether this storm will persist into the
night
hours for North American observers. If the disturbed conditions persist,

observations well into the central U.S. states should be possible under
dark
skies. If the disturbance decays before then, activity may be limited to
the
southern Canadian provinces and/or the northern tier of the U.S. states.
In
either case, observers over North America may wish to take special note
of
this disturbance, which is occurring during the near-new phase of the
moon.
Thus, optimal observing conditions and dark skies should provide a
maximal
unimpeded view of possible auroral activity.

Observers who successfully spot auroral activity are asked to
report
their findings to: http://www.spacew.com/www/auroras.html so others may
see
the observations. All reports are permanently archived for potential
future
scientific use. Space weather forecasters at the Space Environment
Center and
elsewhere also make use of the reports submitted by amateurs to this
site.

We are also interested in receiving digitized (scanned) photographs
of
auroral activity that amateurs make during this storm. Later, we will
release
a compiled list of the images we receive on a web page with appropriate
credits to those who provided them to us. We will also provide any links
to
the images that are included with the images. Imagery can be e-mailed
to:
STD@Solar.Spacew.Com. Please include appropriate wording for credits and

links to any of your web pages for further information.

The current estimated visible limits of auroral activity may be
seen
from the map provided at: http://www.spacew.com/www/aurora.html.
Spacecraft
derived imagery and products are also available within that page.

The duration of this disturbance will probably continue through the
mid

UTC hours of 07 April. The intensity of the storm could change rapidly if the
magnetic fields within the solar wind do not maintain their current southward
orientation. Such shifts in the orientation of the solar wind magnetic fields
can occur very rapidly. Within as little as 2 hours, a very strong auroral
storm can diminish to insignificant levels during such rapid swings in solar
wind magnetic field direction. As a result, for near-realtime information
concerning the state of auroral activity, rely on the sites above. Serious
users, media, and other organizations requiring immediate notification of the
arrival and current status of disturbances such as this one should consider
purchasing software such as SWARM (http://www.spacew.com/swarm) for staying
on top of these (and future) conditions.

This storm has the potential of being one of the largest events observed
so far this solar cycle.

** End of AstroAlert **

447. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38ECF98C.CED4BE32@nashville.com>
Source record: 114889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:

> Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings
> of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?

Your gripe really makes no sense...unless you really believe 20 WPM code
can affect propagation or signal processing.

> Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand it out to the new Extras
> since they'll all be longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley
> as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.

Would that be a Kaiser 'roll' or dinner 'roll'?

448. The mystery of Gerd Henjes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cj3tt$u6$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114890

This is getting confusing. Someone by the name of Gerd Henjes is posting here and I was just told that Henjes is the maiden name of KT4TR's wife. The question then arises whether Gerd Henjes IS actually TR's wife and if not, who might have known about the maiden name and what then is the significance of the posts? Does anyone have a clue to this bizarre turn of events which alter and illuminate our time and you are there?

449. Re: Doc and others being railroaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5197-38ED11E2-19@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114891

kald7562,

You're teaching me, because I know nothing about the derivation of Bar
or Esquire. I just know I'm not one nor in one, ha, ha. Of course,
I've been in my share of generic bars, ha, ha.
As you learn more, please enlighten me further.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

450. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5196-38ED1605-55@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114892

Guys,

Can we take previous enforcement action from here? Naturally, everyone expects equal treatment under the law. If we find that it is anything less, we'd have cause to complain.

But why wrestle over old stuff? Doc, you've still got your license, FQF has his, and I have mine. Let's continue with the big picture in mind: ham radio and its salvation. And we can thank God someone is minding the ship.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

451. Re: Dayton Hooters Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38ECFD1B.33C5CE06@nashville.com>
Source record: 114893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hermit_thrush@my-deja.com fired more shots:

You couldn't pass the written or the code, huh??

452. Re: AstroAlert: Potential Major Auroral/Geomagnetic Storm Warning - 06-07Apr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim Shaffer, Jr." <jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net>
Message-ID: <rjeqes0qvlt2kmileodq0ios0u28dh60gd@4ax.com>
Source record: 114894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.astro.,sci.astro.amateur

On Fri, 07 Apr 2000 01:13:52 GMT, mark@intrepid.net (Mark Conway Wirt) wrote:

>It was observed from about 8:30 to 9:00 PM (EDT, 0:30 - 1:00 UCT) from
>Shepherdstown, WV (approximate latitude 38 53' N). It was a bright red,
>and extended from about 10 degrees above the western horizon, passed
>pretty much though the zenith, and went to the eastern horizon
>(as far as I could tell, there where trees in that direction).

I read the alert about 8:45 EDT, and checked the charts at www.spacew.com. They showed that it might be visible from Pennsylvania, so I went out. We had high clouds, and at first I didn't see anything. But as I became dark adapted, I became aware of a deep red band passing through the sky. It was motionless and it took me a while to convince myself it wasn't light pollution. I wish I could've seen it without the clouds.
--
"Alan Turing predicted that the idea of machines thinking would be routine by the end of the century. The very second that time ran out for his prediction was the second that computers were set to demonstrate their complete stupidity because they couldn't add up dates." --Stephen Grand

453. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38ED3F5A.10103642@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cap'n Crunch wrote:
>
> .....Hmmmm... you say you tested your 847 on Ten Meters to check the AM
> capabilities of your rig? That's interesting, seeing as your Technician
> class license does not allow you to utilize the AM mode on any band except
> 11 meters, where, of course, your 847 is a 'non-type accepted' rig. (..and
> I'd guess from your posts in the CB news group that's where you're were
> planning on using it) FOR SHAME!!

No, I did not say anything of the sort. If your read back over my last few messages, you'll find that I said in one of those messages that the problem was discovered by a friend, an older ham that is an AM aficionado.

To elaborate, while he was over at my house one afternoon, he attempted to contact his wife at home (an excuse to have her talk on an old AM radio he had left hooked up before he left the house - he wanted to see how it sounded). By the way, if I remember correctly, he was on 20 meters.

When she could not hear him very well, all of us assumed it was his old radio at fault. However, we took my radio over to his house to try a few more tests, just in case. Later that night, he attempted to contact another friend who also had an AM radio and the friend also reported very weak audio coming from my radio.

In an effort to better understand how the radio sounded, he went down the street to listen in his car while I continued to talk to him on the radio (his wife was present as control operator).

The radio has been operated on AM on only two other occasions, to attempt contact with several people at another ham's house (under his license) and at a local repair shop.

By the way, Crunch, if you had read that earlier message, you would have also saw that I said that "I've had the radio for several months and have never used the AM mode." I use an old, unmodified, Cobra 1000, that I purchased many years ago, to occasionally talk to friends (CB'ers) that do not have a ham radio license.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

454. Re: QST--FRACTAL ANTENNA CHALLENGE--QST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <38ED373D.A7F@rpi.edu>
Source record: 114896

Chuck O'Neal wrote:
>
> Please read my challenge. No "terms" were stated or agreed.
> This response is therefore useless and this "plan" is a joke.
>
> THE conditions are simply the same as you employ
> during your 10M runs: You run your stuff and get reports from some
> DX station. I run my stuff and get reports from the same DX station,
> either right before you or after you. We compare reports and therefore
> determing whose system is working better. Just like in the real
> world during a contest. None of this attempting to equalize things....
> too communistic for me. You can make any assumptions concerning
> the comparative reports you feel necessary to account for power,
> antenna gain, phase of the moon....ect. in the determination of how
> your antenna works.
>
> This is just as "scientific" as your run postings in determining antenna
> performance....probably more so since there will now be a reference, me,
> and any others that wish to join in. There are a few locals that will
> probably join us as well..
>
> I will be running my normal station. 1 KW and my homebrew log antennas.
> I suggest you run your amp if you have one so the difference won't be
> too great....as long as your antenna can take it.
>
> Anyone else is free to join in on the fun. I will be on this weekend,
> Saturday morning, 28.450 - 28.460 starting at aprox. 9 AM EDT.
> Maybe Sunday morning as well.
>
> 73,
> Chuck...K1KW

How could a test like this be objective if the two stations to be
compared are not in the same geographical area?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

455. Re: AstroAlert: Potential Major Auroral/Geomagnetic Storm Warning - 06-07Apr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Coyotes of the Canyon <fdecker@catskill.net>
Message-ID: <seqk31d3rfg22@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Blessed with clear skies here in SE NY. That red glow was INTENSE with white rays coming off it in all directions and purple mass in the center. Best aurora I've seen since '89-'90! MF/HF bands were DEAD so I stepped ouside and WOW!

"Solar Terrestrial Dispatch" <STD@Solar.Spacew.Com> wrote in message news:38ECF116.2B8CF71B@Solar.Spacew.Com...
> A s t r o A l e r t
>
> 06 and 07 April
>
> ** Potential category G3 Geomagnetic Storm **
>

456. R.A.C. Joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kwasymodo <k35454@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <qteH4.5571$H7.509139@brie.direct.ca>
Source record: 114898

Q: What is the difference between an S.C.M. and an office boy?
A: None.

457. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38ED5173.88E770DB@oio.net>
Source record: 114899

guest@host.com,
The power 'drop from your power company brings 208
to 240 volts A/C to your breaker-box. This '220v' is
then 'split' using one side of this '220v' line and the
'third' wire(ground/neutral) to get '110v'. To obtain
220 volts, simply run a 3-conductor cable from the two
'hots' comming to your breaker-box AND the ground/neutral
to an appropriate type receptical. Just like 'they' do
for any 220 volt outlet. It goes without saying that
you should always observe safety precautions!!
'Doc

458. Re: W4AMP is a child raping moron!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ch1i6$j2c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114934

In article <5576-38E9DAB0-11@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Whats this Jimmy Obrien on a webtv account? HMMMMMM! Hey loser you lied under oath you scum bag! Why did you tell that blind judge in Dallas GA you didn't have a webtv account! What a lier. Dimmy its been my experiance that when you point your finger at someone it usally means that you are doing exactly what you are saying what other people are doing. Hey YOU FAT SLOB I THINK YOU NEED TO SELL YOUR RADIO AND BURNED UP MLA2500 TO PAY FOR THAT LAWYER YOUR GOING TO NEED.
Its just a matter of time before they haul your fat nasty ass infront of a fedral madistrate for lieing to a FCC offical and jamming.
As for anything else you say you have done I HOPE YOU HAVE PROOF! There NOTHING I WOULD ENJOY MORE THAT TO SEE YOU AND THAT NASTY WHORE YOU MARRIED IN JAIL!
COVERT62

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459. Re: KC8JBO Receives Second Letter From FCC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ch24kjlc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114935

In article <5576-38E9DBDD-12@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Im2Stupid@webtv.net (meRoger NotaWiseman) wrote:
> Poor deformed light bulb head! Two letters from the FCC and he is
still
> on the newsgroups harassing folks. And the last letter tells him
> explicitly not to harass other amateurs. Oh well, Light bulb head is
> one of the dumbest the gayfllows ever recruited. Change Mommy's
> Pampers, they smell like they are full!
>
>
Hey loser
It still dosn't matter what you post you are still a loser! You wife is
still a ugly fat hag. We all know you hate life. Hey felon stick that
gun, that you illeagally regestered in that nasty stinkin fat gutter
tramps name, in your mouth and pull the trigger. You said and I QUOTE"
I've killed before, and I'll kill again!" Why don't you do us all a
favor and kill again. Just kill your self Yea and why don't you kill
that old skank you married too! DO US ALL A FAVOR scumbag! WHAT A LOSER
THIS GUY IS!

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460. Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: guest@host.com
Message-ID: <38ec2eb4.248948158@news.direct.ca>
Source record: 114936

I combined two 118volt leads on differnt breakers to form what I thought would be 220. When I turned my amplifier on the plate voltage was way down. I measured the voltage at the 220 repecticle that I had hombrewed and found it to be around 210VAC-no load? When you combine 118 and 118 why don't you get 236 or so. I got a feeling it's do with phaseing or somthing. Can some please explain this in detail.

jprocyk@direct.ca is my reply address.

461. QST--FRACTAL ANTENNA CHALLENGE--QST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fractenna@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000406023848.01080.00000133@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 114937

QST--

Chuck O'Neal, K1KW, has issued a challenge to compare his 10M linear loaded antenna with the 10M fractal quad Yagi (FQY) seen on the ham page of:

http://www.fractenna.com.

The specs on the FQY indicate at least 3 dB gain compared to a dipole (in the same environment) and better than 20dB F/B. Impedance is close to 50 ohms, with no matching whatsoever.

Chuck's linear loaded antenna will have the same turning radius. Specs are not known, but Chuck contends that 'fractals are linear loading' so this should be interesting. [BTW, fractal antennas are certainly not linear loads any more than a nonlinear circuit is linear.]

On the air comparisons with DX are not scientific. That's what the specs are for. But it should be fun to see how these two antennas 'play' at the same heights, with very similar types of locations (separation about 20-25 miles LOS) and get comparison signal reports.

You are invited to hear this challenge on the air.

Plans are for Chuck and I to operate N1IR and two other local ops to operate from K1KW.

Tentative date is May 13, 2000 on about 28500 KHz. Time TBA but probably about 14 or 1500Z. Propagation to Europe is a requirement; a 'raindate' will also be posted.

Please pass this along to any list, buddy, or NG you feel may enjoy knowing about this.

73,
Chip N1IR

462. Need QSO sched with 6th grade class please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <38EC2C99.9BA59D34@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 114938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please schedule a QSO with us.

A 6th grade class at Jefferson Middle School in Rochester, NY is
looking for QSO's on Thursday, April 13 at 10:00 eastern time, 1400z.
We will be on for only 30 - 40 minutes.

Primary freq. 14.250-14.280 MHz.
If 10 meter is open: 28.350-28.400 MHz.

Look for W2SKY. Pre scheduling would help a lot by email to
w2sky@arrl.net. Operation is sponsored by the RARA Radio Coaches
http://www.ggw.org/rara/radiocoach.htm.

Please look for us.

73,
Peter Fournia, W2SKY

463. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8chbto$ik6$9@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 114939
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
:>
:>A position is resolved, and a direction can be calculated.
:>This process takes examining the signal over time.
: Buzzz - wrong .

: Nope - only one point - where the dopler transitions
: as the satellite passes from being behind to ahead
: of the transmitter.

That would give you a location at least 20 miles across, and probably
far more. There is a fairly large period of time where the shift would
be unmeasurable, especially if the satellite was traveling overhead.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

464. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8chca4$ik6$10@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 114940
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
:>
:>Each measurement provides a radius on which the object can be located.
:>But two measurements are not enough - as two intersecting circles will
:>have two points where they cross. Three measurements are required to
:>provide a direction. Four measurements will provide an altitude (if
:>such is desired) as well.
:>--
:>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

: Hi Bill -
: HOw can you justify that statement
: when the equipment being tracked
: does not have a means of providing
: any feedback?

: A time measurement depends upon knowing when
: the signal is transmitted.

The time can be obtained from the phase change of the received
signal. The delta in position is provided by the satellites motion.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

465. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8chqfodbu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114941

Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> demonstrates his ignorance when he
wrote in message news:8cgu3bfaq1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> And the bright lightbulb posted the same message five times.(burnt out
> that is)
> Bravo!

Deja was having server problems that day, hence why fqf and others
apparently posted several times.
Clueless newbie!

> In article <20000327222325.01484.00008260@nso-fi.aol.com>,
> toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
> > In article <UWRD4.121$262.259@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "Dan Buchanan"
> > <kf4lne@hotmail.com> writes:
> >
> > > I'm glad I'm not so stupid I
> > >would post things here to be seen by people all over the world.
> > >Dan Buchanan - KF4LNE - EM85UO
> >
> > Like you just did?
> --
> Radio Oger
> Giving a straight answer every time.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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466. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8chqmk$dk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114942

In article <8cgl6n$5o8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > You sure get long winded.
>
> How would you know unless you read it? And you keep saying NO ONE
reads
> his stuff.
>
> > You got your fingers burned by Riley and you deserved it. ...Not
once
> > but TWICE,
>
> People keep saying "twice" or "three times." Check the record; one ONV
> in the early 90s, no mention of interference; one letter in Nov, 99,
no
> mention of interference; one letter in Mar, 00, the ONLY one that
> mentions interference.
>
> > PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.
>
> Translation: this really bothers me.
>
> LRod
>
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>

Lrod what you dont know would fill a book:The fine doctor recived his
FIRST warning in the early 90's for jamming BARF communications
while "testing" for RFI,BCI,FBI ect ect

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467. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8chtldglg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114943

In article <8chqmk$dk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8cgl6n$5o8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > You sure get long winded.
> >
> > How would you know unless you read it? And you keep saying NO ONE
> reads
> > his stuff.
> >
> > > You got your fingers burned by Riley and you deserved it. ...Not
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> > > but TWICE,
> >
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> > mention of interference; one letter in Mar, 00, the ONLY one that
> > mentions interference.
> >
> > > PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.
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> > Translation: this really bothers me.
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> >
>
> Lrod what you dont know would fill a book:The fine doctor recived his
> FIRST warning in the early 90's for jamming BARF communications
> while "testing" for RFI,BCI,FBI ect ect
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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Toiletassi, you make Forrest Gump seem to be an Einstein.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES

Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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468. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EC7C76.B0708229@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dave Martindale wrote:
>
> What does the RF waveform look like on an oscilloscope?

Don't really need an oscilloscope to know things are not working correctly here. When a friend just down the street has to turn up the volume to hear me (even with a very strong carrier present), there has to be something wrong. Since discovering this, and trying this mode with several other people, all have reported seeing a strong carrier, but can barely hear me when I talk.

Either the radio was poorly adjusted at the factory, or the radio has developed a problem since then. Whatever the case, I need to get this fixed before the warranty runs out. So, it appears that the radio is heading for the shop soon.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

469. Re: Badwill hunting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Walker <dwalker65@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <38EC853A.7A9B892D@one.net.au>
Source record: 114945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

What's the gun thing all about?

dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <NWGE4.13367$Of2.561573@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>,
> "Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
> > If you went to a zoo armed with a shotgun, the animals all being behind
> > cage, the animals were chained and you shot them one by one would that
> > be called hunting?
> >
> > What do we call that in HAM radio?
> >
> > We call it DX hunting via the DX Packet Cluster.
> >
> > Am I missing something?
> >
> > Welcome to ham radio-set your watch back 40 years
> >
> > Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
> > You will see:
> >
> > 1. How to pass the A+ Certification
> > 2. Realtp://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
> > ly interesting answering machine messages
> > 3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
> > 4. How you know you are a ham.
> > 5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
> > 6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
> > 7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
> > 8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
> > 9. An amazing card game that will shock others
> > 10. Pictures of me and my family.
> > 11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
> > 12. See now the future of ham radio.
> >
> > Burt Fisher
> > A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
> > Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
> > K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have
> > http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
> > burt@broadcast.net
> >
> >

>
> Get a life, Burt, you are taking our self to seriously!!
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

470. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. White" <mwhite@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <38EC86E1.61B2F41@mitre.org>
Source record: 114946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>> One of a small handful of the remaining WWII German Enigma encryption
>> machines was stolen

> ...ancient crap who cares!

Success in breaking the German codes was an essential element in the victory over Nazi Germany. Absent the codebreaking, it's likely that England would have fallen and Europe would have been dominated by the Nazis for a very long time, possibly until the present day. Ancient, yes; crap, no. Millions died to defeat Hitler so that you could sit in safety and plenty, making snide comments about things you obviously know nothing about. He who does not know history is destined to repeat it.

Mike, N4PDY

471. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ci2f0$m2r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114947

In article <8chqmk$dk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8cgl6n$5o8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> > > You got your fingers burned by Riley and you deserved it. ...Not
> > > once but TWICE,
> >
> > People keep saying "twice" or "three times." Check the record; one
> > ONV in the early 90s, no mention of interference; one letter in Nov,
> > 99, no mention of interference; one letter in Mar, 00, the ONLY one
> > that mentions interference.

> Lrod what you dont know would fill a book:The fine doctor recived his
> FIRST warning in the early 90's for jamming BARF communications
> while "testing" for RFI,BCI,FBI ect ect

Ignoring for a moment that "barf communications" is an oxymoron, I note
that you apparently can't read. I specifically mentioned the ONV of the
early 90s; "one ONV in the early 90s." According to the only known
record of it extant, interference was not mentioned.

If you have further, credible, verifiable knowledge to the contrary,
please furnish it. Hearsay or wishful thinking isn't sufficient.

LRod

P.S. etc. from the Latin et cetera, meaning "and other". That would be
in your book.

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472. FS: Ten-Tec Omni-VI Plus and Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: randas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8ci12g$l36$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114948

I have for sale the following equipment. All in fine working order, and can be heard on the air. Would prefer to have local pickup (near Louisville,KY) but will ship in factory boxes if needed.

Omni-VI plus (factory upgraded to option 3)
All filter slots full Standard 2.4kc filter
#288..1.8kc SSB filter 6.3 IF
#285..500hz CW filter 6.3 IF
#282..250hz CW filter 6.3 IF
#218..1.8kc SSB filter 9mhz IF
#217..500hz CW filter 9mhz IF

Radio is in near mint condition..I'd say a 9.85 on the 10 scale. (10 being "perfect")

Included with the radio is a near mint 961 power supply/speaker , all power cables, manuals, and factory boxes.

Price for Omni-VI plus and power supply... $2,100 "OBO" and some help on shipping if needed.

Have a "mint" 238 tuner..includes the factory supplied 1000pf 500V capacitor for added help on 160m if needed. Have manual and factory boxes.
Price for tuner is ..$300 plus help on shipping. (The buyer of the Omni-VI will have first chance at this tuner)

Buy both and I'll ship insured 48

73 de Tim K0FL

473. Air spaced capacitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Day <gday@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <38EC88AD.7F29DADF@cableinet.co.uk>
Source record: 114949

WTB three double-ended airspaced capacitors around 100 pfd each
George Day -- octet6@netscape.net

474. Re: From the Mouths of QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ci2puqbe1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114950

My suggestion is to tape these lowlife un-ID bigmouths and send it to Riley
and sign it ,"Please act. 73, A "Holligan." He'll then act.

In article <20362-38EB9633-29@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> They have the ear of the FCC. These are hams not content with cleaning
> up the bands nor letting the past fade. Rather these comprise the
> status quo on 14313, a group out to destroy hams they dislike.
>
> Now ruled by mob mentality, 313 is a frequency where individual opinion
> is not tolerated and to be accepted means caving in to the will of the
> group. Even hams known for their decency will throw in a barb during
> your transmissions to impress the group.
>
> This morning I tried to break in to 313. Retorted a ham, "You're not
> welcome here." Then another weighed in: "He's a trouble maker." Before
> I knew it, a conversation was underway about how bad I was. (Mind you,
> I've been off the air for 5 years and have no intention of arguing on
> the air.)
>
> The repartee went like this: "He sounds like Raincoat Charlie." "We
> have a qrmer on the frequency." "He's a fag." It didn't stay like
> that, because these hams signed out and I was picked up by KB4MXL and
> W2EXQ, who were very much gentlemen.
>
> Of all the alleged trouble on ham radio, such behavior is unacceptably
> worse than much of what has been sanctioned thus far.
>
> First, arrogating power over a frequency squarely violates Part 97, a
> transgression that is readily provable on its face. Secondly, you have
> a group of guys weighing in based upon no more than the lead guy's
> prejudice. And third, you have an ongoing train of talk among this
> group portraying the breaker, who did nothing more than say "break" and
> "W4ASX", as someone ripe for FCC sanction.
>
> Having done investigative reports on ham radio's deepening difficulty
> for over a decade, I know that some who have gotten letters from Riley
> deserve them far less than some who are confidantes and otherwise
> esteemed. Moreover, more hams have been intentionally run off of 313
> than remain there. I, for one, have no intention of abandoning a
> frequecy to which I'm entitled.
>
> To the FCC: Can we even the playing field, so everyone who acts contrary

> to Part 97 is called to task, not just a few on one side of the body
> politic?
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

475. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000406093356.11829.00000020@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 114951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Subject: Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for
>"Comunicator" Amate...
>From: vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL)
>Date: 04/05/2000 4:22 PM Central Daylight Time

>>Yes, the perfection of morse code modes is paramount in Wince's mind. :-)<<

I have yet to see Vince refer to Lennie the Licensless as anything other
than Len, but you can see who starts stuff here and then whine's when it's
dumped in HIS lap.

>No, It's the perfection of the service and it operators, but your little mind
can't see that<

Oh trust me, Vince, he can see it alright....and it really gnaws at him
that Amateur Radio somehow manages without him.

73 and welcome to Flamewar 101

Steve, K4YZ

476. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ci3uhmrl1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114952

Thanks LRod for your most valuable support. "Toiletsi's" in another world-he simply can't get over the fact that KA4MUJ is dead in hell; Billy Gasell, WB4GDP, allegedly got the hell beaten out of him because of having interfered with emergency medical traffic and hasn't shown up on ham radio in five years and his favorite all time hero, the Saint Croix felon, lost his last appeal. He must have an escape from such misery and Riley's letters provide it.
AF2Y

In article <8cgl6n$5o8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>> You sure get long winded.
>
> How would you know unless you read it? And you keep saying NO ONE reads
> his stuff.
>
>> You got your fingers burned by Riley and you deserved it. ...Not once
>> but TWICE,
>
> People keep saying "twice" or "three times." Check the record; one ONV
> in the early 90s, no mention of interference; one letter in Nov, 99, no
> mention of interference; one letter in Mar, 00, the ONLY one that
> mentions interference.
>
>> PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.
>
> Translation: this really bothers me.
>
> LRod
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

477. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ci5onpof1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114953

I guess the 'copter sounds I played gave you flashbacks right Danny Boy

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478. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38EC8885.1651@some.net>
Source record: 114954

Robert Casey wrote:

> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

You have to understand that the intelligence level of the average cber
is around 12 years old. Take their age, divide in it half and you have
their IQ.

479. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ci4vh$3vn$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114955

Gee that's strange, David. Riley's letter never mentioned what type of intentional interference I created to warrant enforcement action. No tapes were sent. No transcripts given, yet you know it was Hitler speeches atop FQF and MXL? Since I vehemently deny doing it and never heard about it until now, I wonder if I wasn't set up by the one really playing it-YOU? I'll have to ask Riley for proof and send along a printout of your posting.
AF2Y

In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> Well just a thought Doc? You sure get long winded.You got your fingers
> burned by Riley and you deserved it. Playing Hitler speeches on top of
> Bob and George got you popped buddy. Not once but TWICE, and now the
> bitter tears. Those of us who know and detest you realize you would
> normally have DEMANDED the tapes and what ever that the FCC had on
> you,instead you knew they could put you away and shutup. Good idea.
> As for Fred Roll I had no idea his wife Rosey was in the truck when I
> asked him the queston, and I apologized and meant it. It's not my fault
> the bozo blamed me for his actions instead of standing up like a man and
> saying he lost his cool and would never do it again. Something you guys
> do alot.
> Next: What about the things you have done the last decade? Driving
> WB4GDP nuts with you Holocaust rhetoric. Your comments that "may your
> holy water turn to hydrocloric acid" and your EVIL prayers broadcast on
> the ham bands. The way your buddies drove KA4MUJ to the brink of ham
> insanity. Condoning Pig Pen Pete and Roll's visit (packing weapons) to
> Mikes' QTH.
> Not nice Doc. You got caught just like your friend in Easly. The
> B.A.R.F. won the war.
> Also if 'OTK thinks he is going to come back and be the obnoxiuos bully
> he was, he is SORLEY mistake. You and your cronies are on the ropes and
> I for one are happy for it. Sign off Doc--Get another hobby
>
> LT tolassi B.A.R.F retired
> PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

480. Re: WANTED: ICOM IC-T7H modification data...Can the Tx be expanded???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38ECAD45.76782D79@ahole.com>
Source record: 114956

Why do you want to expand the TX? Is it so you can use it on your PSU radio system. May I ask a question? Well going to anyway. Is the radio FCC type accepted to operate out of the ham bands on commercial/public safety frequencies?

Would a letter to the school stating that you are using a non FCC certified radio on their system cause any problem?

Jim Snodgrass wrote:
>
> --
> James Snodgrass
> Billing Supervisor
> University Police
> Security and Traffic unit
> The Pennsylvania State University
> jas466@police.psu.edu

481. Re: From the Mouths of QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cia9v$v3i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114957

In article <13232-38EBD6FA-24@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> Funny Dan,
>
> Those "bad folks" on 14275 acted like the good guys, ha, ha. But in
> all fairness to 313, it isn't everyone who misbehaves, only a clique
at
> 10 AM EDST this morning.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
>
Good counter Bob, unfortunatly the "clique" is on there all day long.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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482. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cibeh$i8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114958

In article <8ci5onpof1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> I guess the 'copter sounds I played gave you flashbacks right Danny
Boy
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
Not really David....I just considered the source..."David Tolassi, the
INCREDIBLE SHRINKING BRAIN"....say hello to Matthew for me.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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483. Re: AF2Y: a Miami explosion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stumphumpers blowme <whatsthe@aol.com>
Message-ID: <302H4.2294$y4.13980@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114959

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8cgmek$2n7$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
> How 'bout this one? All of you, hammer007 and
> other knuckleheads, stop to consider this.

Doc, those idiots you mentioned above and their
ilk would not know to get out of the rain, let alone
comment on this issue. It will be fun however to see
Polly and his crew of singular-digit IQ friends
make a try! LOL!

484. Re: QST--FRACTAL ANTENNA CHALLENGE--QST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Wallace <andywallace@home.com>
Message-ID: <Pa2H4.30302$x65.2364679@news1.rdc2.tx.home.com>
Source record: 114960

Chip-

This should be interesting. Any work on scaling up to 20 meters?

Andy K5VM

Fractenna <fractenna@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000406023848.01080.00000133@ng-cr1.aol.com...
> QST--
>
> Chuck O'Neal, K1KW, has issued a challenge to compare his 10M linear
loaded
> antenna with the 10M fractal quad Yagi (FQY) seen on the ham page of:
>
> http://www.fractenna.com.
>
> The specs on the FQY indicate at least 3 dB gain compared to a dipole (in
the
> same environment) and better than 20dB F/B. Impedance is close to 50 ohms,
with
> no matching whatsoever.
>
> Chuck's linear loaded antenna will have the same turning radius. Specs are
not
> known, but Chuck contends that 'fractals are linear loading' so this
should be
> interesting. [BTW, fractal antennas are certainly not linear loads any
more
> than a nonlinear circuit is linear.]
>
> On the air comparisons with DX are not scientific. That's what the specs
are
> for. But it should be fun to see how these two antennas 'play' at the same
> heights, with very similar types of locations (separation about 20-25
miles
> LOS) and get comparison signal reports.
>
> You are invited to hear this challenge on the air.
>
> Plans are for Chuck and I to operate N1IR and two other local ops to
operate
> from K1KW.
>
> Tentative date is May 13, 2000 on about 28500 KHz. Time TBA but probably
about

> 14 or 1500Z. Propagation to Europe is a requirement; a 'raindate' will
also be
> posted.
>
> Please pass this along to any list, buddy, or NG you feel may enjoy
knowing
> about this.
>
> 73,
> Chip N1IR
>
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>
>

485. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cicq7$28b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114961

In article <8cibeh$i8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8ci5onpof1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > I guess the 'copter sounds I played gave you flashbacks right Danny
> Boy
> >
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> >
> Not really David....I just considered the source..."David Tolassi, the
> INCREDIBLE SHRINKING BRAIN"....say hello to Matthew for me.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Dan I have learned to hate you over the past few years.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

486. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cap'n Crunch <kcfamily@tir.com>
Message-ID: <qk2H4.5916$n8.1029236@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 114962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

.....Hmmmm... you say you tested your 847 on Ten Meters to check the AM capabilities of your rig? That's interesting, seeing as your Technician class license does not allow you to utilize the AM mode on any band except 11 meters, where, of course, your 847 is a 'non-type accepted' rig. (..and I'd guess from your posts in the CB news group that's where you're were planning on using it) FOR SHAME!!

Dwight Stewart wrote in message <38EC7C76.B0708229@sccoast.net>...
> Don't really need an oscilloscope to know things are not working
>correctly here. When a friend just down the street has to turn up the
>volume to hear me (even with a very strong carrier present), there has
>to be something wrong. Since discovering this, and trying this mode
>with several other people, all have reported seeing a strong carrier,
>but can barely hear me when I talk.
> Either the radio was poorly adjusted at the factory, or the radio has
>developed a problem since then. Whatever the case, I need to get this
>fixed before the warranty runs out. So, it appears that the radio is
>heading for the shop soon.
>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

487. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jr <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38ECACB9.6A0E@some.net>
Source record: 114963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

q wrote:

> ...and as well as sitting in safety and plenty, the countries who were
> rescued by the US no sit smuggly back and take potshots at the US, telling
> us how awful we are and how they are superior to us!
>
> Riot in the street. Throw (or worse bomb or shoot) things at the US
> embassy. Attack US tourists.
>
> GO FIGURE! I guess it's human nature not to be thankful for assistance in
> times of dire peril. Countries and people collectively seem to have short
> memories!

Read what a televison commentator from Toronto has to say on this
subject.

by Gordon Sinclair

"This Canadian thinks it is time to speak up for the Americans as the
most
generous and possibly the least appreciated people on all the earth.
Germany, Japan and, to a lesser extent, Britain and Italy were lifted
out of the
debris of war by the Americans who poured in billions of dollars and
forgave
other billions in debts. None of these countries is today paying even
the
interest on its remaining debts to the United States. When France was in
danger of
collapsing in 1956, it was the Americans who propped it up, and their
reward was
to be insulted and swindled on the streets of Paris. I was there. I
saw
it.

When earthquakes hit distant cities, it is the United States that
hurries
in to help. This spring, 59 American communities were flattened by
tornadoes.
Nobody helped. The Marshall Plan and the Truman Policy pumped billions
of dollars
into discouraged countries. Now newspapers in those countries are
writing
about the decadent, warmongering Americans. I'd like to see just one of
those

countries that is gloating over the erosion of the United States dollar build its
own airplane. Does any other country in the world have a plane to equal the
Boeing Jumbo Jet, the Lockheed Tri-Star, or the Douglas DC10? If so, why don't
they fly them? Why do all the International lines except Russia fly American
Planes? Why does no other land on earth even consider putting a man or woman on the
moon?

You talk about Japanese technocracy, and you get radios. You talk about
German technocracy, and you get automobiles. You talk about American technocracy,
and you find men on the moon - not once, but several times - and safely home
again.

You talk about scandals, and the Americans put theirs right in the store
window for everybody to look at . Even their draft-dodgers are not pursued and
hounded. They are here on our streets, and most of them, unless they are breaking
Canadian laws, are getting American dollars from ma and pa at home to
spend here. When the railways of France, Germany and India were breaking down
through age, it was the Americans who rebuilt them. When the Pennsylvania
Railroad and the New York Central went broke, nobody loaned them an old caboose.
Both are still broke. I can name you 5000 times when the Americans raced to the
help of other people in trouble. Can you name me even one time when someone else
raced to the Americans in trouble? I don't think there was outside help even
during the San Francisco earthquake. Our neighbors have faced it alone, and I'm
one Canadian who is damned tired of hearing them get kicked around. They will
come out of this thing with their flag high. And when they do, they are
entitled to thumb their nose at the lands that are gloating over their present
troubles. I hope Canada is not one of those." Stand proud, America!
Wear it proudly!!"

488. AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cigvjesr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114964

Allow me to pose some questions about enforcement and its advertising on the RAIN report and Web Extra.
Have you noticed the changes in the on-the-air demeanor of KT4TR and W4FQF? Heavens to betsy, they're absolute angels or so it seems. I don't hear any police reports read on the air. No more credit reports given out. No more private investigatory reports on education, income, families etc. Why Mr. Youngblood has become a figurative saint. And how about George who used to be Polly but garbage by any other name smells as bad. Today I heard him say that WB8FIH was jamming him on 14.275 and he's going to report this to Riley. Paul jams no one-he's a great guy and a fine ham and how odd it is that Polly should be so obsessed by interference in light of his outright obnoxious behavior for a decade.
Now I ask-what do you think brought about such magnificent changes in their attitudes? Voluntary achievement? Hardly! Let's see now; I'll make a guess-ah ha--LETTERS! From whom? From Riley Hollingsworth. How many did TR get do you suppose? One, two, three or more? Bill, K3CQR, told me he had seen in QST a blurb about a Florida ham being tagged with a 2.5 K for reading confidential reports etc. I can't prove it was TR because Bill said his name wasn't mentioned. Can you make an educated guess? And although I have not seen their publication, no one can make me believe that Polly suddenly, while in church one Sunday in the role of an elder sporting his vestments, heard God tell him to reform for the betterment of all mankind. I say one or more letters from Riley did the trick. In my opinion, W4FQF has been one if not the worst troublemaker to ever key a mic on 14.313, yet somehow he's a privileged unpublished individual presenting the allusion of changing for the better miraculously. WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON HERE? Why are certain enforcement letters published while others are suppressed? Everyone knows that TR got them-why wasn't I able to read them on RAIN or the Web Extra while those to me are published? And the same goes for that "thing" from Tennessee. Do you suppose that Youngblood wasn't published because of the sensitivity of his employment? It must be cloak and dagger work and a scandal reported on RAIN and elsewhere just might have impacted it. For that man to escape public scrutiny is an abominable disgrace to the entire concept of fairness in enforcement and think about this: Polly's an elder in his church and probabaly looked up to and with those dumbo ears, who can miss that puss? Do you suppose he pleaded with Riley, Hap and the ARRL to omit publishing his letters and got away with it since his "image of purity" before the congregation might be ruined? God I hope I'm wrong in my assessment of the situation and if so, will someone with a semblance of intelligence(David Tolassi need not apply) explain my error in judgement?
AF2Y, Doc
cc: Hap Holly

489. Doc and others being railroaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Widow@wol.be
Message-ID: <7KJEU2UJ36622.8069675926@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 114965

I wrote this to doc first and he asked me to
send it here so you could all see it.
I sent it through a remailer because I dont
need any more crap for telling the truth.

Doc I don't agree with most of your attitudes
but I think the latest hits on you
are unjustified and so were the on Rich
and Fred Roll.
Someone posted a long time ago that Hollingsworth
was getting out of line in some cases demanding
people not talk about this or that and that
his getting a bunch of old OO hams as
an FCC Secret Police-posse-lynch party
was going to lead to abuses.
Looks like he was right.
You've been charged convicted and
threatened with execution without them giving you
the right to look your accusers in the eye
or see the evidence.
Are the guys who reported you cowards?
The lynch mob has you tied to the stake
and is ready to set the kindling burning.
One mistake and theyll light it.
All the 'me too' sheep will come
and watch and bleat approval.
They wont even give you the common
decency of allowing you to defend yourself.
You are accused so you are guilty case closed.
I've been an opponent of some of the
political actions that have been done under
the cloak of 'enforcement'. mostly in private mail
but a lot of times publicly. I stopped writing
about it publicly because these old women kept
giving me hell about it.
Well, I got a letter a couple of months ago from a friend
who is an employee of the ARRL.
He said that I should "watch my rhetoric" because certain
people were being "looked into" by Hollingsworth and
his Secret Police (OOs).
I think it will probably prove to be nothing.
Just my friend looking out for me and being a little
paranoid. But if it isn't, you can bet I'll be
on every news group telling the world about it.

Did you see that post someone wrote about "heir Hollingshimmler?"
I'm sure it was a joke but when you see
stuff like this it doesn't seem so funny.

490. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cijlq$9jb$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114966

In article <8cglbj$5qs$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote: Well just a thought Doc? You sure get
> long winded.
> You got your fingers
> burned by Riley and you deserved it. My playing Hitler speeches on
top
> of
> Bob and George got you popped buddy. Not once but TWICE, and now the
> bitter tears. Those of us who know and detest you realize you would
> normally have DEMANDED the tapes and what ever that the FCC had on
> you,instead you knew you didnt do it and had no idea who did, well now
> you do, so shutup.
>
> As for Fred Roll I told him I had no idea his wife Rosey was in the
> truck when I asked him the queston, and I apologized and meant it.
The
> reason I did that was because he scared the hell out of me. He
> could have kicked my fag ass from Ohio to VT with one hit. It's not my
> fault the bozo blamed me for his actions. I don't think I did
anything
> wrong. After all its just radio fun, right?
>
> Next: What about the things I have done the last decade? Driving
> you nuts with Holocaust rhetoric. The way your buddies drove KA4MUJ
to
> the brink of ham insanity, and rightly so. Because all he did was cus
> and scream for hours upon hours on end. Like Douglas Gerry said, he
> was just a mullet headed sailor.
> That was nice Doc. He got just what he deserved.
> Also if 'OTK thinks he is going to come back and be the obnoxiuos
bully
> he was, he is SORLEY mistake. Because I will jam him again just like I
> and the BARF used to do. You and your cronies are on the ropes and
> I for one know it wont last long. Damn I wish I could have gone to
> Vietnam like my buddy Aldo Ryder did. Sign off Doc--Get another hobby
>
> LT tolassi B.A.R.F FIRED.
> PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.
>
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> >

> This is really what he wanted to say.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

LOL!!!

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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491. Re: AF2Y: a Miami explosion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cikkr$an8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114967

In article <302H4.2294$y4.13980@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Stumphumpers blowme" <whatsthe@aol.com> wrote:
>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8cgmek$2n7$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
> > How 'bout this one? All of you, hammer007 and
> > other knuckleheads, stop to consider this.
>
> Doc, those idiots you mentioned above and their
> ilk would not know to get out of the rain, let alone
> comment on this issue. It will be fun however to see
> Polly and his crew of singular-digit IQ friends
> make a try! LOL!
>

Polly's i.q. goes into the negative numbers.
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492. Re: Doc and others being railroaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <23684-38ECCB0E-26@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114968

With the exception of sullying Riley Hollingsworth, Esqire, I agree with you.

Let us not forget that what is being attempted here is more than any one person can reasonably handle. Like any movement, it will have its excesses and miscues.

We need only speak out, as we are here, so the powers that be have exposure to a side with which they may be unfamiliar. Further I urge my fellow hams to cooperate with Riley. Don't fight nor characterize unnecessarily. If you think he's made a miscue, ask for the evidence and communicate in good faith.

If we get with the program, we'll come out with our licenses in tact and ham radio will be improved.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

493. WTB Drake FF-1 and R4C parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <b7kpescri365bvlpka8scoqei3q7ap6g0b@4ax.com>
Source record: 114969
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Hi all.

Looking to find (buy) the following:

1. Drake FF-1 Crystal unit for TR4cw transceivers.
2. External crystal cover (sheet metal) for Drake R4C. It's the one
for the band crystals, not the crystal filters.
3. Drake R4C NB Brackets
4. Drake R4C sheet metal cover that goes over the filter switch.

Any all help/leads is appreciated.

Regards;

Neil, N1DMA
Toll free: (800) 962-2949
or email NeilR@innermedia.com

494. Re: QST--FRACTAL ANTENNA CHALLENGE--QST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <8cijlt$e43$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 114970

Please read my challenge. No "terms" were stated or agreed.
This response is therefore useless and this "plan" is a joke.

THE conditions are simply the same as you employ
during your 10M runs: You run your stuff and get reports from some
DX station. I run my stuff and get reports from the same DX station,
either right before you or after you. We compare reports and therefore
determing whose system is working better. Just like in the real
world during a contest. None of this attempting to equalize things....
too communistic for me. You can make any assumptions concerning
the comparative reports you feel necessary to account for power,
antenna gain, phase of the moon....ect. in the determination of how
your antenna works.

This is just as "scientific" as your run postings in determining antenna
performance....probably more so since there will now be a reference, me,
and any others that wish to join in. There are a few locals that will
probably join us as well..

I will be running my normal station. 1 KW and my homebrew log antennas.
I suggest you run your amp if you have one so the difference won't be
too great....as long as your antenna can take it.

Anyone else is free to join in on the fun. I will be on this weekend,
Saturday morning, 28.450 - 28.460 starting at aprox. 9 AM EDT.
Maybe Sunday morning as well.

73,
Chuck...K1KW

495. Re: Alinco DJ-V5T mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: somoted@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cinlm$e5s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114971

In article <38EBEDBF.11FFF777@arrl.net>,
Benjamin Ng <kk7ben@arrl.net> wrote:
> I think I saw one posted at www.mods.dk Good luck.
>
> Benjamin
> KK7BEN
>
> Jim wrote:
>
> > On Wed, 05 Apr 2000 13:39:35 GMT, somoted@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > >Does anyone know what the total modification result is after
cutting the blue
> > >wire to frequency modify the Alinco DJ-V5T is?
> >
> > I'm curious too...I just bought one from Lentini today @ $209.95.
> >
> > The Alinco web site says 76 to 999.995 except 824 - 850 cellular
> > blocked.
> >
> > Jim
> > KG4GXP

Yeah the www.mods.dk/index.htm site has it!! I would be interested to know how Alinco feels about this, seeing as how they advertise on their website that it will receive these freqs. I wonder if they would still honor the warranty if you had it done at the dealer who you bought it from, and if they would do it for free.

Later,

Ted
>
>

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496. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <23684-38ECCCB1-28@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114972

dtollasi,

We've never met nor do I have any preconceived notions. If you feel the emotion of hate, as you report, why not turn it around? Escalating hate merely stirs your own cauldron of rage. It surely doesn't do a thing to the other guy.

Here's a suggestion: Behave in a way that makes you very proud of yourself. Then, paying no attention to the excesses of others, live your life in the most spiritual way possible.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

497. ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit_thrush@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cirej$ip8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

ARRL, who brought you the incentive licensing debacle, has once again decided to cash in; now on the reduced license requirements by offering a discount to only those hams who are upgrading.

Recall the defenses of some on here that the ARRL restructuring was needed to save ham radio and not to increase the membershp ? No, they'll do that by piggybacking a discount for the lazy bastards who are upgrading on April 15.

The ARRL Membership Discount Coupon will offer
examination and upgrade applicants a chance to recoup the usual $6.65 processing fee in the form of an equal discount from the cost of a new or renewed ARRL membership.

Well, screw the rest of us is the easiest way to phrase what they think of current members, who wasted their time on 20 wpm code tests and diagrams of tubes.

Why would WB2OTK WANT to get back on the air ? Why would any of us with a brain want to ?

What would we expect from an organization that thinks it's fine to discount the memberships of old farts who receive social security check handouts every month in addition to their fat pensions, but thinks the disabled can go fend for themselves, by denying a rate reduction at every board meeting. That's right, discount it for the most frequent service users, leave it at $34 for the poor folks who are disabled.

Discount it for kids who have no other expenses in life, screw the guy on oxygen or the guy with no legs. Let him shell out the 6 bucks to keep K1ZZ, et al., comfy in northeast Connecticut.

ARRL-VEC Manager Bart Jahnke, W9JJ, says the League is offering the discount coupon as a way to "soften the blow" by giving applicants a one-time $6.65 discount from the cost of an ARRL full or associate membership.

Got that right. One time is all you'll see these newly enhanced novices as ARRL members. And the last time is how you'll see many more.

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498. Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit_thrush@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cirsl$j7j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Dayton Hamvention® has announced that the Smothers Brothers comedy team will headline the post-banquet entertainment this year. This year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.

Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?

More recently, Dick Smothers has gained a reputation as a vintner in California.

Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand it out to the new Extras since they'll all be longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.

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499. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cisbl$jr7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <8cirej$ip8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
> ARRL, who brought you the incentive licensing debacle, has once again
> decided to cash in; now on the reduced license requirements by
offering
> a discount to only those hams who are upgrading.

Man I love how your face squinces-up when you chomp on those... SOUR
GRAPES!

Stewart - N0MHS

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500. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cisn8$k7v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

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Extras
> since they'll all be longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with
Riley
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Man I love how your face squinces-up when you suck down those...
BITTER DREGS!

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501. Dayton caters to hams with Ladies of Evening

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit_thrush@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cisqskfl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Hamvention® has announced that the call girls who have joined the Hara Arena team (see April QST for a discussion; really) will co-headline the post-banquet entertainment this year. Once again, men with stomachs resembling regulation basketballs will be able to see not only the latest ham wares, but the latest ham whores.

This year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention, the members of which have no interest in any girls, of any kind.

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502. Dayton Hooters Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hermit_thrush@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cit4dkjs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Q: What do hams visiting Dayton have in common with girls at Hooters ?

A: They need bras badly.

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503. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise <wa2ise@netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8civtm$nv4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114979

In article <38ec2eb4.248948158@news.direct.ca>,
guest@host.com wrote:
>
>
> I combined two 118volt leads on differnt breakers to form what I
> thought would be 220. When I turned my amplifier on the plate voltage
> was way down. I measured the voltage at the 220 repecticle that I had
> hombrewed and found it to be around 210VAC-no load? When you combine
> 118 and 118 why don't you get 236 or so. I got a feeling it's do with
> phaseing or somthing. Can some please explain this in detail.
>
It looks like your power company is feeding you two phases of 118VAC
seperated by 120 degrees, not 180 degrees. What you could do is
boost one of the 118VAC lines up about another 30V to give a total
of 230V. It doesn't add directly, you got trig going on here.

To boost the 118V up 30V you need a transformer that outputs 30VAC
at whatever amperage the load will draw. Connect the secondary
to the hot wire of the primary so the secondary voltage will add
to the 118V. Then take the other end of the secondary and use that
with the other 118V and you should see voltage around 230VAC.

What you really should do is run a new 208V power circuit from
its own dedicated double circuit breaker in the breaker box. Using
two 118V circuits is mildly dangerous. If one and only one of the
118V breakers opens, you'll have 118V leaking from the
circuit that is still on across the 230V load
and underpowering the circuit with the open breaker.
Also if you unplug one of the 118V plugs you have driving the 230V
load the male prongs of the unplugged plug will be hot with 118V
from the other circuit and zap you. The fire marshall wont like it
either.

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504. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cj1fbpko1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114980

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> jprocyk@direct.ca is my reply address.
>Most homes are wired for 110 each side of center or ground. There are 3 lines that come into your house:A ground and 2 110 lines. Measure from ground to each hot and you will read 110 or so, Go across each hot and you get 220, Your dryer or stove is wired for 220. Each line (hot to center) would be added together. My quess is that you didnt have 118. Your line is low. If you measure across lets say you dryer or stove you would read around 220 vac or so. Your 110 vac comes from a ground or center to the line.
The only thig I can say is that you didnt go to the fuse box and go across you street input--be careful!! this is not static electricity. You touch both sides of line, you do a Ted Bundy!!

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505. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114981

To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time getting the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been warned not once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on ham radio. Now, you whining is loud and long. You were let off easy by Mr Hollingsworth in my opinion. In fact I was one of the stations you interfered with!!

Why is it so hard for you to clean up your act, quit supporting qrmers like WB8FIH who was in fact qrming me on 14275 this very morning. (letter to Mr Hollingsworth has been send this morning).

The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part 97. And please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY THE RULES"

W4FQF since 1952

In article <8cigvjesr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Allow me to pose some questions about enforcement and its advertising on the
> RAIN report and Web Extra.
> Have you noticed the changes in the on-the-air demeanor of KT4TR and W4FQF?
> Heavens to betsy, they're absolute angels or so it seems. I don't hear any
> police reports read on the air. No more credit reports given out. No more
> private investigatory reports on education, income, families etc. Why Mr.
> Youngblood has become a figurative saint. And how about George who used to
> be Polly but garbage by any other name smells as bad. Today I heard him say
> that WB8FIH was jamming him on 14.275 and he's going to report this to
> Riley. Paul jams no one-he's a great guy and a fine ham and how odd it is
> that Polly should be so obsessed by interference in light of his outright
> obnoxious behavior for a decade.
> Now I ask-what do you think brought about such magnificent changes in their
> attitudes? Voluntary achievement? Hardly! Let's see now; I'll make a
> guess-ah ha--LETTERS! From whom? From Riley Hollingsworth. How many did TR

> get do you suppose? One, two, three or more? Bill, K3CQR, told me he
had
> seen in QST a blurb about a Florida ham being tagged with a 2.5 K for
> reading confidential reports etc. I can't prove it was TR because
Bill said
> his name wasn't mentioned. Can you make an educated guess? And
although I
> have not seen their publication, no one can make me believe that Polly
> suddenly, while in church one Sunday in the role of an elder sporting
his
> vestments, heard God tell him to reform for the betterment of all
mankind. I
> say one or more letters from Riley did the trick. In my opinion,
W4FQF has
> been one if not the worst troublemaker to ever key a mic on 14.313,
yet
> somehow he's a privileged unpublished individual presenting the
allusion
> of changing for the better miraculously. WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON
HERE? Why
> are certain enforcement letters published while others are suppressed?
> Everyone knows that TR got them-why wasn't I able to read them on
RAIN or
> the Web Extra while those to me are published? And the same goes for
that
> "thing" from Tennessee. Do you suppose that Youngblood wasn't
published
> because of the sensitivity of his employment? It must be cloak and
dagger
> work and a scandal reported on RAIN and elsewhere just might have
impacted
> it. For that man to escape public scrutiny is an abominable disgrace
to the
> entire concept of fairness in enforcement and think about this:
Polly's an
> elder in his church and probabaly looked up to and with those dumbo
ears,
> who can miss that puss? Do you suppose he pleaded with Riley, Hap and
the
> ARRL to omit publishing his letters and got away with it since
his "image of
> purity" before the congregation might be ruined? God I hope I'm
wrong in my
> assessment of the situation and if so, will someone with a semblance
of
> intelligence(David Tolassi need not apply) explain my error in
judgement?
> AF2Y, Doc
> cc: Hap Holly
>

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506. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cj789vvk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114982

In article <8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
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> their
> > attitudes? Voluntary achievement? Hardly! Let's see now; I'll
make a
> > guess-ah ha--LETTERS! From whom? From Riley Hollingsworth. How many
> did TR
> > get do you suppose? One, two, three or more? Bill, K3CQR, told me he
> had
> > seen in QST a blurb about a Florida ham being tagged with a 2.5 K
for
> > reading confidential reports etc. I can't prove it was TR because
> Bill said
> > his name wasn't mentioned. Can you make an educated guess? And
> although I
> > have not seen their publication, no one can make me believe that
Polly
> > suddenly, while in church one Sunday in the role of an elder
sporting
> his
> > vestments, heard God tell him to reform for the betterment of all
> mankind. I
> > say one or more letters from Riley did the trick. In my opinion,
> W4FQF has
> > been one if not the worst troublemaker to ever key a mic on 14.313,
> yet
> > somehow he's a privileged unpublished individual presenting the
> allusion
> > of changing for the better miraculously. WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON
> HERE? Why
> > are certain enforcement letters published while others are
suppressed?
> > Everyone knows that TR got them-why wasn't I able to read them on
> RAIN or
> > the Web Extra while those to me are published? And the same goes for
> that
> > "thing" from Tennessee. Do you suppose that Youngblood wasn't
> published
> > because of the sensitivity of his employment? It must be cloak and
> dagger
> > work and a scandal reported on RAIN and elsewhere just might have
> impacted
> > it. For that man to escape public scrutiny is an abominable disgrace
> to the

> > entire concept of fairness in enforcement and think about this:
> Polly's an
> > elder in his church and probabaly looked up to and with those dumbo
> ears,
> > who can miss that puss? Do you suppose he pleaded with Riley, Hap
and
> the
> > ARRL to omit publishing his letters and got away with it since
> his "image of
> > purity" before the congregation might be ruined? God I hope I'm
> wrong in my
> > assessment of the situation and if so, will someone with a semblance
> of
> > intelligence(David Tolassi need not apply) explain my error in
> judgement?
> > AF2Y, Doc
> > cc: Hap Holly
> >
> >
>
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>
So tell me "w4fqf"....why did you chose 14.275? With all the open frequencies available, why do you continue to operate on 275? Its really quite simple, isnt it? You go there in the hopes of starting some crap. You and your "hollier than thou" attitude has apparantly gone to your head. We ALL KNOW the only reason you go there is to stir up the pot. You are a world class hypocrite and a liar to boot.

As for Paul, WB8FIH....I hope you do make it to the 80s and 90s. I want to see you when you are harassed and attacked by a bunch of malcontent fools. Then your time will come.

You are supposed to be a "elder of your church"...well I'll tell you this jerk....what you do now will be read in the book of life. And God help you.....and we know he wont....right?

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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507. Re: Doc and others being railroaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cj7qe$l3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114983

In article <23684-38ECCB0E-26@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> With the exception of sullying Riley Hollingsworth, Esqire, I agree
with
> you.
>
> Let us not forget that what is being attempted here is more than any
one
> person can reasonably handle. Like any movement, it will have its
> excesses and miscues.
>
> We need only speak out, as we are here, so the powers that be have
> exposure to a side with which they may be unfamiliar. Further I urge
> my fellow hams to cooperate with Riley. Don't fight nor characterize
> unnecessarily. If you think he's made a miscue, ask for the evidence
> and communicate in good faith.
>
> If we get with the program, we'll come out with our licenses in tact
and
> ham radio will be improved.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
>
There is no need to attack Riley. I believe he is honestly trying to
do his volunteered job. Unfortunatly he did nor, and still does not,
have a handle on the true situation. I believe he will figure it out
one day. When he does the worm will turn.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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508. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cgl6n$5o8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115075

In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> You sure get long winded.

How would you know unless you read it? And you keep saying NO ONE reads his stuff.

> You got your fingers burned by Riley and you deserved it. ...Not once
> but TWICE,

People keep saying "twice" or "three times." Check the record; one ONV in the early 90s, no mention of interference; one letter in Nov, 99, no mention of interference; one letter in Mar, 00, the ONLY one that mentions interference.

> PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.

Translation: this really bothers me.

LRod

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509. Re: AF2Y says "Here's a thought."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cglbj$5qs$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115076

In article <8cgaoo$q24$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote: Well just a thought Doc? You sure get
long winded.
You got your fingers
burned by Riley and you deserved it. My playing Hitler speeches on top
of
Bob and George got you popped buddy. Not once but TWICE, and now the
bitter tears. Those of us who know and detest you realize you would
normally have DEMANDED the tapes and what ever that the FCC had on
you,instead you knew you didnt do it and had no idea who did, well now
you do, so shutup.

As for Fred Roll I told him I had no idea his wife Rosey was in the
truck when I asked him the queston, and I apologized and meant it. The
reason I did that was because he scared the hell out of me. He
could have kicked my fag ass from Ohio to VT with one hit. It's not my
fault the bozo blamed me for his actions. I don't think I did anything
wrong. After all its just radio fun, right?

Next: What about the things I have done the last decade? Driving
you nuts with Holocaust rhetoric. The way your buddies drove KA4MUJ to
the brink of ham insanity, and rightly so. Because all he did was cus
and scream for hours upon hours on end. Like Douglas Gerry said, he
was just a mullet headed sailor.
That was nice Doc. He got just what he deserved.
Also if 'OTK thinks he is going to come back and be the obnoxiuos bully
he was, he is SORLEY mistake. Because I will jam him again just like I
and the BARF used to do. You and your cronies are on the ropes and
I for one know it wont last long. Damn I wish I could have gone to
Vietnam like my buddy Aldo Ryder did. Sign off Doc--Get another hobby

LT tolassi B.A.R.F FIRED.
PS I dont think playing with my last name does you any good.

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>
This is really what he wanted to say.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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510. Re: The .313 "Hap Holligans"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwilliams2458@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cgnrk$8k1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115077

BRAVO, BRAVO! - ASTUTE COMMENTS, AND COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION!
SAY, WHAT IS THE CLINICAL TERM FOR THOSE WHO DWELL CONTINUALLY ON
PROBLEMS OF OTHERS? YOU KNOW, LIKE THOSE ON 14313 WHO, DAY AFTER DAY,
BROADCAST THE SAME OLD TRIPE!

In article <8cfit4$9je$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Oh was the Memphis Moron actually fined for QRMing? If so, why was it
hushed
> up? Please tell us more Mr. Liberty_nits and thank you.
> AF2Y
>
> ----------
> In article <38EB4C67.4CC2EC96@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> > Hey Polly, er George, how much was your fine from the FCC for your
> > QRMing?
> > >
> > >
> > >
> > > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >>
> > >> My Oh My, sounds like "Sour Grapes" time from three time notated
qrmer
> > >> AF2Y. You got caught qrming simple as that. Next time you are outta
> > >> here!! The reason you don't come on 313 is because of your
compulsion
> > >> to qrm. Dont blame Seymore are anyone else. YOU qrmed, YOU made
your
> > >> bed, NOW. YOU lay in it . Next time "Exit Stage left QRMer" then,
you
> > >> are outta amateur radio and you know it ..
> > >>
> > >> W4FQF since 1952
> > >>
> > >> In article <8cdngp$s9v$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
> > >> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > >> > In article <20000403145108.28474.00000732@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> > >> rfcommsys@aol.com
> > >> > (RFCOMMSYS) wrote:
> > >> >
> > >> > What happened to 14.313 and 3.950?
> > >> >

> >> > I can't tell you what happened to 3.950 since for me it holds
little
> >> or no
> >> > interest but 14.313 is a different story. I was the one who made
it
> >> > interesting; I was the one who made it funny; I was the one who
added
> >> > spontaneity and several of the Howard Johnson 28 flavors. And I
never
> >> used
> >> > foul langauge, never told off color stories, never did NUTHIN'
but add
> >> > interest, spontaneity, fun and several of Howard Johnson's 28
> >> flavors. And
> >> > it's over for me on that rotten megahertz trap now manned by the
most
> >> boring
> >> > finks to ever spray spit into a microphone. When I got a letter
from
> >> Riley
> >> > which had the tone of his going after someone who had been cited
for
> >> > intentionally interfering a dozen times, which reflected his
> >> condemnation of
> >> > a real dyed in the wool radio criminal instead of an innocent
> >> bigmouth which
> >> > is what I am, I said, "That's all she wrote." As the great
Margaret
> >> Mitchell
> >> > wrote, Gone With the Wind." Anyone with any personality
> >> whatsoever,stupid
> >> > enough to stay on the frequency, is not playing with a full
deck. Why
> >> in the
> >> > name of common sense should a good ham put himself at the mercy
of a
> >> group
> >> > of power hungry maniacs who feel they have Riley Hollingsworth in
> >> their
> >> > pocket? And I was there to see the WHOLE NINE YARDS my good man
and
> >> to see
> >> > those misfits who for years carried on like lunatics now in the a
> >> position
> >> > to influence Riley, that's too much. I and others think this
way: we'd
> >> > rather lose a frequency than out tickets, period. I call the
creeps
> >> on .313,
> >> > "Hap Holligans" because their main thrill in life is to read and

> >> discuss the
> >> > enforcement issues presented in the R.A.I.N, reports and to
discuss
> >> them in
> >> > such a way so as to cast all inference of dirty dealings away
from
> >> > themselves onto others. These "Holligans" feel they're Riley's
boys
> >> and I
> >> > say they just might be, unfortunately. What once was a wonderful
> >> frequency,
> >> > even TONED DOWN, is no longer that. It's boring and lousy with
> >> washerwomen
> >> > like Seymour, WA9KJB and Bob, KB4MXL. Listen if you want to
either
> >> learn
> >> > everything about nothing or nothing about everything. P.U.
> >> > AF2Y, Doc
> >> >
> >> >
> >>
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511. Brother Lloyds Gone Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhollingsworth@fcc.gov
Message-ID: <38ec8c8e.223253949@news.knology.net>
Source record: 115078

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=301822093
Terminal Tech Gear Brother Lloyd 706 is for auction.

512. Re: Brother Lloyds Gone Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000405213538.03759.00001171@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 115079

>From: rhollingsworth@fcc.gov (Riley)

>Message-ID: <38ec8c8e.223253949@news.knology.net>

Since when does the FCC use a outsourced e-mail server?

513. Re: Is this a HAM forum or what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cgu3bfaq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115080

And the bright lightbulb posted the same message five times.(burnt out
that is)
Bravo!

In article <20000327222325.01484.00008260@nso-fi.aol.com>,
toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
> In article <UWRD4.121$262.259@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "Dan Buchanan"
> <kf4lne@hotmail.com> writes:
>
> > I'm glad I'm not so stupid I
> >would post things here to be seen by people all over the world.
> >Dan Buchanan - KF4LNE - EM85UO
>
> Like you just did?
>
>

--
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514. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cgvce$gk1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 115081

To agrivate listeners, primarily truckers, but other CB'ers that are part of an opposing group are also fair game. It could even be polite conversation using echo and sound effects. They think that they sound cool and powerful. Kinda like that punk with the BOOM-BOOM stereo in his car that rides through at 3am when you are trying to sleep. That knuckle head thinks that he sounds cool also.

I have a couple of boxes like that around here somewhere. One is called a VC-100. It is a neet little device with long clear echo, ding dong courtesy tone, and one other slick little device. It has a voice inversion scrambler/descrambler built in. I use it to decode police scramblers on the scanner.

I used to play those games with the big linears and the electronic toys and trickery, but those days are long gone. All those jerks think that they are hot shit on a silver platter, when it's very plain that they are cold turds on a paper plate. It's a vanity thing. Kinda like your lawn freak neighbor.

I still have my 500 watt solid state amp. It kicks ass on 10 meters with the 2510 hitched to it. It's great for field day on a quarter wave ground-plane I have. (a more noble use on ham radio, and I don't need a CB'er getting it and wiping out the neighborhood cable system.)

Radio Oger

In article <8cea54$66m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are.
Here
> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
>
> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my
reciever.
>
>

--
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515. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <38ebff3c.331709310@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 115082

On 05 Apr 2000 06:21:45 GMT, rfemitter@aol.com (Rfemitter) wrote:

>>Still, lack of respect for Riley Hollingsworth, Esquire, is folly.
>
>"Lawyers Suck" the life out of every society they prey upon. They entangle
>themselves in government for the power it gives them and they then pass laws
>that will benefit their guild brothers and sisters. Esquires are of title and
>as per the original 13th amendment, should never be allowed in government.
>Including the FCC. The Founding fathers knew about CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.
>
>Lack of respect---Folly? Respect must be earned.
>Not forced upon anyone.
>
> >Here's a regulator who cares about the future of ham radio
>
>Ask Hollingsworth about his involvement with the sell off of some of the ham
>frequencies a few years back . He seems to care not for ham radio but for the
>commercialization of the ham frequencies. Especially the VHF and UHF segments.
>Get those guys off the UHF & VHF segments by dropping CW requirements. .

the sell off of frequencies was guided by a nice conservative congress
who believes govt functions best when sold to the highest bidder.

hollingsworth is doing an admirable job for ham radio. he's kicked off
freq a bunch of nut cases and cleaned up the bands.

516. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EBFFCD.731919EA@bctv.com>
Source record: 115083
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> > In article <38EA9CB5.9D87E13B@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> > >Brian wrote:
> >
> > >> Keith, please don't taunt Jeff. He'll come back with yet more irrelevant Coast
> > >> Guard stories.
> >
> > >Perhaps so, but since I have him filtered . . . hehehehehehh
> >
> > But you just made a *direct* response to one of my posts last week.

Uh, no. No more than this is a *direct* response.

But Jeff has always had a problem dealing with the truth, which is why I
filtered him in the first place.

> Big, big mistake. ;^)

Yes, and he made it. Again.

517. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko4qc@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38ee730c.6539694@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Thu, 06 Apr 2000 20:18:46 GMT, hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:

>ARRL, who brought you the incentive licensing debacle, has once again
>decided to cash in; now on the reduced license requirements by offering
>a discount to only those hams who are upgrading.
****FLUSH********
>
>Why would WB2OTK WANT to get back on the air ? Why would any of us with
>a brain want to ?

BYE!!!!

>What would we expect from an organization that thinks it's fine to
>discount the memberships of old farts who receive social security check
>handouts every month in addition to their fat pensions, but thinks the
>disabled can go fend for themselves, by denying a rate reduction at
FLUSH*

518. Re: ARRL says exams up 135 percent (Average SAT score for all hams now 900)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38EE669C.70A1@some.net>
Source record: 114735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>
> And before a select group responds by saying "sour grapes", note that
> the hams upgrading in many cases are those already in the Advanced and
> Extra portions. I already talk to them, but still have a right to my
> opinion of their waiting game, without being subjected to your hackneyed
> cliches that are indicative of your mentality.

Just curious, what does an Extra upgrade too?

519. What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16543-38EE6ED9-3@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114736

If the ends be just, then any means must be all right too. This appears to be a guiding principle of journalist Hap Holly. But knowing the golden Hap, I don't think he's aware of it.

To Hap, the scoops from the FCC are enticing material. Running them without question, he doesn't see the reason to dig further, I'm sure. Who's going to question Motherhood, apple pie and the American flag?

Notwithstanding, I believe Doc's posts on this subject are meritorious and worthy of note by the amateur community, media and the FCC. I have experienced the lopsided behavior firsthand, not from the FCC but from hams bent on putting me under too.

Hap's email makes clear, the FCC is indeed selective in releasing Mr. Hollingsworth's letters to the press. Letters are published on some hams but not on others. If Hap isn't doing so, it must be the government. This course should not be trivialized, because we need not throw out some of "the babies with the bath water" if we are to have equal treatment under the law.

Perhaps with this enlightenment, Hap will dig further. I, for one, have been posting, hopefully, unbiased reporting on this issue and am ready to be interviewed about every point. Enforcement, yes; selective enforcement, no!

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

520. Re: AF2Y: a reply from Hap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16546-38EE6FCC-2@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114737

dtolassi, Great satire but I don't agree that any of us need to take anything to the limit. We are fortunate to have a reasonable milieu, where mere posting will make a difference.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

521. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko4qc@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38ee73bf.6718883@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

He wants to be taken seriously,but cant even spell ROLE correctly.Must
be brain damage from too many Dits and Dahs...:>)

On Thu, 06 Apr 2000 15:54:36 -0500, Jon Johnson
<Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:

>hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>> Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings
>> of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?
>
>Your gripe really makes no sense...unless you really believe 20 WPM code
>can affect propagation or signal processing.
>
>> Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand it out to the new Extras
>> since they'll all be longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley
>> as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.
>
>Would that be a Kaiser 'roll' or dinner 'roll'?

522. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EE78AC.2489E1F4@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> Gee Dwight, why do you need to talk to your friends on CB. Since
> you are limited to 5 watts and 85 mile radius why not just use the
> telephone. Costs about the same except you don't waste electricity
> using the phone.

First of all, if I were to apply your logic to radio in general, I wouldn't have a ham radio either (it's possible to call anyone in the world using the telephone). I talk with my friends on the CB radio for the very same reasons I talk to other friends with the ham radio - its fun. I tend to enjoy our weekly roundtable discussions (its not easy to talk to eight or nine people at the same time on the telephone).

Gee, you would think a person posting to a radio newsgroup would understand the appeal of radio (any radio).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

523. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EE7DFD.4902F942@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cap'n Crunch wrote:
>
>
> Try again Dwight... 10,40,75 & 160 is where the AM'ers are.. NOT 20. Oh...
> and 11!

Damn, you're weird. I don't have time for these petty little games.
What does it matter what band he was on? That has nothing to do with
the point. To be honest, I didn't really pay attention to what band he
was actually using. He could have been on any band. I only mentioned a
band because you mentioned the 10 meter band, which I know he was not
using - his radio won't do it.

For that matter, what business is it of yours? You're hinting that
I've used my radio illegally in the CB band, which I have clearly
denied. However, if you still think I've done that, or anything else
against the rules, report me to the FCC.

Until then, stop with the innuendo, and go away.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

524. Re: Comments on HEIL MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EE838D.B5331F3F@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114741

I have to agree with the others. Whenever I use the Heil HC-4/5 elements on my FT-847, I get endless, unsolicited, reports of excellent audio. Well worth the money.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

525. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tyler Harpster <tyler@cyberia.com>
Message-ID: <38EE8BA2.6014F66F@cyberia.com>
Source record: 114742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Two words John...

FUCK YOU.

If you don't want to be listened to on your cordless phone, don't talk
on your cordless phone.

John Bowers wrote:
>
> On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
> : Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> : (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> : 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> : Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
> : of what type of technology is used.
>
> It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
> For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
> you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
>
> Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
> potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
> be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
> and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
> because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
> why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
> encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
> jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> be banned too.
>
> But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
> design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
> reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
> police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
> the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
> To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is

> really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> what must be done.
>
> Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> element, and not any government which acts to block you.

526. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Franklin" <jpfrankl@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <f6wH4.3387$zi.73335@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 114743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Gee, you would think a person posting to a radio newsgroup would
> understand the appeal of radio (any radio).
>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

Save your breath Dwight, there seems to be a rather large collection of
rude, mindless, nitwits that frequent these NG's.

Pat said (typed) that.

527. NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6450-38EE8C81-5@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114744

Sorry, Dan. I have to agree with FQF on this particular issue. He is on 275 for the same reason I'm on 313. For you, it may be stirring the pot; for me, it is a "sit-in" to properly make every frequency available to every licensed amateur.

Let's assume regularity until we see irregularity. Then, we can post benignly with specifics that everyone can follow and which are subjected to scrutiny. Justice and fair play aren't something that can be rammed through by one guy bypassing the customary safeguards of free speech..

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

528. Re: What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38EEADEF.6D2FF044@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114745

Bob Sherin wrote:
>... I have
> experienced the lopsided behavior firsthand, ... from
> hams bent on putting me under too....
> Hap's email makes clear, the FCC is indeed selective in releasing Mr.
> Hollingsworth's letters to the press. Letters are published on some
> hams but not on others. If Hap isn't doing so, it must be the
> government. This course should not be trivialized, because we need not
> throw out some of "the babies with the bath water" if we are to have
> equal treatment under the law....

Bob,
You might as well get ready. A lot of people will want to
throw stones at you because you won't join the lynch mobs
and yell "me too!."
I posted some time ago that we were going
to see this sort of thing, and I got lots of hell for it.

I'm not here to slam Mr. Hollingsworth. He has his orders
and must carry them out as best he can. And I believe he's
doing his best. But some things are falling through
the cracks and it has me worried. Mr. Hollingsworth
isn't the only person in this enforcement effort-
there are a lot more involved.
While most have the very highest motives,
things can still go wrong.

Like our anonymous friend yesterday- I, too am worried
about these anomalies. I'm worried about some "auxiliaries"
injecting personal biases and grudges into the enforcement process,
especially when Big Brother has said he'll unquestioningly back them
with the muscle. No one has told us how these guys are supposed
to operate, or what qualifies them to say one guy is "jamming"
and one isn't. They've met and decided all this pretty much
in secret; At least, I've never seen an article on it.
It only takes a few rotten apples to do some serious injustice.
Where are the checks and balances to prevent this?
Who watches the watchers? Or are we really, truly
going to have an unquestionable secret police in ham radio
and networks of spies, stalking and informing on their neighbors?
No one in authority has addressed these fair questions.

I worry about the posting of enforcement letters publicly on some people
and not others, about those letters being spread as gospel when
the charges have not been proven. Most of the accused are not presented

with the specific evidence against them nor the names of their accusers.
Even a petty shoplifter gets to see the video tape that nailed him
and face the officer that accused him.

I worry about a select ham being given Mr. Hollingsworth's
home phone number, and that ham's word- with all his personal
biases- being given some special status. I dare say that
if I were to hold forth on 14.313 espousing the wonderful
world of Hari Krishna, I wouldn't receive such special treatment
(I don't own a 20 meter antenna, so no danger of that ;-).

And why does everyone just assume that these guys are guilty?
Maybe this guy in Newton is guilty as sin, but I want to see
some evidence other then "Jim drove by in his mobile and
his S-meter pinned." Are they doing more than this?
I don't know... they haven't told us what they're doing,
other then "direction finding," which can be in error,
so I can't know if it's a valid catch or
just somebody's "best guess."
What if it were *you* they were accusing?
I can't speak for the lynch mob,
but before I condemn someone I want to be reasonably sure
he's guilty. Since they don't say exactly what they do,
I don't know what to think.

This and other things worry me about the latest enforcement
efforts. I hope my worries turn out to be groundless.
The bands are unquestionably cleaner these days,
but if it's done by simply lopping off the heads of the
unpopular guys without observing the rights of the accused,
or by bullying a net out of existance because some don't like
its politics, then it's too high a price to pay.

Kind Regards,
Dave S.

529. Re: Crybaby, obsolete hams!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38EEB1B0.ABD5951B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114746

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Dave, he was a solid ten (100% troll) on my meter. I believe yours
> might need calibration (WWVB or 14313).
> 73, Jeff KH6O

You're right, Jeff. I opened it up and found rat hairs
clogging the element. Fitting, huh?

73 Dave AB5S

530. Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6bjH4.20986$Of2.747151@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114834

It reduces air pollution.
Welcome to ham radio-set your watch back 40 years

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You will see:

1. How to pass the A+ Certification
2. Realtp://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
ly interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. How you know you are a ham.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@broadcast.net
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik

531. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. White" <mwhite@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <38EDD3EE.8F98DB2B@mitre.org>
Source record: 114835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Yes certainly Millions died, but it was not thanks to the infamous Enigma machine. That's my only point!

What in the world are you talking about? The greatest achievement of the Enigma code-breakers was intercepting the communications between German submarines in the Atlantic and their commanders in Europe. That knowledge made it possible to keep the sea lanes open, arm and supply England, and later stage the D-Day invasion. Without Ultra (the Enigma intercepts), those sea lanes would have failed, and England would have likely fallen, or at least could not have been used as a staging base for the invasion. There would have been no second front, the entire German army would have been available to counter the Russian advance in the East, and Europe would have been in Nazi hands indefinitely. Ultra made it just possible for England to hang on long enough for America to enter the war and turn the tide. Ultra was a cornerstone of the Allied victory; there were many other essential elements as well, but without Ultra the Allies would have failed.

Mike White

532. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EDF442.BC1332E9@ahole.com>
Source record: 114836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Hey butt head, they just lowered the code requirements, not the
theory! Do you understand? What does explaining the F layer or the
differences between IF and AF DSP have to do with lowering the CW
test speed?
Please help me out on this one OK.

hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Dayton Hamvention¿½ has announced that the Smothers Brothers comedy
> team will headline the post-banquet entertainment this year. This
> year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.
>
> Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings
> of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?
>
> More recently, Dick Smothers has gained a reputation as a vintner in
> California.
>
> Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand it out to the new Extras
> since they'll all be longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley
> as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

533. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few; W4FQF Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EDF52E.B3E2A6DE@ahole.com>
Source record: 114837

How much did you pay the Government after you were caught playing
Polly the Parrot?

w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time getting
> the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been warned not
> once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on ham
> radio. Now, you whining is loud and long. You were let off easy by Mr
> Hollingsworth in my opinion. In fact I was one of the stations you
> interfered with!!
>
> Why is it so hard for you to clean up your act, quit supporting qrmers
> like WB8FIH who was in fact qrming me on 14275 this very morning.
> (letter to Mr Hollingsworth has been send this morning).
>
> The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part 97. And
> please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY THE
> RULES"
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
> In article <8cigvjesr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > Allow me to pose some questions about enforcement and its advertising
> on the
> > RAIN report and Web Extra.
> > Have you noticed the changes in the on-the-air demeanor of KT4TR and
> W4FQF?
> > Heavens to betsy, they're absolute angels or so it seems. I don't
> hear any
> > police reports read on the air. No more credit reports given out. No
> more
> > private investigatory reports on education, income, families etc. Why
> Mr.
> > Youngblood has become a figurative saint. And how about George who
> used to
> > be Polly but garbage by any other name smells as bad. Today I heard
> him say
> > that WB8FIH was jamming him on 14.275 and he's going to report this to
> > Riley. Paul jams no one-he's a great guy and a fine ham and how odd
> it is
> > that Polly should be so obsessed by interference in light of his
> outright

> > obnoxious behavior for a decade.
> > Now I ask-what do you think brought about such magnificent changes in
> their
> > attitudes? Voluntary achievement? Hardly! Let's see now; I'll make a
> > guess-ah ha--LETTERS! From whom? From Riley Hollingsworth. How many
> did TR
> > get do you suppose? One, two, three or more? Bill, K3CQR, told me he
> had
> > seen in QST a blurb about a Florida ham being tagged with a 2.5 K for
> > reading confidential reports etc. I can't prove it was TR because
> Bill said
> > his name wasn't mentioned. Can you make an educated guess? And
> although I
> > have not seen their publication, no one can make me believe that Polly
> > suddenly, while in church one Sunday in the role of an elder sporting
> his
> > vestments, heard God tell him to reform for the betterment of all
> mankind. I
> > say one or more letters from Riley did the trick. In my opinion,
> W4FQF has
> > been one if not the worst troublemaker to ever key a mic on 14.313,
> yet
> > somehow he's a privileged unpublished individual presenting the
> allusion
> > of changing for the better miraculously. WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON
> HERE? Why
> > are certain enforcement letters published while others are suppressed?
> > Everyone knows that TR got them-why wasn't I able to read them on
> RAIN or
> > the Web Extra while those to me are published? And the same goes for
> that
> > "thing" from Tennessee. Do you suppose that Youngblood wasn't
> published
> > because of the sensitivity of his employment? It must be cloak and
> dagger
> > work and a scandal reported on RAIN and elsewhere just might have
> impacted
> > it. For that man to escape public scrutiny is an abominable disgrace
> to the
> > entire concept of fairness in enforcement and think about this:
> Polly's an
> > elder in his church and probabaly looked up to and with those dumbo
> ears,
> > who can miss that puss? Do you suppose he pleaded with Riley, Hap and
> the
> > ARRL to omit publishing his letters and got away with it since
> his "image of
> > purity" before the congregation might be ruined? God I hope I'm
> wrong in my
> > assessment of the situation and if so, will someone with a semblance

> of
> > intelligence(David Tolassi need not apply) explain my error in
> judgement?
> > AF2Y, Doc
> > cc: Hap Holly
> >
> >
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

534. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EDF6FE.ADE9D312@ahole.com>
Source record: 114838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gee Dwight, why do you need to talk to your friends on CB. Since
you are limited to 5 watts and 85 mile radius why not just use the
telephone. Costs about the same except you don't waste electricity
using the phone.

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Cap'n Crunch wrote:
> >
> > .....Hmmmm... you say you tested your 847 on Ten Meters to check the AM
> > capabilities of your rig? That's interesting, seeing as your Technician
> > class license does not allow you to utilize the AM mode on any band except
> > 11 meters, where, of course, your 847 is a 'non-type accepted' rig. (..and
> > I'd guess from your posts in the CB news group that's where you're were
> > planning on using it) FOR SHAME!!
>
> No, I did not say anything of the sort. If your read back over my
> last few messages, you'll find that I said in one of those messages that
> the problem was discovered by a friend, an older ham that is an AM aficionado.
>
> To elaborate, while he was over at my house one afternoon, he
> attempted to contact his wife at home (an excuse to have her talk on an
> old AM radio he had left hooked up before he left the house - he wanted
> to see how it sounded). By the way, if I remember correctly, he was on
> 20 meters.
>
> When she could not hear him very well, all of us assumed it was his
> old radio at fault. However, we took my radio over to his house to try
> a few more tests, just in case. Later that night, he attempted to
> contact another friend who also had an AM radio and the friend also
> reported very weak audio coming from my radio.
>
> In an effort to better understand how the radio sounded, he went down
> the street to listen in his car while I continued to talk to him on the
> radio (his wife was present as control operator).
>
> The radio has been operated on AM on only two other occasions, to
> attempt contact with several people at another ham's house (under his
> license) and at a local repair shop.
>
> By the way, Crunch, if you had read that earlier message, you would
> have also saw that I said that "I've had the radio for several months
> and have never used the AM mode." I use an old, unmodified, Cobra 1000,

> that I purchased many years ago, to occasionally talk to friends
> (CB'ers) that do not have a ham radio license.
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

535. Comments on HEIL MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe & Bonita Sanada <b.sanada@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <38EDDB03.51BC0A73@gateway.net>
Source record: 114839

Hi I have a Yaesu FT-990 rig and have an MD-1 Mic. I want to purchase another Mic. for my rig

how is the quality of the HEIL Mic Line and also what do you suggest I purchase other then HEIL

Thanks 73 Joe W1JAS.. Terryville Ct.

536. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000407090928.23349.00000081@nso-cq.aol.com>
Source record: 114840

In article <V8jH4.20985$Of2.747362@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, "Burt"
<k1oik@yahoo.com> writes:

>The real joke is you who proclaims to be man of God but is really more fake
>than Jimmy Swigeret

Who is Jimmy Swigeret?

And, if you've proof of me being a fake, you're welcome to show it........not
just SAY it, but PROVE it.

537. New AURORA RealAudioFiles 50 Mhz 6-4-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre <pa5wx@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <7nlH4.2831$_c.42397@news.rdc1.ov.nl.home.com>
Source record: 114841
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,se.hobby.amatorradio,tnn.radio.amateur,uk.radio.amateur

I have some new 50 Mhz realaudiofiles from AURORA contacts 06-04-2000.

Look on my homepage

http://www.qsl.net/pa5wx

73 Andre

538. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8clf3sdja1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114842

Dan:

I will operate on any that frequency my license covers that is not occupied. You are not Frequency God. Quit trying to be one. If you want to be the frequency appointer, please petiion the FCC for that job.

In the meantime, just mind your own station, and your own business you little busybody! Don't try to rule the world.

The truth is, Paul WB8FIH Qrmed me and I reported him, If you do the same you will be reported. simple as that . As far as my religion is concerned it is none of your business, My God, do you want to tell people what religion to follow also.
It seems that you would like to be a dictator, you little tin horn fake.

W4FQF Since 1952

In article <8cj789vvk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> >
> > To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time
> getting
> > the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been warned
> not
> > once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on ham
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Mr
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> > The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part 97.
> And
> > please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY
THE
> > RULES"> >> > W4FQF since 1952
> >

>
> > ears,
>
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> >
> So tell me "w4fqf"....why did you chose 14.275? With all the open
> frequencies available, why do you continue to operate on 275? Its
> really quite simple, isnt it? You go there in the hopes of starting
> some crap. You and your "hollier than thou" attitude has apparantly
> gone to your head. We ALL KNOW the only reason you go there is to
stir
> up the pot. You are a world class hypocrite and a liar to boot.
>
> As for Paul, WB8FIH....I hope you do make it to the 80s and 90s. I
> want to see you when you are harassed and attacked by a bunch of
> malcontent fools. Then your time will come.
>
> You are supposed to be a "elder of your church"...well I'll tell you
> this jerk....what you do now will be read in the book of life. And
God
> help you.....and we know he wont....right?
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
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539. Re: Comments on HEIL MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8clf6c$dk1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114843
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <38EDDB03.51BC0A73@gateway.net>,
Joe & Bonita Sanada wrote:

> Hi I have a Yaesu FT-990 rig and have an MD-1 Mic. I want to purchase
> another Mic. for my rig
>
> how is the quality of the HEIL Mic Line and also what do you suggest I
> purchase other then HEIL

Ever since I saw my first Heil demonstration at W9DXCC in 1982(?) I have been convinced. I bought an HC-4 (mike element) on the spot and had it installed in my D-104 that night. What a difference!

When he came out with the ProSet in the late 80s(?), I bought one right away. He had had the lightweight headset out for some time, but I never cared for it; I preferred a full ear muff.

If you want the best sounding and best performing audio, the Heil mike, whether in the ProSet or as a replacement element in your D-104, 444, etc., is the only way to go. The earphone part of the ProSet is great, too, and the mike boom tips up out of the way when all you want to do is work CW or listen.

I also got very good service from the company. I broke a piece on one of the ProSet ear pieces, and when I called to order a replacement, the lady told me that the part had a manufacturing defect and she shipped replacement parts to me at no charge.

Bob Heil is sometimes hard to like, but he knows his audio stuff. If you go to Dayton, stop by his booth and listen to his demonstration (then go to the next booth and get QSL cards from W4MPY, a super nice guy). It is quite effective. Some will say the ProSet is overpriced, but it depends on what you want to do with your operating. For my kind of operating, it was money extremely well spent, and I would spend it again.

I don't recommend anything else.

LRod

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Before you buy.

540. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few; W4FQF Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ckqva$u72$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114844

That's exactly my point. If he had to pay a cent, why wasn't it publicized? Why wasn't any letter publicized? Apparently in the cases of Polly and BobbyBadBlood, one has to be an egregious amateur radio nuisance to remain anonymous and privileged.

In article <38EDF52E.B3E2A6DE@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> How much did you pay the Government after you were caught playing
> Polly the Parrot?
>
>
> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>>
>> To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time getting
>> the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been warned not
>> once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on ham
>> radio. Now, you whining is loud and long. You were let off easy by Mr
>> Hollingsworth in my opinion. In fact I was one of the stations you
>> interfered with!!
>>
>> Why is it so hard for you to clean up your act, quit supporting qrmers
>> like WB8FIH who was in fact qrming me on 14275 this very morning.
>> (letter to Mr Hollingsworth has been send this morning).
>>
>> The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part 97. And
>> please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY THE
>> RULES"
>>
>> W4FQF since 1952
>>
>> In article <8cigvjesr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> > Allow me to pose some questions about enforcement and its advertising
>> on the
>> > RAIN report and Web Extra.
>> > Have you noticed the changes in the on-the-air demeanor of KT4TR and
>> W4FQF?
>> > Heavens to betsy, they're absolute angels or so it seems. I don't
>> hear any
>> > police reports read on the air. No more credit reports given out. No
>> more
>> > private investigatory reports on education, income, families etc. Why
>> Mr.

>> > Youngblood has become a figurative saint. And how about George who
>> used to
>> > be Polly but garbage by any other name smells as bad. Today I heard
>> him say
>> > that WB8FIH was jamming him on 14.275 and he's going to report this to
>> > Riley. Paul jams no one-he's a great guy and a fine ham and how odd
>> it is
>> > that Polly should be so obsessed by interference in light of his
>> outright
>> > obnoxious behavior for a decade.
>> > Now I ask-what do you think brought about such magnificent changes in
>> their
>> > attitudes? Voluntary achievement? Hardly! Let's see now; I'll make a
>> > guess-ah ha--LETTERS! From whom? From Riley Hollingsworth. How many
>> did TR
>> > get do you suppose? One, two, three or more? Bill, K3CQR, told me he
>> had
>> > seen in QST a blurb about a Florida ham being tagged with a 2.5 K for
>> > reading confidential reports etc. I can't prove it was TR because
>> Bill said
>> > his name wasn't mentioned. Can you make an educated guess? And
>> although I
>> > have not seen their publication, no one can make me believe that Polly
>> > suddenly, while in church one Sunday in the role of an elder sporting
>> his
>> > vestments, heard God tell him to reform for the betterment of all
>> mankind. I
>> > say one or more letters from Riley did the trick. In my opinion,
>> W4FQF has
>> > been one if not the worst troublemaker to ever key a mic on 14.313,
>> yet
>> > somehow he's a privileged unpublished individual presenting the
>> allusion
>> > of changing for the better miraculously. WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON
>> HERE? Why
>> > are certain enforcement letters published while others are suppressed?
>> > Everyone knows that TR got them-why wasn't I able to read them on
>> RAIN or
>> > the Web Extra while those to me are published? And the same goes for
>> that
>> > "thing" from Tennessee. Do you suppose that Youngblood wasn't
>> published
>> > because of the sensitivity of his employment? It must be cloak and
>> dagger
>> > work and a scandal reported on RAIN and elsewhere just might have
>> impacted
>> > it. For that man to escape public scrutiny is an abominable disgrace
>> to the
>> > entire concept of fairness in enforcement and think about this:
>> Polly's an

>> > elder in his church and probabaly looked up to and with those dumbo
>> ears,
>> > who can miss that puss? Do you suppose he pleaded with Riley, Hap and
>> the
>> > ARRL to omit publishing his letters and got away with it since
>> his "image of
>> > purity" before the congregation might be ruined? God I hope I'm
>> wrong in my
>> > assessment of the situation and if so, will someone with a semblance
>> of
>> > intelligence(David Tolassi need not apply) explain my error in
>> judgement?
>> > AF2Y, Doc
>> > cc: Hap Holly
>> >
>> >
>>
>> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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541. AF2Y:more of Gerd Henjes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ckqc5$3ub$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114845

Here's a message I got this morning referencing Gerd Henjes:

Hi doc Gerd is W2ISB an is the president of the LARC amateur repeater club,
inc of Liverpool New York. an he is a major JERK he's the hole in
ass.....73
----- Original Message -----
The name's been omitted to protect confidentiality since I have many many
agents doing fine cloak and dagger work. Apparently the person who said that
Henjes is TR's wife's maiden name was pulling my leg or nose since both are
long and I extend my apologies to Mrs. Youngblood for any inconvenience or
embarrassment I caused although being married to TR causes more.

542. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8clgm2$f94$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38ECD9AF.903DD5FD@foxvalley.net>,
David <kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net> wrote:

> Well after all these years it sure looks like the propaganda
> (crap!)still works!

So what are you saying? There really wasn't a WWII?

> exploit a very small piece of intelligence and the Box office makes
> millions over the supposed controversy.

Very small piece of intelligence? The gaining of that intelligence had a
significant effect on every aspect of the European and African theaters.

> The germans did it less than 10 days after the Enigma machine was
> compromised!

Did what? They never knew until well after the war that it had been
compromised.

> Yep I am grateful for the agents that gave there [sic] lives and
> first hand intel through espionage not exploited Enigma machine.

So, your point is what? That capturing the Enigma was nothing and that
only ground based, in country intel contributed anything?

> Come on people wake up! Just another analogy of the truth. No
> not ungrateful just realistic!

What conspiracy are you working on here?

> No short memories here.

Yeah, all the way back to, what, about 1960?

> Read the files,they are available, if you don't know how than its best
> to remain silent ya think?

This is excellent advice. I suggest you take it. You are clearly
uninformed on this subject.

> Yes certainly Millions died, but it was not thanks to the infamous
> Enigma machine. That's my only point!

Please clarify it then. And cite empirical evidence to support your
assertion. Perhaps personal experience...

> Who knows? maybe one would certainly pull a stunt like this for the
> publicity of a movie???????

Ahh, yes. That whole WWII thing was just to get some good story lines so Hollywood could make money. I heard that Pearl Harbor was done on a sound stage; whadda ya think? I bet we didn't really go to the moon either, huh?

> Yes propaganda still works.

???????????

LRod

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543. Re: AF2Y:more of Gerd Henjes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8clhtpgkm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114847

In article <8ckqc5$3ub$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Here's a message I got this morning referencing Gerd Henjes:
>
> Hi doc Gerd is W2ISB an is the president of the LARC amateur repeater
club,
> inc of Liverpool New York. an he is a major JERK he's the hole
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many
> agents doing fine cloak and dagger work. Apparently the person who
said that
> Henjes is TR's wife's maiden name was pulling my leg or nose since
both are
> long and I extend my apologies to Mrs. Youngblood for any
inconvenience or
> embarrassment I caused although being married to TR causes more.
>

You would be better off leaving kt4tr alone --before you get spanked
again, Doc.

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544. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38EDE80E.4FE5@some.net>
Source record: 114848

Burt wrote:

> If there is anyone more useless on the internet, I have yet to find
> him,her,it.

For the answer to you quest, go look in the mirror.

545. Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EDFAF9.55664753@bctv.com>
Source record: 114849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Dayton Hamvention® has announced that the Smothers Brothers comedy
> team will headline the post-banquet entertainment this year. This
> year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.
>
> Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings
> of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?

Or some OLD Extras, for that matter?

Even more amusing would be a 20 WPM challenge, where whining Extras can prove (or not) their competence at their license CW speed.

Then we could have a contest: Hand a bunch of whining Extras a microphone, tools and the approriate parts, then have them wire up a cable for a TAPR-2 TNC. (Hi, Alan!)

Or maybe we can have a bunch of whining Extras try to pick a photo of the inside of their rig out of three possible choices?

The REAL amusement will be NEXT year! We can have a challenge, grab a random group of new Extras and a random group of whining Extras and see who is faster and more accurate in the tuning of tube-driven HF rigs. I would have suggested a race to REPAIR them, but it would be hard to find three whining Extras who would take the challenge.

REAL 20WPM Extras don't feel threatened by 5WPM Extras, because their sense of manhood isn't related to their CW speed.

546. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EDFBA0.1D154879@bctv.com>
Source record: 114850
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> Hey butt head, they just lowered the code requirements, not the
> theory! Do you understand? What does explaining the F layer or the
> differences between IF and AF DSP have to do with lowering the CW
> test speed?
> Please help me out on this one OK.

Give him a couple of days to look up the difference between CW and the F layer, okay . . ?

Remember, those who scream the loudest about a relaxation of standard are those who aren't sure that they even still could pass the exams they passed before.

547. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <ydnH4.51$EG2.694@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 114851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
news:38EDFAF9.55664753@bctv.com...

hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Dayton Hamvention® has announced that the Smothers Brothers comedy
> team will headline the post-banquet entertainment this year. This
> year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.
>

Keith, my son, you are missing the whole point. Nothing, nothing in this world will clear a room faster than introducing an ARRL official at a hamfest, let alone Dayton. I have literally seen bodies jumping out of windows when a Section Rep was introduced. A skunk could not achieve the same result.

Personally I suspect a conspiracy to empty the crowd into Dayton hotspots and keep the crowd at the vendors (shopping in the dark beats hell of an ARRL official). The real question is why the League showed up. Theories range from a feeble attempt to regain relevance to needing enough bystanders to prevent a lynch mob from forming. Pick yours.

BTW while not denying there may be some, the 'bitter old Extras' are largely imaginary.

Dick McCollum N0BK

548. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <02837608.a0c62929@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 114852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Got a good one for you Keith.
Q. What's a 70 year old pussy taste like?
A. Depends

A real extra wouldn't have to ask; depends on what?
G. "Ten-Tec 4ever" Wolf aka KZ5B

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549. AF2Y: a reply from Hap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cl071hcu1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114853

Oh by the way I did send an inquiry or two to Hap Holly concerning "equal time" on his website which notwithstanding an otherwise very fine piece of work still comes across as the National Enquirer of ham doings on the web. I broached the issue of equal time to Hap because if one sends an e-mail in defense to Mr. H., it's not seen by those same hams who see just the other side of the picture. And if one sends a certified letter to Mr. H., it's not passed on to Hap for publication. Perhaps I'm wrong but shouldn't democratic principles apply to ham radio since they apply to every other phase of American life? Do not misconstrue my remarks as blaspheming Riley Hollingsworth specifically or the Commission generally. Enforcement was LONG OVERDUE and thank heavens we have it. I am making a case for those who never were caught in the act of doing anything but jumped upon by Riley by virtue of clever perfidiousness emanating from a collaboration of misfits who convinced him of their sainthoods and righteousness, like from someone who might be an elder and wears vestments in a Southern Baptist church who for years pretended to be a talking squawking bird whose talents included blowing into harmonicas before a microphone and playing rock and roll records and jamming QSOs with "Herbie baby's number one" and other assorted infractions tantamount to exhibiting the worst conceivable demeanor ever heard on amateur radio. Just a thought-no names or calls mentioned. Here is Hap's second reply and if course being that he sees no need for equal time, rehashing it with him is moot. If he's satisfied showing hamdom just one side of a story, then so be it and we'll all have to learn to live with it. I really wish I were computer literate enough to create a website on which I could convince Mr. H. to let me publish his outgoing letters as well as replies. Wouldn't equal time (DEMOCRACY) be a wonderful thing to have in ham radio?

Equal time does not apply to Amateur Radio. Furthermore, M. Bohnhoff Inc. posts ALL letters sent by Hollingsworth. We do not ask for them. Hollingsworth forwards these enforcement letters as public documents to be posted on www.rainreport.com <http://www.rainreport.com> . We are one of a handful of media outlets that are recipients of ethers letters.

I trust we can now put this matter to rest.
Hap Holly, KC9RP
RAIN Founder/Producer
Mailto: hap@rainreport.com <mailto:hap@rainreport.com>

550. Re: Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dayton 2k Beachball Belly <break19@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <YFnH4.4922$y4.131019@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114854

Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:6bjH4.20986$Of2.747151@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net...
> It reduces air pollution.

But Burt, this is not the problem! The problem is
going to hamfests and seeing all the beer-bellied
slobs wearing cloths that were last washed in 1984
who insist on dicking you down to 25 cents on a
50-Cent item. It's a visual pollution problem.
Someone once told me that if you want to take a
census of all the unwashed and overweight radio
nuts living in a 100-square mile area, all you have
to do is announce and hold a hamfest. Is this an
accurate statement?

> Welcome to ham radio-set your watch back 40 years

No, more like 80 Years. Traffic and message nets have
been around since 1920 and have not changed one iota
since their inception. Sh-T, I've even heard some of
the missing-links at hamfests arguing how they can't
go out and *buy* a *tube type* radio anymore! They said
that "those transistor rigs go bad if you run your feet
across a carpet and touch-em". (a DIRECT quote from a
guy with a W2 call who looked like he last bathed in
1990 and saw a dentist in 1980) Guess he has not heard
about Integrated Circuits yet eh? Ham Radio - the
participants and colorfull (meaning cheap WASPs) therin
never cease to amaze and amuse. Be sure to check out ham
radio's greatest circus freak sideshow, comming soon to
a hamfest NEAR YOU!

(...and don't forget Dayton 2000! This Year's stellar lineup
includes the Smothers Brothers and toothless dancing girls OOOFA!)

> Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen
> a page like it. You will see:
>
> 1. How to pass the A+ Certification
> 2. Realtp://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
> ly interesting answering machine messages
> 3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
> 4. How you know you are a ham.
> 5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
> 6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
> 7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.

> 8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
> 9. An amazing card game that will shock others
> 10. Pictures of me and my family.
> 11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
> 12. See now the future of ham radio.
>
> Burt Fisher
> A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
> Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
> K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have
>
> burt@broadcast.net
> http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik

WITHOUT A DOUBT "THE" F I N E S T SITE DEALING WITH
HAM RADIO ON THE WWW. RIGHT ON THE CUTTING EDGE OF HAM
RADIO TECHNOLOGY. (albeit ham radio in general is about
as sharp technologically as a bowling ball of late....)

551. Re: Dayton Hooters Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dayton 2k Beachball Belly <break19@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <1GnH4.4923$y4.131019@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<hermit_thrush@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cit4dkjs1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Q: What do hams visiting Dayton have in common with girls at Hooters ?
>
> A: They need bras badly.

Don't forget to include a case or two of
Depends Undergarments either.....for the hams that is....
I wonder if you get one when you pays for admission at the gate?

552. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dayton 2k Beachball Belly <break19@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <2GnH4.4924$y4.131019@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

<hermit_thrush@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cirsl$j7j$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
>
> Dayton Hamvention® has announced that the
> Smothers Brothers comedy team will headline
> the post-banquet entertainment this year. This
> year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.

OH BOY!!!!! a real doubleheader! Tell me will most of the
banquet attendees fall asleep halfway thru the proceedings?
I understand that The amount of "sleepy-heads" at the banquet
even puts Senator Strom Thurmond's performances in Coingress to
shame.....

> Why don't they just have some new Extras get up
> and explain the workings of F layer propagation
> or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?

Don't Kenwood already include that inside of
the box with your new HF radio? (In poorly translated
"Jap-English" of course. Complete with those cute pictures
that look loke something out of Pokemon)

> More recently, Dick Smothers has gained a
> reputation as a vintner in California.
> Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand
> it out to the new Extras since they'll all be
> longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley
> as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.

I can't top that astute comment of observation! Have a Beer
and a Big Mac on me dude!!

xoxoxo

553. Re: WANTED: ICOM IC-T7H modification data...Can the Tx be expanded???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim S." <CGFYRFYTR@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <8cl1a9$1bqs@r02n01.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 114857

First of all, PSU operates on an 800MhZ system. we trashed our 160 mhz system years ago. As I understand it, this radio is a dual-band 2 meter/ 70 centimeter radio, therefore uncapable of operating on 800 mhz.
Second of all, I don't even own the radio. This post was for a friend who was looking to buy the radio, and asked me if this type of modification IS POSSIBLE. I didn't know, so I asked the forum.....

Thanks for the quick judgement, Liberty.

Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote in message news:38ECAD45.76782D79@ahole.com...
> Why do you want to expand the TX? Is it so you can use it on your
> PSU radio system. May I ask a question? Well going to anyway. Is
> the radio FCC type accepted to operate out of the ham bands on
> commercial/public safety frequencies?
>
> Would a letter to the school stating that you are using a non FCC
> certified radio on their system cause any problem?
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>
> Jim Snodgrass wrote:
> >
> > --
> > James Snodgrass
> > Billing Supervisor
> > University Police
> > Security and Traffic unit
> > The Pennsylvania State University
> > jas466@police.psu.edu

554. Re: AF2Y: a reply from Hap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8clmpt$m3e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114858

I hate to say it Doc,but you are right. I think you have a legit beef with Mr Hollingsworth. You NEVER recieved a tape of you jamming. They (he) should reveal the just what you did (said).
Doc, you are in a fine club of individuals meligned by Riley.
Only you can take this to the limit.
Only You have the vast intellect and command of the English to fight the dragon.
You have done so many things.
Identifing Neo-Nazis when the rest of use werent able to reconize they were Nazis.
Making the last few months of life of a ham a preperation for the hell he would ultimatley endouer.
Change the chemical compostion of holy water for the enjoyment of Christians.
Write letters to stop a ham from recieving a pension because of his affiliation to a radical club
Dedicating yourself mind,body,and soul to the destruction of a single ham.
Use psychological techniques to cause a ham to "go nuts" and get beat up
Mastermind aplot to expose the persons sending letters degraging hams by wire tapping a phone call and have someone else to do it and get all the pleasure.
This is your greatest challenge Doc.
Alot of us are depending on you to go the distance with the FCC. Other guys have done alot worse, but the FCC has targeted YOU.
Are they yet other examples of hatred towards people of you tribe?
Keep up the good work
KB1EVE

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555. Re: Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38EE0DFB.D1E8C86E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114859

Burp and some doofuss wrote, (something or other)

Troll-o-meter reading 13.3%-
Would have done better if the doofuss knew how to snip.

Oh, and Burp- If you think QRMing is such a good turn,
well go ahead. You'll get all that attention you crave.
heh heh.....

556. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cap'n Crunch <kcfamily@tir.com>
Message-ID: <UcoH4.12297$n8.2076723@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 114860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dwight Stewart wrote in message <38ED3F5A.10103642@sccoast.net>...

> No, I did not say anything of the sort. If your read back over my
>last few messages, you'll find that I said in one of those messages that
>the problem was discovered by a friend, an older ham that is an AM
aficionado.
>
> To elaborate, while he was over at my house one afternoon, he
>attempted to contact his wife at home (an excuse to have her talk on an
>old AM radio he had left hooked up before he left the house - he wanted
>to see how it sounded). By the way, if I remember correctly, he was on
>20 meters.

Try again Dwight... 10,40,75 & 160 is where the AM'ers are.. NOT 20. Oh...
and 11!

557. ARRL says exams up 135 percent (Average SAT score for all hams now 900)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8clouu$oc0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Wow. Big deal. The fact remains, as I've always said, the people upgrading under the handout system are not committed to the hobby. If they were, they would have upgraded a long time ago. These are comers and goers, people out to maximize their access but not their use.

Flash in the pans burn out quickly.

And before a select group responds by saying "sour grapes", note that the hams upgrading in many cases are those already in the Advanced and Extra portions. I already talk to them, but still have a right to my opinion of their waiting game, without being subjected to your hackneyed cliches that are indicative of your mentality.

My concern is that this sort of ambivalence is going to run this country down the "terlet" faster than it already is going. Ham radio laziness is just symptomatic of it.

And my concerns are not so much for the antique 20 wpm CW test, but for the "increased difficulty" of the new question pools, the only increase in difficulty of is to confuse people with exisiting CSCEs.

To those "many qualified applicant" codeless techs who "desired to be amateurs" and were "prevented from contributing to advancing the state of the art", and who upgraded and built their own microwave spread spectrum DSP rigs, as the FCC has said there are so many of, you have my apologies if I have offended you.

"There is only one quality worse than hardness of heart, and that is softness of head."- TR
"There is only one quality that hams have around beautiful women, and that is the urge to flee"- MFL

Now some juvenile will respond with:

1. duh, you would know
2. takes one to know one
3. my personal favorite "na na na na na" : "no, that's the urge they have around you"

or some other creative ham newsgroup hackney that completely avoids the issue since they don't have a leg to stand on, or a brain to sit on

(Now some juvenile will repind with "you must be sitting on yours, Old Man" or better yet, "yeah, number 3 must be true, that's why it's your favorite")

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558. AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cl4ug$5gu$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114862

In article <38EDFAF9.55664753@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:>
> hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>>
>> Dayton Hamventionï¿½ has announced that the Smothers Brothers comedy
>> team will headline the post-banquet entertainment this year. This
>> year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.
>>
>> Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings
>> of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?
>
> Or some OLD Extras, for that matter?
>
> Even more amusing would be a 20 WPM challenge, where whining Extras can
> prove (or not) their competence at their license CW speed.
>
> Then we could have a contest: Hand a bunch of whining Extras a
> microphone, tools and the approriate parts, then have them wire up a
> cable for a TAPR-2 TNC. (Hi, Alan!)
>
> Or maybe we can have a bunch of whining Extras try to pick a photo of
> the inside of their rig out of three possible choices?
>
> The REAL amusement will be NEXT year! We can have a challenge, grab a
> random group of new Extras and a random group of whining Extras and see
> who is faster and more accurate in the tuning of tube-driven HF rigs. I
> would have suggested a race to REPAIR them, but it would be hard to find
> three whining Extras who would take the challenge.
>
> REAL 20WPM Extras don't feel threatened by 5WPM Extras, because their
> sense of manhood isn't related to their CW speed.

Hermit, I'm a REAL 20 wpm extra who most certainly WOULD feel threatened by the packS of UHF and VHF jackals who will now INVADE HF if I were very active on all the bands. Here's a for instance. Have you ever tried to hold a regular ragchew on a contest weekend? It's impossible due to the EXISTING nuts and bolts selling their mothers for a point. What's going to happen beginning Apr.15th when insult is added to injury? Not only will the influx screw up even more the chances of having a QSO but will create chaos among contesters themselves. I suggest you stop being so cavalier about things to come and so facetious about us who earned our Extras the old way- through SWEAT and STUDY. How do you feel about seeing our flag burned? Any decent American would tend to go after the ignitors and beat hell out of them. How then do you feel about ham radio being burned because that's exactly what restructuring will do? And about Extras whose technical skills are lousy? I

ask, SO WHAT? Are kits being sold like in the old days whereby a ham can study a schematic or solder or hold resistors, capacitors and what not? Haven't the Japanese made all that passe? Would you be willing to go diddle inside a $2-5 grand rig? And so in light of the unnecessariness of being technically proficient nowadays, what has separated the men from the boys? CW! I took and passed the Extra in April of '78 and reflect upon it this way. What was so tough about the written even before the Bash books? I didn't have to write an essay to explain things-it was all memorization more or less. BUT the code test was something else because we were all herded into a room with a proctor present. The headphones were put on and brother...in came hell and there was no faking nada, fellow. It was either copy and understand or goodbye. Now you see how important was CW? And even today, with code much less emphasized than in years past, it should remain at 20 wpm for someone to call himself an Extra. Who get's more credit, who deserves to be called a hero at the top of Mount Everest- a guy who got there by helicopter or one who clawed and sweated his way up?
AF2Y
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559. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8clqdjptb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114863

In article <8clf3sdja1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> Dan:
>
> I will operate on any that frequency my license covers that is not
> occupied. You are not Frequency God. Quit trying to be one. If you
want
> to be the frequency appointer, please petiion the FCC for that job.
>
> In the meantime, just mind your own station, and your own business you
> little busybody! Don't try to rule the world.
>
> The truth is, Paul WB8FIH Qrmed me and I reported him, If you do the
> same you will be reported. simple as that . As far as my religion is
> concerned it is none of your business, My God, do you want to tell
> people what religion to follow also.
> It seems that you would like to be a dictator, you little tin horn
fake.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952
>
> In article <8cj789vvk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time
> > getting
> > > the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been
warned
> > not
> > > once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on
ham
> > > radio. Now, you whining is loud and long. You were let off easy by
> Mr
> > > Hollingsworth in my opinion. In fact I was one of the stations you
> > > interfered with!!
> > >
> > > Why is it so hard for you to clean up your act, quit supporting
> qrmers
> > > like WB8FIH who was in fact qrming me on 14275 this very morning.

> > > (letter to Mr Hollingsworth has been send this morning).
> > >
> > > The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part
97.
> > And
> > > please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY
> THE
> > > RULES"> >> > W4FQF since 1952
> > >
>
> >
> > > ears,
> >
> > >
> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> > >
> > So tell me "w4fqf"....why did you chose 14.275? With all the open
> > frequencies available, why do you continue to operate on 275? Its
> > really quite simple, isnt it? You go there in the hopes of starting
> > some crap. You and your "hollier than thou" attitude has apparantly
> > gone to your head. We ALL KNOW the only reason you go there is to
> stir
> > up the pot. You are a world class hypocrite and a liar to boot.
> >
> > As for Paul, WB8FIH....I hope you do make it to the 80s and 90s. I
> > want to see you when you are harassed and attacked by a bunch of
> > malcontent fools. Then your time will come.
> >
> > You are supposed to be a "elder of your church"...well I'll tell you
> > this jerk....what you do now will be read in the book of life. And
> God
> > help you.....and we know he wont....right?
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
> >
> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> >
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
No, the truth is you know Im telling it the way it is. The truth is,
the only reason you even come on 275 is the hope of causing trouble.
The truth is you obviously are in the beginning stages of dementia.
You can't remember shit, or is it selective memory?

And to the rest of this NG. Have you ever noticed that when someone asks a direct question of these guys, you NEVER get a answer? The same crap they did on the air.

Dan/W4NTI
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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560. Variable capacitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: George <gday@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <38EE1B94.CFFA8675@cableinet.co.uk>
Source record: 114864

WTB variable capacitors - air-spaced - double ended around 50/150pfd.

Small receiver type please
George Day

561. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cl6m2$1jq$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message news:38EDFBA0.1D154879@bctv.com...
>
>
> Liberty_nits wrote:
> >
> > Hey butt head, they just lowered the code requirements, not the
> > theory! Do you understand? What does explaining the F layer or the
> > differences between IF and AF DSP have to do with lowering the CW
> > test speed?
> > Please help me out on this one OK.
>
> Give him a couple of days to look up the difference between CW and the F
> layer, okay . . ?
>
I dare say that the recent intense solar activity may give amateurs a chance
to experience some rare CW layer propagation. I going to give it a try.

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

562. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8clrt8$re6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114866

>
> Hermit, I'm a REAL 20 wpm extra who most certainly WOULD feel
threatened by
> the packS of UHF and VHF jackals who will now INVADE HF if I were very
> active on all the bands. Here's a for instance. Have you ever tried
to hold
> a regular ragchew on a contest weekend? It's impossible due to the
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> nuts and bolts selling their mothers for a point. What's going to
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> beginning Apr.15th when insult is added to injury? Not only will the
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> screw up even more the chances of having a QSO but will create chaos
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> American would tend to go after the ignitors and beat hell out of
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> copy and understand or goodbye. Now you see how important was CW? And
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> today, with code much less emphasized than in years past, it should
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> at 20 wpm for someone to call himself an Extra. Who get's more
credit, who
> deserves to be called a hero at the top of Mount Everest- a guy who
got
> there by helicopter or one who clawed and sweated his way up?
> AF2Y
> ----------
>
>
Dang Doc....I feel cheated...I never had earphones with my General test, at age 14 in Pittsburgh PA. Nor for my Extra test in Wiesbadden Germany in 1976. I feel abused.

Look, there is no sense in bitching and moaning about the new guys and if they are "real" hams or not. The bottom line is that they are (or will soon be) here.

What we ALL MUST DO is treat them as a human being should be treated. If they make a error, then politly correct them. In otherwords welcome them into this elite fraternity of amateur radio. Because if we dont welcome them then you will see all hell break out. And that is what the FCC wants. They want us to act stupid and start radio wars. That will give them a excuse to END HAM RADIO.

Why do you think they are making it so easy to go on HF? TO GET THE VHF/UHF bands and SELL THEM OFF.

Watch and see if that don't happen.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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563. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38EE1FF4.F22B12C9@IEEE.org>
Source record: 114867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard McCollum wrote:
> BTW while not denying there may be some, the 'bitter old Extras' are largely
> imaginary.

I'll bet they taste pretty bad. :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

564. Re: WANTED: ICOM IC-T7H modification data...Can the Tx be expanded???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38EE467F.AC61DFA7@ahole.com>
Source record: 114868

Hey, no problem, glad to help. If the transmitter can be modified
only a person that has either a MARS license or CAP can get the mod
done. All else it is illegal. Sorry.....

"Jim S." wrote:
>
> First of all, PSU operates on an 800MhZ system. we trashed our 160 mhz
> system years ago. As I understand it, this radio is a dual-band 2 meter/ 70
> centimeter radio, therefore uncapable of operating on 800 mhz.
> Second of all, I don't even own the radio. This post was for a friend who
> was looking to buy the radio, and asked me if this type of modification IS
> POSSIBLE. I didn't know, so I asked the forum.....
>
> Thanks for the quick judgement, Liberty.
>
> Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote in message
> news:38ECAD45.76782D79@ahole.com...
> > Why do you want to expand the TX? Is it so you can use it on your
> > PSU radio system. May I ask a question? Well going to anyway. Is
> > the radio FCC type accepted to operate out of the ham bands on
> > commercial/public safety frequencies?
> >
> > Would a letter to the school stating that you are using a non FCC
> > certified radio on their system cause any problem?
> >
> >
> > Jim Snodgrass wrote:
> > >
> > > --
> > > James Snodgrass
> > > Billing Supervisor
> > > University Police
> > > Security and Traffic unit
> > > The Pennsylvania State University
> > > jas466@police.psu.edu

565. Re: Jabbers exposed at last

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8clbi8$8c4$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114869

In article <8cjn6p$gh9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <covert62@my-deja.com> wrote:
>The carrier sounds like the rig is using a 20-meter dipole on 75.

And how does the "sound" of that carrier differ from if he were using
a 75 meter dipole (other than a possible increase in signal strength).
73, Jeff KH6O

566. Re: TS-570D MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38EE06CE.E0D2CAAF@oio.net>
Source record: 114870

bm8311,
Sounds okay, but you may have forgotten something.
What does the 'mod' do?
'Doc

567. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38ee34a1.4888831@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Fri, 07 Apr 2000 15:15:44 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
>Remember, those who scream the loudest about a relaxation of standard
>are those who aren't sure that they even still could pass the exams they
>passed before.

A good point. The interesting fact is that with all the screaming
about standards, no one offers any set of standards on any
specific basis. Just the same bull about "dumbing down", less
effort, relaxing the rules, lowering requiremnts,
yada, yada, yada. If someone could spell out an
objective of what they wanted and how to measure it in
a reasonable means, perhaps others would listen.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

568. Ham Radio FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Walthall <Carl_Walthall@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <8ckvculga1@schbbs.mot.com>
Source record: 114872

I have the following Ham Radio equipment for sale.

1: FT-847 All Mode Transceiver HF & SATELLITE
$1250.00

2: ATAS-100 YAESU MOBILE ANTENNA and ground plane kit.
$225.00

3: FC-20 ANTENNA TUNER AUTO
$175.00

4: CfX-514 tri-plexer for radio
$50.00

5: Ameritron AL-811 160 thru 15 meter HF amp.
$400.00

6: Radioshack watt meter 1500 watts.
$30.00

All equipment less that 6 month old, I live in a apartment
and decided not to move. Buyer pays shipping, will make package
deal.

Carl Walthall

Home 262-736-2623
Work 815-884-3629

Home Email cwalthall@cwalthall.com

Thanks

569. Ham Raio FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Walthall <Carl_Walthall@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <8ckvfm$lh0$1@schbbs.mot.com>
Source record: 114873

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Thanks

570. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8clfaq01aj7@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114874

In article <V8jH4.20985$Of2.747362@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, k1oik@yahoo.com says...
>
>Go here for ham sex:
>http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik

Why would anyone want to watch hams having sex? Whaddya are you trying to do make me sick or sumtin'?

Tom - N8ECW

571. B&W Broadband folded dipole-fact or fiction?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Ries <lawnmower@grassmindspring.com>
Message-ID: <lawnmower-F7C53D.13482207042000@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114875

Hello all,

Looking for comments on the B & W broadband folded dipole. I have read the comments at the manufacturer's website. Like to know what others have to say about its performance.

Thanks!

Ron
KA7HTR

Note: cut the 'grass' from the email address to reply privately.

572. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8clk7h$q37$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114876

Mr. Bowers, I'm offended by your harsh statements. Wimps use CW? Are you nuts. Was Guglielmo Marconi a wimp? This whole thing we know as ham radio began with a spark and you dare to insult code? Bowers you're an insult to every ham who was ham enough to struggle as I did to pass that 20 wpm test and just because you can't...just because you're a flaming hotshot idiot who finds it easier to knock and mock guys like I than to ever try and upgrade your own standing, makes you ham lowlife of the year.

In article <8zqqhf$XY36$2@nnrp1.deja.com>, jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:

> On Fri, 07 Apr 2000 13:13:18, radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> : ... BUT the code test was something else because we were all herded
> : into a room with a proctor present. The headphones were put on and
> : brother...in came hell and there was no faking nada, fellow. It was either
> : copy and understand or goodbye. Now you see how important was CW? And even
> : today, with code much less emphasized than in years past, it should remain
> : at 20 wpm for someone to call himself an Extra. Who get's more credit, who
> : deserves to be called a hero at the top of Mount Everest- a guy who got
> : there by helicopter or one who clawed and sweated his way up?
>
> Crap! You people who use Morse are the wimps. I can remember when the
> real test of a communicator was for him to be handed a pair of semaphore
> flags and to be sent up the nearest tower. No headphones, no multiple
> choice tests about the code, just a real man up in his tower waving his
> flags and ignoring the attacking Indians below.
>
> And if we had to use Morse, it was American Morse code and not that
> Commie, European, perverted version you wimps are using now. It was
> real, red-blooded, 100% AMERICAN Morse code!!!!
>
> NOT.
>
> Do you see what I'm getting at? You sound like every old timer I've
> ever heard since I was a kid lamenting the loss of the good old days.
>
> Bottom line: Time has marched on, but you haven't.

573. Re: Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8clmiejvv1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114877

Burt wrote:
>> It reduces air pollution.

Burt replied:
>But Burt, this is not the problem! The problem is
>going to hamfests and seeing all the beer-bellied
>slobs wearing cloths that were last washed in 1984

Burt wrote:
>> Welcome to ham radio-set your watch back 40 years

Burt replied:
>No, more like 80 Years. Traffic and message nets have
>been around since 1920 and have not changed one iota
>since their inception. Sh-T, I've even heard some of

Burt wrote:
>> Burt Fisher http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik

Burt replied:
>WITHOUT A DOUBT "THE" F I N E S T SITE DEALING WITH
>HAM RADIO ON THE WWW. RIGHT ON THE CUTTING EDGE OF HAM

Look, Burt's talking to himself.

574. Re: Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8clmu4$k83$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114878

Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> Burt Fisher
> A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics

How do you get "Plus" certified? (Hyphen, Burt, hyphen!)
Jeff

575. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EE649E.416DD1D3@icss.net>
Source record: 114879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Jon Johnson wrote:

> hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > Why don't they just have some new Extras get up and explain the workings
> > of F layer propagation or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?
>
> Your gripe really makes no sense...unless you really believe 20 WPM code
> can affect propagation or signal processing.

So is that all an Extra is to you? ...a 20wpm morse code modem?

> > Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand it out to the new Extras
> > since they'll all be longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley
> > as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.
>
> Would that be a Kaiser 'roll' or dinner 'roll'?

Jelly Roll.

576. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EE65A3.1ADBDDAA@bctv.com>
Source record: 114880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard McCollum wrote:

<pertinent and valid points regarding the ability of ARRL officers to
clear a room snipped>

> BTW while not denying there may be some, the 'bitter old Extras' are largely
> imaginary.

Yep. And they are mostly HERE. ;)

577. Re: Comments on HEIL MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000407190916.23758.00000243@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 114881

I have also used Heil mics/cartridges on a couple different Yaesu rigs. I've changed the element in an MD-1 to HC-4 and what difference. Nice punch, good clear audio. The only thing I have found that is better is a 'broadcast/recording" mic (Equitek E-100) that is pricey, and flat as a pancake from from 10Hz to 10,000Hz with gain from hell-o. Other than that I've not seen too many "radio" mics that beat the Heil. You'll like it.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

578. Re: Crybaby, obsolete hams!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38EE70A1.8113E921@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114882

Don somebody trolled ineffectually:
>(something not worth reposting)

Troll-o-Matic activated.
Troll-o-meter reading 62% (too long).

You need more practice.

579. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko4qc@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38ee7463.6882460@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I hope he recalls the 'ole-timers' opinions concerning
computers....:>)

On Fri, 07 Apr 2000 15:15:44 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>
>
>Liberty_nits wrote:
>>
>> Hey butt head, they just lowered the code requirements, not the
>> theory! Do you understand? What does explaining the F layer or the
>> differences between IF and AF DSP have to do with lowering the CW
>> test speed?
>> Please help me out on this one OK.
>
>Give him a couple of days to look up the difference between CW and the F
>layer, okay . . ?
>
>Remember, those who scream the loudest about a relaxation of standard
>are those who aren't sure that they even still could pass the exams they
>passed before.

580. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwilliams2458@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cjcae$59n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114900

are you serious? Better you take up horizontal mountain climbing sans
equipment-you might live longer.

In article <38ec2eb4.248948158@news.direct.ca>,
guest@host.com wrote:
>
>
> I combined two 118volt leads on differnt breakers to form what I
> thought would be 220. When I turned my amplifier on the plate voltage
> was way down. I measured the voltage at the 220 repecticle that I had
> hombrewed and found it to be around 210VAC-no load? When you combine
> 118 and 118 why don't you get 236 or so. I got a feeling it's do with
> phaseing or somthing. Can some please explain this in detail.
>
> jprocyk@direct.ca is my reply address.
>

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581. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cjk8jdfn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114901

In article <8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> More inane babbling from one of the worst QRMers on ham radio. You
could take Polly's and Dimmy O'Brainless's IQ, add them together, add
5, and they would barely make double digits. I can see his email now.
Riley, I need help. In addition to mental help, that is. KB8FIH is
interfering with me while I'm trying to QRM 14.275 with Joe, KBX. Joe
sounds retarded, but he's really a smart guy. Joe is soon to be mayor
of Bunghole SC, and he deserves some respect. This FIH, Paul guy,
insists on interfering when me and Joe is QRMing. Now Riley, you're a
stumpsucker and you need to teach these goodguys to respect me and Joe,
especially me and Joe, soon to be mayor of Bunghole. Iffen you don't
punish these malcreants, the next thing you know, they'll think they're
as good as usin's. We can't have that. You have to put 'em in their
places. Thank you Riley for punishing everbody but stumpsuckers. It was
tough to take, but I know K4OKA had to be the sacrificial lamb to keep
you looking impartial. Keep up the good work so the stumpsuckers can
have 20 meters to ourselves!!!!!! Fraternally, Polly Parrot, The head
stumpsucker
To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time getting
> the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been warned
not
> once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on ham
> radio. Now, you whining is loud and long. You were let off easy by Mr
> Hollingsworth in my opinion. In fact I was one of the stations you
> interfered with!!
>
> Why is it so hard for you to clean up your act, quit supporting qrmers
> like WB8FIH who was in fact qrming me on 14275 this very morning.
> (letter to Mr Hollingsworth has been send this morning).
>
> The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part 97.
And
> please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY THE
> RULES"
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
> In article <8cigvjesr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > Allow me to pose some questions about enforcement and its
advertising

> on the
> > RAIN report and Web Extra.
> > Have you noticed the changes in the on-the-air demeanor of KT4TR and
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> > Heavens to betsy, they're absolute angels or so it seems. I don't
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> > elder in his church and probabaly looked up to and with those dumbo
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> > who can miss that puss? Do you suppose he pleaded with Riley, Hap
and
> the
> > ARRL to omit publishing his letters and got away with it since
> his "image of
> > purity" before the congregation might be ruined? God I hope I'm
> wrong in my
> > assessment of the situation and if so, will someone with a semblance
> of
> > intelligence(David Tolassi need not apply) explain my error in
> judgement?
> > AF2Y, Doc
> > cc: Hap Holly
> >
> >
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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582. Re: Jammers exposed at last

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cjn6p$gh9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114902

In article <8cbdbjabk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
sledgehammer007@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <38E8B9ED.D6FD695B@ix.netcom.com>,
> David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >
> >
> > W4AMP wrote:
> > >
> > > To see the trash jammers and who they are go to
> > > File:///C:/aux
> > > Its time to open the books on them.
> >
> > Well, sir. Since your "File:///C:/aux" points to
> > a file on your hard drive and not on a web page,
> > we're going to have a very rough time reading it, aren't we?
> >They don't call him Dimmy O'Brainless without good reason
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
The guy is a pure 100% LOSER!He is the only Jammer I know. You can here
him JAMMING on 3.901 nightly! He is using a chirpy little TS-50 with the
burnedup MLA 2500. The carrier sounds like the rig is using a 20-meter
dipole on 75. WHAT A LOSER!

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583. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cjpq3$j77$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114903

In article <8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com may or may not have written:

> You have been warned not once not twice but three times to knock off
> your interference on ham radio.

You people keep repeating this nonsense, apparently in the hope someone
will believe it.

Please cite verifiable proof of warnings of interference in any other
communication from the FCC to AF2Y than the one issued in March, 2000.
The words "interfere" or "interference" must appear in your citations.

Provide proof, not wishful thinking (if you can).

LRod

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584. Re: Brother Lloyds Gone Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ts950sdx@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000406210545.23742.00000089@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 114904

Icom 706 HF/6m/2m All Mode Transceiver Radio works great. I've used it on 6 meters, and 2 meters. Very little use on it. I have too many other radios, and I dont have any HF interests right now. Just not interested in getting on HF at this time
WHAT YOUR REALLY SAYING IS YOUR
STILL TO DUM TO PASS A CHEAP
5 WORD CODE TEST
WHAT A FAT JERK
. Good luck on your bidding! Item is sold as-is Winner to pay shipping from zip 35611

585. Re: AstroAlert: Potential Major Auroral/Geomagnetic Storm Warning - 06-07Apr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark@intrepid.net
Message-ID: <slrn8eqdi5.1ct9.mark@localhost.intrepid.net>
Source record: 114905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.astro.,sci.astro.amateur

In article <38ECF116.2B8CF71B@Solar.Spacew.Com>,
Solar Terrestrial Dispatch wrote:

> A s t r o A l e r t
>
> 06 and 07 April
>

I just observed the most intense auroral display I've seen.

It was observed from about 8:30 to 9:00 PM (EDT, 0:30 - 1:00 UCT) from Shepherdstown, WV (approximate latitude 38 53' N). It was a bright red, and extended from about 10 degrees above the western horizon, passed pretty much though the zenith, and went to the eastern horizon (as far as I could tell, there where trees in that direction).

The stars of Ursa Major were noticeably dimmed by it, and I could easily see it with non-dark adapted eyes.

I've seen a few other posts about auroras tonight from other places. I'd suggest everyone with clear skys take a look. I've seen green shimmery things at star parties before -- in the wee hours of the morning with dark-adapted eyes -- but nothing like this.

--Mark
--

586. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38ed3aa1.411840@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114906
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 6 Apr 2000 06:47:20 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

>In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
>:>
>:>A position is resolved, and a direction can be calculated.
>:>This process takes examining the signal over time.
>: Buzzz - wrong .
>
>: Nope - only one point - where the dopler transitions
>: as the satellite passes from being behind to ahead
>: of the transmitter.
>
>That would give you a location at least 20 miles across, and probably
>far more. There is a fairly large period of time where the shift would
>be unmeasurable, especially if the satellite was traveling overhead.
>
>--
>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
>

587. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38ed3aa9.419530@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114907
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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>far more. There is a fairly large period of time where the shift would
>be unmeasurable, especially if the satellite was traveling overhead.

That is sonsistent with the "fixes" that are generated with the
satellite reports and given to C.A.P.

I have flow missions looking for these crashes.

Best regards
Gil Jones

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>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
>

588. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38ed3aed.487715@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114908
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 6 Apr 2000 06:53:56 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

>In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
>:>
>:>Each measurement provides a radius on which the object can be located.
>:>But two measurements are not enough - as two intersecting circles will
>:>have two points where they cross. Three measurements are required to
>:>provide a direction. Four measurements will provide an altitude (if
>:>such is desired) as well.
>:>--
>:>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
>
>: Hi Bill -
>: HOw can you justify that statement
>: when the equipment being tracked
>: does not have a means of providing
>: any feedback?
>
>: A time measurement depends upon knowing when
>: the signal is transmitted.
>
>The time can be obtained from the phase change of the received
>signal. The delta in position is provided by the satellites motion.

Assuming that you have a stable transmitter
and not one that has been bolted in the tail
of a cessna sine 1974.

>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

Best regards
Gil Jones

589. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cjenf$41e$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Brian wrote:
>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>>Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>>>>Brian wrote:

>>>>> Keith, please don't taunt Jeff. He'll come back with yet more
>>>>>irrelevant Coast Guard stories.

>>>>Perhaps so, but since I have him filtered . . . hehehehehehh

>>>But you just made a *direct* response to one of my posts last week.

>Uh, no. No more than this is a *direct* response.

Think back to a couple weeks ago -- your comment that no one on
the Maritime Net was able to copy CW, and the incident on the boat
was a good reason why everyone should carry a gun -- recall the
response I made to those two statements, and your *direct* response
back to me.

>But Jeff has always had a problem dealing with the truth, which is why I
>filtered him in the first place.

Let's examine the truth: You claimed that the government didn't
acknowledge the existence of "amateur radio" until sometime in the
late 20s or or early 30s, instead, calling hams "experimenters." I
refuted that by providing historical evidence that the government did
indeed use the term "amateur radio" as early as 1912.

You claimed that there was no Extra Class amateur radio license prior
to what, the 30s? I refuted that by showing that the government had
indeed created the Amateur Extra First Class License in 1923; to be
awarded the ticket one had to be licensed for at least two years, take
a test similar to the First Class exam of that period, copy 20 wpm,
and have a clean record. Extras were then permitted to operate on a band
that those with lessor grade licenses were forbidden to use. That band
(200-220 meters) had originally been open to all hams.

Confronted with having been proved wrong on these two counts, you
claimed that you would add me to your "filter" (which seems to have
some leaks).

And no, you won't find any out-of-band mods in the Handbook, but if
you read it thoroughly enough, you'll learn enough about electronics
so that you can perform modifications on your own without having to

resort to "1. Cut Diode D12, 2. Cut red wire between R23 and C37."

73, Jeff KH6O

590. Re: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: etagg <etagg@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <48bH4.1653$4c3.25256@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 114910

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<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8cigvjesr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net...
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> cc: Hap Holly
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591. Re: Brother Lloyds Gone Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000406214930.00689.00000561@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 114911

In article <20000406210545.23742.00000089@ng-fv1.aol.com>, ts950sdx@aol.com (TS950SDX) writes:

>WHAT YOUR REALLY SAYING IS YOUR
> STILL TO DUM TO PASS A CHEAP
> 5 WORD CODE TEST

The ultimate DUMB is being too DUMB to spell DUMB correctly.

"Stupid is as stupid does..."

592. Re: Badwill hunting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cjf9a$4kc$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

David Walker <dwalker65@one.net.au> wrote:

>"Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

>>If you went to a zoo armed with a shotgun, the animals all being behind
>>cage, the animals were chained and you shot them one by one would that
>>be called hunting?

>What's the gun thing all about?

He seems to believe that working DX is no different than hunting caged
zoo animals.
73, Jeff KH6O

593. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cjfvk$5f9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114913
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

The CBer hermit_thrush@my-deja.com, wrote:
>ARRL, who brought you the incentive licensing debacle,

Incentive licensing has been around almost as long as ham radio itself. The idea of an IL structure was created in 1923. Back then the government developed the Extra First Class amateur license; to be awarded the ticket one had to be licensed for at least two years, take a test similar to the First Class exam of that period, copy 20 wpm, and have a clean record. Extras were then permitted to operate on a band that those with lessor grade licenses were forbidden to use. That band (200-220 meters) had originally been open to all hams.

Moreover, in 1959, the FCC asked hams, via a Notice of Inquiry, what incentives could be tacked on to the Extra Class license.

It was the government which first suggested incentive licensing, not the ARRL.

73, Jeff KH6O

594. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cjf11$4g3$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
>Dave Martindale wrote:

>> What does the RF waveform look like on an oscilloscope?

> Don't really need an oscilloscope to know things are not working
>correctly here. When a friend just down the street has to turn up the
>volume to hear me (even with a very strong carrier present), there has
>to be something wrong. Since discovering this, and trying this mode
>with several other people, all have reported seeing a strong carrier,
>but can barely hear me when I talk.
> Either the radio was poorly adjusted at the factory, or the radio has
>developed a problem since then. Whatever the case, I need to get this
>fixed before the warranty runs out. So, it appears that the radio is
>heading for the shop soon.
>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

Dwight: Put your Technician Class license to work by trouble-shooting.
Study the radio's schematic, and dive in with your test gear.

73, Jeff KH6O

595. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38ed49c8.3623715@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114915
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Fri, 07 Apr 2000 01:32:24 GMT, jonesgil@usa.net (Gil Jones) wrote:

>On 6 Apr 2000 06:47:20 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:
>
>>In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
>>:>
>>:>A position is resolved, and a direction can be calculated.
>>:>This process takes examining the signal over time.
>>: Buzzz - wrong .
>>
>>: Nope - only one point - where the dopler transitions
>>: as the satellite passes from being behind to ahead
>>: of the transmitter.
>>
>>That would give you a location at least 20 miles across, and probably
>>far more. There is a fairly large period of time where the shift would
>>be unmeasurable, especially if the satellite was traveling overhead.
>>
>>--
>>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

Oh - I hate rats on a cord.
Sometimes you push the left button
at the wrong instant.

Gil

596. FA 1957 ARRL Handbook!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000406233203.18649.00000410@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114916

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=302857880

597. Re: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11318-38ED5FBA-77@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114917

etagg,

Let's not impugn the integrity of Happ Holly, who is an unblemished servant of ham radio. And let's not suggest that Riley Hollingsworth, Esq. is doing anything but his best to clean things up. Nothing suggests otherwise.

Save for those caveats, I know for certain, there are some hams acting to put others in the frying pan, regardless of merits.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Flroida

598. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <rYdH4.28762$W5.298186@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114918

It's called 3 phase.
Looks to me like you are being given 2 phases of a 3 phase system.
You have to make sure that the 2 phases you are using are different, put a meter across them, if they read 208 your ok, if they read 0 or close to it you have the same phase. And make sure to run a 2 pole breaker, NOT 2 single pole, so you don't zap yourself or someone else if you turn only one breaker off as said from you previous poster.

LINES A B C N
A, B, C are line
N being neutral
A - N = 120V
B - N = 120V
C - N = 120V
A - B = 208V
B - C = 208V
C - A = 208V
From phase to phase in a 3 phase system, multiply line by 1.73 not by 2.

There are transformers that will transform from 208 to 240V, but I would call your power company and request something be done about it.
--
EDDY

<guest@host.com> wrote in message news:38ec2eb4.248948158@news.direct.ca...
>
>
> I combined two 118volt leads on differnt breakers to form what I
> thought would be 220. When I turned my amplifier on the plate voltage
> was way down. I measured the voltage at the 220 repecticle that I had
> hombrewed and found it to be around 210VAC-no load? When you combine
> 118 and 118 why don't you get 236 or so. I got a feeling it's do with
> phaseing or somthing. Can some please explain this in detail.
>
> jprocyk@direct.ca is my reply address.

599. ****Worth Sharing...."America, the Good neighbor !"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000407010450.19063.00000182@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 114919

With all the bad publicity of the U.S., here's the good side of it.

TRIBUTE TO THE UNITED STATES
This, from a Canadian newspaper, is worth sharing.
America: The Good Neighbor.

Widespread but only partial news coverage was given recently to a
remarkable editorial broadcast from
Toronto by Gordon Sinclair, a Canadian television commentator. What
follows is the full text of his trenchant remarks as printed in the
Congressional Record:

"This Canadian thinks it is time to speak up for the Americans as the most
generous and possibly the least appreciated people on all the earth."

Germany, Japan and, to a lesser extent, Britain and
Italy were lifted out of the debris of war by the
Americans who poured in billions of dollars and
forgave other billions in debts. None of these
countries is today paying even the interest on its
remaining debts to the United States.

When France was in danger of collapsing in 1956,
it was the Americans who propped it up, and their
reward was to be insulted and swindled on the streets
of Paris. I was there. I saw it.
When earthquakes hit distant cities, it is the
United States that hurries in to help. This spring, 59
American communities were flattened by tornadoes.
Nobody helped.

The Marshall Plan and the Truman Policy pumped
billions of dollars into discouraged countries. Now
newspapers in those countries are writing about the
decadent, warmongering Americans.

I'd like to see just one of those countries that
is gloating over the erosion of the United States
dollar build its own airplane. Does any other country
in the world have a plane to equal the Boeing Jumbo
Jet, the Lockheed Tri-Star, or the Douglas DC10?
If so, why don't they fly them? Why do all the
International lines except Russia fly American Planes?

Why does no other land on earth even consider putting
a man or woman on the moon? You talk about Japanese
talk about German

technocracy, and you get automobiles.

You talk about American technocracy, and you find
men on the moon - not once, but several times -
and safely home again.

You talk about scandals, and the Americans put theirs
right in the store window for everybody to look at .
Even their draft-dodgers are not pursued and hounded.
They are here on our streets, and most of them, unless
they are breaking Canadian laws, are getting American
dollars from ma and pa at home to spend here.
When the railways of France, Germany and India
were breaking down through age, it was the Americans
who rebuilt them. When the Pennsylvania Railroad and
the New York Central went broke, nobody loaned them an
old caboose. Both are still broke.

I can name you 5000 times when the Americans raced
to the help of other people in trouble. Can you name
me even one time when someone else raced to the
Americans in trouble? I don't think there was outside
help even during the San Francisco earthquake.
Our neighbors have faced it alone, and I'm one
Canadian who is damned tired of hearing them get
kicked around. They will come out of this thing with
their flag high. And when they do, they are entitled
to thumb their nose at the lands that are gloating
over their present troubles. I hope Canada is not one of those."

Stand proud, America!

Wear it proudly!!

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This is one of the best editorials that I have ever
read regarding the United States. It is nice that
one man realizes it. I only wish that the rest of the
world would realize it. We are always blamed for
everything, and never even get a thank you for the
things we do.

I would hope that each of you would send this to
as many people as you can and emphasize that they
should send it to as many of their friends until this
letter is sent to every person on the web. I am just a
single American that has read this, I SURE HOPE THAT A
LOT MORE READ IT SOON.

600. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org>
Message-ID: <8cjpfc$i30$7@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 114920
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
:>
:>The time can be obtained from the phase change of the received
:>signal. The delta in position is provided by the satellites motion.

: Assuming that you have a stable transmitter
: and not one that has been bolted in the tail
: of a cessna sine 1974.

It would be stable, even then. It is crystal controlled, and crystals
may change slightly with age, but very little.

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Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
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601. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <kteH4.28827$W5.300263@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114921

"To boost the 118V up 30V you need a transformer that outputs 30VAC"
I'm not sure where you got this info, but this isn't right.
You are telling him "outputs 30VAC" that will give you 30V AC out.

To do this properly you must transform both lines.

Find out how much current you need.
P=EI same as I=P/E
(P)Power in Watts = (E)Voltage x (I)Current in amps

So what you need is a single phase 208V to 240v transformer.
Now you need to know how much current you need...

E.G..
Lets say you need 10 amps on your LOAD side (radio, light or what ever devise)...
Multiply the load side voltage of your transformer(which will be 240V) by LOAD side current(example 10A) to equal your transformer VA.
240V x 10A =2400VA or 2.4KVA
(VA) volt-amps and (W)watts are pretty much the same except for inductance on your load, but it would be safe to say they would be pretty close unless your running motors or powering big coils.

So ask for a 208 to 240V, 2.4KVA transformer.

Now on your line side or breaker feed...
2.4KVA/208V(line side voltage) = 11.5A draw at your breaker.
15A 2 pole breaker and #14gauge wire will do fine for a radio.
Also use a plug desinged for 240V, I have seen people put 240V on a 120V plug and forgot about it, or there kids or wife go plug something in and.....BOOM!

Sorry about getting so detailed.
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EDDY

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602. Re: ATTN: "really"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ZTeH4.28902$W5.301200@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114922

What year is it?
--
EDDY

_____
Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8c6dqvhvn1@news.hawaii.edu...
> In article <38E61BDC.B3EF6BC6@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> >I'm critical because CW is a very inefficient
> >method of sending traffic, especially in an emergency.
>
> Nonsense. It worked extremely well for 90+ years of emergencies on
> the maritime frequencies.

603. Re: Anti-CW crowd is full of bullshit. Re: Proposal for "Comunicator" Amateur Class

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8cjv6u$ms7$1@ssauraaa-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 114923

Hehe, nope, just a different class that would be there when you look it up in a database or when someone asks. Just like my call doesn't immediately tell you I am an extra, there is no need until you are asked. The point is, that Extra's should be "Extra Plus's". I am not sure what to do after the 15th, because that is going to be yet another class, one that has to pass a harder written exam.

Fred

"Jon Johnson" <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote in message news:38EA2DC7.4FB9DF8D@nashville.com...
> Fred wrote:
> >
> > As an Extra, I would like to have some distinction between an Extra that had
> > to earn his stripes under more stringent requirements and the new Extra
> > "Lite".
>
> How would you suggest this?? Trumpets in the background when you call
> CQ??

604. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cknaq$i4a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114924

In article <38ED5173.88E770DB@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> The power 'drop from your power company brings 208
> to 240 volts A/C to your breaker-box. This '220v' is
> then 'split' using one side of this '220v' line

To be accurate, the "split" is done at the pole by taking 1 phase of 3 phase service and using a center tapped transformer to get 2 110V legs that are of opposite phase. This is single phase service.

> and the 'third' wire(ground/neutral) to get '110v'.

Please do not think of ground and neutral as equivalent. Although they may have a common connection at the service panel, they serve entirely different functions in the system and may not be substituted for one another.

> To obtain 220 volts, simply run a 3-conductor cable from the two
> 'hots' comming to your breaker-box

The 2 hots are all that are needed for 220V. But if (as below) a neutral is needed, then 4 wires should be run to include a ground.

> AND the ground/neutral to an appropriate type receptical.

The ground should be run for safety reasons. The neutral is necessary only if 110V is needed in the load.

> Just like 'they' do for any 220 volt outlet.

Not exactly. "They" do it as I described.

For the original poster:

Do not use single 110V breakers; use a dual 220V breaker. Besides the safety issue mentioned elsewhere, this ensures you are getting both legs from opposite "phases" of the service.
Do not "homebrew" a receptacle.
3 phase is quite rare in residential settings; it is unlikely that's what you have.

LRod

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605. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ckrvnnbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114925

Pompous Polly, <w4fqf@my-deja.com> whined in message
news:8cj1skpvf1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
> To be such a self proclaimed "Brain". You sure have a hard time
getting
> the message from the FCC to knock off the qrm. You have been warned
not
> once not twice but three times to knock off your interference on ham
> radio. Now, you whining is loud and long. You were let off easy by Mr
> Hollingsworth in my opinion. In fact I was one of the stations you
> interfered with!!

Suuuuuuuure you were, Polly. You and that other rude bastard MXL need
to get off the air.

> Why is it so hard for you to clean up your act, quit supporting qrmers
> like WB8FIH who was in fact qrming me on 14275 this very morning.
> (letter to Mr Hollingsworth has been send this morning).
>
> The thing for you to do is get right with the rules, obey part 97.
And
> please pay close attention to Mr Hollingsworth when he says "OBEY THE
> RULES"
>
>
> W4FQF QRMING since 1952

Poor, poor Polly.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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606. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cks41nkq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114926

IDIOT <dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cj1fbpko1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <38ec2eb4.248948158@news.direct.ca>,
> guest@host.com wrote:
> >
> >
> > I combined two 118volt leads on differnt breakers to form what I
> > thought would be 220. When I turned my amplifier on the plate
voltage
> > was way down. I measured the voltage at the 220 repecticle that I
had
> > hombrewed and found it to be around 210VAC-no load? When you
combine
> > 118 and 118 why don't you get 236 or so. I got a feeling it's do
with
> > phaseing or somthing. Can some please explain this in detail.

It'd be better to run a regular 220 line.

> > jprocyk@direct.ca is my reply address.
>
>Most homes are wired for 110 each side of center or ground.

And this is NEWS?

>There are 3 lines that come into your house:A ground and 2 110
lines.
>Measure from
> ground to each hot and you will read 110 or so, Go across each hot
and
> you get 220, Your dryer or stove is wired for 220. Each line (hot to
> center) would be added together.

RMS is 120 v.
Peak Voltage on a normal outlet would be around 170 volts.
Average Voltage is 108.

> My quess is that you didnt have 118.
> Your line is low. If you measure across lets say you dryer or stove
you
> would read around 220 vac or so. Your 110 vac comes from a ground or
> center to the line.
> The only thig I can say is that you didnt go to the fuse box and go
> across you street input--be careful!! this is not static electricity.
> You touch both sides of line, you do a Ted Bundy!!

Demonstrate it for us, and be sure to put one foot in a bucket of water.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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607. Re: Brother Lloyds Gone Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cksagnup1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114927

Dumbass Lloyd,TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000406214930.00689.00000561@nso-ch.aol.com...
> In article <20000406210545.23742.00000089@ng-fv1.aol.com>,
ts950sdx@aol.com
> (TS950SDX) writes:
>
> >WHAT YOUR REALLY SAYING IS YOUR
> > STILL TO DUM TO PASS A CHEAP
> > 5 WORD CODE TEST
>
> The ultimate DUMB is being too DUMB to spell DUMB correctly.
>
> "Stupid is as stupid does..."

But you make a career out of it, Lloyd.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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608. Re: Jammers exposed at last

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cksfg$o00$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114928

<covert62@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cjn6p$gh9
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8cbdbjabk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> sledgehammer007@my-deja.com wrote:
> > In article <38E8B9ED.D6FD695B@ix.netcom.com>,
> > David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > W4AMP wrote:
> > > >
> > > > To see the trash jammers and who they are go to
> > > > File:///C:/aux
> > > > Its time to open the books on them.
> > >
> > > Well, sir. Since your "File:///C:/aux" points to
> > > a file on your hard drive and not on a web page,
> > > we're going to have a very rough time reading it, aren't we?
> > >They don't call him Dimmy O'Brainless without good reason
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> >
> The guy is a pure 100% LOSER!He is the only Jammer I know. You can
here
> him JAMMING on 3.901 nightly! He is using a chirpy little TS-50 with
the
> burnedup MLA 2500. The carrier sounds like the rig is using a 20-meter
> dipole on 75. WHAT A LOSER!

Hahahahahaha! Yeah, really. Just imagine the petrified bird droppings
all over the case of the radios... ugh!

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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609. Re: The mystery of Gerd Henjes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cksmgoag1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114929

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:8cj3tt$u6
$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
> This is getting confusing. Someone by the name of Gerd Henjes is
posting
> here and I was just told that Henjes is the maiden name of KT4TR's
wife. The
> question then arises whether Gerd Henjes IS actually TR's wife and
if not,
> who might have known about the maiden name and what then is the
significance
> of the posts? Does anyone have a clue to this bizarre turn of events
which
> alter and illuminate our time and you are there?

She also looks like Brunhilda when she wears the cap with the
horns..<snicker>

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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610. TS-570D MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bm8311@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cl3tsjm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114930

1. Disconnect the power cord and antenna coax from the transceiver. OK

2. Remove the top and bottom covers. OK

3. Remove the top screw from each side of the front panel assembly. OK

4. Loosen the bottom screw from each side of the front panel assembly. OK

5. Carefully rotate the front panel forward to gain access to the Control board (X53-3690-10). OK This board is mounted vertically against the body of the transceiver. It is not the board that is mounted in the front panel assembly. OK 6. Locate and remove the chip resistor R41 from the Control board. Problem Cannot find R41 on (X53-3690-10). But it is on the board that is mounted in the front panel assembly. Anyone any thoughts on this matter?

7. Assemble the transceiver then perform the CPU reset procedure by holding the A=B button depressed as power is turned on.

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611. TS-570DG MARS/CAP MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bm8311@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cl4gg$18g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114931

This is for the DG model only!

1.Disconnect the power cord and antenna coax from the transceiver.

2.Remove the top and bottom covers.

3.Remove the top screw from each side of the front panel assembly.

4.Loosen the bottom screw from each side of the front panel assembly.

5.Carefully rotate the front panel forward to gain access to the
Control board (X53-3690-10). This
board is mounted vertically against the body of the transceiver. It
is not the board that is mounted
in the front panel assembly.

6.Remove the square cover with 4 screws on it? I DO NOT NEED TO DO
THIS TO GET AT THE IC5? LOCATE IC 5 go to the lowest point by ic 5 there
are 2 resistors(I SEEM TO HAVE FOUR?) between the is 5 chip and the
screw hole REMOVE the HORIZONTAL ONE (THREE HORIZONTAL AND ONE VERTICAL
IN MINE?)
HAS ANYONE OUT THERE ACTUALLY DONE THIS MODE? IF NOT CAN ANYONE CLEAR UP
THE ABOVE CONFLICTS?

7.Assemble the transceiver then perform the CPU reset procedure by
holding the A=B button
depressed as power is turned on.

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612. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <V8jH4.20985$Of2.747362@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114932

<sbcmusic@my-deja.com>
> Kind of like the real joke on this newsgroup is
> the continual same old drivel that Burt posts all
> the time?
>
> 73,
> N9GSU

The real joke is you who proclaims to be man of God but is really more fake
than Jimmy Swigeret
If there is anyone more useless on the internet, I have yet to find
him,her,it.

Go here for ham sex:
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik

613. Re: TS-850 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000407070609.00820.00000272@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 114933

I have a TS-850 which someone modified for transmitting in the CB band. In doing so, they did something which blocks activation of the WARC bands. I'd like to undo this mod, but I have never found a description of how it was accomplished. There is a toggle switch on the rear apron that switches this mod in and out.

I've opened the rig to look for the changes. But the person did the modifications so skillfully that I can't tell what's "factory" wiring and what's not.

Any suggestons will be welcome.

QRM

614. Re: ARRL says exams up 135 percent (Average SAT score for all hams now 900)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8clufu$u60$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8clouu$oc0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> Wow. Big deal. The fact remains, as I've always said, the people
> upgrading under the handout system are not committed to the hobby. If
> they were, they would have upgraded a long time ago. These are comers
> and goers, people out to maximize their access but not their use.
>
> Flash in the pans burn out quickly.

"Beware of the man who works hard to learn something,
learns it, and finds himself no wiser than before.

He is full of murderous resentment of people who
are ignorant without having come by their ignorance
the hard way."
--Kurt Vonnegut

73, Hans, K0HB

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615. capt. Sod, you have a problem!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cm9i6$9kc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114748

If one would like to investigate capt. truth, sod: one would find Bankruptcy in the past. Hey, AF2Y, pay close attention, and I will tell you something about k4qij. No. he never captained a vessel over 20K lbs, and he is not on the govenors staff, and there is a problem with finances. Could it possibly be bankruptcy? Also the famous capt sod is not a man of the cloth!!!!! This idiot has a lot of OTK in his blood. Hard copy to follow!!!!!!!, I just struck gold!!!!!!!

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616. Live TALKING chatbox..for hams too:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franz <fschmidt@casema.net>
Message-ID: <8cluhd$tn8$1@newsspool.casema.net>
Source record: 114749

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Hi
See one of the links
for a live talking chatbox
on the URL below.
regards,

--
Frans Schmidt

The -=NL0FS=-RadioPages

http://go.to/nl0fs
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617. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 57)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000407205145.15467.00000267@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 114750

The 57th episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled " Inter or Outer mod ??? "
is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
Check out the archive too... to see the rest.
And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

"The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb"
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
A comic strip about radio scanning.
Special monthly episodes can be seen
in Popular Communications magazine !

618. Re: Crybaby, obsolete hams!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cm10i$229$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114751

Don Romero Sanchez <drs201@my-deja.com> wrote:
>David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> whined:

>: Troll-o-Matic activated.
>: Troll-o-meter reading 62% (too long).
>: You need more practice.

>Ahh, the typical cry of someone who can't refute an argument: Call it a
>troll and attempt to dismiss it.
>But it won't go away, Davie Baby. Your hobby is now irrelevant.
>And that chaps your obsolete little hide, doesn't it?

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TROLL-O-METER
(courtesy K0HB)

Dave, he was a solid ten (100% troll) on my meter. I believe yours
might need calibration (WWVB or 14313).
73, Jeff KH6O

619. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8cm3bm$u5t$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114752

In article <kteH4.28827$W5.300263@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
>"To boost the 118V up 30V you need a transformer that outputs 30VAC"
>I'm not sure where you got this info, but this isn't right.
>You are telling him "outputs 30VAC" that will give you 30V AC out.

I was thinking of a autotransformer configuration.
>

620. SGC-2020 Still trying.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: xyz@privacy.net
Message-ID: <38ee993e.248902@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114753

O.K. There must be a Ham out there with one of these radios!! Looking for comments (still) on the compact, cute, well built SGC-2020 <<--

Please post comments..good or bad..... Thanks..

621. Re: Brother Lloyds Gone Ebay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ts950sdx@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000407225427.23750.00000211@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 114754

AS I SAID DUM ..DUM..
AS IN DDUMMMMMMMMMM

622. Society of Amateur Radio Programmers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Johnson <kb5ylg@gte.net>
Message-ID: <AhxH4.50879$QJ3.5296489@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114755

I hope this is an appropriate forum. I'm hoping to reach Visual Basic and all other programmers who are Amateur Radio Operators and develop software for Amateur Radio Service purposes. If this is of interest to you, please check out the web site I am assembling.

Also, those who wish to have there software, projects or related items featured, please let me know.

David Johnson
kb5ylg

http://www.geocities.com/kb5ylg

623. Re: Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cm8300i4c@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114756

In article <8clmiejvv1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

<snip>

>Look, Burt's talking to himself.

...and your proof is?

Tom - N8ECW

624. Ham IRC Chat Room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Warheit <dwarheit@nauticom.net>
Message-ID: <daftes48hr74drpuv7nkh5ahuuelhlqogk@4ax.com>
Source record: 114757

Can someone direct me to a IRC chat room for ham operators?

TIA

Dave

625. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EEC11B.5871881D@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> <snip> Costs about the same except
> you don't waste electricity
> using the phone.

And the telephone system in this country runs off what - tooth-fairy dust?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

626. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38EEC3FA.9D02D61B@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Martin Johnson - KC7ZWG wrote:
>
> hey there,
> also have a 847 and was wondering what you did to fix it?

Well, Martin. I received a message from Yaesu that recommended that I turn the AM carrier level down to about 20-25 watts by adjusting VR1020 (located next to the crystal filter on the main board). This is below specs, but Yaesu insists that it will help the situation.

However, Yaesu also admitted that the AM mode will never sound as strong as that on a dedicated AM radio (often high-level plate modulation units), but Yaesu insisted that adjusting the carrier down will "make it sound quite reasonable."

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

627. Set up Net freq for new extras/generals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8cmh54$16e$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Just another week before I can get my "Extra Lite" :-)

Should we set up a net frequency for us newly minted extras and generals
to try out our new spectrum on? 14.318MHz?

Or would this split us off from the old hands, who can guide us in learning
our HF operating skills?

628. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Kruse <skruse@inlink.com>
Message-ID: <MXzH4.463$bZ5.32199@news1.primary.net>
Source record: 114761

Many years back I was a "cber" I never used the beeps and echos but I did communicate on 11 meters with simple ssb radios and I'll tell you that I made contacts damn near worldwide. If it was not for the cb hobby back then I may have never discovered radio in it's hobby form as it is now. Listen to the people on 27.385 and up and you should see that they are no different than a lot of "ham" operators I know.

Steve

"JR" <jr@some.net> wrote in message news:38EC8885.1651@some.net...
> Robert Casey wrote:
>
> > Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> > signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.
>
> You have to understand that the intelligence level of the average cber
> is around 12 years old. Take their age, divide in it half and you have
> their IQ.

629. Re: ARRL says exams up 135 percent (Average SAT score for all hams now 900)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004080641490.290-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 114762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

As a volunteer examiner who has seen increases (our session, normally with 30 candidates has has 90, 80, and 80 in the past 3 months - a 177% increase), I must concur that is is mainly people seeking upgrades. Out of those 250, 200 (or 80%) will be returning to cash in their upgrades come April 15th. However, out of the other 50, about half were candidates who failed, and half (10% of the total) actually submitted a form 605 for a new or upgraded license. Therefore, I agree with the factual statements made here (except the SAT score reference in the title), but I make no opinion on the conclusions drawn.

On Fri, 7 Apr 2000 mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> Wow. Big deal. The fact remains, as I've always said, the people
> upgrading under the handout system are not committed to the hobby. If
> they were, they would have upgraded a long time ago. These are comers
> and goers, people out to maximize their access but not their use.
>
> Flash in the pans burn out quickly.
>
> And before a select group responds by saying "sour grapes", note that
> the hams upgrading in many cases are those already in the Advanced and
> Extra portions. I already talk to them, but still have a right to my
> opinion of their waiting game, without being subjected to your hackneyed
> cliches that are indicative of your mentality.....

630. Re: Set up Net freq for new extras/generals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cmnd4$5c9$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Walt Davidson <junkmail1@redhotant.net> wrote in message
news:38efd7b5.2001095@news.cis.dfn.de...
> On 8 Apr 2000 05:47:16 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
>
> >Just another week before I can get my "Extra Lite" :-)
> >
> >Should we set up a net frequency for us newly minted extras and generals
> >to try out our new spectrum on? 14.318MHz?
>
> Yes, do it man! And stay there.

No.

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

631. RITTY problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdc <cdc@fast.net.au>
Message-ID: <38EEEE4A.94A06767@fast.net.au>
Source record: 114764

Hi
I am currently trying to evaluate ritty (still searching for the best RTTY
program to use). I must say trying because I can not start the unregistered version of RITTY. My operating system is Windows 98 and I had no problems evaluating other soundblaster based software like MixW Demo.
When I start RITTY the Windows screen switches and the RITTY welcome screen comes on. That is how far I get.....
This is very disappointing as I am very curious about RITTY, I have read

many encouraging articles about the software. So if anybody has an idea what could be the reason for my problem please let me know.
Thanks for your help

VY 73
Peter
VK2GFB

632. Re: Set up Net freq for new extras/generals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EF34CF.4306526@icss.net>
Source record: 114765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Robert Casey wrote:

> Just another week before I can get my "Extra Lite" :-)
>
> Should we set up a net frequency for us newly minted extras and generals
> to try out our new spectrum on? 14.318MHz?
>
> Or would this split us off from the old hands, who can guide us in learning
> our HF operating skills?

I doan no why the FCC didn't split us off like they did the Novices.

633. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <gwGH4.10775$EG2.4845@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 114766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
news:38EE65A3.1ADBDDAA@bctv.com...
>
>
> Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> <pertinent and valid points regarding the ability of ARRL officers to
> clear a room snipped>
>
> > BTW while not denying there may be some, the 'bitter old Extras' are
largely
> > imaginary.
>
>
> Yep. And they are mostly HERE. ;)

And they are engaged by bitter young whatevers with preconceived ideas and a hellbent need to show their 'rage' and 'attitude'. Makes for a sometimes entertaining show when the incompetent meet the irrelevant. :)

Dick McCollum N0BK -- Sweet Middle-aged Extra.

634. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: malenymph@hot.net
Message-ID: <38ef3d0a.9315475@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 114767

On 5 Apr 2000 02:58:44 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
>in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.

Join the club, it's everywhere...

>Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
>signals?

Because they are retarded maybe?

>Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

It's a stupid toy and that's all.

They'll get their day.....Go get them Riley!

635. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: malenymph@hot.net
Message-ID: <38ef3d80.9432899@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 114768

On Thu, 06 Apr 2000 13:53:20 GMT, JR <jr@some.net> wrote:

>Robert Casey wrote:
>
>> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
>> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.
>
>You have to understand that the intelligence level of the average cber
>is around 12 years old. Take their age, divide in it half and you have
>their IQ.

BINGO! Give that man a cigar!

636. Re: capt. Sod, you have a problem!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cnmudnkj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114769

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logbridge.uoregon.edu!newspeer.monmouth.com!nntp2.deja.com!
nnrp1.deja.com!not-for-mail
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: capt. Sod, you have a problem!!!
Date: Sat, 08 Apr 2000 03:37:43 GMT
Organization: Deja.com - Before you buy.
Lines: 11
Message-ID: <8cm9i6$9kc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.215.95.188
X-Article-Creation-Date: Sat Apr 08 03:37:43 2000 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/2.0 (compatible; MSIE 3.02; Update a;
Windows 95)
X-Http-Proxy: 1.0 x31.deja.com:80 (Squid/1.1.22) for client
209.215.95.188
X-MyDeja-Info: XMYDJUIDhammer007
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:13900

Hostname: ptp188-56k.SuNet.net
IP Address: 209.215.95.188

hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cm9i6
$9kc$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> If one would like to investigate capt. truth, sod: one would find
Bankruptcy
> in the past. Hey, AF2Y, pay close attention, and I will tell you
something
> about k4qij. No. he never captained a vessel over 20K lbs, and he is
not on
> the govenors staff, and there is a problem with finances. Could it
possibly
> be bankruptcy? Also the famous capt sod is not a man of the
cloth!!!!! This
> idiot has a lot of OTK in his blood. Hard copy to follow!!!!!!!, I
just
> struck gold!!!!!!!

Youngblood, you seem to be running a LOT of the time mobile, or mo-
beele as you call it. Einotsolean put her fat foot down on your antics
or what?

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

637. >>>>>>>Riley's Pets<<<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cnn0p$nl5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114770

If you're one of Riley's pets, you can get away with anything in Amateur Radio, with full impunity. Take for example, when I was on the internet telephone with VA3GJB 2 weeks ago on 3901, W2KP, Ed Clarke made unidentified transmissions, and caused malicious interference. I guess that's okay, if your one of Riley Hollingsworth's snitches! I wonder why he doesn't do the work himself, I guess it's easier to collect a government paycheck, and accept bogus information from Amateurs with a hate agenda.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

638. Re: Set up Net freq for new extras/generals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38EF4887.FEE4F2F6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Robert Casey wrote:

> Should we set up a net frequency for us newly minted extras and generals
> to try out our new spectrum on? 14.318MHz?
>
> Or would this split us off from the old hands, who can guide us in learning
> our HF operating skills?

Howdy, Bob.
I don't think you should encourage this type of segregation.
There's already going to be an initial "adjustment" period,
and setting a specific frequency will aggravate those feelings.
Most of us "learned by doing." We just jumped in and listened
to what the old hands did. That will work for the new guys.

Personally, I think you'll have to deal with a few (very few)
hotheads, but the vast majority of HF hams are going to
welcome the company. The guys who come on yelling "skip land"
and "10-4 good buddy" will either learn and adapt or be
swept aside by ostracism. The guys giving them a hard time
will face the same problem ;-).

Good luck, OM
73 Dave S.

639. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38EF4C18.8B7EB7F7@nashville.com>
Source record: 114772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

< Brian wrote a nonsensical message which defies response: >

Try again. And this time engage brain before fingers.

640. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38EF51B1.226F8E78@bctv.com>
Source record: 114773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:38EE65A3.1ADBDDAA@bctv.com...
> > >
> > >
> > > Richard McCollum wrote:
> > >
> > > <pertinent and valid points regarding the ability of ARRL officers to
> > > clear a room snipped>
> > >
> > > > BTW while not denying there may be some, the 'bitter old Extras' are
> > largely
> > > > imaginary.
> > >
> > >
> > > Yep. And they are mostly HERE. ;)
> >
> > And they are engaged by bitter young whatevers with preconceived ideas and a
> > hellbent need to show their 'rage' and 'attitude'. Makes for a sometimes
> > entertaining show when the incompetent meet the irrelevant. :)
> >
> > Dick McCollum N0BK -- Sweet Middle-aged Extra.

The REAL fun is when the incompetent ARE the irrelevant, whining about
the loss of 20 WPM (as if they will never be able to do it again --
which, for some, might be true).

"I once met a lizard who claimed to be a dinosaur on his mother's side .
. ."

641. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonesgil@usa.net
Message-ID: <38ef5fd7.2971304@news.mil.ameritech.net>
Source record: 114774
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On 7 Apr 2000 04:50:52 GMT, Bill Nelson <billn@spock.peak.org> wrote:

>In rec.radio.cb Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
>:>
>:>The time can be obtained from the phase change of the received
>:>signal. The delta in position is provided by the satellites motion.

Time in relation to what?

What good does the time information do?

How do you obtain a directional component from this information?

>: Assuming that you have a stable transmitter
>: and not one that has been bolted in the tail
>: of a cessna sine 1974.
>
>It would be stable, even then. It is crystal controlled, and crystals
>may change slightly with age, but very little.

Granted - they change to a greater degree to
temperature and shock.

>--
>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
>

642. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EF61A2.2E1FF7A9@icss.net>
Source record: 114775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard McCollum wrote:

> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:38EE65A3.1ADBDDAA@bctv.com...
> >
> >
> > Richard McCollum wrote:
> >
> > <pertinent and valid points regarding the ability of ARRL officers to
> > clear a room snipped>
> >
> > > BTW while not denying there may be some, the 'bitter old Extras' are
> largely
> > > imaginary.
> >
> >
> > Yep. And they are mostly HERE. ;)
>
> And they are engaged by bitter young whatevers with preconceived ideas and a
> hellbent need to show their 'rage' and 'attitude'. Makes for a sometimes
> entertaining show when the incompetent meet the irrelevant. :)
>
> Dick McCollum N0BK -- Sweet Middle-aged Extra.

Or when the incontinent meet the irreverent.

643. Re: capt. Sod, you have a problem!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cnq09$t5s$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114776

BadBlood. I care nothing about the guy because the only time I ever heard
him was saying "Amen" on 20 meters which is as flagrant as Squeaky's "Uh oh"
which has always seemed to go unnoticed by you and your crude crew. The
truth is that anything said unidentified is in violation of Part 97 but your
crew is so damn stupid you don't know the difference between it and a part
in your hair. If his capture elates you, so be it. With your alleged
matrimonial disharmony with a divorce either in the wings or already under
way, you could stand cheering up. I briefly checked the Webfoot extra or
perhaps it was another ham radio National Enquirer and thought I saw mention
of the fact that the guy called himself Captian Sod or Captain Sodomy.
That's as warped as the mention of my mobile operations in a letter sent by
Riley in December. One of these days the powers that be will get info
straight. I haven't used ham radio mobile in 20 years and the offensive
names applied to whomever were labeled by the most offensive K4OKA and his
sheep, one of which is a professor named Bill Simpleton and the other whose
wife allegedly ran away with a 17 year old. The latter loser is also a
professor or is it brot fresser at Virginia Polytech or is it "Pollytech"
and is often inebriated from what I've been told. "Hic." In the meantime
Badblood would you like to tell us why letters of condemnation from Riley
sent to you were never published? I mean for a guy who relishes the "skinny"
and demands truth, we do too. And might you comment on the allegation of
your having been hit with a $2,500 fine for being so obnoxious on the air?
We'd like the truth, please. Finally a last word about this guy Truth who
has you and your flock in an uproar. You say he's been bankrupt? You're the
wrong one to talk about it. Do you mean financially because your sincerity,
genuineness and on-the-air demeanor have been bankrupt ever since I heard
you open your fat trap.
AF2Y

In article <8cm9i6$9kc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> If one would like to investigate capt. truth, sod: one would find Bankruptcy
> in the past. Hey, AF2Y, pay close attention, and I will tell you something
> about k4qij. No. he never captained a vessel over 20K lbs, and he is not on
> the govenors staff, and there is a problem with finances. Could it possibly
> be bankruptcy? Also the famous capt sod is not a man of the cloth!!!!! This
> idiot has a lot of OTK in his blood. Hard copy to follow!!!!!!!, I just
> struck gold!!!!!!!
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

644. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cnq9ljbd1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114777

Sorry Bob; Dan's right. Let's count. Between 14.313 and 14.275 we have a 38 kHz spread, right? Polly plants his dumbo ears exactly where they and he can create the most trouble. You were off the band for five years, isn't that correct. I wasn't and know FQF like a book and the guy's a troublemaking first grade primer.
AF2Y

In article <6450-38EE8C81-5@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> Sorry, Dan. I have to agree with FQF on this particular issue. He is
> on 275 for the same reason I'm on 313. For you, it may be stirring the
> pot; for me, it is a "sit-in" to properly make every frequency available
> to every licensed amateur.
>
> Let's assume regularity until we see irregularity. Then, we can post
> benignly with specifics that everyone can follow and which are subjected
> to scrutiny. Justice and fair play aren't something that can be rammed
> through by one guy bypassing the customary safeguards of free speech..
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

645. Re: SGC-2020 Still trying.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <seus1rtkcqv16@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114778

I have had it for over a year now. A real solid radio from a construction standpoint. Terrible on CW unless you like listening to the clack clack clack of the relay with every dit and dah. Too noisy for me to use on CW, but since I'm not a big CW fan, it's not a big problem for me either.

SSB transmit and receive audio quality is good. SCAF filters work well. My biggest complaints are that the sensitivity of the receiver on 15, 12, & 10 meters is poor. The frequency display is off for every band. You can align the display on one band, but then it is off even more on the other bands. Sent it back to SGC have it fixed, and it came back with the same problem. I wish SGC would fix the problems through upgrades to future production models. I keep going to the web page and see nothing that indicates they are trying to make future production units better.

Regards,

Duffy

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons

<xyz@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:38ee993e.248902@news.earthlink.net...
>
>
> O.K. There must be a Ham out there with one of these radios!! Looking
> for comments (still) on the compact, cute, well built SGC-2020 <<--
>
> Please post comments..good or bad..... Thanks..
>
>

646. 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjones@radio.org.com.net
Message-ID: <8cnsei$4u5$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down repeater ID's.

Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:

>The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
>hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
>kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
>but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
>lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
>might only know CW to 2 WPM. Repeaters with voice ID's
>must be programed to talk slower to accomodate restructured
>hams who are still learning the alphabet. Elmers who want
>to help new hams with their CW repeater ID skills, should
>focus on the letters found in phrases like "Welfare check" or
>"Food Stamps" as restructured hams are more familier
>with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
>identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
>they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
>
>QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

647. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13666-38EF75FC-1@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114780

Doc, by now you know that I don't enter NGs with intended prejudice. You may know something I don't but, for my part, is a simple matter of frequencies for everyone until I see something different.

I don't buy into mob psychology, jumping on any band wagons. Though we all are admittedly biased, I try my best to see everything through clear glasses.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

648. Re: What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cnthv$89f$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114781

Dave Stinson, your words in "Re:What Hap is Failing to Cover" are GOLDEN. You have you head on VERY straight, Sir! I hear about banking on OO reports as being the Gospel all over again. What? Let me tell you about an idiot OO from Spartansburg, SC named R.L.Nitch, W4NTO who's one of these demented Jesus freaking fundamentalists to whom the ARRL delegated authority. I got card from Nitch in March of '99 which castigated me for using the term "God damn" on the air because according to him, I invoked the wrath of the deity with the repeated use of that term," Can you beat that? An OO card sent in GOOD FAITH, sent without bias, sent without a preference for one side of an argument or the other, SHOULD BE APPRECIATED AND ACTED UPON, but something like I got was outrageous and I let the FCC and ARRL know about it. I decided to answer it because I have no use for these very dangerous fundamentalist slobs who preach more evil than what they scream against. I wrote the following dated 3/5/99.

"Dear Mr.Nitch,

Although I'm not required to reply I chose to as well as to inform the ARRL how poorly their OO cards are being used.

You are bent out of shape because I blurted out in anger, "God damn?" That's strange because I've heard that same expression used in sermons by phony televangelists who rob the gullible, even from South Carolina, out of cash to guarantee their afterlives in heaven instead of hell. Quite honestly I don't rate that expression as one of cursing but rather as a forceful expression of a wish unfulfilled.

Now don't misread me. I like the ARRL and even though some whackos have been given OO credentials, I feel the OO program is useful. My reaction to your card is not predicated on the customary "who me?" syndrome but rather on the banality of it all. I wonder how many cards you've issued to the obnoxious pig mouths and white supremacist idiots on 75 meters, the ones who are fond of a four letter word starting with "F" and the ones who graphically expound upon sexual intimacy and the ones who denegrate non-Caucasians and Jews? Do you act so decisively with them as with me or perhaps white supremacy cloaked in Christian garb fits your personal agenda? When I read, "invoking the wrath of a diety with the repeated use of the term, 'God damn,' I think of that nut Brother Stair from Walterboro South Carolina, the shortwave evangelist who is, according to himself "the last day prohpet of God" amidst horns blaring and daggers thrown at the Pope. Sorry but I get the distinct impression that you are one of these "end times, 666 screwballs" whose emphasis is misplaced in amateur radio. Call it "God crazy or a Jesus freak," you are deity- driven in the name of amateur radio or vice versa.

Sending such a card assumes that the recipient is neither an agonostic nor atheist and that, Mr.Fitch, is UN-AMERICAN. Although I myself do believe in God, if I were an OO, NEVER would I ever dare to send anyone a card with a religious inference and that's because I respect freedom of speech and the

fact that we have no national or state religion in this nation.
Your problem Mr.Fitch is that I feel you don't like the idea of separation of church and state. By that I think you will react much more quickly to anything on ham radio relating to God than to the reality encompassing the lewd and bigoted which we hear so often nowadays therefore I suggest your religiosity be not a prerequisite for issuing an OO notice and the ARRL must be made aware of your misuse of their valuable program.
And may I close by saying God damn all those who, in one way or the other, are hell bent on destroying this hobby/service as well as our basic freedoms, YOU INCLUDED.
Yours truly,"

Based on the above, if the OO program is to be given the highest priority, let the ARRL CLEAN HOUSE. By that I mean SCRUTINIZE the situation instead of being cavalier and then throw out everyone like Fitch who has a religious agenda and everyone who is known to be an FZ lover, a WB2OTK hater and vice versa. But then again how can we hams expect an OO cleanup in light of ARRL and FCC relaxation of rules and regs which separate ham the hams versus hams the shams?
AF2Y, Doc

649. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David VanHorn <dvanhorn@cedar.net>
Message-ID: <ZfLH4.26437$Y4.716253@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 114782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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"John Jones" <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote in message
news:8cnsei$4u5$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net...
> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down
> repeater ID's.
(anti-extra-lite rant snipped)

Oh please..
This new "extra-lite" to be is maintianing three repeaters. I rebuilt
one from scratch, after a lightning hit reduced it to parts rattling
around in a nice box. This was more fun because our previous "all
extra" tech committee had lost the docs, so I had no schematic to
work from, and most of the damaged parts were unidentifiable. I'm
also president of the local ham club, and I design various electronic
gizmos for the point of sale on the side. (The last big one sold over
5M units) I passed the gen, advanced, and extra tests last weekend
with no studying, and I used a calculator once on the advanced exam.

Maybe some day I'll see the attraction of CW, but I rather doubt it.
I'm getting old fast enough, without waiting around for the beeps to
happen.

How about we fix the technical requirements of ham radio to match the
majority of the "old extras" that I know :

All rig control microprocessors must be banned. There's nothing that
you can't do with the right crystals anyway.
No privileges at all unless you are over 50 yrs old, with at least
three major ailments to gripe about on the repeater.

Seven days to extra :)

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650. NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <seuvl9kgcqv30@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

As posted on the NCI website over the past month, according
to the Bylaws, it was prescribed to hold an election for
NCI's Board of Directors no later than April 15, 2000 for
a two (2)year term commencing May 1, 2000.

Accordingly, the Board of Directors set about making plans
for an election and a number of new pages were posted on the
NCI website relating to the election process, including an
Election Announcement, with links to a Call for Nominations;
a page of instructions on "How to Nominate a Candidate"; a
"Nomination Form" to be printed, filled out, and submitted in
order to nominate a candidate; and a page of links to
"Candidate Statements".

All of the incumbent members of the original Board of
Directors sought election for another two year term and were
duly nominated, but nominations were also open to the general
membership, as provided in the Bylaws, should other candidates
wish to "toss their hats into the ring" and become involved in
the administration of the organization.

As specified in the "How to Nominate a Candidate" page, cutoff
dates of April 1, 2000 (for postmarking of nomination forms) and
April 7, 2000 (for receipt of nominations in order for a candidate
to be placed on the ballot) were established, in order to allow
adequate time for any additional nominees' Candidate Statements
to be posted to the website for member review, as well as for the
preparation of a web-based ballot form and an e-mailing of secure,
individual "validation passwords" to all members eligible to vote
in the election to protect the integrity of a web-based voting process.

As of the April 7, 2000 cutoff date for receipt of nominations, no
additional nominations beyond those of the incumbent Directors were
received.

Thus, according to Article V, Section A, Par. 2 of the Bylaws,
balloting is rendered unnecessary and the incumbent members of the
Board of Directors, being the only nominees, are duly declared to be
elected to another two (2) year term of office, commencing on
May 1, 2000.
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(Article V, Section A., Paragraph 2 of the Bylaws specifies:
"In the event there are not more nominations than the maximum number of Board of Directors members who served, at any one time, since the previous election, all nominees will automatically become members of the Board of Directors on the first day of the subsequent term.")

This Notice published April 8, 2000.

73,

- --
Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse
<mailto:wa6vse@fast/net>
<http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse>
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651. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38EF4C7D.4FDB328E@oio.net>
Source record: 114784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl,
Which cheek should my tongue be in??
'Doc

652. F6KEH HAM RESOURCES RELAY : temporay adress

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: F6KEH <f6keh@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <8co2sc$fv0$4@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 114785

Some technical problems occurs to connect directly to the site
F6KEH.FREE.FR.

So, you can connect you directly to F6KEH RESOURCES RELAY ham site using the
following URL adress :
http://members.xoom.com/_XMCM/softelecom/index_r.htm

When the technical connection will be established again, the use of the
normal URL will be advised by way of these news.

F6KEH - F5LCY

653. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8co6qj$87m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114786

In article <13666-38EF75FC-1@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> Doc, by now you know that I don't enter NGs with intended prejudice.
> You may know something I don't but, for my part, is a simple matter
of
> frequencies for everyone until I see something different.
>
> I don't buy into mob psychology, jumping on any band wagons. Though
we
> all are admittedly biased, I try my best to see everything through
clear
> glasses.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
>
Bob,

Let me give you a little advice. Stay out of things you know nothing about. This discussion does not concern a hams "right" to utilize a frequency. It concerns a malcontent that thrives on strife. And Doc is right, you were not there and simply don't know how it was.

I removed myself from 14.313, as did MOST of the people I talk to. Why did we do that? To stay the hell away from the troublemakers. And now they follow us down. What does that say Bob?

I have not been on that frequency for at least 3 months. And I will not return to it as long as it is occupied by people I have no desire to talk with. I also have the "right" to operate in peace. I ask nothing from them, other than to leave me the hell alone. Is that asking too much?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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654. Re: What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8co7nu$94k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114787

In article <38EEADEF.6D2FF044@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> Bob Sherin wrote:
> >... I have
> > experienced the lopsided behavior firsthand, ... from
> > hams bent on putting me under too....
> > Hap's email makes clear, the FCC is indeed selective in releasing
Mr.
> > Hollingsworth's letters to the press. Letters are published on some
> > hams but not on others. If Hap isn't doing so, it must be the
> > government. This course should not be trivialized, because we need
not
> > throw out some of "the babies with the bath water" if we are to have
> > equal treatment under the law....
>
> Bob,
> You might as well get ready. A lot of people will want to
> throw stones at you because you won't join the lynch mobs
> and yell "me too!."
> I posted some time ago that we were going
> to see this sort of thing, and I got lots of hell for it.
>
> I'm not here to slam Mr. Hollingsworth. He has his orders
> and must carry them out as best he can. And I believe he's
> doing his best. But some things are falling through
> the cracks and it has me worried. Mr. Hollingsworth
> isn't the only person in this enforcement effort-
> there are a lot more involved.
> While most have the very highest motives,
> things can still go wrong.
>
> Like our anonymous friend yesterday- I, too am worried
> about these anomalies. I'm worried about some "auxiliaries"
> injecting personal biases and grudges into the enforcement process,
> especially when Big Brother has said he'll unquestioningly back them
> with the muscle. No one has told us how these guys are supposed
> to operate, or what qualifies them to say one guy is "jamming"
> and one isn't. They've met and decided all this pretty much
> in secret; At least, I've never seen an article on it.
> It only takes a few rotten apples to do some serious injustice.
> Where are the checks and balances to prevent this?
> Who watches the watchers? Or are we really, truly

> going to have an unquestionable secret police in ham radio
> and networks of spies, stalking and informing on their neighbors?
> No one in authority has addressed these fair questions.
>
> I worry about the posting of enforcement letters publicly on some
people
> and not others, about those letters being spread as gospel when
> the charges have not been proven. Most of the accused are not
presented
> with the specific evidence against them nor the names of their
accusers.
> Even a petty shoplifter gets to see the video tape that nailed him
> and face the officer that accused him.
>
> I worry about a select ham being given Mr. Hollingsworth's
> home phone number, and that ham's word- with all his personal
> biases- being given some special status. I dare say that
> if I were to hold forth on 14.313 espousing the wonderful
> world of Hari Krishna, I wouldn't receive such special treatment
> (I don't own a 20 meter antenna, so no danger of that ;-).
>
> And why does everyone just assume that these guys are guilty?
> Maybe this guy in Newton is guilty as sin, but I want to see
> some evidence other then "Jim drove by in his mobile and
> his S-meter pinned." Are they doing more than this?
> I don't know... they haven't told us what they're doing,
> other then "direction finding," which can be in error,
> so I can't know if it's a valid catch or
> just somebody's "best guess."
> What if it were *you* they were accusing?
> I can't speak for the lynch mob,
> but before I condemn someone I want to be reasonably sure
> he's guilty. Since they don't say exactly what they do,
> I don't know what to think.
>
> This and other things worry me about the latest enforcement
> efforts. I hope my worries turn out to be groundless.
> The bands are unquestionably cleaner these days,
> but if it's done by simply lopping off the heads of the
> unpopular guys without observing the rights of the accused,
> or by bullying a net out of existance because some don't like
> its politics, then it's too high a price to pay.
>
> Kind Regards,
> Dave S.
>
Dave,

Here is a horror story for you; A individual was identified of being a
well know qrm'er on both 20 and 75 meters. He was tracked and verified

and then reported to Riley. Unfortunatly it was the WRONG MAN.

A letter was issued for re-test, for whatever reason he didn't show up. Another letter was issued, this time cancelling his license. Drop ex-N9LAT a letter and see how he feels about it.

Dan/W4NTI

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655. help w/pic of kenwood 741 please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: N0JAM@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17571-38EF8E79-36@storefull-104.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114788

does anyone have a pic of a kenwood 741 they can send me?
thanks,
N0JAM

656. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8co898$9od$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114789

Dan:

I don't think you are rock bound to 14275 in this day and time. My suggestion to you is , if someone is on this frequency you want to operate. Example number 1 wait til they get through and call your station. Example Number 2 , If you are in a hurry , break in and ask to make a call. If successful, move your party to another frequency. That way you are in accordance with part 97. If you don't won't to do this , set in your chair and stew and brood til they get through and vacate the frequency.

This is the only advice I can give you Dan. Cheer up it could be worse.
W4FQF Since 1952

In article <8co6qj$87m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <13666-38EF75FC-1@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> > Doc, by now you know that I don't enter NGs with intended prejudice.
> > You may know something I don't but, for my part, is a simple matter
> of
> > frequencies for everyone until I see something different.
> >
> > I don't buy into mob psychology, jumping on any band wagons. Though
> we
> > all are admittedly biased, I try my best to see everything through
> clear
> > glasses.
> >
> > Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> > Miami, Florida
> >
> >
> Bob,
>
> Let me give you a little advice. Stay out of things you know nothing
> about. This discussion does not concern a hams "right" to utilize a
> frequency. It concerns a malcontent that thrives on strife. And Doc
> is right, you were not there and simply don't know how it was.
>
> I removed myself from 14.313, as did MOST of the people I talk to.
Why
> did we do that? To stay the hell away from the troublemakers. And
now
> they follow us down. What does that say Bob?

>
> I have not been on that frequency for at least 3 months. And I will
> not return to it as long as it is occupied by people I have no desire
> to talk with. I also have the "right" to operate in peace. I ask
> nothing from them, other than to leave me the hell alone. Is that
> asking too much?
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

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Before you buy.

657. Background of K4QIJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8co8k2$a2a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114790

It looks like Capt Truth has been nailed.

I have heard that he has a extensive background that will be brought forth into the light of day like others who have been caught in a web of deceit..

KT4TR is on the case and from what I have heard, He has hit the mother load;

Captain Truth tried to cause Bob, KT4TR Trouble with the Florida Citrus Commission. Now it is his turn to be accountable. My Oh My thing are hot for K4QIJ, AKA "Capt Truth"

W4FQF Since 1952

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

658. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.E. 352" <americaneagle352@iwon.com>
Message-ID: <38ef9c2d@dnews.gisco.net>
Source record: 114791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

For you CW purists, I propose the following 'new' test in case you ever
decide to use any other mode of transmission:

1. You must type 40 wpm to use packet.
2. You must 'master' an 1880's crank-style telephone
before you can use a common cellular phone.
3. You must monitor the 500KHz maritime CW distress
frequency for one week, since even the GOVERNMENT
no longer monitors it! (They went satellite/digital)
4. You MUST NEVER deviate from the 30 meter band!

THERE...now everyone's happy!!!
David VanHorn wrote in message ...
>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>Hash: SHA1
>
>"John Jones" <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote in message
>news:8cnsei$4u5$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net...
>> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down
>> repeater ID's.
>(anti-extra-lite rant snipped)
>
>Oh please..
>This new "extra-lite" to be is maintianing three repeaters. I rebuilt
>one from scratch, after a lightning hit reduced it to parts rattling
>around in a nice box. This was more fun because our previous "all
>extra" tech committee had lost the docs, so I had no schematic to
>work from, and most of the damaged parts were unidentifiable. I'm
>also president of the local ham club, and I design various electronic
>gizmos for the point of sale on the side. (The last big one sold over
>5M units) I passed the gen, advanced, and extra tests last weekend
>with no studying, and I used a calculator once on the advanced exam.
>
>Maybe some day I'll see the attraction of CW, but I rather doubt it.
>I'm getting old fast enough, without waiting around for the beeps to
>happen.
>
>How about we fix the technical requirements of ham radio to match the
>majority of the "old extras" that I know :
>
>All rig control microprocessors must be banned. There's nothing that
>you can't do with the right crystals anyway.
>No privileges at all unless you are over 50 yrs old, with at least
>three major ailments to gripe about on the repeater.

>
>Seven days to extra :)
>
>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
>Version: PGPfreeware 6.5.2 for non-commercial use <http://www.pgp.com>
>
>iQA/AwUBOO+a2YFlGDz1l6VWEQKh4ACg19F2EG/WoN1RiUUYYp/NVV55yCIAn29R
>1+BAilKC5lNK0EtrLMy/rb2+
>=/mvG
>-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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>

659. Re: AF2Y: a reply from Hap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8co6b8$f7e$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114792

Bob, do you honestly believe Toiletsi wrote it? Have you ever read any legit post of his which isn't reminiscent of a toddler with a crayon? You complimented a windbag who thinks an asterisk is someplace in which a suppository is placed.
AF2Y

In article <16546-38EE6FCC-2@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> dtolassi, Great satire but I don't agree that any of us need to take
> anything to the limit. We are fortunate to have a reasonable milieu,
> where mere posting will make a difference.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

660. ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sev7d8h8cqv105@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Buy a League membership and get a 'Dumbed-Downed' license
upgrade free!

From ARRL VEC:

>From: "Jahnke, Bart, W9JJ" <bjahnke@arrl.org>
>Subject: Membership coupon mailing to ARRL VE teams
>Date: Thu, 6 Apr 2000 19:36:31 -0400
>Resent-From: ve-list@p1k.arrl.org
>Reply-To: vec@arrl.org
>Resent-Sender: ve-list-request@p1k.arrl.org
>
>Dear VE team liaison:
>
>Shortly you will receive in the mail a letter from the ARRL VEC. It
>contains a special $6.65 ARRL-Membership Discount Coupon offer intended
>to serve to "soften the blow" for those appearing at your tests on or
>after April 15th where a test fee is charged but no tests are actually
>taken. It also serves to promote ARRL membership to these newcomers,
>many of which are grandfathered Techs who may have been out of touch with
>ham radio, and the ARRL, for some time.
>
>We hope you will be interested in copying and sharing these coupons with
>people who attend your ARRL VEC tests. However, you have no obligation
>to participate--we know you will be very busy come April 15th and after.
>Nevertheless, we hope you will want to share the coupons with your
>applicants.
>
>The mailing contains three coupons (that can be used as originals for
>duplicating back to back). A special invitation, from ARRL President Jim
>Haynie W5JBP, and the coupon, appear on the front of the form--and a
>membership application appears on the back.
>
>If you don't receive a package, please let us know (including your
>address)
>and we will resend one to you.
>
>Thank you for your assistance.
>
>73,
>
>Bart J. Jahnke, W9JJ
>Manager

>ARRL VEC
>
>vec@arrl.org

661. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8co768$78h$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114794

In article <8clrt8$re6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> What we ALL MUST DO is treat them as a human being should be treated.
> If they make a error, then politly correct them. In otherwords welcome
> them into this elite fraternity of amateur radio. Because if we dont
> welcome them then you will see all hell break out. And that is what
> the FCC wants. They want us to act stupid and start radio wars. That
> will give them a excuse to END HAM RADIO.

I have no intention of arguing with anyone on the air; Riley warned me about it. My posting was in defense of a grading system that should have been left alone since it's worked very well for decades. However are you serious when writing that the FCC HOPES deregulation starts a war whereby they can end ham radio? I disagree. Why would there by a concerted effort to destroy the money making capabilities of electronics manufacturers and retailers? No, restructuring has other motives which are deep, dark and secret but obviously helpful to the League and the Commission. Who knows, maybe it will work out okay however I'm skeptical. Spectrum allotment is like an elevator. Ever on a crowded one? A bit uncomfortable but what happens when it stops and another ten get on and then another ten etc? Irritation, shoving, bumping and short fuses. Oh boy, we're in for some ride beginning next week.

662. Re: What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Time--2--Go@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4818-38EF9D40-50@storefull-135.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114795

In the previous post, AF2Y stated;

>WAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!
>WAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!
>WAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!
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>WAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!
>WAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!

Here Doc, have a Kleenex...

Isaac

663. Re: Combining two 120v leads two make 220?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <xlNH4.33828$W5.333519@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114796

What do you mean autotrans?
--
EDDY

_____
Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:8cm3bm$u5t$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> In article <kteH4.28827$W5.300263@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
> EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >"To boost the 118V up 30V you need a transformer that outputs 30VAC"
> >I'm not sure where you got this info, but this isn't right.
> >You are telling him "outputs 30VAC" that will give you 30V AC out.
>
> I was thinking of a autotransformer configuration.
> >

664. Re: Qrming the typical QSO is a service.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8co7pb$i8o$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114797

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>>Look, Burt's talking to himself.

>...and your proof is?

Look, Tom's talking to himself.

665. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8co7o6jpd1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114798

Dwight, the decision was squarely up to Clinton and he let me and you down. At times STRICT international law must be ignored especially in the case of COMPASSION. The father was rehearsed by Castro. The father is a pawn of Castro's. If anyone is using the kid politcally it's Castro. If he goes back just wait and see the staged Red rallies in Havana celebrating how the bearded bastard outfoxed "Imperialismo Yanqui." THAT CHILD IS HAPPY AND CONTENTED HERE in FREEDOM and we have been and will always be a haven. Has anyone thought of the following. Suppose Mrs. Gonzalez hadn't died at sea? Do you think both she and Elian would have been shipped back? BOTH were refugees fleeing oppression. One didn't make it-one did. therefore the survivor deserves to grow up in freedom. Period.

In article <38EAD734.BA70C6B6@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork
>> with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to .313
>> and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag
>> KT4TR telling everyone that little
>> Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba
>> with his red herring poppa. Like
>> hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave
>> that kid here! Wanna know why? Here's
>> some reasons. First of all, the kid's
>> mother DIED bringing the child to
>> freedom?
>
>
> Look, neither you or I know why she decided to head for America. It
> was certainly not because she was poor - she lived a middle-class
> lifestyle in Cuba. And it was certainly not because of political
> freedom - her husband was a member of the government (which didn't stop
> her from marrying him).
>
> I tend to think it was an effort to get at her husband. She wanted to
> do the one thing that would hurt him the most - take his child and leave
> the country. But, who knows what the real story is?
>
>
>> Since when doesn't this country recognize
>> the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression?

>
>
> Man, you're still living in the past. The cold war is over. Some of
> the worst governments in history are now our close allies and trading
> partners. It is silly to fuss about oppression in Cuba while we do
> business with China every day.
>
>
>> Next, how about the theologic angle? Consider
>> this: that little boy can now go to
>> church. I assume he's a Roman Catholic
>> as are 99.9% of Cubans and now he can
>> go to Mass without Fidel's sonofabitch
>> red secret police watching who enters
>> and leaves churches.
>
>
> Nonsense. There is not any evidence of any person in Cuba suffering
> any hardship cause by attending church. Again, more cold war rhetoric.
>
>
>> Thirdly, since the Mariel boatlift was
>> encouraged and since we hardly ever
>> send back illegal immigrants from the
>> Caribbean and Mexico, why then does
>> the State Department have such a "thing"
>> for little Elian's return?
>
>
> Because the boy is six year old child. He is too young to make such
> choices for himself (he didn't come to America, his mother made him
> come). The boy was born in Cuba. His friends and classmates are in
> Cuba. His teachers are in Cuba. His father is in Cuba. Everything,
> and everyone, he knows is in Cuba.
>
> I think it is an outrage that some people within this country would
> attempt to keep him away from everything that he knows, and is familar
> with, all in the name of cold war politics. If you don't like Castro,
> take your fight to Castro. Leave this little boy out of your petty cold
> war games.
>
>
>> <snip> By sending that kid back we play right
>> into the hands of the bearded one and we suffer
>> a black eye.
>
>
> By sending the child back, we comply with both US and international
> law (laws that we worked hard to put into place). We have no legal
> right to hold this clild. The relatives in Florida have no legal right

> to hold this child. In fact, were his father to to come to the US, I
> feel certain that he could press kidnapping charges against those
> holding Elian. If our government were to agree with those now holding
> Elian, related charges could be brought in international courts.
>
> And don't give me this liberal versus conservative bullcrap. I'm a
> dedicated conservative that believes that family is important - even
> more important than politics. And I don't fight my battles using a
> young child as a weapon.
>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

666. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8co89j$iq5$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114799

Steve Kruse <skruse@inlink.com> wrote:
>Many years back I was a "cber" I never used the beeps and echos but I did
>communicate on 11 meters with simple ssb radios and I'll tell you that I
>made contacts damn near worldwide. If it was not for the cb hobby back then
>I may have never discovered radio in it's hobby form as it is now.

Once a federal law-breaker, always a federal law-breaker:

Title 47 - Telecommunication Chapter I - Federal Communications Commission
Part 95 - Personal Radio Services Subpart D - Rules for CB Service
Revised as of October 1, 1996 *Citizens Band (CB) Radio Service*

Rule 13 - Illegal Communications

{A} You must NOT use a CB station-
[9] to communicate with, or ATTEMPT to communicate with, any CB
station more than 155.3 miles (250 kilometers) away.
[11] to communicate with stations in other countries, except stations
in Canada (on General Radio Service).

Jeff KH6O

667. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sev8p31vcqv50@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Art,

I'm going to miss you buddy. God Bless you and your family. I can't even
begin to imagine what you are going through.

--
_____
Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons
_____

"Zorro" <Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header> wrote in message
news:1F278982C3B@127.0.0.1...
> In article <8c5kei$6o7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >
> > In article <8c5411leg1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > > > >>>>>> Yet, another example of the Clinton and Hollingsworth
> > > Whitehouse!<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<
> >
> > That's as irresponsible a statement as the broadcasters at WWCR.
>
> Well, it can't hurt anyone, considering the source.
> But it's pretty stupid.
> --
> And in the naked light I saw
> Ten thousand people, maybe more,
> People talking without speaking
> People hearing without listening
> People writing songs that voices never share
> And no-one dare,
> Disturb the sounds of silence
>
>
>

668. Re: What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8coam1$c6q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114801

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8cnthv$89f$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
<snip>
>By that I mean SCRUTINIZE the situation instead of
> being cavalier and then throw out everyone like Fitch who has a
religious
> agenda and everyone who is known to be an FZ lover

Frank Zappa? LOL!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

669. KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <pa9ves4re4fbof5fontl8icdslnso2kuic@4ax.com>
Source record: 114802

Well it's 2120 hrs UTC and guess who's jamming 14.313? Why it's little fag boy KB1EVE ex KC1ZQ. Little David came in on top of an existing QSO and just took over. This may be his swan song on Ham Radio when Riley gets the tape.

670. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <k4ow@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <8co86h$gd8$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Bye Art.....now begone.

J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
>Art,
>
>I'm going to miss you buddy. God Bless you and your family. I can't even
>begin to imagine what you are going through.
>
>--
>_____
>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>
>NRA Life Member
>"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
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>> Disturb the sounds of silence

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>

671. Hey Dan NTI Learn to cut and paste

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <ci9veskmmi52c03gaghv8aucdid99nb97p@4ax.com>
Source record: 114804

Dan,
Why in the hell do you quote the whole damn text of a message? You
are wasting bandspace you moron.

672. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8co8h0$j5i$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
>The REAL fun is when the incompetent ARE the irrelevant, whining about
>the loss of 20 WPM (as if they will never be able to do it again --
>which, for some, might be true).

Seems like the only "whining" on here is coming from your keyboard, OM.

Consider who began the debate in the first place.

673. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8co91k$vr9$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114806

Meanwhile the kid is now used to Sesame Street, pizza, his free family, his dog, free playmates, toys, games, a clean home, wholesome food, a car instead of a horse drawn cart, good medical and dental care and no home indoctrination. When he goes to school he'll bypass Leninist crap education and the evils of free enterprise. No commie manifesto to learn. And you and Bill Clinton who cared nothing about following ethics, decency in office and rules of conduct want to take it all away from this child. Protocol my ass-make sure Elian's mother didn't die in vain. Grant the boy the same status as if his mother were alive. NOW.

In article <38EAD9C1.EC8F6D1C@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

> And, even more important than that, we would be doing what is right.
> We would be returning the boy to everything that he knows (the friends,
> classmates, family, neighbors, teachers, schools, books, television, and
> everything else that he grew up with). In other words, we are returning
> him to his hom

674. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8co93m$jo7$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>As posted on the NCI website over the past month, according
>to the Bylaws, it was prescribed to hold an election for
>NCI's Board of Directors no later than April 15, 2000 for
>a two (2)year term commencing May 1, 2000.

Oh, I think I'll run for president. =:o

>As specified in the "How to Nominate a Candidate" page, cutoff
>dates of April 1, 2000 (for postmarking of nomination forms) and
>April 7, 2000 (for receipt of nominations in order for a candidate
>to be placed on the ballot) were established,
>
>This Notice published April 8, 2000.

Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.

Jeff KH6O

675. Re: How did they catch this outlaw??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8co8lsjar1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114808
Cross-posted to: alt.law-enforcement,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Gil Jones <jonesgil@usa.net> wrote:
>Bill wrote:

>>It would be stable, even then. It is crystal controlled, and crystals
>>may change slightly with age, but very little.

>Granted - they change to a greater degree to temperature and shock.

Shock? Only if that cracks the quartz slab. Then you've got an
inactive xtal.

676. Re: Background of K4QIJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cob0k$ch3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114809

In article <8co8k2$a2a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> It looks like Capt Truth has been nailed.

That person has been asked questions from the Commission. No ruling
either way has been tendered, stupid.

> I have heard that he has a extensive background that will be brought
> forth into the light of day like others who have been caught in a web
> of deceit..

Akin to a certain Memphis ham who ran excessive power talking to a
lackey across Memphis, or this same ham who thought he was a bird,
chirping "herbie baby's still queer" or something like that, or the
same ham who went unidentified for years until a group of hams forced
him to come across with his callsign or else.

> KT4TR is on the case and from what I have heard, He has hit the mother
> load;

Oh, did TR find the keys to an ABC liquor store truck?

> Captain Truth tried to cause Bob, KT4TR Trouble with the Florida
Citrus
> Commission. Now it is his turn to be accountable. My Oh My thing are
> hot for K4QIJ, AKA "Capt Truth"
>
> W4FQF QRMER Since 1952
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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The verdict's still out, washerwoman Polly parrot.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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677. Re: Hey Dan NTI Learn to cut and paste

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cob3b$cj3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114810

In article <ci9veskmmi52c03gaghv8aucdid99nb97p@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> Dan,
> Why in the hell do you quote the whole damn text of a message? You
> are wasting bandspace you moron.
>

And what is posting a message that should've been e-mailed, imbecile.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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678. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8co9ni$a7e$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114811

I'll lay 10-1 that Riley DELETES Polly's complaint. "Dumbo" is an
irresponsible liar, instigator and troublemaker.

In article <8clqdjptb1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

>> The truth is, Paul WB8FIH Qrmed me and I reported him, If you do the
>> same you will be reported. simple as that . As far as my religion is
>> concerned it is none of your business, My God, do you want to tell
>> people what religion to follow also.
>> It seems that you would like to be a dictator, you little tin horn
> fake.
>>
>> W4FQF Since 1952

679. Re: Set up Net freq for new extras/generals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cobc7$d3l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8cmh54$16e$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> Just another week before I can get my "Extra Lite" :-)
>
> Should we set up a net frequency for us newly minted extras and
generals
> to try out our new spectrum on? 14.318MHz?
>
> Or would this split us off from the old hands, who can guide us in
learning
> our HF operating skills?
>
<sarcasm on>
14.313 would be more appropriate.
<sarcasm off>
LOL!
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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680. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EFAF4F.1EEF9040@icss.net>
Source record: 114813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> >This Notice published April 8, 2000.
>
> Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.
>
> Jeff KH6O

Jeff, its not interesting at all. It's only interesting that you, a non-member, would have to whine about it. Members received the notices prior to the cut off dates.

681. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <C8AD0E3BAF9B02C4.B7A2A1B085FF1727.2E6C1A3D4861E923@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

DITTO...I got all posts related to the election...

Kim W5TIT

"Brian" <burke1@icss.net> wrote in message
news:38EFAF4F.1EEF9040@icss.net...
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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> > Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.
> >
> > Jeff KH6O
>
> Jeff, its not interesting at all. It's only interesting that you, a
> non-member, would have to whine about it. Members received the notices
> prior to the cut off dates.
>

682. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <elIHATESPAMdowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <rAOH4.27617$k7.4457375@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 114815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I think the code breaking was great, but it still doesn't belong in this NG.
TAKE IT ELSEWHERE!

Michael J. White <mwhite@mitre.org> wrote in message
news:38EDD3EE.8F98DB2B@mitre.org...
> > Yes certainly Millions died, but it was not thanks to the infamous
Enigma machine. That's my only point!
>
> What in the world are you talking about? The greatest achievement of the
> Enigma code-breakers was intercepting the communications between German
> submarines in the Atlantic and their commanders in Europe. That
> knowledge made it possible to keep the sea lanes open, arm and supply
> England, and later stage the D-Day invasion. Without Ultra (the Enigma
> intercepts), those sea lanes would have failed, and England would have
> likely fallen, or at least could not have been used as a staging base
> for the invasion. There would have been no second front, the entire
> German army would have been available to counter the Russian advance in
> the East, and Europe would have been in Nazi hands indefinitely. Ultra
> made it just possible for England to hang on long enough for America to
> enter the war and turn the tide. Ultra was a cornerstone of the Allied
> victory; there were many other essential elements as well, but without
> Ultra the Allies would have failed.
>
> Mike White

683. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8codtnfif1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114816

Have you noticed the amateurs receiving letters are
exclusively "Goodfellows" , Must be a reason, I know, they are qrmers
and deserve the letters.

W4FQF since 1952

In article <8co9ni$a7e$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I'll lay 10-1 that Riley DELETES Polly's complaint. "Dumbo" is an
> irresponsible liar, instigator and troublemaker.
>
> ----------
> In article <8clqdjptb1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-
deja.com>
> wrote:
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> >> The truth is, Paul WB8FIH Qrmed me and I reported him, If you do
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> >> same you will be reported. simple as that . As far as my religion
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> >> concerned it is none of your business, My God, do you want to tell
> >> people what religion to follow also.
> >> It seems that you would like to be a dictator, you little tin horn
> > > fake.
> >>
> >> W4FQF Since 1952
>

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684. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cof48gqa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114817

In article <8codtnfif1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> Have you noticed the amateurs receiving letters are
> exclusively "Goodfellows" , Must be a reason, I know, they are qrmers
> and deserve the letters.
>
> W4FQF since 1952

What about the letters KT4TR received for broadcasting credit and
police reports and YOU received some most likely, Polly.
And we KNOW you whined not to put your name out.

> In article <8co9ni$a7e$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > I'll lay 10-1 that Riley DELETES Polly's complaint. "Dumbo" is an
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685. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cof8n$h3b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114818

<w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8co898$9od$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Dan:
><Lying BS snipped>
>Cheer up it could be worse.
> W4FQF QMER Since 1952

Yeah, Dan, it could be worse..you could be W4FQF, and that would really
SUCK.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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686. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8cocni$3gq@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 114819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian (burke1@icss.net) wrote:
: Jeffrey Herman wrote:
: > >This Notice published April 8, 2000.
: >
: > Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.

: Jeff, its not interesting at all. It's only interesting that you, a
: non-member, would have to whine about it. Members received the notices
: prior to the cut off dates.

Isn't that against some rule.... that nonmembers aren't notified of these
things before they happen? ;-))
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

687. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sevev8r8cqv81@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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"W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:38EF4C7D.4FDB328E@oio.net...
>
>
> Carl,
> Which cheek should my tongue be in??
> 'Doc

I honestly don't know what you mean by that ...

73,

- --
Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse
<mailto:wa6vse@fast/net>
<http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse>
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688. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sevfhp6acqv105@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8co93m$jo7$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> >As posted on the NCI website over the past month, according
> >to the Bylaws, it was prescribed to hold an election for
> >NCI's Board of Directors no later than April 15, 2000 for
> >a two (2)year term commencing May 1, 2000.
>
>
> Oh, I think I'll run for president. =:o
>
>
> >As specified in the "How to Nominate a Candidate" page, cutoff
> >dates of April 1, 2000 (for postmarking of nomination forms) and
> >April 7, 2000 (for receipt of nominations in order for a candidate
> >to be placed on the ballot) were established,
> >
> >This Notice published April 8, 2000.
>
>
> Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.
>
> Jeff KH6O

Jeff ... think clearly FOR A CHANGE ... the impending election was
posted to the website and an e-mail bulleting mailed to the membership
in early March.

There were CLEAR and UNAMBIGUOUS instructions, along with a
nomination form posted on the web site.

There were NO nominations other than those of the incumbents.

As far as the Notice mailed today, it CLEARLY could NOT have
been posted *prior* to the cutoff date for receipt of nominations,
because, UNTIL the cutoff date, there was the possibility that one
or more additional nominations could be received, which would have
necessitated an election. (Thus, the outcome could not have been
announced ... do you "get it" now???)

Since no additional candiates were nominated, as today's Notice
indicates the incumbent members of the Board are, according to the
Bylaws (which have been published on the website for quite some
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time), automatically elected to another two (2) year term of office.

Now, PLEASE explain to me why you find it interesting that the
Notice of the OUTCOME was posted "*after*" the cutoff dates
for nominations? Surely you'd have raised holly hell if an outcome
had been posted BEFORE the deadline for additional nominations ...

Everything was "in the open" and "by the Bylaws."

no 73 for flamers like you,

- --
Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse
<mailto:wa6vse@fast/net>
<http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse>
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689. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sevfqfducqv140@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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"Brian" <burke1@icss.net> wrote in message
news:38EFAF4F.1EEF9040@icss.net...
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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> Jeff, its not interesting at all. It's only interesting that you, a
> non-member, would have to whine about it. Members received the notices
> prior to the cut off dates.
>

To clarify Brian's comment above ... members received notices OF THE
IMPENDING ELECTION and HOW TO NOMINATE A CANDIATE,
well in advance ot the two cutoff dates [for nominations to be 1) postmarked
and 2) received.]

Today's announcement was simply a notice OF THE OUTCOME, which
was that no nominations other than those of the incument Directors were
made,
and thus, according to the Bylaws (also posted on the NCI website), the
unpposed incumbents are elected to another two (2) year term of office.

- --
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690. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shiva Nataraja <nowhere@spamfree.net>
Message-ID: <tlgvess6v4cj6gsf8nt79ti0sqi4cmj8td@4ax.com>
Source record: 114823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:

>On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
>: Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
>: (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
>: 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
>: Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
>: of what type of technology is used.
>
>It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
>reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
>should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
>enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.

What a wonderful April Fool's Troll!

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

691. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38EFD8DE.616276DA@icss.net>
Source record: 114824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal wrote:

> Brian (burke1@icss.net) wrote:
> : Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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> : >
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>
> Isn't that against some rule.... that nonmembers aren't notified of these
> things before they happen? ;-))
> --
> Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

I think he's disappointed that he didn't get nominated.

692. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William F. Hagen" <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <38EFF96E.F431C1E@inreach.com>
Source record: 114825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I wonder if there is anyone who actually thinks this kind of stuff is
funny.

John Jones wrote:
>
> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down repeater ID's.
>
> Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:
>
> >The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
> >hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
> >kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
> >but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
> >lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
> >might only know CW to 2 WPM. Repeaters with voice ID's
> >must be programed to talk slower to accomodate restructured
> >hams who are still learning the alphabet. Elmers who want
> >to help new hams with their CW repeater ID skills, should
> >focus on the letters found in phrases like "Welfare check" or
> >"Food Stamps" as restructured hams are more familier
> >with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
> >identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
> >they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
> >
> >QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

693. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kwasymodo <k35454@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <DpXH4.6308$H7.571200@brie.direct.ca>
Source record: 114826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

If it is any comfort to you, we have election problems in this country too,
where grade-school-dropouts with impaired mentalities are elected because
they subscribe to some obscure magazine. w
Steve Robeson <k4yz@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000408230311.22776.00000064@ng-ct1.aol.com...
> >Subject: Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update
> >From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org (James Rosenthal)
> >Date: 04/08/2000 5:44 PM Central Daylight Time
>
> >Isn't that against some rule.... that nonmembers aren't notified of these
> things before they happen? ;-))<
>
> Naaaaah.....rules like that ONLY apply when someone is grousing about
the
> ARRL.
>
> No smiley face.
>
> Steve, K4YZ

694. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004092110570.416-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 114634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Although that may be a nice idea, there was no mandate of such in the R&O. I'm keeping my box's ID at 20wpm so as to minimize the time it may QRM the voice signal (even though the ID's audio level is less than the voice's audio level, some feel it's a sufficient distraction...).

On Sat, 8 Apr 2000, John Jones wrote:
> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down repeater ID's.
>
> Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:
> >The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
> >hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
> >kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
> >but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
> >lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
> >might only know CW to 2 WPM. Repeaters with voice ID's
> >must be programed to talk slower to accomodate restructured
> >hams who are still learning the alphabet. Elmers who want
> >to help new hams with their CW repeater ID skills, should
> >focus on the letters found in phrases like "Welfare check" or
> >"Food Stamps" as restructured hams are more familier
> >with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
> >identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
> >they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
> >
> >QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

695. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004092115150.416-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 114635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 8 Apr 2000, David VanHorn wrote:
> All rig control microprocessors must be banned. There's nothing that
> you can't do with the right crystals anyway.

Why not ban all semiconductors? Repeater controllers must be TUBE controlled.

[I do not agree with the above statement. I make it only to show how absurd
the idea that was presented was.]

696. Re: help w/pic of kenwood 741 please

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Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004092117160.416-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 114636

Go to the Kenwood web site and see if they have one hanging around....

On Sat, 8 Apr 2000, X wrote:

> does anyone have a pic of a kenwood 741 they can send me?
> thanks,
> N0JAM
>
>

697. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F0BC93.16B6E462@oio.net>
Source record: 114637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Hey Burt!
I'm one of those 'oxymorons', so where do I find
all that 'ham sex'? Wait-a-minute...this ain't got
nothing to do with pigs, does it?
'Doc

698. Re: Inbred John makes an ASS of of himself, AGAIN!!! (or AS USUAL!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38f1f522.590413@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114638

On Sun, 09 Apr 2000 20:38:07 GMT, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

>Try harder, inbred. Riley didn't "get" me, I reported some harassment,
>giving the history of this conflict etc., to Riley and that's all.
>Obviously, this is not an official warning letter, since the
>words "Warning letter" do not appear on the letter. Of course, since
>your reading comprehension skills are substandard, you made quite a
>leap in logic, akin to the lynch mob mentality.
>Riley's been made aware of my intentions, too bad, fool!
>Here's the letter N8WGM and I _both_ received, content has not been
>altered:

He still got you, moron. But you being dumb as hell won't learn and
one day you're gonna slip. Then it's bye bye ham ticket. Loser.

699. Need TS-850 repair web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce <bwilke@netins.net>
Message-ID: <8cqsjc$k8n$2@ins21.netins.net>
Source record: 114639

About 2 or 3 weeks ago, I ran across a web page that had
maintenance and repair info on the Kenwood TS-850. This was NOT
for mods, but for repairs for problems common to the 850. I didn't
save it and now can't find it. Anyone out there know what the
URL might be for this site?

Thanks and 73,
Bruce

700. Re: So Much for the Great Detectives

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F0BD65.6315B669@oio.net>
Source record: 114640
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David,
If it were a really ->good<- recording, 'they'
should have still been able to get a DF on him. Musta
been a cheap 'Rat-Shacker'....
'Doc

701. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dm <dmandjos@olypen.com>
Message-ID: <DK6I4.31270$9g4.739535@news5.giganews.com>
Source record: 114641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Excuse me....doesn't this whole "thread" belong on one of the Same Old "Stuff" Newsgroups ?? N 7 D M

702. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F0C0BB.A548DA95@oio.net>
Source record: 114642

Hey Doc,
Don't know about KT4TR (and don't care), but I think
ol'Walt had a heart-to-heart with 'RH'.
As for 'poor' Elian, he's with his surviving parent.
Whats so wrong with that? In the same situation, you
wouldn't want your son?? (Check custody of a minor under
common-law.) While your in the law library, also look
up 'kidnapping', might even take a look at international
law/treaties/conventions while your at it. I really hate
to say anything good about ol'Slick, but even he can't
be wrong all the time.
Had a 'Moon-Pie' and an 'RC' lately??
LtDoc

703. Hola Tengo el siguiente material para vender o cambiar:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Gallardo Sanchez <eb4enn@wanadoo.es>
Message-ID: <0Q6I4.222$5h3.12194@m2newsread.uni2.es>
Source record: 114643

Hola Tengo el siguiente material para vender o cambiar:

1 Unidad Zip Externa (Puerto paralelo)
15.000 Pts

1 Unidad Zip Externa (Scsi)
20.000 Pts

1 Cpu Tandom 386sx20 Mhz Completo
10.000 Pts

1 Ordenador 286 XT, 1 Mb de Memoria, Disco duro 120 Mb
8.000 Pts

1 Procesador Amd 486 Dx4-133 Mhz + Ventilador de Cpu
5.000 Pts

1 Modulo Sim 4 Mb 72c de memoria
4.000 Pts

1 Unidad de Backup (Cintas Quick 80)
5.000 Pts

1 Monitor Color VGA 14"
10.000 Pts

2 Monitores CGA
4.000 Pts

1 Cd-Rom 16x IDE
6.000 Pts

1 Impresora Hp deskjet 520
10.000 Pts

1 Impresora Hp Deskjet 420c a estrenar (Color)
20.000 Pts

2 Teclados
1.000 Pts

2 Ratones Microsoft DB9
2.000 Pts

1 Raton Genius DB9
1.000 Pts

1 Disco duro Samsung 4.3 Gb
15.000 Pts

1 Disco duro Quantum 3,2 Gb
13.000 Pts

2 Disco duro Segate 1,6 Gb
10.000 Pts

1 Controladora Pci SCSI Ncr
6.500 Pts

1 Aceleradora Promise ISA para HDD y FDD 0.3Ms de Acceso
5.000 Pts

47 Modulos de Memoria Sim 30 Contactos de 1 Mb
100 Pts

Telefono Oki (Moviestar)
6.000 Pts

Funda Telefono Oki
1.000 Pts

Cargador de mechero para Nokia 2110
2.500 Pts

Cargador de sobremesa para Motorola 7500
4.000 Pts

Modulo Sintonizador radio Sherwood (Cadena Modular)
10.000 Pts

Modulo Amplificador Sherwood (Cadena Modular)
10.000 Pts

Modulo Equalizador Sherwood (Cadena Modular)
10.000 Pts

Modulo Compaq Disk Sherwood (Cadena Modular)
10.000 Pts

Modulo Giradiscos Sherwood (Cadena Modular)
10.000 Pts

Mesa de Mezclas con 8 entradas de Audio
15.000 Pts

Altavoces en caja Grande 3 Vias.
15.000 Pts

Altavoces en caja Mediana 3 Vias.
10.000 Pts

Compaq Disk Portatil
10.000 Pts

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Recibe mis mas cordiales Saludos. 73...... EB4ENN-EC4DKL

Email: eb4enn@wanadoo.es
Web: www.qsl.net/eb4enn
Icq: 70306778

704. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cqtis$j0l$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>>Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:

>>>Members received the notices prior to the cut off dates.

>>Then what was the purpose of publishing that notice to the NGs?

>Strictly as an information update to the general amateur body
>that reads this newsgroup. That's no different than the
>ARRL bulletins that various people post on occasion.

Interesting that the "close of nominations" notice was
posted to the NGs, but nothing prior to that.

705. Re: LOOKING FOR digipan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F0C3BF.B657EF3B@oio.net>
Source record: 114645

Gil,
do a search for " PSK31 ". I gotta bunch of 'hits'
and several were for 'Digipan'.
'Doc

706. Re: Burt the troll

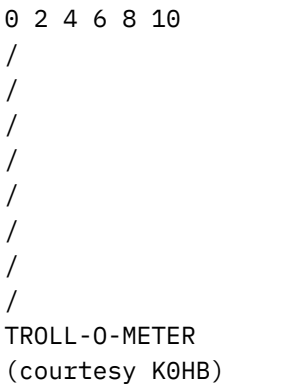
Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cqu1ejkp1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114646

Burt wrote:
>"Brenden McNeil" wrote:

>> Burt is a troll.

>Brenden is a liar,

The moment of truth -- is Burt a troll:



Sorry, Burt -- it looks as if Brenden was telling the truth. The
Troll-o-meter is accurate to +/-0.000001%

Jeff KH6O

707. Re: KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cr0i6$4md$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114647

In article <8cqs8g$c1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8cqpqgtht1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <pa9ves4re4fbof5fontl8icdslnso2kuic@4ax.com>,
> > John <> wrote:
> > > Well it's 2120 hrs UTC and guess who's jamming 14.313? Why it's
> little
> > > fag boy KB1EVE ex KC1ZQ. Little David came in on top of an
existing
> > > QSO and just took over. This may be his swan song on Ham Radio
when
> > > Riley gets the tape.
> > >
> > You keep forgetting, David T. is a Lt. in BARF. He helped write
the
> > manual. This sort of activity has gone on for years. ON BOTH
SIDES.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
> >
> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> > On both sides is correct, Dan thankyou for telling the truth.
>
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>
I tell the truth as I see, and/or know it. If I am wrong then I
apologize. We both know that is how I am, regardless of our personal
problems between us. I, however, can't return the compliment.

Dan/W4NTI

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708. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cqv5h$kq8$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Jeff ... think clearly FOR A CHANGE ...

I wonder if I'll ever live to see the day when Carl is able to post
a reply in a gentlemanly manner...

>the impending election was
>posted to the website and an e-mail bulleting mailed to the membership
>in early March.

Nothing previously posted in the newsgroups about an upcoming election.
Yet the "close of nominations" notice was posted. I find that a bit
suspicious.

>Now, PLEASE explain to me why you find it interesting that the
>Notice of the OUTCOME was posted "*after*" the cutoff dates
>for nominations? Surely you'd have raised holly hell if an outcome
>had been posted BEFORE the deadline for additional nominations ...

A newsgroup announcement of the close of nominations is posted, yet
no earlier newsgroup announcement of an upcoming election. Why post
one without the (more important) other?

>Everything was "in the open" and "by the Bylaws."

Ifyousayso.

709. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000409182509.20586.00000734@ng-fy1.aol.com>
Source record: 114649

dwight is a regular troll on rec.radio.cb
he loves 11 meters

>Subject: Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??
>From: "Cap'n Crunch" kcfamily@tir.com
>Date: 4/7/00 11:45 AM Central Daylight Time
>Message-id: <UcoH4.12297$n8.2076723@news-east.usenetserver.com>
>
>
>Dwight Stewart wrote in message <38ED3F5A.10103642@sccoast.net>...
>
>> No, I did not say anything of the sort. If your read back over my
>>last few messages, you'll find that I said in one of those messages that
>>the problem was discovered by a friend, an older ham that is an AM
>aficionado.
>>
>> To elaborate, while he was over at my house one afternoon, he
>>attempted to contact his wife at home (an excuse to have her talk on an
>>old AM radio he had left hooked up before he left the house - he wanted
>>to see how it sounded). By the way, if I remember correctly, he was on
>>20 meters.
>
>
>Try again Dwight... 10,40,75 & 160 is where the AM'ers are.. NOT 20. Oh...
>and 11!
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Best Wishes And Good DX,
Tim 2-IR-082 Southern USA

Hottest and Most Current 11 Meter DX News:
HTTP://WWW.DXNEWS.DE

International Radio HQ Page:
HTTP://HOME.WXS.NL/~19IR01

IRDX Main Site:
HTTP://WWW.IRDX.ORG

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Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000409182733.20586.00000735@ng-fy1.aol.com>
Source record: 114650

dwight has been a no code tech for 8 or so years now. i doubt if he has any hf antennas for anybody to use although he admitted many times to have a 11 meter vertical.

>
>> Try again Dwight... 10,40,75 & 160 is where the AM'ers are.. NOT 20. Oh...
>> and 11!
>
>
> Damn, you're weird. I don't have time for these petty little games.
>What does it matter what band he was on? That has nothing to do with
>the point. To be honest, I didn't really pay attention to what band he
>was actually using. He could have been on any band. I only mentioned a
>band because you mentioned the 10 meter band, which I know he was not
>using - his radio won't do it.
>
> For that matter, what business is it of yours? You're hinting that
>I've used my radio illegally in the CB band, which I have clearly
>denied. However, if you still think I've done that, or anything else
>against the rules, report me to the FCC.
>
> Until then, stop with the innuendo, and go away.
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711. W4FQF post makes it to Riley's computer screen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cr1l8$5sl$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114651

Memphis moron, who could only hold low-class blue collar jobs,
<w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cqt0n$116$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> KC8JBO "Slopehead" Wiseman made the "RAIN REPORT" again.

cc: to Riley Hollingsworth
Thanks for shooting yourself in the foot, Polly.

> This time for threats on people. Seems the FCC was listening
> when "Slope" made the threat.

Bullshit. You instigated our exchange, then as before when N8IEZ called
you on things you said, you hid at Dayton, cowering under a table, with
your cries of KC8JBO's threatening me" whine. You talk big over the
radio, Polly. Then when confronted, you run and whine and complain.

> Of course "MOMS" star boarder and table top hog is all talk, but the
> FCC frowns on such activities.

Think so, huh? Want to find out, Polly?
I don't think you have the intestinal fortitude.

> Keep it up "Slope". You will be out of amateur radio for good. Of
> course you were never a "PLAYER" anyway, so whats the big deal. He
> would be just another fool gone as the result of his own acts.

I'd watch what I am saying on the air, if I were _you_Polly, this is
fair warning.
<snicker> Tapes will be running........

> W4FQF QRMER since 1952 IDIOT since birth

Obviously, you or the inbred John can't read, have cophrension
problems, or a combination of both. I'd say the latter, Polly the
broken-down washing machine repairman.
Your lack of ability to keep your stupid mouth shut will prove your
intent to instigate our argument, Polly. Like I said, you shot yourself
in the foot. As USUAL.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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713. Re: Inbred John makes an ASS of of himself, AGAIN!!! (or AS USUAL!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cr1v0$66q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114653

Inbred and fornicator of his sister/mother,
<John> whined and backpedals in message
news:38f1f522.590413@news.mindspring.com...
> He still got you, moron. But you being dumb as hell won't learn and

"But , <comma>" ; "dumb as hell, <comma>"
"But you being dumb as hell" ROFLMAO! What a friggin' Shakespeare!
It has to be one of the biggest I Know You Are But What Am I responses
I've ever seen. You see, you're proving to be further DOWN the
evolutionary scale with every reply.

> one day you're gonna slip. Then it's bye bye ham ticket. Loser.

Bwhahahahahahaha! You forgot to jump up and down and squeal with your
tight-fisted little tantrum. You really are a functional illiterate
aren't you?
Well, poster boy for the retarded, how did he "get me?" Why isn't it
mentioned in the letter? Keep spewing your uninformed opinions, you are
making yourself look like a bigger fool with every reply. In fact, your
writing "style" is reminicent of Dimmy O' Brainless.

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714. Re: KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cr2bc$6p7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114654

In article <8cr0i6$4md$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
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> In article <8cqs8g$c1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > In article <8cqpqgtht1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > In article <pa9ves4re4fbof5fontl8icdslnso2kuic@4ax.com>,
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> problems between us. I, however, can't return the compliment.
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> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> Well Dan, I will try to change your mind. The tracing you sent me
left an impact.

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715. Re: Inbred John makes an ASS of of himself, AGAIN!!! (or AS USUAL!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cr2p3$74e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114655

In article <8cr1v0$66q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> Inbred and fornicator of his sister/mother,
> <John> whined and backpedals in message
> news:38f1f522.590413@news.mindspring.com...
> > He still got you, moron. But you being dumb as hell won't learn and
>
> "But , <comma>" ; "dumb as hell, <comma>"
> "But you being dumb as hell" ROFLMAO! What a friggin' Shakespeare!
> It has to be one of the biggest I Know You Are But What Am I responses
> I've ever seen. You see, you're proving to be further DOWN the
> evolutionary scale with every reply.
>
> > one day you're gonna slip. Then it's bye bye ham ticket. Loser.
>
> Bwhahahahahahaha! You forgot to jump up and down and squeal with your
> tight-fisted little tantrum. You really are a functional illiterate
> aren't you?
> Well, poster boy for the retarded, how did he "get me?" Why isn't it
> mentioned in the letter? Keep spewing your uninformed opinions, you
are
> making yourself look like a bigger fool with every reply. In fact,
your
> writing "style" is reminicent of Dimmy O' Brainless.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> KC8JBO, he mentioned your call sign on the Raine Report. You need a
lawer and SUE for damages. It must have caused you mental anguish to
here your call sign referanced to jammer. God knows you would never jam

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716. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tennish@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cr3kl$816$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114656

In article <20000405022145.14354.00002235@ng-md1.aol.com>,
rfemitter@aol.com (Rfemitter) wrote:

> "Lawyers Suck" the life out of every society they prey upon.
> They entangle themselves in government for the power it gives
> them and they then pass laws that will benefit their guild
> brothers and sisters. Esquires are of title and as per the
> original 13th amendment, should never be allowed in government.

The usual crap 'bout the "Titles of Nobility Amendment" which was not
ratified. For a comprehensive look at the bizarre myths some hate groups
have created about this "amendment": <www.nyx.net/~jsilvers/
nobility.html>.

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717. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2ao5ttcqv107@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114657
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"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8cqtis$j0l$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Bill Sohl <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote:
> >jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> >>Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>
> >>>Members received the notices prior to the cut off dates.
>
> >>Then what was the purpose of publishing that notice to the NGs?
>
> >Strictly as an information update to the general amateur body
> >that reads this newsgroup. That's no different than the
> >ARRL bulletins that various people post on occasion.
>
> Interesting that the "close of nominations" notice was
> posted to the NGs, but nothing prior to that.

Jeff ...

For the last time ... what was posted was a notice of the OUTCOME.
It simply included some of the details of the process for the information
of non-members like you who were bound to bitch about something
about it no matter what, despite the fact that, as a non-member, it's really
none of your business.

- --
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718. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2b2vlfcqv45@corp.supernews.com>
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"Dave Heil" <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in message
news:38EFFD8C.8DC572EB@cats-net.com...
>
> You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
> results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
> "doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
>
> All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN

Gee, Dave ... I hate to be the one to tell you this, but the
member bulletin announcement brought MANY "Keep up
the good work!" and "Thanks for all of your work on our
behalf ... you're doing a great job." sort of messages from
the members who received the bulletin.

But you couldn't conceive of conceeding that perhaps the
reason there were no other nominations was based on the
fact that the membership is very satisfied with the performance
of the Board of Directors team that's been in place for the
past couple of years.

I can live with that ... I don't need YOUR approval. The
approval of the membership I represent is all I need.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2bclmacqv17@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114659
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"Brian" <burke1@icss.net> wrote in message
news:38F072DA.DF68D74B@icss.net...
> Dave Heil wrote:
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> > All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
> >
> > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>
> Dave, you'll have your chance to run in two years

Naw ... Dave doesn't meet the requirements for membership ... he believes
in Morse testing as a requirement to get a ham license.

[snip]

> Most of the work of NCI is complete.

Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
people taking tests to get licenses (as reported in The ARRL
Letter of April 7 and other places). That probably really frosts
Dave ... he'll actually have to share "his" HF bands with new
folks.

> The remainder of the work must await the elimination of the ITU
> code requirement, and most of the rest of the nations will fall in step
with
> the US.

There's a lot of work to go to get to that stage ... we're on it.

> Given the good successes of the present crew, why would we want a
> change?

Thanks, Brian ...

73,

- --
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720. NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2bqjd0cqv57@corp.supernews.com>
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2bs1khcqv24@corp.supernews.com>
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2c2915cqv50@corp.supernews.com>
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723. NCI Announces Move to Form National Chapters - The Netherlands Leads the Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2c2uijcqv13@corp.supernews.com>
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- - The Netherlands Leads the Way

In a move to enhance the organization's effectiveness in
lobbying radio regulatory agencies around the world, NCI's
Board of Directors plans to establish "National Chapters"
of NCI in all of the countries where we have members,
according to the provisions of the Bylaws as amended
April 8, 2000.

Peter Halpin, PE1MHO, has been appointed by the Board of
Directors as "National Chairman" for The Netherlands.
Peter was the first member to join NCI from The Netherlands
and has been quite active in corresponding with the Board
in recent times.

The Board of Directors is actively seeking suitable volunteers
from every country where NCI has members. Interested candidates
should contact NCI's Executive Director Carl R. Stevenson, WA6VSE
at wa6vse@fast.net.

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724. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8crbmu$us4$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114664

Well Gertie Hinges it's like this. I went into private practice on May 29,1967 and in that same location for 22 years, I was successful enough to finally sell my practice, my building and everything associated on 5/13/89 to two enterprising young dentists from NYC who had just passed the NJ Exams. I was 50 years old when I decided to take an offer I couldn't refuse. Now you tell me what you did for a living providing of course you haven't subsisted on welfare.

In article <qf2I4.673$I06.12192@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>, "Gerd Henjes" <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com> wrote:

> Hey Walter, uh I mean Doc, is it better to be tossed out of the house and
> operate mobile, or fade into alcoholic oblivion, less than, equal to, or
> better than having your ticket yanked by the FCC? Tell us again why you no
> longer practice dentistry?
> Gerd, W2ISB

725. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8crbrubbo1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114665

Are you Paul from Oklahoma who years ago sent me that Moon Pie? Damn, it was
good and we still can't buy them in Jersey.
Doc

In article <38F0C0BB.A548DA95@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> Hey Doc,
> Don't know about KT4TR (and don't care), but I think
> ol'Walt had a heart-to-heart with 'RH'.
> As for 'poor' Elian, he's with his surviving parent.
> Whats so wrong with that? In the same situation, you
> wouldn't want your son?? (Check custody of a minor under
> common-law.) While your in the law library, also look
> up 'kidnapping', might even take a look at international
> law/treaties/conventions while your at it. I really hate
> to say anything good about ol'Slick, but even he can't
> be wrong all the time.
> Had a 'Moon-Pie' and an 'RC' lately??
> LtDoc

726. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38F137BC.4FD6CFA4@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114666

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Meanwhile the kid is now used to Sesame Street, pizza, his free family, his
> dog, free playmates, toys, games, a clean home, wholesome food, a car
> instead of a horse drawn cart, good medical and dental care and no home
> indoctrination. When he goes to school he'll bypass Leninist crap education
> and the evils of free enterprise. No commie manifesto to learn. And you and
> Bill Clinton who cared nothing about following ethics, decency in office and
> rules of conduct want to take it all away from this child. Protocol my
> ass-make sure Elian's mother didn't die in vain. Grant the boy the same
> status as if his mother were alive. NOW.

Still twisting the truth. In Cuba, he would have a "clean home,
wholesome food, a car instead of a horse drawn cart, and good medical
and dental care." He could also have a dog, pizza, and toys.

Every child, even in America, receives some "home indoctrination" from
the parents to install their values and beliefs (obviously you were
indoctrinated by your parents to hate castro).

And I have no idea where you got the Leninist stuff from (as far as I
know, Castro is no Leninist).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

727. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38F13A74.17E21DF4@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114667

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Dwight, the decision was squarely up to Clinton and he let me and you down.
> At times STRICT international law must be ignored especially in the case of
> COMPASSION. The father was rehearsed by Castro. The father is a pawn of
> Castro's. If anyone is using the kid politcally it's Castro. If he goes back
> just wait and see the staged Red rallies in Havana celebrating how the
> bearded bastard outfoxed "Imperialismo Yanqui." THAT CHILD IS HAPPY AND
> CONTENTED HERE in FREEDOM and we have been and will always be a haven. Has
> anyone thought of the following. Suppose Mrs. Gonzalez hadn't died at sea?
> Do you think both she and Elian would have been shipped back? BOTH were
> refugees fleeing oppression. One didn't make it-one did. therefore the
> survivor deserves to grow up in freedom. Period.

In other words, you want to ignore international law whenever you feel like it. The international laws were created to protect the world from hate-filled fanatics, and I, for one, am very glad they are there.

As for his father, show me some evidence of his being "rehearsed by Castro." It is easy to make accusations - I want to see proof.

And, as for the child being happy and contented here, you don't know that. You don't know anything more about that child than I do.

Look, all this is nonsense. You are obviously not about to change your mind in this matter (your hate won't let you). And this has absolutely nothing to do with Amateur radio. So, I'll leave you to your misery. Take care.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

728. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38F13C97.3467EB8@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114668

2-IR-082 Tim wrote:
>
> dwight has been a no code tech for 8 or so years now. i doubt if he has any hf
> antennas for anybody to use although he admitted many times to have a 11 meter
> vertical.

Tim, considering that I have already mentioned, in this very thread, that I routinely talk to friends using a CB radio, I doubt it would really surprise anyone reading this thread to learn that I have an antenna to use with that radio.

And, as for my license class, I'm sure everyone in this newsgroup, who wants to know, already knows that. You seem to think being a technician class ham radio operator is something to be ashamed of. Let me tell you a little secret - its not.

Take care, Tim.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

729. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.135b06f5433c6a559898d3@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114669
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> The full text of the Bylaws, as amended may be viewed in either HTML
> or Adobe .pdf format on the NCI website at http://www.nocode.org.

now being a "non member", not that there seems to be any membership other
the board..let me be the first to state

I TOLD YOU ALL SO.

The board of directors has just voted itself a free hand into the pockets
of all so called No COde members. The board can submit expenses and them
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Hmmm seems to me the 3 BoD members staying at the Crown Plaza during
Dayton @ $130 per night..well, I guess this goes without saying this is
probably a proper expense..at the sheeps, err members expense

Less see 3 members time 3 days times $130 that's $1170, plus travel plus food and entertainment...pretty cushy and the membership has absolutely no say. I TOLD YOU ALL SO..

I truly have seen it all when a so called national or international organization allows itself and not the membership at large complete and total entree into a bank account.

Looks like the No Code sheep are now truly gonna be fleeced.

Just remember absolute power corrupts absolutely

LET THE SPINNING BEGIN

BTW, are these expenses tax deductible??

730. AMERITRON ALS-600???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <badbob@shreve.net>
Message-ID: <38f13e03_2@news.shreve.net>
Source record: 114670

I am interested in the ALS-600 and wondered why others are seemingly selling them soon after purchase??? Any comments in the reliability of the transistors etc. Thanks Bob

731. Re: Found it! TS-850 repair web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce <bwilke@netins.net>
Message-ID: <8crfavuok1@ins21.netins.net>
Source record: 114671

Thanks to N9PQU, I have the TS-850 repair site I was seeking. It is:
http://jzap.com/n6tr/850repair.html

Bruce

732. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F141DC.6CA5@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114672

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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> T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> >As I've said before, you care more about the letter of the law, than the
> >people that the law was meant for.
>
> He admitted/boasted to breaking the law. You pat him on the head; after
> you're done rewarding him, I'll throw Part 95 of Title 47 at him and
> hope he reads it.
>
> It's my belief that anyone who willfully breaks the regulations pertaining
> to Part 95, will not hesitate to break the regs pertaining to Part 97.
What are the Statute of Limitation on this stuff, something tells me
time passage cures legal remedies? Any ideas on the time limit?

733. Re: What Hap is Failing to Cover ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1144-38F13F74-91@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114673

In the subject post, I wrote: "If the ends be just, then any means must be all right too." I went on to attribute this guiding principle to Hap Holly.

I retract that attribution and apologize to Hap. While I've watched Hap's rise as a ham radio journalist with admiration, I have never understood precisely how Hap sees himself.

Tonight I heard from Hap and know the answer. He is dealing in soft features. Unlike me, Hap does not want to be caught up in the controversy I find intrinsic in issues.

Read Hap with pride, as he puts everything into his work. I am genuinely sorry, Hap, for having sullied your work.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

734. Re: AMERITRON ALS-600???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F112E8.4E1980F2@oio.net>
Source record: 114674

Bob,
Beats me! The AL-600 is a very nice little amplifier,
after you move the power supply once or twice, it's not
so little. It's rated at 600 watts, but a solid 500 watts
is more honest. Fairly 'picky' about SWR, but a 'no muss
no fuss' amplifier.
'Doc

735. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2is685cqv31@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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"Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ)" <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
news:MPG.135b06f5433c6a559898d3@news.interactive.net...

> now being a "non member", not that there seems to be any membership other
> the board..let me be the first to state
>
> I TOLD YOU ALL SO.
>
> The board of directors has just voted itself a free hand into the pockets
> of all so called No COde members. The board can submit expenses and them
> the board decides that the expenses be paid..as long as it's proper.
> What a potential scam ;-)

What an absurd insinuation.

Anyone, even non-members are free to read the damed Bylaws ...
any expense in excess of $50.00 must be pre-approved. All
expense reimbursements must be accompanied by receipts and
any other appropriate documentation, and must be for a legitimate
purpose in the conduct of the Director's duties.

ARRL Directors are likewise reimbursed for expenses. I've never
seen you bitch about that and you're an ARRL member. Do they
ask you if it's OK??? I didn't think so.

NO organization could operate efficiently if the Board had to poll
the membership for things like "Can we spend $85.00 to do a mailing
to <fill in some folks to mail to>? "

As a non-member you have NO business even commenting on this.
If you want to bitch about some Directors getting reimbursed for
legitimate out-of-pocket expenses (say gas money to attend a meeting),
bitch about your ARRL Directors ...

> Hmmm seems to me the 3 BoD members staying at the Crown Plaza during
> Dayton @ $130 per night..well, I guess this goes without saying this is
> probably a proper expense..at the sheeps, err members expense

I'm not going to Dayton ... Fred is the only Director I know of who's
probably going to Dayton ... and he'll be footing his own bill on the
tab of his business ... a legitimate business expense, I'm sure.

> Less see 3 members time 3 days times $130 that's $1170, plus travel plus
> food and entertainment...pretty cushy and the membership has absolutely
> no say. I TOLD YOU ALL SO..

Your imagination never ceased to amaze me Steve ... you really should
write fiction. Oh, I forgot, you do ... here on r.r.a.*

> I truly have seen it all when a so called national or international
> organization allows itself and not the membership at large complete and
> total entree into a bank account.

Why don't you bitch to the ARRL? At least in the case of the ARRL,
it's (partly) your money they're spending. (I really don't expect you to,
nor do I really think you should. I'm an ARRL member, too, and I
don't have a problem with the Directors being reimbursed for expenses
incurred in the perfomance of their duties ... after all, they're unpaid
volunteers, just like the NCI Directors.)

> Looks like the No Code sheep are now truly gonna be fleeced.

Only in your overly-active imagination.

> Just remember absolute power corrupts absolutely

Just remember that when you sit down in front of a keyboard your
personality disorder comes to the surface. Actually, I hear that
in person you're not nearly so irrational.

- --
Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse
<mailto:wa6vse@fast/net>
<http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse>
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NCI-1052
Executive Director, No Code International
Fellow, The Radio Club of America
Senior Member, IEEE
Member, TAPR
Member, ARRL
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Join No Code International! Hams for the 21st Century.
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736. NCI Announces Move to Form National Chapters - The Netherlands Leads the Way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <sf2j117cqv110@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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(the following is copied from an e-mail bulletin sent today
to the membership of No Code International)

********************
NCI Announces Move to Form National Chapters
- The Netherlands Leads the Way

In a move to enhance the organization's effectiveness in
lobbying radio regulatory agencies around the world, NCI's
Board of Directors plans to establish "National Chapters"
of NCI in all of the countries where we have members,
according to the provisions of the Bylaws as amended
April 8, 2000.

Peter Halpin, PE1MHO, has been appointed by the Board of
Directors as "National Chairman" for The Netherlands.
Peter was the first member to join NCI from The Netherlands
and has been quite active in corresponding with the Board
in recent times.

The Board of Directors is actively seeking suitable volunteers
from every country where NCI has members. Interested candidates
should contact NCI's Executive Director Carl R. Stevenson, WA6VSE
at wa6vse@fast.net.

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Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse
<mailto:wa6vse@fast/net>
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737. SGC Users Group http://www.qsl.net/sgci

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "www.qsl.net/sgci" <www.qsl.net/sgci@www.qsl.net/sgci>
Message-ID: <8crj5u$1mu$9@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114677

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SGC Users Group "SG Club International"
New Website http://www.qsl.net/sgci
Features photos and information compiled by users of SG Equipment.
SGC equipment users email forum
Info and discussion about SG-2020, SGC transceivers, antennas and
couplers, amplifiers, accessories.
SGCI is an independent informal users group.
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738. FA ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Lloyd Davies <n0SPAMvfp@bell_no_SPAM_south.net>
Message-ID: <E1dI4.1121$_77.37154@news3.mia>
Source record: 114678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Auction is going well the reserve i have set has been met -

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=301822093

I am also gonna serve notice on you people who are messing with my auction. I have already took off bids from one person. You think i'm gonna do business with a e-bay name of "nowaylloyd" Which when when i looked at this profile, has negative feedback. When I checked his profile - he's using a e-mail of mailto:lou75@aol.com That is a person who has been harrassing me on this NG. Like me or not, I have a right to conduct honest business.

And for those crack-heads who think I'm too damn lazy to learn code. I have other things besides a stupid code test to worry about. I have a good job, a woman and other inportant things.

--
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
Athens, AL 35611
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.vstore.com/vstorestuff/barfstore

739. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38EFFD8C.8DC572EB@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:

> Jeff ... think clearly FOR A CHANGE ... the impending election was
> posted to the website and an e-mail bulleting mailed to the membership
> in early March.
>
> There were CLEAR and UNAMBIGUOUS instructions, along with a
> nomination form posted on the web site.
>
> There were NO nominations other than those of the incumbents.
>
> As far as the Notice mailed today, it CLEARLY could NOT have
> been posted *prior* to the cutoff date for receipt of nominations,
> because, UNTIL the cutoff date, there was the possibility that one
> or more additional nominations could be received, which would have
> necessitated an election. (Thus, the outcome could not have been
> announced ... do you "get it" now???)
>
> Since no additional candiates were nominated, as today's Notice
> indicates the incumbent members of the Board are, according to the
> Bylaws (which have been published on the website for quite some
> time), automatically elected to another two (2) year term of office.
>
> Now, PLEASE explain to me why you find it interesting that the
> Notice of the OUTCOME was posted "*after*" the cutoff dates
> for nominations? Surely you'd have raised holly hell if an outcome
> had been posted BEFORE the deadline for additional nominations ...
>
> Everything was "in the open" and "by the Bylaws."
>
> no 73 for flamers like you,

You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
"doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.

All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

740. CQ DE UE4CFA, special callsign

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor S. Bersenev" <rk4cwa@rada1.saratov.su>
Message-ID: <ABKptiyyI7@rada1.saratov.su>
Source record: 114685

Hello, all,

UE4CAA is the special callsign,
the station will operate from the field.
dates: 10-13 April, 2000
bands: HF/VHF
modes: CW, SSB (HF), FM (VHF)
QTH: 40km SE from Saratov, Russia, left bank of the Volga river,
the field where Vostok-1, the 1st manned spaceship,
piloted by Yuri Gagarin, landed.
grid loc: LO21XG
in commemoration of: the 39th anniversary of the first manned
spaceflight.
crew: radio amateurs of Saratovskaya Oblast ARC
QSL via: RK4CWA, P.O.Box 5, Saratov 410601 Russia
ex calls: UK4CAA/p, RG4C, RE4C, R4CG, RE92C, RI4C, UE4CAA

Welcome everybody for a QSO!

73, de RK4CWA
--
Victor Bersenev, Saratovskaya Oblast Amateur Radio Club +7 8452 50-0875
http://rada.webjump.com/rk4cwa.htm

741. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cpajcpev1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114686
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>Carl wrote:

>>>This Notice published April 8, 2000.

>>Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.

>Jeff, its not interesting at all. It's only interesting that you, a
>non-member, would have to whine about it.

You're being a bit sensitive if you think what I wrote was whining.
Just what's your definition of "whine"?

>Members received the notices prior to the cut off dates.

Then what was the purpose of publishing that notice to the NGs,
detailing the nomination process and cut-off dates?

742. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cpb00pvi1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>James Rosenthal wrote:

>> Isn't that against some rule.... that nonmembers aren't notified of these
>> things before they happen? ;-))

>I think he's disappointed that he didn't get nominated.

You'd better believe that I would have shaken things up. First order of
business would have been a new name: PCI.

743. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cpbh4qbb1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>Carl wrote:

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744. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cpbcr$q9n$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114689

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Jeff says...
>>Steve Kruse <skruse@inlink.com> wrote:

>>>Many years back I was a "cber" I never used the beeps and echos but I did
>>>communicate on 11 meters with simple ssb radios and I'll tell you that I
>>>made contacts damn near worldwide. If it was not for the cb hobby back then
>>>I may have never discovered radio in it's hobby form as it is now.

>>Once a federal law-breaker, always a federal law-breaker:
>>
>>Title 47 - Telecommunication Chapter I - Federal Communications Commission
>>Part 95 - Personal Radio Services Subpart D - Rules for CB Service
>>Revised as of October 1, 1996 *Citizens Band (CB) Radio Service*
>>Rule 13 - Illegal Communications
>>{A} You must NOT use a CB station-
>> [9] to communicate with, or ATTEMPT to communicate with, any CB
>>station more than 155.3 miles (250 kilometers) away.
>> [11] to communicate with stations in other countries, except stations
>>in Canada (on General Radio Service).

>You have no way of knowing what he did after getting his ham license. Only what
>he said he did before getting his ham license.

No where in what he or I wrote above mentions anything about him being
licensed. He broke the law as a CBer.

>As I've said before, you care more about the letter of the law, than the
>people that the law was meant for.

In what way am I supposed to care about an admitted lawbreaker?

745. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cpcmb$rf2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114690

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:

>As I've said before, you care more about the letter of the law, than the
>people that the law was meant for.

He admitted/boasted to breaking the law. You pat him on the head; after you're done rewarding him, I'll throw Part 95 of Title 47 at him and hope he reads it.

It's my belief that anyone who willfully breaks the regulations pertaining to Part 95, will not hesitate to break the regs pertaining to Part 97.

746. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cpd3u$s04$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Jeff doesn't believe in web sites. He'd rather make repetative posts on the
>newsgroups that would be more suitable if he would put them on a web site and
>have the URL in a signature line. So why would he bother going to a web site if
>he refuses to put one up himself?

If you're alluding to the FAQ, the usual protocol is to post a FAQ to
the newsgroup its intended for.

Why didn't you point the readers to a web site containing your response
above? It's at least the second time you've mentioned it.

747. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f06adc.458799340@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 09 Apr 2000 03:48:28 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
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>
>You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
>results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
>"doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.

Or it could simply mean we are happy with our current
leadership. Or that we feel changing that leadership might interfere
with achiving our goal. or....
>
>All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN

748. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F072DA.DF68D74B@icss.net>
Source record: 114693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote:

> You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
> results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
> "doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
>
> All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN

Dave, you'll have your chance to run in two years - probably prior to the ITU meeting where code will be discussed. Most of the work of NCI is complete. The remainder of the work must await the elimination of the ITU code requirement, and most of the rest of the nations will fall in step with the US. Given the good successes of the present crew, why would we want a change?

749. 3.950 in self-destruction mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ranger653313 <bone44432@goognet.com>
Message-ID: <RF_H4.9734$y4.348346@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114694

It was so gratifying listening to 3950 last night.
Poor ole Victor sounds like he's ready to go apeshit
seeing he cant get the volume of checkins he used
to, and others are complaining that Harrison's transmissions
are too long and his tapes are beyond redundant.

Best part last night was hearing net members actually
talking and commneting while GAR was out-gassing away
like the senile old foole he is. Telling him to shut up and
give someone else a turn. Keep up the good work K4GAR!
Your the "ace-in-the-hole" and I hope they send that little
greaseball kid back to Cuba to roll cigars for Fidel and Bill.

750. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brenden McNeil <brenden@bmcneil.com>
Message-ID: <8cpuog$197$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114695

In article <38EDE80E.4FE5@some.net>,
jr@some.net wrote:
> Burt wrote:
>
> > If there is anyone more useless on the internet, I have yet to find
> > him,her,it.
>
> For the answer to you quest, go look in the mirror.
>

At the risk of getting a nasty email from Burt which always happens,
your couldn't be more then right JR. It may not be to quite the extent
as they get, but Burt is a troll. He posts messages merely to see
feedback, call it a high if you will. It just dosen't happen on
rec.radio.amateur.misc either.

Having said that...

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

751. Re: Ham traffic a joke

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f0828c.464863403@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114696

On Thu, 30 Mar 2000 14:43:39 GMT, "Man in a mu mu"
<tootaloot@hotmail.com> wrote:

>You know Burt, you really have to wonder if these folks actually
>think this 1930's style messaging is relavant today. It speaks
>volumes of just how backwards ham radio is in this age of
>Tera-byte communications! I often wonder if we look like a
>bunch of "Amish farmers" to the rest of the technological world.

frankly to mostly of MY friends in technology we look a group that we
split between Amish farmers/luddites, and a real people interested in
technology
>
>>Welcome to ham radio-set your watch back 40 years
>
>
>No, try SIXTY(60) Years.
>
>
>

752. worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cq10o$td1$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114697

"Good evening Mr. and Mrs. America and all the ships at sea. Let's go to press."
Since I'm fond of investigative reporting with a role model named Walter Winchell, I'd like to be able to offer a scoop and I don't mean of ice cream either. It concerns KT4TR, Robert Youngblood, the "Vero Zero." He used to have one hell of a jammingly powerful signal from his domecile. When he aimed that directional at me or at Queenie the Weenie and let fly, dishes would rattle in my kitch. I no longer ever hear him operating other than from his dump truck, I.D.ing as "worldwide mobile." I ask the gentlemen on this board for your opinions about this change in operating venue? Here's what I think happened-TR no longer lives at home. The Mrs. tossed him out and mobile is his only option. What say?
Secondly, what ever happened to Wally Miller,W2YEE? When he was sober, Walt was super interesting but he's faded into the woodwork. Anyone know why?
Lastly, give this some thought. The only reason why little Elian is being returned to that commie rat trap called Cuba is punishment for losing his mother! Had she lived, both would be on the road to citizenship. God spared the life of that child at sea in which everyone else perished for another purpose than to see our government sell him out. Clinton can commit our forces and spend a billion bucks preventing the innocents in Kosovo from being enslaved and doesn't have the heart to save one little boy. Hey Bill--to hell with a pact with a bearded devil. Up with humanitarianism!
AF2Y

753. Re: Hey Dan NTI Learn to cut and paste

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: UglyJohn@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <38f18797.596199905@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114698

On Sat, 08 Apr 2000 22:16:22 GMT, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

>And what is posting a message that should've been e-mailed, imbecile.

Go screw yourself, Roger. You be a good boy and get another warning
from the FCC, and we'll be rid of your dumbass for good.

CERTIFIED MAILï¿½RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Roger L. Wiseman

610 Glen Haven Avenue

Glendale, WV 26038-1302

Subject: Warning Notice: Amateur Radio License: KC8JBO

Dear Mr. Wiseman:

The Commission has monitoring evidence that you have been deliberately
and maliciously interfering with the radio operations of other
licensed Amateurs on the 14 MHz Amateur band. This interference has
occurred at various times in the last several months and includes
broadcasting music and other unidentified transmissions.

The Commission generally relies upon the Amateur Radio Service to be
self-policing. Operation of the type described above is contrary to
the basis and purpose of Amateur Radio and degrades the service for
legitimate users. This serves as a Warning Notice that such operation
will not be tolerated. Additional incidents of operation of the type
described above will result in a monetary fine being levied against
you and in revocation proceedings before an Administrative Law Judge.

You are requested to contact me at 717-338-2502 to discuss this
matter.

Sincerely,

W. Riley Hollingsworth

Special Counsel, Amateur Radio Service

Enforcement Bureau

754. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38F08040.181F0F48@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
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> On Sun, 09 Apr 2000 03:48:28 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
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> >Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
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> >
> >You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
> >results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
> >"doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
>
> Or it could simply mean we are happy with our current
> leadership. Or that we feel changing that leadership might interfere
> with achiving our goal. or....
> >
> >All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
> >
> >Dave 5H3US, K8MN

Not baaaaaad, Mark. Continue work on "achiving" your goal.
I was kind of looking forward to having you as a spokesman for NCI.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

755. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38F08121.57A7C100@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:
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> complete. The remainder of the work must await the elimination of the ITU
> code requirement, and most of the rest of the nations will fall in step with
> the US. Given the good successes of the present crew, why would we want a
> change?

I'll have my chance to run? The day I even join NCI you should prepare
for the second coming. I'm not in need of a "gimme".

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

756. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <E40463CDF151CD5B.65854414B52493C0.6006758F643518F0@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yeah, he's had those all his life...

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73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343
"Dave Heil" <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in message
news:38F08121.57A7C100@cats-net.com...
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757. Re: Hey Dan NTI Learn to cut and paste

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cq7es$a55$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114702

Imbecile John <UglyJohn@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:38f18797.596199905@news.mindspring.com...
> On Sat, 08 Apr 2000 22:16:22 GMT, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> >And what is posting a message that should've been e-mailed, imbecile.
>
> Go screw yourself, Roger.

Translation : WHAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!! What KC8JBO said really bothers
me. Poor, fugly John, he has to screw his sister or is it his mother?
Huh, Hard-grove, the Deliverance extra reject? The lumbering, inbred
mutant oaf parrots the K4OKA party line, what a surprise.

>You be a good boy and get another warning
> from the FCC, and we'll be rid of your dumbass for good.

Use your brain, Fugly John, it's the little things that count.
Oh, sorry, I forgot that you're mentally-impaired.
So mentally-impaired from what I hear, that you use white out on your
computer screen when you need to correct your text.
I found an old Chinese proverb that applies to you:
"You Li Bu Sheng Gao," or "A loud voice doesn't signify justice."
You forgot (convienently) to put the date:

November 9, 1999

IDIOT. But, of course, you can't do any better, since you lack the
education to accomplish it.

<correction>
>November 9, 1999
<end correction>
> CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
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> and maliciously interfering with the radio operations of other
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> Special Counsel, Amateur Radio Service
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> Enforcement Bureau

ZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZ!!!!! You are rather a boring bucktoothed choad, fugly John. Or is that because your i.q in the negative numbers is quite apparent? If the letter had the magnitude of importance you and your malcontent, mentally-impaired butt-buddies place upon it, then, why didn't Riley ever answer my e-mails, phone calls and snail-mail letter about this letter?
<space reserved for fugly john's lame, backpedaling response>

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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758. question about Capt. Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cq890$fc4$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114703

I've asked this a few times but no one's replied. On 20 meters, "Truth" used to say "Amen" or "Amen brother." That's all I ever heard yet Polly and his ilk have gone ecstatic over his apprehension. Yes, speaking without I.D.ing is wrong but it seems to me the jubilation doesn't fit the violation. Is this "Truth" guy guilty of doing more than not identifying with his "Amens?"
AF2Y

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cqajjujj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114704

Cut and paste? Isn't that what a barber does with a toupee?

In article <8cob3b$cj3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <ci9veskmmi52c03gaghv8aucdid99nb97p@4ax.com>,
> John <> wrote:
>> Dan,
>> Why in the hell do you quote the whole damn text of a message? You
>> are wasting bandspace you moron.
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> And what is posting a message that should've been e-mailed, imbecile.
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760. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <qf2l4.673$l06.12192@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 114705

Hey Walter, uh I mean Doc, is it better to be tossed out of the house and operate mobile, or fade into alcoholic oblivion, less than, equal to, or better than having your ticket yanked by the FCC? Tell us again why you no longer practice dentistry?
Gerd, W2ISB

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:8cq10o$td1$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> "Good evening Mr. and Mrs. America and all the ships at sea. Let's go to
> press."
> Since I'm fond of investigative reporting with a role model named Walter
> Winchell, I'd like to be able to offer a scoop and I don't mean of ice cream
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> have one hell of a jammingly powerful signal from his domecile. When he
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> being enslaved and doesn't have the heart to save one little boy. Hey
> Bill--to hell with a pact with a bearded devil. Up with humanitarianism!
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761. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000409125648.22228.00000677@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 114706

I heard the biggie will be the special event station .. W9ART trying to check into "The Great Liberty Nit Wit Net", as he calls it. Coming to you live and in person from the banquet.

Maybe he could even get the Smothers Brothers to sing a song. "Anchors Aweigh", maybe? And then play some WAV files of The Late, Great, Arky Bob.

Was it just a rumor .. or did I read it at http://www.hamvention.com/ ? ? ?

762. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqebihhe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I think net policing is rude, and it doesn't belong in this NG.

TAKE IT ELSEWHERE!

LRod

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763. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000409130403.22228.00000678@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 114708

I won't touch the TR / YEE thing, but I have to agree about the stunt Komrade Klinton and Johnny .. I mean .. Janet Reno .. are pulling on the kid.

Apparently Komrade Klinton wants to leave a legacy as being the one who made nice with Kastro's brand of Kommunism like he did with the Chinese. What's in it for him? Maybe more cigars. Who knows .. Monica might still ... nahhh .. not that. Say it ain't so.

764. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f0bc2b.12291985@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 9 Apr 2000 07:29:40 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>>Members received the notices prior to the cut off dates.
>
>Then what was the purpose of publishing that notice to the NGs?

Strictly as an information update to the general amateur body
that reads this newsgroup. That's no different than the
ARRL bulletins that various people post on occasion.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

765. KC8JBO makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38f0c516.611945095@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114710

Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha. Riley got you again, ya idiot! Listen to the
April 8th Enforcement Log. What a dunce you are, JBO.

766. So Much for the Great Detectives

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38F0C917.B4A05098@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Interesting item on the Rain report-
The FCC had to cancel its warning letter to a ham in
New Mexico. Seems they mistook someone
playing a tape for the real guy.

Wonder what happened to the super computer DF system
that could locate a transmitter to within 6 inches in 15 nanoseconds?
Wonder what happened with the "auxiliaries" driving by-
("Garsh, Joe! Ma S-Meters a-pinnin' so this must be the jammer!").
I guess we're dealing with fallible human beings, after all.

And I remember all those people crowing and ready to lynch
the guy for "jamming." Wonder how they would feel if
the rope were on the other neck?

Think about it next time someone is accused.
It's far better to reserve judgment until some real proof surfaces.

73 Dave S.

767. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F0C99A.74892B8B@icss.net>
Source record: 114712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote:

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> I'll have my chance to run? The day I even join NCI you should prepare
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> Dave 5H3US, K8MN

You are needful of understanding the concept of unnecessary government
regulation.

768. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F0CA4B.7F0BFBAA@icss.net>
Source record: 114713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> that reads this newsgroup. That's no different than the
> ARRL bulletins that various people post on occasion.
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> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK

Speaking of the ARRL, what's happened to Ed and Jon?

769. Re: So Much for the Great Detectives

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F0CE0D.E2C2D7CD@icss.net>
Source record: 114714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:

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> Wonder what happened with the "auxiliaries" driving by-
> ("Garsh, Joe! Ma S-Meters a-pinnin' so this must be the jammer!").
> I guess we're dealing with fallible human beings, after all.

What was the behavior on the tape? How did it get on tape if not
recorded over the air? Just curious.

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> the guy for "jamming." Wonder how they would feel if
> the rope were on the other neck?
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Phil Kane said that the old policy was to catch the guy with his hand in
the cookie jar, so they must be adopting tactics from their DNC Masters
and making the accusation first. Conformity by intimidation.

770. Yaesu FT-8100 / need reviews and info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon <jsj@netdirect.net>
Message-ID: <38F0D3DF.5192426C@netdirect.net>
Source record: 114715

Looking to buy the Yaesu FT-8100, with remote face plate and soft ware.
Wanting reviews from anyone who has this rig. The spects look like the
rig I want just wanting to know of any problems of this rig.

Is the CTCSS decoder needed?
Please any info would be great.
e-mail to jsj@netdirect.net
Thanks Jon / N9XXR

771. FS: HQ-100, S-38C, 6 meter ant, more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Albert Alvareztorres, Jr." <albert13@home.com>
Message-ID: <PC4I4.36749$MZ2.470367@news1.wwck1.ri.home.com>
Source record: 114716

http://www.qsl.net/aa1do/

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Al
ARS: AA1DO
URL: http://members.home.net/albert13/index.htm

Life is what happens while you are making other plans.
John Lennon (1940-1980)

772. Re: question about Capt. Truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cqn09qma1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114717

In article <8cq890$fc4$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I've asked this a few times but no one's replied. On 20
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> to say "Amen" or "Amen brother." That's all I ever heard yet Polly
and his
> ilk have gone ecstatic over his apprehension. Yes, speaking without
I.D.ing
> is wrong but it seems to me the jubilation doesn't fit the violation.
Is
> this "Truth" guy guilty of doing more than not identifying with
his "Amens?"
> AF2Y
> >>>>>>>>>>> Don't know Doc, W4FQF, W1ZZE,did worst for 5 and 6
years. They jammed daily. Remember "Herbie Baby number one" all day
long from Polly, right on top of existing qso's? Not to mention the
Professor (Jack W1ZZE) and his all day long interference on 20
meters,he never identified his station, once in 6 years. Polly did a
little better, only took him 5 years!He was caught by Jim Laraway (FCC
Com Center Wash)and yet they did nothing.All the above is true, and
tapes are available as proof.<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

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773. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <elIHATESPAMdowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <PM4I4.33844$k7.5563262@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 114718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Someone ought to!

LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cqebihhe1@nnrp1.deja.com...
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> I think net policing is rude, and it doesn't belong in this NG.
>
> TAKE IT ELSEWHERE!
>
> LRod
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

774. Re: Hey Dan NTI Learn to cut and paste

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqospskb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114719

In article <ci9veskmmi52c03gaghv8aucdid99nb97p@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> Dan,
> Why in the hell do you quote the whole damn text of a message? You
> are wasting bandspace you moron.
>
Because I chose not to. And it pisses you off. Now use a real URL and
we can talk.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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775. Brenden the liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Bu5l4.22960$Of2.792491@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114720

"Brenden McNeil" <brenden@bmcneil.com> wrote in message
news:8cpuog$197$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <38EDE80E.4FE5@some.net>,
> At the risk of getting a nasty email from Burt which always happens,
> your couldn't be more then right JR. It may not be to quite the extent
> as they get, but Burt is a troll. He posts messages merely to see
> feedback, call it a high if you will. It just dosen't happen on
> rec.radio.amateur.misc either.

Brenden is a liar, maybe not above but the kid just plain lies and admits
it.
Probably it is from his inability to generate a girl in his life due to his
weight or some other
physical deformity.

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http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

776. Re: Hey Dan NTI Learn to cut and paste

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqpcp$t75$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114721

In article <8cqajjujj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Cut and paste? Isn't that what a barber does with a toupee?

I don't know, let's ask K3QAM.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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777. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114722

In article <8co768$78h$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>However are you serious when
> writing that the FCC HOPES deregulation starts a war whereby they can
end
> ham radio? I disagree. Why would there by a concerted effort to
destroy the
> money making capabilities of electronics manufacturers and retailers?
>

Yes I'm serious. Its been, what 2 or 3 years, now that the legislation
for replacing "stolen" ham freqs was sent to congress? And it still
has not passed. That is proof to me there is something wrong here.

And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.

As for the manufactures and retailers...not to worry. They will just
jump into the new digital technology and the demand for "new" equipment
to be sold to fill up the new frequencies they will get. You know,
like 432MHZ, and 146.

Ever hear of LEO? Where do you think they will go? Thats right Doc.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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778. Inbred John makes an ASS of of himself, AGAIN!!! (or AS USUAL!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqpnethb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114723

Never letting FACTS stand in the way to spew his ignorant opinions,
<John> belched in message news:38f0c516.611945095@news.mindspring.com...
> Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha Ha. Riley got you again, ya idiot! Listen to the
> April 8th Enforcement Log. What a dunce you are, JBO.

Try harder, inbred. Riley didn't "get" me, I reported some harassment,
giving the history of this conflict etc., to Riley and that's all.
Obviously, this is not an official warning letter, since the
words "Warning letter" do not appear on the letter. Of course, since
your reading comprehension skills are substandard, you made quite a
leap in logic, akin to the lynch mob mentality.
Riley's been made aware of my intentions, too bad, fool!
Here's the letter N8WGM and I _both_ received, content has not been
altered:

==========Begin Letter===============

March 29, 2000

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Steven A. Tunder
72643 Glasgow Road
Freeport, OH 43973
Licensee of N8WGM

Roger L. Wiseman
610 Glen Haven Avenue
Glendale, WV 26038-1302
Licensee of KC8JBO

Dear Messrs. Tunder and Wiseman:

The Commission has been made aware of an ongoing personal dispute
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The purpose of this letter is to caution you both to review Section
97.1 of the Amateur Radio Service Rules, and to make certain that
whatever disputes that may exist are not carried over to Amateur Radio
frequencies.

Please call me at 717-338-2502 if you have any questions about this
matter.

Sincerely,

W. Riley Hollingsworth
Special Counsel, Amateur Radio
Enforcement Bureau

=====End Letter================

Now, would you like some salt and/or pepper with that malformed, mutant
13-toed foot in your mouth?

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779. Re: KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqpqgtht1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114724

In article <pa9ves4re4fbof5fontl8icdslnso2kuic@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> Well it's 2120 hrs UTC and guess who's jamming 14.313? Why it's little
> fag boy KB1EVE ex KC1ZQ. Little David came in on top of an existing
> QSO and just took over. This may be his swan song on Ham Radio when
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780. Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <oz5I4.22961$Of2.792455@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

If you look at my page carefully you will find a comedy routine on the oxymoron, ham sex. If you are a more typical ham (boring) there are references to the best ham sites in the world.
So whether you are a loser or winner, have a life or not, like dx or not there is a place for you on my site.
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http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

781. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000409164845.28131.00000524@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 114726

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782. Re: Brenden the liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brenden McNeil <brenden@bmcneil.com>
Message-ID: <8cqs0h$1f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114727

> Brenden is a liar, maybe not above but the kid just plain lies and admits
> it.
> Probably it is from his inability to generate a girl in his life due to his
> weight or some other
> physical deformity.

I lied that one time to get you off my back from annoying the crap out of me.

Second of all you know absolutley NOTHING about my love life. I have never told you crap about it. How can you make such a false accusation that you have no knowledge of?

I do recall that you told me you werent with your wife anymore. Gee I wonder why she left you. (Come on everybody let's put our heads together and say it unison.)

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Let's shut this guy up. If no one replies to his messages, maybe he'll quit acting like an ass. I for one, will no longer, ever reply to any of Burt's messages and posts. I hope you will join me in ignoring this guy who gets a high out of starting stuff with people on the internet. (Probably because he fits HIS definition of a ham and has no guts to do anything like this in real life. I doubt he'd walk into a biker bar and yell out that motorcycles are for f*gs)

My last comment,
FU to burt, have a nice life.

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Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brenden McNeil <brenden@bmcneil.com>
Message-ID: <8cqs0o$1h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114728

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784. Re: KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cqs29$1o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114729

In article <pa9ves4re4fbof5fontl8icdslnso2kuic@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> Well it's 2120 hrs UTC and guess who's jamming 14.313? Why it's little
> fag boy KB1EVE ex KC1ZQ. Little David came in on top of an existing
> QSO and just took over. This may be his swan song on Ham Radio when
> Riley gets the tape.
> I didnot jam those stations. I also didnot "take over". All this is
due to KB4MXL and his phobia of Gay's.
He has now caused WA9KJB to fear if he talks to me. I regret this,but I
did not and never have jammed Seymour and have respect for him. I will
defend my actions in this manner because I feel I am being discriminated
against by "MXL because he believes me to be Gay. He uses his hatred of
Gays to exclude me from operation and intiminate other hams you do talk
to me.
Do not get in the middle of this "John". But if this type of
discrimination continues I will ask for legal help in fighting this
obvious bigotry from the lambda group.

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785. Re: KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cqs8g$c1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114730

In article <8cqpqgtht1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <pa9ves4re4fbof5fontl8icdslnso2kuic@4ax.com>,
> John <> wrote:
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> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
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>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> On both sides is correct, Dan thankyou for telling the truth.

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786. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cqsnpnc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114731

In article <20000409164845.28131.00000524@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> I notice that you didn't mention the fact that N8WGM was also
listed/warned in
> the same letter/report. I wonder why you failed to mention something
that was
> so closely tied together? Just being fair about it

He's a DUMBASS. He's almost as bad as notorious jammer ND8V, who go on the air this afternoon and convienently forgot to include N8WGM in the announcement. Oh, and dumbass Mike, it had nothing to do with me and Polly. Polly ran down me and my family ont he air and I responded. Your selective hearing doesn't change the facts.
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787. LOOKING FOR digipan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net>
Message-ID: <Pj6I4.28582$Y4.790641@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 114732

Where is digipan. I can't find a link to get it but see many using it
on the bands.
TIA.

--
Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
"Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"

788. KC8JBO "SLOPEHEAD" WARNED AGAIN BY FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cqt0n$116$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114733

KC8JBO "Slopehead" Wiseman made the "RAIN REPORT" again.

This time for threats on people. Seems the FCC was listening
when "Slope" made the threat.

Of course "MOMS" star boarder and table top hog is all talk, but the
FCC frowns on such activities.

Keep it up "Slope". You will be out of amateur radio for good. Of
course you were never a "PLAYER" anyway, so whats the big deal. He
would be just another fool gone as the result of his own acts.

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789. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cohir$j9o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114827

In article <8cof8n$h3b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> <w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8co898
$9od$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > Dan:
> ><Lying BS snipped>
> >Cheer up it could be worse.
> > W4FQF QMER Since 1952
>
> Yeah, Dan, it could be worse..you could be W4FQF, and that would
really
> SUCK.
> >>>>>>>>>>>> Dan could never suck that long!
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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790. trade kenwood radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hcrane@thezone.net
Message-ID: <38efd8cb.111806902@news.thezone.net>
Source record: 114828

would like to trade a kendwood 2mter mobile for a handheld with speaker mic this radio is only 2 months old i have receipt if you like to see copy and also pic of radio if intrested in trade please email. thanks.

791. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <38efe2e6.49764360@news.guam.net>
Source record: 114829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Not to mention he cross posted it to the DX newsgroup where
nobody cares.....

73, Jim KH2D

On Sat, 08 Apr 2000 10:11:20 -0500, Jon Johnson
<Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:

>< Brian wrote a nonsensical message which defies response: >
>
>Try again. And this time engage brain before fingers.

792. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8commp017ev@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114830

In article <8co89j$iq5$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>Steve Kruse <skruse@inlink.com> wrote:
>>Many years back I was a "cber" I never used the beeps and echos but I did
>>communicate on 11 meters with simple ssb radios and I'll tell you that I
>>made contacts damn near worldwide. If it was not for the cb hobby back then
>>I may have never discovered radio in it's hobby form as it is now.
>
>
>Once a federal law-breaker, always a federal law-breaker:
>
>Title 47 - Telecommunication Chapter I - Federal Communications Commission
>Part 95 - Personal Radio Services Subpart D - Rules for CB Service
>Revised as of October 1, 1996 *Citizens Band (CB) Radio Service*
>
>Rule 13 - Illegal Communications
>
>{A} You must NOT use a CB station-
> [9] to communicate with, or ATTEMPT to communicate with, any CB
>station more than 155.3 miles (250 kilometers) away.
> [11] to communicate with stations in other countries, except stations
>in Canada (on General Radio Service).
>
>
>Jeff KH6O

You have no way of knowing what he did after getting his ham license. Only what he said he did before getting his ham license.

As I've said before, you care more about the letter of the law, than the people that the law was meant for.

"The more laws, the less justice" - Marcus Cicero, Roman statesman.

Tom - N8ECW

793. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8con28117ev@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <sevfhp6acqv105@corp.supernews.com>, wa6vse@fast.net says...
>
>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>Hash: SHA1
>
>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>news:8co93m$jo7$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>> >As posted on the NCI website over the past month, according
>> >to the Bylaws, it was prescribed to hold an election for
>> >NCI's Board of Directors no later than April 15, 2000 for
>> >a two (2)year term commencing May 1, 2000.
>>
>>
>> Oh, I think I'll run for president. =:o
>>
>>
>> >As specified in the "How to Nominate a Candidate" page, cutoff
>> >dates of April 1, 2000 (for postmarking of nomination forms) and
>> >April 7, 2000 (for receipt of nominations in order for a candidate
>> >to be placed on the ballot) were established,
>> >
>> >This Notice published April 8, 2000.
>>
>>
>> Interesting that the notice was published *after* the two cutoff dates.
>>
>> Jeff KH6O
>
>
>Jeff ... think clearly FOR A CHANGE ... the impending election was
>posted to the website and an e-mail bulleting mailed to the membership
>in early March.

Jeff doesn't believe in web sites. He'd rather make repetative posts on the newsgroups that would be more suitable if he would put them on a web site and have the URL in a signature line. So why would he bother going to a web site if he refuses to put one up himself?

Tom - N8ECW

794. Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000408230311.22776.00000064@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 114832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Subject: Re: NCI Board of Directors Election - News Update
>From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org (James Rosenthal)
>Date: 04/08/2000 5:44 PM Central Daylight Time

>Isn't that against some rule.... that nonmembers aren't notified of these
things before they happen? ;-))<

Naaaaah.....rules like that ONLY apply when someone is grousing about the
ARRL.

No smiley face.

Steve, K4YZ

795. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Farrar <kb5oai@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <1uSH4.10165$ei.349465@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You know Randal, unless someone has used you as a front for this stupid post, being a Tech Plus, you stand to benefit as much as anyone, providing you read and follow the posted instructions.

73....

Jerry

796. Re: Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ct7cdgod1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114534

In article <38F207E1.2E5B@nospam.com>,
nospam@nospam.com wrote:
> LRod wrote:

> > Hey, no fair. I'm not ever going to sea, why should I be tested on
> > something as ancient as sailing? Hell, most people travel by
> > airplane now, anyway. Even that's going to be passe soon when space
> > travel gets going. Let's get with the times. Eliminate the sea
> > requirement.

> That was said jokingly LRod...

And my tongue was planted firmly in my cheek when I wrote mine; a parody
on the something-for-nothing whiners.

LRod

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797. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Adams <ke8hh@SPAMFREE.arrl.net>
Message-ID: <93724FE20F2EC41D.0803E7BF27EDFED4.CFB5FE07DCCAEBC9@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114535

On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 07:15:25 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Good grief Dwight, you can't believe what you write. I was indoctrinated by
>my parents to hate Castro when that man allowed Russian nuclear missiles to
>be installed on his island to blackmail and imperil the USA? Are you nuts?

What about the missiles _we_ had in nations bordering the
former USSR? Was it "ok" for us to do that but not them? Why?

Of _course_ you were "indoctrinated" by your parents--all of
us are socialized by our families, our schools, our peers, and the
media as we grow up. Here in the US that socialization results in our
belief that our system of government is the best in the world--and
guess what? In Cuba the socialization results in the belief that
theirs is the best system! If it's "indoctrination" for them, it's
equally so for us.

>You're as naive as Little Red Riding Hood. You actually believe that people
>are happy on that island?

Sure they are. Get on the air sometime and talk to some Cuban
hams! Obviously, some are dissatisfied with life there--on the other
hand, do you seriously believe that the people living in our ghettos
are happy here in the US?

>Then explain why so many have escaped and God
>knows how many would love to.

Not to burst your bubble, but only a very small percentage of
Cubans have attempted to flee Cuba. Most are satisfied there _despite_
the way the US has singled out that one small nation for complete
economic embargo.

Cuba is no more of a threat to the US today than, for example,
Nicaragua--but we limit their trade, prevent them from modernizing,
and pressure the international community to do the same. If you want a
reason that people might want to leave Cuba you don't have to look at
their government, you have to look at _ours_--because WE are the
ones keeping much of their citizenry in poverty.

>Castro is no Leninist? All Red are. He's their
>head honcho who took theories by Marx and Engels and put them into practice.

In a sense you are partially correct. Lenin implemented the
political theories of Marx in Russia, and the USSR was instrumental in
guiding the ideologies of other Communist nations. On the other hand,

most current Communist nations (China, Cuba, etc.) do _not_ follow a particularly Leninist form of government, but practice very modified forms of Communism.

>You simply don't understand history or appreciate the cruelty of that thing
>called communism.

No, you are the one who doesn't understand the nature of Communism. If you seriously believe that some of the dictatorships that have been overthrown by Communist regimes were better than the governments which followed, you simply are unwilling to examine them with any degree of honesty. Obviously there have been abuses, Stalin's "Cult of personality," and the "Cultural revolution" in Maoist China are excellent examples--but the same holds true of right wing dictatorships as well. Hitler was as far from a Communist as it was possible to be--and he certainly was far worse than any Communist who ever lived. Other examples throughout Latin America, Asia, and Africa abound.

> Your mind is pliable and malleable and if you think
>there's so much freedom on Cuba, pack up and move there. Good riddance!

America--Love it or Leave it, right?

That's the knee jerk response of _anyone_ who is so jingoistic that s/he finds it impossible to believe that ANY nation can have any value other than his/her own. That's utter rubbish!

For the record, I _do_ prefer the US system to that of the Communist nations--and as a political science teacher at the college level, I _know_ the differences. You can skip the "Love it or Leave it" attitude--I paid my dues by serving in Vietnam and coming home with a couple bullet holes as a result. But I served my country because of what it stands for--which INCLUDES freedom of speech--not because I was so blind that I couldn't see that other nations had a right to disagree with us.

Keeping Elian in the US is tantamount to kidnapping him.
Simply because we don't agree with the political structure of Cuba--or more precisely, because we want to force the Cuban people to remove their political leader because we _personally_ don't like him. What rank hypocrisy! If China held an American child against the will of his father because they felt their system of government was "better" than ours, you would be among the first to demand that we use military force to get him back--but because it is a small, helpless, country whose child is being held by our nation you feel it's "ok." Sorry, but if it isn't "ok" for China (or any other nation, for that matter), it isn't "ok" for the US, either.

Rick

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Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

798. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ct6vi$k9r$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
>Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in 1963. Those
>16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?

Why not post the questions contained in that study guide rather than
counting the number of its pages?
73, Jeff KH6O

799. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJould@SJG.com
Message-ID: <8ct46e$i3n@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I, for one..... Dropped membership in the local radio club as of 12/31, joined the model railroad club as of 1/1. Nicer group of folks. More interesting discussions, more fun! No bickering and no foul language.

Would have dropped my ARRL membership too, but being a life member, suicide seemed a bit extreme. Especially for such a lost cause.

Best 73s to those of you who remain clung to the rear guard rail as the ARRL-tanic begins her final plunge,
Jim G.

In article <8csunu$6q8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com says...
>
>How many of you have found a new hobby or are shifting your interests
>and funds over to another since December 31 ?
>
>I don't care much about the new exams anymore. I will continue to
>comment on how moronic they've become. But US ham radio is in trouble
>because no one is going to sit at a desk and listen to old buzzards yap
>endlessly on the air. No one is going to pay 1200 for a decent ham
>station. You could buy two PCs for that. Or a PC and a lot of cellular
>calls.
>
>Those who think that any opposition aired to the new exams is because of
>we think the sky is falling, are wrong. The problems of rudeness,
>litigious spirit on air (i.e. fights constantly), and poor operating
>practice are the result of a greater problem at hand in the US, not
>because the exams were made into even more special ed material. This
>problem is not as bad in Europe. (out will come the DXers to counter
>this)
>
>Hence, you could lower the code test to 0 wpm, or raise it to 50 wpm
>both here and France, or any other EU country, and find that the US will
>ALWAYS turn up the worst operators, boring people, people who always run
>their amps wide open or people with special ed mentalities.
>
>I just became VERY bored with ham radio suddenly since December 31. I
>think I started listening for the first time in years and the whole
>thing is disgusting. Furthermore, ARRL announcements of enforcement
>improvements without any fines being collected are just a waste of tax
>dollars that I'm dealing with through other avenues.
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>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/

>Before you buy.

800. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410150420.29127.00000629@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 114538

what did i write that made me sic?
i did read all the pages. the following page after the pictures is an atempt to explain and convince you what you see isnt actually what you see. everything you read isnt true. believe nothing you hear, half of what you see, and figure it out all for yourself.

>
>In article <20000410125956.29125.00000820@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
> timnebo@aol.com (2-IR-082 Tim) wrote:
>> interesting point you've brought up, if your [sic] open minded check
>> out this site.
>> it offers proof beyond the shadow of doubt that we did not go.
>>
>> http://www.forteantimes.com/artic/94/moon.html
>
>Oh, I'm open minded enough. Are you? I'll bet you didn't even look at
>the follow-up page which pretty much dispenses with the "proof."
>
>LRod

Best Wishes And Good DX,
Tim 2-IR-082 Southern USA

Hottest and Most Current 11 Meter DX News:
HTTP://WWW.DXNEWS.DE

International Radio HQ Page:
HTTP://HOME.WXS.NL/~19IR01

IRDX Main Site:
HTTP://WWW.IRDX.ORG

801. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ctb33$l86$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Why not post the questions contained in that study guide rather than
> counting the number of its pages?
> 73, Jeff KH6O

My 1955 ARRL General Study Guide (11 pages) had questions like --

"Name the basic units of electrical resistance, inductance,
capacitance, current, and electromotive force."

"Why is full-wave rectification generally preferable to half-wave
rectification in a power supply?"

"Why is a bleeder resistor connected across the output circuit of a
high-voltage power supply system?"

"What radio messages have priority over all other communications?"

"On what frequencies may a licensee holding General Class amateur
privileges operate?" (Answer: All amateur frequencies!)

"What power input should an amateur station use for a particular
communication when the maximum legal input is 1 kw?" (Trick question,
Jeff, watch out!)

"What is meant by the harmonic of a fundamental frequency?"

"What is the FCC regulation regarding transmission of music by an
amateur ratio-telephone station for testing purposes?"

"What are the undesirable effects of overmodulation in radiotelephony?"

"What is the formula for finding the resonant frequency of a tuned
circuit?"

"What effect does the Q of a circuit have on harmonic output?"

Pretty similar to todays questions!

And thats the way it was!

Walter

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802. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <38F1BE46.CE0CEB8@sgi.net>
Source record: 114540

AF2Y, why don't we just part a ship off the coast of Cuba and bring in the entire damn country?

Face it: "The boy is going with his father like it or not"

803. Test Equipment F/sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gtaylor@ccs.carleton.ca
Message-ID: <8ctb2r$p5l$1@bertrand.ccs.carleton.ca>
Source record: 114541

For sale:
Precision: Signal-Marking Generator, Model E-200-C, $25.00 firm

Gaston Taylor
Carleton University
1125 Col By Drive
Ottawa. Ontario
K1S 5B6

804. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38F228D6.744DF22B@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Brian wrote:
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> > > > You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
> > > > results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
> > > > "doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
> > > >
> > > > All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
> > > >
> > > > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
> > >
> > > Dave, you'll have your chance to run in two years - probably prior to the
> > > ITU meeting where code will be discussed. Most of the work of NCI is
> > > complete. The remainder of the work must await the elimination of the ITU
> > > code requirement, and most of the rest of the nations will fall in step with
> > > the US. Given the good successes of the present crew, why would we want a
> > > change?
> > >
> > I'll have my chance to run? The day I even join NCI you should prepare
> > for the second coming. I'm not in need of a "gimme".
> >
> > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>
> You are needful of understanding the concept of unnecessary government
> regulation.

...and I'll be happy to provide you a definition of a "gimme".

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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805. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38F22958.1B5439AA@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
> >in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
> >people taking tests to get licenses (as reported in The ARRL
> >Letter of April 7 and other places). That probably really frosts
> >Dave ... he'll actually have to share "his" HF bands with new
> >folks.
>
> Here, those taking tests are also taking the 13 and/or 20 wpm tests,
> too. The rush is to upgrade *prior* to mid-April.

That's great. Dave doesn't get frosted by new folks. Dave gets frosted
by the lowering of the standards in order to pass out an HF "gimme".
Dave will even QSO Carl in a pileup when he is busy "experimenting".

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

806. Re: Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F1FF89.3038E3F8@oio.net>
Source record: 114544

Jim,
When did you take the Radiotelegraph test? Couldn't
have been recently, 'cuz' they don't give them anymore.
Or, I guess I should say that they aren't being given
in the central part of the US,(tried to take it several
years ago, 'They' said 'ain't no such animule anymore')
I did take and passed the GROL, but no drawing or labeling
of schematics, all done on a computer.(Same for the radar
endorsement and the GMDSS...I know, 'cuz' I asked.)
So, if 'they' are still giving the code portion of
the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd RT license somewhere, I wish you'd
let me know.
'Doc

807. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38F22A72.F73ED6D2@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114545
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:

> "Dave Heil" <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in message
> news:38EFFD8C.8DC572EB@cats-net.com...
> >
> > You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
> > results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
> > "doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
> >
> > All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
> >
> > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>
> Gee, Dave ... I hate to be the one to tell you this, but the
> member bulletin announcement brought MANY "Keep up
> the good work!" and "Thanks for all of your work on our
> behalf ... you're doing a great job." sort of messages from
> the members who received the bulletin.
>
> But you couldn't conceive of conceeding that perhaps the
> reason there were no other nominations was based on the
> fact that the membership is very satisfied with the performance
> of the Board of Directors team that's been in place for the
> past couple of years.

Right, Carl. You're doing a great job. Keep up the good work.

> I can live with that ... I don't need YOUR approval.

Then why bother with the reply if you can live with it and don't need my
approval?

> The approval of the membership I represent is all I need.

That and this ashtray. That's all I need. (borrowed from the Steve
Martin film, "The Jerk")

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

808. Re: FA ICOM 706-It would be an antique radio by the time Lloyd gets hf priveledges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ctfboqbh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114546

Cheeta's Brother SPANKARD Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000410141145.23938.00001372@ng-md1.aol.com...
> >Translation: "Whaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa!!!" When Lloyd gets tough, he
uses
> >Don Knotts as his role model.
>
> I guess you just cant stop the comments can you?

Poor baby. Or in your case, Baby Huey-lookalike, huh 210 pound sawed-
off fatass?
Free speech in America..don't you just love it, Lloyd? <snicker>
It makes a Neo-Nazi like yourself cringe, doesn't it, Lloyd?

> >Poor Lloyd, it's tough when you know that a lot of people know you
> >couldn't pass an upgrade if your life depended upon it.
>
> Roger, have you said anything edifying to anyone on here?

Answer the damn question. However, to answer you, fool, I did say that
you're a credit to your profession of newsgroup/village IDIOT, Lloyd
the racist bastard.

> You need to start
> watching your own actions (ie 2 WARNING LETTERS)

Bwhahahahahahahahaha! Even an inbred like you can count to at least 1
warning letter. The other letter said NOTHING about being a warning. Of
course, you did go to fourth-rate schools, didn't you, Lloyd?

> I see that this back and forth posts are really going nowhere. I am
gonna no
> longer going to reply to you no longer.

Try it in English, dumbass.
Translation: "SPANK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!"

Spanking Lloyd is so easy.

> Bye Bye Wide-ASS!

Very telling, Lloyd. Expect a call from the Police about the mail
fraud, spankard.
I've already given them YOUR name and address.
Bwhahahahahahahahahahahaha!
I wonder what the Athens Chamber of Commerce would think if they knew
they had a "businessman" like you in their town.

And thanks for publicly admitting I beat you.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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809. Re: FA Drake R4-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LA8AK@online.no
Message-ID: <38f23b1d.92913973@news.online.no>
Source record: 114547
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 13:24:05 -0400, Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
wrote:

>This is NOT your average R4-C.
>
>Click on this link to find out more...
>
>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=305449161
>
>Thanks all.
>
>Neil, N1DMA
>
serial number?

810. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F20703.CF0BD1BB@oio.net>
Source record: 114548

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2-IR-082 Tim,
JUST WAIT A MINUTE! I got the 'Jersey area, you
find your own 'turff'.
'Doc
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811. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Xlrl4.1492$4w1.25663@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 114549

Congratulations Doc! I'm sorry to report that I've been on the dole all my life. I give full credit Rich to introducing me to this intriguing lifestyle. Gerd

> Now you tell me what you did for a living providing of course you haven't
> subsisted on welfare.

812. Excel logbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: VA2IDX <gaule@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <Myrl4.15050$2D6.432151@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 114550

Is there anyone that had tried to make a logbook using Excel. Is it worth
it or I am waisting my time.
Reply via my e-mail please

Thanks 73

VA2IDX

813. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.135c10f57dea1caf9898d7@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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In article <4VlI4.12115$y4.477014@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
tlutoot@bellsouth.net says...
>
> Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
> news:MPG.135b06f5433c6a559898d3@news.interactive.net...
> > In article <sf2bs1khcqv24@corp.supernews.com>, wa6vse@fast.net says...
> > > -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
> > > Hash: SHA1
> > >
> > > (the following is copied from an e-mail bulletin sent to
> > > the members of No Code International)
> > >
> > > ****************
> > > NCI Board Ratifies Bylaws Amendments
> > >
> > > On April 8, 2000, NCI's Board of Directors ratified several
> > > amendments to the Bylaws designed to improve the efficiency
> > > and effectiveness of the organization.
> > >
> > > To summarize, the changes are:
> > >
> > > 1) Added sections C, D, and E to Article V, stipulating that
> > > Directors serve on a purely volunteer basis, authorizing
> > > reimbursement of reasonable out-of-pocket expenses to
> > > Directors, and authorizing the Executive Director to make
> > > normal, routine expenditures from the NCI treasury account.
> > >
> > > 2) Added new Article IX providing for the formation of, structure
> > > of, and rules for National Chapters.
> > >
> > > 3) Renumbered former Article IX (Amendments to Bylaws) to Article X.
> > >
> > > The full text of the Bylaws, as amended may be viewed in either HTML
> > > or Adobe .pdf format on the NCI website at http://www.nocode.org.
> >
> > now being a "non member", not that there seems to be any membership other
> > the board..let me be the first to state
> >
> > I TOLD YOU ALL SO.
> > The board of directors has just voted itself
> > a free hand into the pockets of all so called
> > No COde members. The board can submit expenses
> > and them the board decides that the expenses
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> > be paid..as long as it's proper.
> > What a potential scam ;-)
>
> What a load of BS that is penned above.
>
> You listen-here Mr. Einstein....
>
> I have served on the Board of 2 ham clubs in Fla.
> It is perfectly legitimate for Officers
> of *any* IRS Tax Exempt Organization to use membership
> funds for expenses, provided they are used for club
> business. (and lodging expenses for/at Dayton IS
> a justified Club expense)

#1 Bevis, No COde is NOT an IRS tax exempt organization, having never filed with the state of Texas where their "corporate" papers are filed. #2, almost every legitimate organization allows the membership to have a say in the expenditure if THEIR funds. They ALLOW the executive committee certain liberties as to this point. The dirty dozen or so have circumvented this and therefore have opened up to piggy bank to themselves. Read the bylaws fool, they are accountable with organizational money only to themselves. Looks like 756Pro's all around and the membersheep have no say what so ever

>
> > Hmmm seems to me the 3 BoD members staying at the Crown Plaza during
> > Dayton @ $130 per night..well, I guess this goes without
> > saying this is probably a proper expense..at the
> > sheeps, err members expense
>
> SOUR GRAPES

truth hertz or what

>
> > I truly have seen it all when a so called national or
> > international organization allows itself and not
> > the membership at large complete and
> > total entree into a bank account.
>
> You have?? Then go tell this also to the: ARRL, United
> Way, United Auto Workers Union, Microsoft, US House of
> Representatives, National Model Railroad Assn, Siamese
> Cat Breeders Assn, General Motors, The Ford Foundation,
> Archer Daniels Midland Corp etc...

United Way?? Wll, once the members found that their president was spending money on a mistress, they put him in jail and tightened up the regs for free spending. As to the rest, if you honestly think that the above all for the total unregulated use of money then not only are you slippery, but you're stupid to.

>
> Go to school for a few nights for Business and Corporate
> Managememt. I might enlighten you. And again, I say to you
> sir: SOUR GRAPES.

Been there, got the sheepskin hanging on the wall, I might add. But
don;t remember any course in organizational theory that allow an
executive board to answer only to itself. In my book that usually
involves embezzling funds on a grand scale (not that this is what's going
to happen) but as I stated before, NoCode is not a group run by members
or even associates with a membership. It's 11 guys nothing more nothing
less. Read the bylaws...membership is almost something that they board
has to tolerate. What till they exceed the available funds and start
charging dues...let the fun begin

>
> > BTW, are these expenses tax deductible??
>
> Why bother answering you on this one? All you'll do
> is use my answer to twist it into your amusing brand
> of "Pretzel Logic". Go away.

go away?? ohhhh good come back

And BTW, should any of the board try to take deductions on their taxes,
they risk serious audits . but then again, who am I to say a you are the
seer and Dr genius I bow to your posterior intellect

--
Carpe Diem!!!!

814. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Schafer <gschafer@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <38F250C5.13B2A770@mediaone.net>
Source record: 114552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Thanks Walter for listing some of the "old questions".
I had forgotten how easy they really were! They seemed harder at the time though. I would have to say that today's tests are probably a little more involved than they were back then. Now there are many more aspects of electronics covered that were not then. Space communications, digital theory, solid state theory etc.

I wish that all the guys gripping about how "dumbed down" today's test are would go back and read some of the old questions.

Best regards
Gary K4FMX

Walter Gesundheit wrote:

> In article <8ct6vi$k9r$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
> > >Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in
> 1963. Those
> > >16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?
> >
> > Why not post the questions contained in that study guide rather than
> > counting the number of its pages?
> > 73, Jeff KH6O
>
> My 1955 ARRL General Study Guide (11 pages) had questions like --
>
> "Name the basic units of electrical resistance, inductance,
> capacitance, current, and electromotive force."
>
> "Why is full-wave rectification generally preferable to half-wave
> rectification in a power supply?"
>
> "Why is a bleeder resistor connected across the output circuit of a
> high-voltage power supply system?"
>
> "What radio messages have priority over all other communications?"
>
> "On what frequencies may a licensee holding General Class amateur
> privileges operate?" (Answer: All amateur frequencies!)
>
> "What power input should an amateur station use for a particular

> communication when the maximum legal input is 1 kw?" (Trick question,
> Jeff, watch out!)
>
> "What is meant by the harmonic of a fundamental frequency?"
>
> "What is the FCC regulation regarding transmission of music by an
> amateur ratio-telephone station for testing purposes?"
>
> "What are the undesirable effects of overmodulation in radiotelephony?"
>
> "What is the formula for finding the resonant frequency of a tuned
> circuit?"
>
> "What effect does the Q of a circuit have on harmonic output?"
>
> Pretty similar to todays questions!
>
> And thats the way it was!
>
> Walter
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

815. ARLX051: Beau Beau and friends strike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ctkrffj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114553

ZCZC
ARLX051
April 10, 2000
Newington, CT

To All Radio Amateurs:

According to the FCC, Beau Beau "the Wonder Chimp," in charge of the recent revision of the amateur question pools, has staged a one primate sit down strike. Upon seeing the chimp refuse to return to his job inspecting exam results and processing applications for amateurs, his friends also refused to go back to work filing said forms away on the bottoms of their cages. Others have refused to enter data into the FCC's advanced licensing computer system, announced to amateurs in an ARRL Bulletin two weeks ago first as CORE, but now known as CRAP.

Riley Hollingsworth, in charge of the FCC pooper scooper (a job he was given after his successful run of amateur "enforcement") noted, "it was monkey see, monkey do".

FCC is investigating whether these strikes are related to those staged last week at the ARRL by the chimp who formulated their 5 and 12 wpm proposal to the FCC, Big Boo Boo, also known to contesters world-wide as K1ZZ.

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816. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F257BB.E9074858@icss.net>
Source record: 114554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> >
> > Dave Heil wrote:
> > > I'll have my chance to run? The day I even join NCI you should prepare
> > > for the second coming. I'm not in need of a "gimme".
> > >
> > > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
> >
> > You are needful of understanding the concept of unnecessary government
> > regulation.
>
> ...and I'll be happy to provide you a definition of a "gimme".
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN

Knock yourself out.

817. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F25831.5BFD536C@icss.net>
Source record: 114555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >
> > Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> > >Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
> > >in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
> > >people taking tests to get licenses (as reported in The ARRL
> > >Letter of April 7 and other places). That probably really frosts
> > >Dave ... he'll actually have to share "his" HF bands with new
> > >folks.
> >
> > Here, those taking tests are also taking the 13 and/or 20 wpm tests,
> > too. The rush is to upgrade *prior* to mid-April.
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> That's great. Dave doesn't get frosted by new folks. Dave gets frosted
> by the lowering of the standards in order to pass out an HF "gimme".
> Dave will even QSO Carl in a pileup when he is busy "experimenting".
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN

Dave who? Are you now appearing in the newsgroup in the 3rd person?

818. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net>
Message-ID: <SJsI4.34$Yk1.445@reader1.interactive.net>
Source record: 114556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic go on?

JP

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8c0iqn$p5e$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Wayne Woodhams <wwoodhamsNOwwSPAM@vcnet.com.invalid> wrote:
> > But unless
> >something had massively changed in the hobby, it was doomed to go down
> >the tubes.
>
> Your prediction is older than you are: In "...1922 many radio
> magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung away
> from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying the
> end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

819. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <t1m4fsc5bcp0m8hmjrrmkdabta0ubmqfe0@4ax.com>
Source record: 114557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 18:35:09 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>Right on....someone finally said it the way it is....So whats your
>solution?
>
>Dan/W4NTI

This coming from one of the biggest potty mouths & trouble makers on
radio. Listen to Dan cry and curse nightly on 3.901.Dan hopes the
radio renegade WB2OTK comes back so they can once again terrorize the
75 meter band.

820. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <F2DACF01642FD38A.AF51DF8880F2EDA9.202F297BA7280080@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

DITTO...same 'ol politics gets old after a while. I was stupid enough once to think it would change once the "older folks" (no disrespect intended) became less active. But, lo and behold, there's folks even my age who are on to the political game. Oh well....let them have it....

Kim W5TIT

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in article <8ct6ss$gc3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> In article <8csunu$6q8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> > How many of you have found a new hobby or are shifting your interests
> > and funds over to another since December 31 ?
> >
> > I don't care much about the new exams anymore. I will continue to
> > comment on how moronic they've become. But US ham radio is in trouble
> > because no one is going to sit at a desk and listen to old buzzards
> yap
> > endlessly on the air. No one is going to pay 1200 for a decent ham
> > station. You could buy two PCs for that. Or a PC and a lot of cellular
> > calls.
> >
> > Those who think that any opposition aired to the new exams is because
> of
> > we think the sky is falling, are wrong. The problems of rudeness,
> > litigious spirit on air (i.e. fights constantly), and poor operating
> > practice are the result of a greater problem at hand in the US, not
> > because the exams were made into even more special ed material. This
> > problem is not as bad in Europe. (out will come the DXers to counter
> > this)
> >
> > Hence, you could lower the code test to 0 wpm, or raise it to 50 wpm
> > both here and France, or any other EU country, and find that the US
> will
> > ALWAYS turn up the worst operators, boring people, people who always
> run
> > their amps wide open or people with special ed mentalities.
> >
> > I just became VERY bored with ham radio suddenly since December 31. I
> > think I started listening for the first time in years and the whole
> > thing is disgusting. Furthermore, ARRL announcements of enforcement
> > improvements without any fines being collected are just a waste of tax
> > dollars that I'm dealing with through other avenues.
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/

> > Before you buy.
> >
> Right on....someone finally said it the way it is....So whats your
> solution?
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

821. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F25A43.F306A3B@icss.net>
Source record: 114559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Schafer wrote:

> Thanks Walter for listing some of the "old questions".
> I had forgotten how easy they really were! They seemed harder at the time
> though. I would have to say that today's tests are probably a little more
> involved than they were back then. Now there are many more aspects of
> electronics covered that were not then. Space communications, digital
> theory, solid state theory etc.
>
> I wish that all the guys gripping about how "dumbed down" today's test are
> would go back and read some of the old questions.
>
> Best regards
> Gary K4FMX

Gary, if they actually look at the new question pools and still think they're easy, its because they don't understand the questions.

Brian

822. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <0056465985C232EA.E1C60F4B5073D778.39BD5022B3647EE6@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in article
<38F22A72.F73ED6D2@cats-net.com>...
> Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
>
> > "Dave Heil" <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in message
> > news:38EFFD8C.8DC572EB@cats-net.com...
> > >
> > > You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
> > > results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
> > > "doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
> > >
> > > All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
> > >
> > > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
> >
> > Gee, Dave ... I hate to be the one to tell you this, but the
> > member bulletin announcement brought MANY "Keep up
> > the good work!" and "Thanks for all of your work on our
> > behalf ... you're doing a great job." sort of messages from
> > the members who received the bulletin.
> >
> > But you couldn't conceive of conceeding that perhaps the
> > reason there were no other nominations was based on the
> > fact that the membership is very satisfied with the performance
> > of the Board of Directors team that's been in place for the
> > past couple of years.
>
> Right, Carl. You're doing a great job. Keep up the good work.
>
> > I can live with that ... I don't need YOUR approval.
>
> Then why bother with the reply if you can live with it and don't need my
> approval?
>
> > The approval of the membership I represent is all I need.
>
> That and this ashtray. That's all I need. (borrowed from the Steve
> Martin film, "The Jerk")
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>

Oh, yeah, and you're the shinola, Dave.

Kim W5TIT

823. Re: Excel logbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin John Hallsworth <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <955407113.369.0.nnrp-03.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 114561

Hi I have though about it but not had a go yet.
As a log book is a database I think that Access may be
better suited to the sort of searches that a dx award / square
chaser might want to do.....

73 Martin

VA2IDX wrote in message ...
>Is there anyone that had tried to make a logbook using Excel. Is it worth
>it or I am waisting my time.
>Reply via my e-mail please
>
>Thanks 73
>
>VA2IDX
>
>

824. Re: Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <38F24CD2.59C9@nospam.com>
Source record: 114562

W5LZ wrote:
>
> Jim,
> When did you take the Radiotelegraph test? Couldn't
> have been recently, 'cuz' they don't give them anymore.
> Or, I guess I should say that they aren't being given
> in the central part of the US,(tried to take it several
> years ago, 'They' said 'ain't no such animule anymore')
> I did take and passed the GROL, but no drawing or labeling
> of schematics, all done on a computer.(Same for the radar
> endorsement and the GMDSS...I know, 'cuz' I asked.)
> So, if 'they' are still giving the code portion of
> the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd RT license somewhere, I wish you'd
> let me know.
> 'Doc

The First and Second Radiotlegraph are still being given as well as the Six Months Service Endorsement. I don't know anything about the Third Class Radiotelegraph---I never sat for that one---but according to the regulations it is being given also. The license is still listed in CFR Title 47 Part 13:
http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/get-cfr.cgi?TITLE=47&PART=13&SECTION=201&TYPE=TEXT

The FCC website also has the requirements for the telegraph licenses at:
http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/commoperators/Welcome.html

The exams are now being given by the same folks that give the GROL---ISCET: http://www.iscet.org/ or check with other COLEM's. I called ISCET to schedule a code test for the First Class Radiotelegraph.

If you are going to sit for the exam you better hit the used book stores for study guides---you are going to be tested on 1960's technology. If enough desire it I can provide a list of old study guides for the radiotelegraph exam.

Furthermore, I need to renew my Second Class 'graph' ticket and I just downloaded all the required forms from the FCC website. Besides that, the Coast Guard sent me renewal forms fot the Radio Officer license as well. And guys, you get a real FCC certificate---with you photograph on it! It even looks better than the certificate I got when I took the Extra---how many of you remember that Extra Class certificate?

825. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <27FABDE2FAEC20AF.E8AD65366C1AA070.0B4F991997305ACC@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

John wrote in article <t1m4fsc5bcp0m8hmjrrmkdabta0ubmqfe0@4ax.com>...
> On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 18:35:09 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> >Right on....someone finally said it the way it is....So whats your
> >solution?
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
>
> This coming from one of the biggest potty mouths & trouble makers on
> radio. Listen to Dan cry and curse nightly on 3.901.Dan hopes the
> radio renegade WB2OTK comes back so they can once again terrorize the
> 75 meter band.
>

So? To use your analogy, that would mean that *anyone* with a valid thought or, at a minimum, a thought worthy of consideration, should be discounted because you disagree with most of their other ideas? That'd be like me discrediting some of the very valid thoughts that Dave Heil, or Steve Robeson, or whomever else I general disagree with, just because of who they are. Doesn't make sense to me...

Kim W5TIT

826. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3A6A016C1BA873E7.851D34EB3E4741EE.4D0AF4F53EA8AF14@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote in article <38F25831.5BFD536C@icss.net>...
> Dave Heil wrote:
>
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > >
> > > Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> > > >Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
> > > >in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
> > > >people taking tests to get licenses (as reported in The ARRL
> > > >Letter of April 7 and other places). That probably really frosts
> > > >Dave ... he'll actually have to share "his" HF bands with new
> > > >folks.
> > >
> > > Here, those taking tests are also taking the 13 and/or 20 wpm tests,
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> >
> > That's great. Dave doesn't get frosted by new folks. Dave gets frosted
> > by the lowering of the standards in order to pass out an HF "gimme".
> > Dave will even QSO Carl in a pileup when he is busy "experimenting".
> >
> > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>
> Dave who? Are you now appearing in the newsgroup in the 3rd person?
>
>

I've got just enough time tonight, Brian, for a:

ROFLMAO....!!!!!

Kim W5TIT
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827. Re: So Much for the Great Detectives

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38F2622A.3096B9C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:

> What was the behavior on the tape? How did it get on tape if not
> recorded over the air? Just curious....

Don't know. They don't say just exactly what happened,
and that's part of my point- Sheeple started yelling
"Off with his head!" and dancing around orgasmicly
when no real evidence had been presented.
The accusation alone is good enough for them.
Madame DeFarge and the members of The Committee would be proud.

> .....they must be adopting tactics from their DNC Masters
> and making the accusation first. Conformity by intimidation.

Exactly. Thou hast struck the nail squarely, sir.

73 Dave S.

828. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Amendments or Fleecing the FLock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.135c23b53ea7039a9898da@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38F1BEFE.A6B13AD7@icss.net>, burke1@icss.net says...
> Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
>
> > -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
> > Hash: SHA1
> >
> > "Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ)" <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
> > news:MPG.135b06f5433c6a559898d3@news.interactive.net...
> >
> > > Just remember absolute power corrupts absolutely
> >
> > Just remember that when you sit down in front of a keyboard your
> > personality disorder comes to the surface. Actually, I hear that
> > in person you're not nearly so irrational.

I guess coming from Carl, I should take that as a compliment, back handed
that it might be
> >
> > - --
> > Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse
>
> Carl, true he's a nut when on the group. I don't know what he's like in
> person, so I cannot comment. Most have quit responding to him although I
> understand the need to respond to his baseless accusations about NCI. He just
> gets shriller and shriller and shriller. You'll see what I mean ;^).
>
>

no what do you mean?

Time will tell. It always does. But I will state that past experience
shows that this scenerio plays out as scripted. Watch for dues being
assessed to the membersheep. Better yet, even before that, ask to see
the books. Ask for a copy of the IRS Tax exempt filing that No COde HAS
to submit. As a member, you are legally entitled that. See what
happens. The run around you'll get would put the Kentucky Colonels to
shame.

But knowing you Brian, you'd just as soon graze the fields being
peacefully shorn.. BBBAAAAAA Bbbaaaaaa

But if that's what you want, I got a great investment idea. It's called
a Ponzi plan and it's for fools just like you. All you need to do is
give me $15000 and I can guarantee you 33% return on your investment in
10 months. Up for some easy money?

Go back to sleep Brian, you're wearing yourself outby trying to think.
Better yet, stand up and give your brain a little relief from your
sitting on it

--
Carpe Diem!!!!

829. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#NEdCk0o$GA.233@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in 1963. Those
>16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?

Hard? Easy? Isn't that kind of a silly way to judge an exam? Shouldn't the objective of an exam be to show that the applicant actually knows the material?

My 1949 ARRL license manual devotes only 13 pages to the electronics portion of the written needed for the top license. Here is ARRL's explanation in 1949. The philosophy is quite different than it is now. (The * are mine)

"The questions and answers in this booklet are designed to give you all the *knowledge* you need to answer correctly the actual examination questions. But it should be emphasized that the questions we list here are *not the actual questions in the license examination, nor do they correspond question for question to similar examination items*. What they are, however, are carefully prepared items *designed to insure that you have the necessary knowledge* to cope with the actual test queries."
[skip some]
"There may be several questions in the exact exam revolving around one simple discussion in this manual, *but when you understand the subject* you can readily check off the answers to any number of questions on it."

IMO the questions needed for full privileges are much less technically difficult than given in today's General Class exam. However the emphasis on *learning the material* makes much more sense than today's published question/answer engineering level manual making memorization possible (and mandatory for many non-technical people).

BTW, in the amateur radio regulations portion of the 1949 license manual, there are no questions or answers at all. They simply reprint 11 pages of excerpts from the Communications Act of 1934, leaving you to study and learn them. Refreshing...

830. The movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnom@mucks.net
Message-ID: <9bv4fsktsqhkub9cmi7qkc0cva8d4slmkt@4ax.com>
Source record: 114568

The movie Frequency comes out on April 15. This movie uses an old amateur radio as a prop and link to the past.

Is it just a coincidence that it opens on the 15th?

831. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Adams <ke8hh@SPAMFREE.arrl.net>
Message-ID: <2B0AAF6B7C0B3E2A.5B8355663F0C9793.095CA84754C6A0DC@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114569

On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 08:13:09 +1000, "janssenjq"
<janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net> wrote:

>Of course you are right Rick. I just finished a 3 year assignment in
>Vietnam..Hanoi no less. People there live under what we consider a
>repressive government. Most people in VN howwever are not
>communists..they're as apathetic about politcs as Americans. What matters
>most there, as I suspect from my travels in Latin America goes for Cuba, is
>FAMILY. The VN wouldn't and don't understand the way some Amercians parade
>politics all over the world as "we know what's best for you folks". And
>they certainly don't understand how we could hold on to a child when his
>father is willing and able to care for him. Neither do I.
> I wonder if this his Doc fellow has ever been anywhere? No matter, as an
>American he can talk talk talk----no experience necessary.
>
>In any case, this discussion continues all over the internet and
>convention/etiquette dictate that it shouldn't take place in here.

I agree, John.

My only reason for entering it was to at least lend one more
voice to the non-jingoistic side. As surprising as it may be to some
of the participants of this newsgroup, there are quite a number of
Cuban hams, at least some of whom undoubtedly read this newsgroup--and
I wouldn't want them to think that _all_ of us are as bigoted against
their nation as some more vocal participants are.

When Jingoism raises its head, intelligence often goes out the
window. Ham radio should lead to a greater understanding of other
cultures and peoples--and it's always a bit frustrating to see
individuals who have every opportunity to grow in this manner choose
to allow prejudice to govern their views instead of experience.

73, Rick

--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@arrl.net
adamsr@voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

832. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38F28659.2B7D83D6@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114570

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Good grief Dwight, you can't believe what you write. I was indoctrinated by
> my parents to hate Castro when that man allowed Russian nuclear missiles to
> be installed on his island to blackmail and imperil the USA? Are you nuts?
> You're as naive as Little Red Riding Hood. You actually believe that people
> are happy on that island? Then explain why so many have escaped and God
> knows how many would love to. Castro is no Leninist? All Red are. He's their
> head honcho who took theories by Marx and Engels and put them into practice.
> You simply don't understand history or appreciate the cruelty of that thing
> called communism. Your mind is pliable and malleable and if you think
> there's so much freedom on Cuba, pack up and move there. Good riddance!

Rick Adams wrote just about everything I could say in response to your message, so I'll just let his message also serve as my answer (thanks, Rick, for a well thought out response).

And, with that, I'll discontinue my participation in this discussion (as I said once before).

Take care all.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

833. FT: TH-22AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sf538dldcqv21@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114571
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it for an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to work....but i think the battery may be dead...runs fine on org wall adapter.....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case you dont allready know...

http://www.sky-radio.com/kenwood/th42.html

834. Re: Questions about SSTV, JVFAX and the MFJ-1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F269C0.FB9FE1BF@oio.net>
Source record: 114572

Chuck,
There are two SSTV modes primarily used, 'Scotty-1',
and 'Martin-1'. As for JVFAX, I don't think you could
have picked a harder program to set-up and use. If your
using Windows for an operating system, there are several
programs MUCH easier to use and which produce a much higher
quality picture. Just for 'grins' try 'W95SSTV', it's
shareware and 'childs-play' after JVFAX.
'Doc

835. Re: New guy with questions: ATTN W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F26781.878B901A@oio.net>
Source record: 114573

POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE wrote:
>
> PLEASE show me where a 'tech' can operate legally on ten meters.
> Are you really an 'Extra'? A no code tech can only operate on
> frequencies above 50 mhz....
>
Possum',
Where did you see 'no-code' Tech. in my message?
'Doc

836. Re: Inbred John makes an ASS of of himself, AGAIN!!! (or AS USUAL!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8crdrsifs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114584

<dtolietlassi@my-deja.com> the toilet lap dog, whimpered in message
news:8cr2p3$74e$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> KC8JBO, he mentioned your call sign on the Raine

"Rain"

> Report. You need a
> lawer and SUE for damages. It must have caused you mental anguish to

At least I have something to cause anguish, unlike the incredible
shrinking brain Toiletssi, who flunked the Advanced test because bugs
were biting him.

> here your call sign referanced to jammer.

"Referenced"

>God knows you would never jam

But the FCC knows YOU played digital recordings, don't they?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

837. FS: Tek 465M O'scope w/manuals & probes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: plrjer@visi.net
Message-ID: <38F13B70.3C982D53@visi.net>
Source record: 114585

I have the following equipment for sale. All equipment is in excellent condition and will return payment less shipping if buyer is not satisfied.

Tektronix 465M 100 MHz Oscilloscope w/power cord
10X probe and 1X probe
Operations manual
Operations and maintenance manual w/schematic inserts

Asking $325 for all plus S&H. Will only ship to Continental U.S. and Canada
Please email if you have any questions. I can also send pics via email if you are interested.
James

838. Capt.Truth, Bill Sims, and other QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cris2$o1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114586

Capt. Truth, Bill Sims, Jim Overfeld and Big Al Abernasty, all QRMers alike except for one difference. Capt. Truth got caught. Bill Sims can't answer this because he broke both arms patting himself on the back for turning in another QRMer. Just no honor among QRMers these days. If the other two could sober up long enough to answer, I'd really be surprised.Capt. Truth did about one percent of the malicious interference that the other three did, but they objected to the competition. They, not Capt. Truth, named him The Sodomizer, Capt. Sod, and a host of other vulgar names unfit to print. If you took into consideration the antics of the above mentioned stumpsuckers, Capt. Truths minor interference wouldn't be worth talking about. If these three stumpsuckers and about four more of their group were taken off the air, Riley could take a nine month vacation, every year. Can I get an amen?

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

839. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8crlipprd1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
>in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
>people taking tests to get licenses (as reported in The ARRL
>Letter of April 7 and other places). That probably really frosts
>Dave ... he'll actually have to share "his" HF bands with new
>folks.

Here, those taking tests are also taking the 13 and/or 20 wpm tests,
too. The rush is to upgrade *prior* to mid-April.

Jeff

840. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8crm50$r8e$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114588

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:

>(the following is copied from an e-mail bulletin sent to
>the members of No Code International)

That's more like it. You should have been making all bulletins
available to the newsgroups, as Bill said, "...just like the
ARRL."

>NCI Board Ratifies Bylaws Amendments
>
>On April 8, 2000, NCI's Board of Directors ratified several
>amendments to the Bylaws designed to improve the efficiency
>and effectiveness of the organization.
>1) Added sections C, D, and E to Article V, stipulating that
>Directors serve on a purely volunteer basis, authorizing
>reimbursement of reasonable out-of-pocket expenses to
>Directors, and authorizing the Executive Director to make
>normal, routine expenditures from the NCI treasury account.

Good luck filling out the tax forms.

Jeff

841. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8crmk0rlt1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>"Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ)" wrote:

>> The board of directors has just voted itself a free hand into the pockets
>> of all so called No COde members. The board can submit expenses and them
>> the board decides that the expenses be paid..as long as it's proper.
>> What a potential scam ;-)

>As a non-member you have NO business even commenting on this.

Gee, that's pretty harsh, Carl. Is that in the by-laws?

>Just remember that when you sit down in front of a keyboard your
>personality disorder comes to the surface.

I wonder if I'll ever see the day when Carl can reply in a gentlemanly
manner.

Jeff

842. logbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: keith duffy <keith.g0vcl@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <%ieI4.2810$hh6.87479@news2-win.server.ntlworld.com>
Source record: 114590
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,pnet.rec.radio.amateur.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tnn.radio.amateur

a comprehensive collection of snapshots on this site to view amlog logging program
you can now see what it looks like before you download
snaps not finished but we are getting there

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WEBSITE http://freespace.virgin.net/keith.g0vcl/amlog4.htm

843. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8cs1if$6rf3o$1@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

"Barf Tisher" <k1oink@yahoo.com> wrote:
>If you look at my page carefully

I didn't do that, since looking at point1 1-13 in your usual
BS-posting seemed to be enough to get the drift.

Burt, out of work? Else, how do you get there these days? Did some
reasonable guy piss into the tank of your Austro-German playtoy, the Puch?

VERE IS ZE MOPED???

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

844. Re: Give Riley a Break

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cs5nq$ls4$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114592

<tennish@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8cr3kl$816$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <20000405022145.14354.00002235@ng-md1.aol.com>,
> rfemitter@aol.com (Rfemitter) wrote:
>
> > "Lawyers Suck" the life out of every society they prey upon.
> > They entangle themselves in government for the power it gives
> > them and they then pass laws that will benefit their guild
> > brothers and sisters. Esquires are of title and as per the
> > original 13th amendment, should never be allowed in government.
>
> The usual crap 'bout the "Titles of Nobility Amendment" which was not
> ratified. For a comprehensive look at the bizarre myths some hate groups
> have created about this "amendment": <www.nyx.net/~jsilvers/
> nobility.html>.

Okay, Mr. Smarty Pants: Why do YOU think Prince changed his name to an
unpronounceable symbol?

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

845. Re: Burt the troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <38F1E177.5BBA@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 114593

I would think you would update the "Troll-0-meter" to the new backlit,
LCD, digital model instead of depending on the old analog variety.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> >> Burt is a troll.
>
> >Brenden is a liar,
>
> The moment of truth -- is Burt a troll:
>
> 0 2 4 6 8 10
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> TROLL-O-METER
> (courtesy K0HB)
>
> Sorry, Burt -- it looks as if Brenden was telling the truth. The
> Troll-o-meter is accurate to +/-0.000001%

846. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8csd3nrfl1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114594

In article <38F137BC.4FD6CFA4@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart
<stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
> Still twisting the truth. In Cuba, he would have a "clean home,
> wholesome food, a car instead of a horse drawn cart, and good medical
> and dental care." He could also have a dog, pizza, and toys.
>
> Every child, even in America, receives some "home indoctrination" from
> the parents to install their values and beliefs (obviously you were
> indoctrinated by your parents to hate castro).
>
> And I have no idea where you got the Leninist stuff from (as far as I
> know, Castro is no Leninist).

Good grief Dwight, you can't believe what you write. I was indoctrinated by my parents to hate Castro when that man allowed Russian nuclear missiles to be installed on his island to blackmail and imperil the USA? Are you nuts? You're as naive as Little Red Riding Hood. You actually believe that people are happy on that island? Then explain why so many have escaped and God knows how many would love to. Castro is no Leninist? All Red are. He's their head honcho who took theories by Marx and Engels and put them into practice. You simply don't understand history or appreciate the cruelty of that thing called communism. Your mind is pliable and malleable and if you think there's so much freedom on Cuba, pack up and move there. Good riddance!

847. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.135b8258d20d26439898d4@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8crmk0rlt1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >"Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ)" wrote:
>
> >> The board of directors has just voted itself a free hand into the pockets
> >> of all so called No COde members. The board can submit expenses and them
> >> the board decides that the expenses be paid..as long as it's proper.
> >> What a potential scam ;-)
>
> >As a non-member you have NO business even commenting on this.
>
> Gee, that's pretty harsh, Carl. Is that in the by-laws?
>
> >Just remember that when you sit down in front of a keyboard your
> >personality disorder comes to the surface.
>
> I wonder if I'll ever see the day when Carl can reply in a gentlemanly
> manner.
>

nah. Carl can't practice what he preaches. Few dictators can. Funny how he posts to a public group full of non members and then expects NO responses. Obviously Herr Dictator misses see his name in lights or print. Funny that he sends all this crap to the sheep and then feels the need to inform all the non members of the same Hmmmm

Well, let the games begin. Lemme see

I drove to Wash DC $249.95 for gas $249.99 for tolls $249.99 for food (I've seen the pictures and Carl looks like he doesn't stop at the salad bar to often) All under the $250 approval rate....Collect $200 at GO or PAYDAY of course, Carl will refuse the money and deduct from his taxes for this a legit non profit organization that still hasn't filed their status

BTW, where's my $30. Seems no one showed up to small claims court 2 weeks ago. I won a judgement of $30 plus $12 court costs. Next step, file a claim in Texas. Wow, is the court system great or what

Just remember, everything Carl says is now OFFICIAL NoCode policy Can't get any better than this
--
Carpe Diem!!!!

848. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F1BEFE.A6B13AD7@icss.net>
Source record: 114596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:

> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
> Hash: SHA1
>
> "Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ)" <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
> news:MPG.135b06f5433c6a559898d3@news.interactive.net...
>
> > Just remember absolute power corrupts absolutely
>
> Just remember that when you sit down in front of a keyboard your
> personality disorder comes to the surface. Actually, I hear that
> in person you're not nearly so irrational.
>
> - --
> Carl R. Stevenson - wa6vse

Carl, true he's a nut when on the group. I don't know what he's like in person, so I cannot comment. Most have quit responding to him although I understand the need to respond to his baseless accusations about NCI. He just gets shriller and shriller and shriller. You'll see what I mean ;^).

849. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F1BF58.F861520@icss.net>
Source record: 114597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
> >in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
> >people taking tests to get licenses (as reported in The ARRL
> >Letter of April 7 and other places). That probably really frosts
> >Dave ... he'll actually have to share "his" HF bands with new
> >folks.
>
> Here, those taking tests are also taking the 13 and/or 20 wpm tests,
> too. The rush is to upgrade *prior* to mid-April.
>
> Jeff

Everywhere else they're stuffing their pockets with CSCE's waiting for
the paperwork only sessions on 15 APR.

850. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Slippery <tlutoot@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <VojI4.3692$q67.66685@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:oz5I4.22961$Of2.792455@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net...
> If you look at my page carefully you will find a
> comedy routine on the oxymoron, ham sex.

And thank glub that ham-sex IS an oxymoron Burt!

If you could have *seen* some of the goofballs I have
seen at Dayton over the years, you would be glad like
I am that they have NOT taken to procreation. I am
sorry, but anyone who *wears* an antenna atop a hard-hat
needs to be purged from the pool of the human genome.

851. Re: AF2Y: Who the hell does KT4TR think he is?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F1E188.E3D62334@ahole.com>
Source record: 114599

dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <8ckqc5$3ub$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > Here's a message I got this morning referencing Gerd Henjes:
> >
> > Hi doc Gerd is W2ISB an is the president of the LARC amateur repeater
> club,
> > inc of Liverpool New York. an he is a major JERK he's the hole
> in
> > ass.....73
> > ----- Original Message -----
> > The name's been omitted to protect confidentiality since I have many
> many
> > agents doing fine cloak and dagger work. Apparently the person who
> said that
> > Henjes is TR's wife's maiden name was pulling my leg or nose since
> both are
> > long and I extend my apologies to Mrs. Youngblood for any
> inconvenience or
> > embarrassment I caused although being married to TR causes more.
> >
>
> You would be better off leaving kt4tr alone --before you get spanked
> again, Doc.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

852. Re: Capt.Truth, Bill Sims, and other QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8csi9r$p5i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114600

In article <8cris2$o1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
sledgehammer007@my-deja.com wrote:
> Capt. Truth, Bill Sims, Jim Overfeld and Big Al Abernasty, all QRMers
> alike except for one difference. Capt. Truth got caught. Bill Sims
> can't answer this because he broke both arms patting himself on the
> back for turning in another QRMer. Just no honor among QRMers these
> days. If the other two could sober up long enough to answer, I'd
really
> be surprised.Capt. Truth did about one percent of the malicious
> interference that the other three did, but they objected to the
> competition. They, not Capt. Truth, named him The Sodomizer, Capt.
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> Truths minor interference wouldn't be worth talking about. If these
> three stumpsuckers and about four more of their group were taken off
> the air, Riley could take a nine month vacation, every year. Can I get
> an amen?
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Amen, brother, amen.............LOL!
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

853. Re: NTI vs. FQF; I'm With FQF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F1E548.1FAEBEF@ahole.com>
Source record: 114601

Bob, you need to be able to go into the mind of FQF to tell what he
is trying to do when he gets on 275. But since FQF has no mind he
is there just to cause trouble.

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> Sorry, Dan. I have to agree with FQF on this particular issue. He is
> on 275 for the same reason I'm on 313. For you, it may be stirring the
> pot; for me, it is a "sit-in" to properly make every frequency available
> to every licensed amateur.
>
> Let's assume regularity until we see irregularity. Then, we can post
> benignly with specifics that everyone can follow and which are subjected
> to scrutiny. Justice and fair play aren't something that can be rammed
> through by one guy bypassing the customary safeguards of free speech..
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

854. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410084016.06405.00000206@nso-fs.aol.com>
Source record: 114602

In article <VojI4.3692$q67.66685@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Slippery"
<tlutoot@bellsouth.net> writes:

> I am
>sorry, but anyone who *wears* an antenna atop a hard-hat
>needs to be purged from the pool of the human genome.

But, is that really any worse than people you'll see anywhere else, such as,

Fans at College Football Games? You should see some of the get-ups there!
Ever been to a Sci-Fi convention? I haven't, but from the newsclips I see,
hamfests are pretty tame compared to them. :)))
How about a bluegrass, folk, alternatitive, or rock music festival?
Computer Fest?

We're not so different after all :))))

855. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F1E9E2.4A8BA434@ahole.com>
Source record: 114603

Try again Polly. The reason is because you so called BARFIES
SQUEEEEEL like a pig to HAP every time you want to make trouble with
one of the "Goodfellows".

w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Have you noticed the amateurs receiving letters are
> exclusively "Goodfellows" , Must be a reason, I know, they are qrmers
> and deserve the letters.
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
> In article <8co9ni$a7e$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > I'll lay 10-1 that Riley DELETES Polly's complaint. "Dumbo" is an
> > irresponsible liar, instigator and troublemaker.
> >
> > ----------
> > In article <8clqdjptb1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-
> deja.com>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >> The truth is, Paul WB8FIH Qrmed me and I reported him, If you do
> the
> > >> same you will be reported. simple as that . As far as my religion
> is
> > >> concerned it is none of your business, My God, do you want to tell
> > >> people what religion to follow also.
> > >> It seems that you would like to be a dictator, you little tin horn
> > > fake.
> > >>
> > >> W4FQF Since 1952
> >
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

856. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F1EBE2.A788589C@ahole.com>
Source record: 114604

Dan, one think we can look forward to is that the CW portion of the
bands will have plenty of room to operate in.

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>
> In article <8co768$78h$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> >However are you serious when
> > writing that the FCC HOPES deregulation starts a war whereby they can
> end
> > ham radio? I disagree. Why would there by a concerted effort to
> destroy the
> > money making capabilities of electronics manufacturers and retailers?
> >
>
> Yes I'm serious. Its been, what 2 or 3 years, now that the legislation
> for replacing "stolen" ham freqs was sent to congress? And it still
> has not passed. That is proof to me there is something wrong here.
>
> And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
> talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
> will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.
>
> As for the manufactures and retailers...not to worry. They will just
> jump into the new digital technology and the demand for "new" equipment
> to be sold to fill up the new frequencies they will get. You know,
> like 432MHZ, and 146.
>
> Ever hear of LEO? Where do you think they will go? Thats right Doc.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

857. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dybao <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <38F1C125.6BB@nospam.com>
Source record: 114605

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to .313
> and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag KT4TR telling everyone that little
> Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba with his red herring poppa. Like
> hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave that kid here! Wanna know why? Here's
> some reasons. First of all, the kid's mother DIED bringing the child to
> freedom? The U.S.A. is to let her die in vain? Since when doesn't this
> country recognize the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression? (sniped)

I've been following the issue since it started---I live in Florida. I
have yet to hear of a similar situation to the one I learned about a
year ago. No recent reportage, to my knowledge, has yet been made in
the conventional and alternative news media of this parallel case to
that of Elian Gonzalez.

On or around November/December 1998 I heard a feature news story on
NPR/PRI radio 'All Things Considered'. Apparently, a youngster from a
country in Central America (Hounduras perhaps) was being held in a Texan
jail after being capture by INS agents as an illegal alien. The news
report went on to state that the youngster had come from a particularly
difficult location and was one of thousands of illegimate children
roaming the streets selling themselves in prostitution in order to buy
drugs or plastic bags filled with glue or solvents that they sniff.
Other childeren don't fare as well, they end up dead from gang violence
or worse! An investigative news team went to where this fellow came
from and the interviews and experiences gained there tended to confirm
the story.

The report continued that the fellow in jail, with the aid of a support
group, applied to the US for political assylum. Unfortuately, it was
reported that the US had no provisions to accept requests for assylum
from children. The report ended by stating that the issue was in the
process of being reviewed by the US Supreme Court and hopefully a
favorable decision would be granted---the acceptance of requests of
political assylum from children.

What I found interesting in this report was the mention of controversy
centering upon the issue of political assylum requests from children.
There was a developing fear that if this fellow was granted political
assylum it would establish a precedent for tens of thousands of children
to emigrate from countries like Thailand, Brazil, Columbia, Mexico,
Venezuela, countries of Africa and Central America... A situation that
some found to be threatening to the health and welfare of this country
not only from disease, but from gang bred violent behavior. It was

pointed out that the US simply could not meet the needs of these hoards of illegimate children coming into the country presenting problems with schooling, hospitalization and care for the diseased (AIDS). Simply put, children that were born and bred, raised in the streets of third world countries, would not be able to socialize properly to their new home in the US and become a serious social and economic problem. Believe me, having travelled to many of those countries I understand what they are saying!

I never heard the outcome of that case. My law professor, a juvenille judge, had nothing to add or comment beyond what the the news story presented. I wondered why this situation, with such close parallels to the Elian Gonzalez case, seemingly has never been mentioned (to the best of my knowledge)---especially with regard to the issue of political assylum requests from children! I believe the issue has far reaching implications beyond that currently discussed in the thread or from the emotional outcry we are being fed on a daily basis from the media.

I really have to wonder, if Elian is sent back to Cuba and most likely becomes a national hero with all rights and privileges, it would probably be a short time before the political climate changes in Cuba to where he could return to the US under more favorable circumstances.

Anyone have comment on that 'All Things Considered' news story that aired back in November/December 1998, what eventually became of that boy held in custody of a Texas jail pending Supreme Court review of political assylum requests from children---links or references to news stories appreciated.

Sincerely

858. RTTY program that captures data to file

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net>
Message-ID: <OfkI4.30028$Y4.841003@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 114606

Does anyone know of a soundcard RTTY program that captures received
data to a file and does it correctly.
Truetty does not.
Correctly is as follows.
1. You start capture.
2. Everything from then on is written to the file WITH NO
INTERVENTION. Perhaps one line at a time.
3. You tell it to stop capture or you close the program.
4. The remaining data is written to the file in either case.

For example, truetty only write what is currently in the buffer when
you do a save buffer, the same with psk31 .

Only winpsk (not digipan) dopes it correctly but then that is only for
PSK31.

TIA.

--
Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
"Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"

859. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <BzkI4.50$G4.11050@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

>Buy a League membership and get a 'Dumbed-Downed' license
>upgrade free!

Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in 1963. Those
16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

860. Re: FA ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8csnci$v27$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Cheeta's Brother Lloyd Davies <n0vfp@bellsouth.net> whined in message
news:E1dI4.1121$_77.37154@news3.mia...
<snip>
> I am also gonna serve notice on you people who are messing with my
auction.

Translation: "Whaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa!!!" When Lloyd gets tough, he uses
Don Knotts as his role model.

> I have already took off bids from one person. You think i'm gonna do
> business with a e-bay name of "nowaylloyd" Which when when i looked
at this
> profile, has negative feedback. When I checked his profile - he's
using a
> e-mail of mailto:lou75@aol.com That is a person who has been
harrassing me
> on this NG. Like me or not, I have a right to conduct honest business.

Poor Lloyd, it's tough when you know that a lot of people know you
couldn't pass an upgrade if your life depended upon it.

> And for those crack-heads who think I'm too damn lazy to learn code.
I have
> other things besides a stupid code test to worry about.

Excuses, excuses.

> I have a good job,

One Mommy and Daddy arrranged for their idiot son who couldn't get
hired any other way.

> a woman

Bwhahahahahahaha! That blow-up doll doesn't count, Lloyd.

>and other inportant things.

Such "important" things as learning English, huh?
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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861. Re: AF2Y: the privileged few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8csnf6$v2r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114609

In article <38F1E9E2.4A8BA434@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Try again Polly. The reason is because you so called BARFIES
> SQUEEEEEL like a pig to HAP every time you want to make trouble with
> one of the "Goodfellows".

You're right!

> w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
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> > exclusively "Goodfellows" , Must be a reason, I know, they are
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> > and deserve the letters.
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> > W4FQF since 1952
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> > > wrote:
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> > the
> > >> same you will be reported. simple as that . As far as my
religion
> > is
> > >> concerned it is none of your business, My God, do you want to
tell
> > >> people what religion to follow also.
> > >> It seems that you would like to be a dictator, you little tin
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862. Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <38F1D149.70CC@nospam.com>
Source record: 114610

I have a solution to those that bemoan the recent changes (dumbing down) of the Amateur Service and turning it into an expanded CB band!

Show you moxie! Demonstrate you got what it takes---no bulls**t! Get your FCC Radiotelegraph License! The license is still being issued and it's a tough one---I and others know! Nowhere near as easy as my OLD Extra Class ticket, General and Advanced or my General Radiotelephone Operators License or Radar endorsement or Six Months Service Endorsement or Radio Officers License or the GMDSS licenses! You'll have to study for this one! And don't expect to be passed on the code test because the examiner thinks you are pretty 'feels' you got the knack of the code! You'll do the full five minutes sending plain and cipher text---the same with receiving! And maybe you can say you did the sending test with a straight key---like I did! I had an FCC Field Engineer give me the test!

Think about it... you'll be able to tell your buds that you had to actually DRAW AND LABEL schematics diagrams for the written exam and they had to be checked by the FCC Field Engineer! Maybe the written will take you four hours to finish---I'm slower than most folks. Maybe you can even pass it on the first try!

Hey... then you could add T2 (Second Class Radiotelegraph License) to the end of your call; W2XXX/T2---yea... that's neat!

Sorry fellas... only those ops that have sea time can sit for the T1 (First Class Radiotelegraph) got to have some way to separate the sea going/experienced professional operators from the rest of the crowd!

I heard enough bitching---take the exam---and separate yourself from the ranks of the commoners! The exams are offered locally by independent examiners---gee come to think of it maybe that makes them a bit easier!

863. IC4008 technical info ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: pa3gbv@NOSPAM.amsat.org
Message-ID: <38f1e6f0.22100498@news.mpn.cp.philips.com>
Source record: 114611
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.family

I recently got the IC-4008E which gives 10 mW output
power in the 434 MHz "LPD" band (Europe). As a ham I
would like to get more power out of this very nice
device to use it as a simplex hamradio porto in the
70 cm band.

In the UK and in the USA there appear to be higher
power versions.. 100 mW and even 500 mW.

Is there anybody who can tell me more about
modifications or technical details of the IC-4008 ?

Kind regards,

Stefan, PA3GBV

864. Re: Capt.Truth, Bill Sims, and other QRMers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Slippery <tlutoot@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <1VII4.12114$y4.477014@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114612

<sledgehammer007@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cris2$o1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com...

> If these three stumpsuckers and about four more
> of their group were taken off the air, Riley
> could take a nine month vacation, every year.
> Can I get an amen?

AAAAAAAAMEN!! Brothers and Sisters AAAAAAmen! AAAMEN.

865. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Slippery <tlutoot@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <4VII4.12115$y4.477014@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
news:MPG.135b06f5433c6a559898d3@news.interactive.net...
> In article <sf2bs1khcqv24@corp.supernews.com>, wa6vse@fast.net says...
> > -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
> > Hash: SHA1
> >
> > (the following is copied from an e-mail bulletin sent to
> > the members of No Code International)
> >
> > **********
> > NCI Board Ratifies Bylaws Amendments
> >
> > On April 8, 2000, NCI's Board of Directors ratified several
> > amendments to the Bylaws designed to improve the efficiency
> > and effectiveness of the organization.
> >
> > To summarize, the changes are:
> >
> > 1) Added sections C, D, and E to Article V, stipulating that
> > Directors serve on a purely volunteer basis, authorizing
> > reimbursement of reasonable out-of-pocket expenses to
> > Directors, and authorizing the Executive Director to make
> > normal, routine expenditures from the NCI treasury account.
> >
> > 2) Added new Article IX providing for the formation of, structure
> > of, and rules for National Chapters.
> >
> > 3) Renumbered former Article IX (Amendments to Bylaws) to Article X.
> >
> > The full text of the Bylaws, as amended may be viewed in either HTML
> > or Adobe .pdf format on the NCI website at http://www.nocode.org.
>
> now being a "non member", not that there seems to be any membership other
> the board..let me be the first to state
>
> I TOLD YOU ALL SO.
> The board of directors has just voted itself
> a free hand into the pockets of all so called
> No COde members. The board can submit expenses
> and them the board decides that the expenses
> be paid..as long as it's proper.
> What a potential scam ;-)

What a load of BS that is penned above.

You listen-here Mr. Einstein....

I have served on the Board of 2 ham clubs in Fla.
It is perfectly legitimate for Officers
of *any* IRS Tax Exempt Organization to use membership
funds for expenses, provided they are used for club
business. (and lodging expenses for/at Dayton IS
a justified Club expense)

> Hmmm seems to me the 3 BoD members staying at the Crown Plaza during
> Dayton @ $130 per night..well, I guess this goes without
> saying this is probably a proper expense..at the
> sheeps, err members expense

SOUR GRAPES

> I truly have seen it all when a so called national or
> international organization allows itself and not
> the membership at large complete and
> total entree into a bank account.

You have?? Then go tell this also to the: ARRL, United
Way, United Auto Workers Union, Microsoft, US House of
Representatives, National Model Railroad Assn, Siamese
Cat Breeders Assn, General Motors, The Ford Foundation,
Archer Daniels Midland Corp etc...

Go to school for a few nights for Business and Corporate
Managememt. I might enlighten you. And again, I say to you
sir: SOUR GRAPES.

> BTW, are these expenses tax deductible??

Why bother answering you on this one? All you'll do
is use my answer to twist it into your amusing brand
of "Pretzel Logic". Go away.

866. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Ammendments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Slippery <tlutoot@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <5VII4.12116$y4.477014@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message news:MPG.135b8258d20d26439898d4@news.interactive.net...

(MUCH snippage)

S O U R G R A P E S Steven.)
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867. Joel doesn't get it (Written exams weakened)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cstro$5pr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Joel said something like the theory tests stayed the same or were toughened.

Joel, they weren't. The FCC and ARRL want you to think that. But since they're in bed together and always keep in mind the average intelligence of hams, while ignoring their own lack thereof (characteristic of FCC employees and ARRL wannabes), they think those of us with educations will fall for it.

To those who are neutral on the code issue but have seen the new "more difficult" question pools that were to compensate for the code drop, you know to keep your hip waders in good shape, to wade through the ARR bullshit...

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868. Bepaid $600 bucks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpeasl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410114123.08670.00000746@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 114616

Follow the link for more faq's.

http://www.bepaid.com/user.rhtml?REFID=10202810

869. Re: Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8csuic$6gh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114617

In article <38F1D149.70CC@nospam.com>,
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> down) of the Amateur Service and turning it into an expanded CB band!
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>
> Sorry fellas... only those ops that have sea time can sit for the T1
> (First Class Radiotelegraph) got to have some way to separate the sea
> going/experienced professional operators from the rest of the crowd!

Hey, no fair. I'm not ever going to sea, why should I be tested on
something as ancient as sailing? Hell, most people travel by airplane
now, anyway. Even that's going to be passe soon when space travel
gets going. Let's get with the times. Eliminate the sea requirement.

LRod

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870. Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8csunu$6q8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

How many of you have found a new hobby or are shifting your interests and funds over to another since December 31 ?

I don't care much about the new exams anymore. I will continue to comment on how moronic they've become. But US ham radio is in trouble because no one is going to sit at a desk and listen to old buzzards yap endlessly on the air. No one is going to pay 1200 for a decent ham station. You could buy two PCs for that. Or a PC and a lot of cellular calls.

Those who think that any opposition aired to the new exams is because of we think the sky is falling, are wrong. The problems of rudeness, litigious spirit on air (i.e. fights constantly), and poor operating practice are the result of a greater problem at hand in the US, not because the exams were made into even more special ed material. This problem is not as bad in Europe. (out will come the DXers to counter this)

Hence, you could lower the code test to 0 wpm, or raise it to 50 wpm both here and France, or any other EU country, and find that the US will ALWAYS turn up the worst operators, boring people, people who always run their amps wide open or people with special ed mentalities.

I just became VERY bored with ham radio suddenly since December 31. I think I started listening for the first time in years and the whole thing is disgusting. Furthermore, ARRL announcements of enforcement improvements without any fines being collected are just a waste of tax dollars that I'm dealing with through other avenues.

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871. Hey Leonard, pay up $17,000 and shut up!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ct1r5ahf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114619

Before the

Federal Communications Commission

Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)
)
Leonard D. Martin)
File No. 98-HU-147)
Houston, TX)

NAL/Acct.No. X3254-003

NOTICE OF APPARENT LIABILITY FOR FORFEITURE

Released: March 3, 2000

By the Enforcement Bureau, Houston Office:

I. INTRODUCTION

In this Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture, we find that Leonard D. Martin apparently violated Section 301 of the Communications Act of 1934 ("Act"), as amended, by operating an unlicensed radio station without Commission authorization; and Section 303(n) of the Act, by failing to allow inspection of his radio station. We conclude that Leonard D. Martin is apparently liable for a forfeiture in the amount of seventeen thousand dollars ($17,000).

II. BACKGROUND

In May, 1998, the Commission received a written complaint from an Amateur Radio operator asserting that an Amateur Radio station identifying with the callsign KC5WHN operated on unauthorized frequencies. On November 3, 1998, the Legal Advisor for Enforcement, Compliance and Information Bureau, sent a letter to Leonard D. Martin, licensee of record of Amateur Radio station KC5WHN. The letter advised Martin of complaints received by the Commission alleging that he operated on unauthorized frequencies. In response to the letter, Martin telephoned the CIB Legal Advisor for Enforcement and generally denied the alleged unauthorized operation.

On February 27, 1999, a Commission agent, using a mobile automatic direction finding ("MADF") vehicle, observed voice radio transmissions on the frequencies 27.545 and 27.535 MHz. The frequency 27.545 MHz is allocated exclusively to radio stations of the United States government. The frequency 27.535 MHz is allocated exclusively to radio

stations licensed in the Industrial Radio Service. The radio station did not identify itself, but responded to the name "Leonard." The agent determined that the source of the transmissions was an antenna on the residence at 4415 Spellman, Houston, Texas, the address listed on Martin's Amateur Radio license. There was no evidence of a Commission authorization for this operation.

On March 15, 1999, a Commission agent, using a MADF vehicle, observed voice radio transmissions on 27.370 MHz, a frequency allocated as a "guard" frequency between channels in the Citizens Band Radio Service. The station identified with the name "Leonard." The agent determined that the source of the transmissions was a vertical antenna on the residence at 4415 Spellman, Houston, Texas, the address listed on Martin's Amateur Radio license. Immediately thereafter, the agent knocked on the door of the residence and was met by Martin. The agent requested to inspect the radio station inside the residence, and Martin refused. The agent advised Martin that his operation on 27.545 and 27.535 MHz constituted unlicensed operation in violation of Section 301 of the Act, because Martin had no Commission authorization to operate on those frequencies. The agent also advised Martin that his refusal to allow inspection constituted violation of Section 303(n) of the Act.

On April 2, 1999, the Commission's Houston Office issued to Martin an Official Notice of Violation for operation of his Amateur Radio station in violation of Sections 301 and 303(n) of the Act. On April 8, 1999, the Houston Office received a letter from Martin in response to the Official Notice of Violation. In the letter, Martin stated "I now fully understand that operation on the frequencies outlined is a violation," "that the FCC has the authority to inspect all radio installations." and "I promise no further action by the Commission will be necessary to insure my complete compliance with the FCC Rules."

On July 22, 1999, Martin submitted to CIB Legal Advisor for Enforcement his Amateur Radio license for cancellation. On July 23, 1999, CIB Legal Advisor for Enforcement sent Martin a letter acknowledging receipt of the license and confirming that Martin's Amateur Radio license KC5WHN was cancelled effective July 23, 1999. The letter also warned Martin that unlicensed radio operation would constitute violation of Section 301 of the Act.

On October 19, 1999, the Commission's Houston Office received a complaint from a neighbor of Martin's that Martin's radio operation was continuing to cause interference to electronic equipment in their home. That same day, a Commission agent, using a MADF vehicle, observed voice radio transmissions on 27.535 MHz, a frequency allocated exclusively to licensed stations of the Industrial Radio Service. The agent determined that the source of the transmissions was a vertical antenna on the residence at 4415 Spellman, Houston, Texas, Martin's residence. Immediately thereafter, the agent visited the neighbor complaining of radio interference and observed interference on the neighbor's

telephone.

On October 26, 1999, a Commission agent, using a MADF vehicle, observed voice radio transmissions on 27.455 MHz, a frequency allocated exclusively to licensed stations in the Industrial Radio Service. The agent determined that the source of the transmissions was a vertical antenna on the residence at 4415 Spellman, Houston, Texas, Martin's residence. There was no evidence of a Commission authorization for this operation. Immediately thereafter, the agent knocked on the door of the residence and was met by Martin. The agent requested to inspect the radio station inside the residence, and Martin refused. Martin stated that he believed he was being unfairly targeted for enforcement because there were many other operators that transmitted on unauthorized frequencies.

III. DISCUSSION

Section 301 of the Act sets forth generally that no person shall use or operate any apparatus for the transmission of energy of communications or signals by radio within the United States except under and in accordance with the Act and with a license. Section 303(n) of the Act sets forth the Commission's authority to inspect all radio installations associated with stations required to be licensed by, or subject to the provisions of, any Act, in order to ascertain whether they conform to the provisions of any Act.

Based on the evidence before us, we find that on February 27, October 19, and October 26, 1999, Leonard D. Martin repeatedly and willfully violated Section 301 of the Act by operating radio transmission apparatus without a Commission authorization. We also find that on March 15 and October 26, 1999, Leonard D. Martin repeatedly and willfully violated Section 303(n) of the Act by refusing to allow an inspection of his radio station upon reasonable request by an authorized Commission representative.

Pursuant to The Commission's Forfeiture Policy Statement and Amendment of Section 1.80 of the Rules to Incorporate the Forfeiture Guidelines ("Forfeiture Policy Statement"), the base forfeiture amounts are $10,000 for unlicensed operation and $7000 for failure to allow inspection. In assessing the monetary forfeiture amount, we must also take into account the statutory factors set forth in Section 503(b)(2)(D) of the Act, which include the nature, circumstances, extent, and gravity of the violation(s), and with respect to the violator, the degree of culpability, any history of prior offenses, ability to pay, and other such matters as justice may require. Martin's violations were repeated and willful, and resulted in harm in the form of electronic interference to neighbors' home electronic equipment. Martin was advised of these violations numerous times, both orally and in writing, by Commission representatives and Martin indicated that he fully understood the requirements of the Act. Martin repeated the violations after receiving these warnings. Applying the Forfeiture Policy

Statement and statutory factors to the instant case, a $17,000 forfeiture is warranted.

IV. ORDERING CLAUSES

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT, pursuant to Section 503(b) of the Act, and Sections 0.111, 0.311 and 1.80 of the Commission's Rules, Leonard D. Martin is hereby NOTIFIED of his APPARENT LIABILITY FOR A FORFEITURE in the amount of seventeen thousand dollars ($17,000) for violating Section 301 of the Act and Section 303(n) of the Act.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT, pursuant to Section 1.80 of the Commission's Rules, within thirty days of the release date of this NOTICE OF APPARENT LIABILITY, Leonard D. Martin SHALL PAY the full amount of the proposed forfeiture or SHALL FILE a written statement seeking reduction or cancellation of the proposed forfeiture.

Payment of the forfeiture may be made by credit card through the Commission's Credit and Debt Management Center at (202) 418-1995 or by mailing a check or similar instrument, payable to the order of the Federal Communications Commission, to the Forfeiture Collection Section, Finance Branch, Federal Communications Commission, P.O. Box 73482, Chicago, Illinois 60673-7482. The payment should note the NAL/Acct. No. X3254-003.

The response if any must be mailed to Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554, ATTN: Enforcement Bureau • TPSD, NAL/Acct. No. X3254-003, and must include the NAL/Acct. No. X3254-003.

The Commission will not consider reducing or canceling a forfeiture in response to a claim of inability to pay unless the petitioner submits: (1) federal tax returns for the most recent three-year period; (2) financial statements prepared according to generally accepted accounting practices; or (3) some other reliable and objective documentation that accurately reflects the petitioner•s current financial status. Any claim of inability to pay must specifically identify the basis for the claim by reference to the financial documentation submitted.

Requests for payment of the full amount of this Notice of Apparent Liability under an installment plan should be sent to: Chief, Credit and Debt Management Center, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT a copy of this NOTICE OF APPARENT LIABILITY shall be sent by Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested to Leonard D. Martin at 4415 Spellman, Houston, Texas 77035.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Loyd P. Perry

Resident Agent, Houston Office, Enforcement Bureau

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872. Re: Comments on HEIL MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410125618.29125.00000819@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 114620

i bet those two meter guys just love hearing you on the repeater.

> I have to agree with the others. Whenever I use the Heil HC-4/5
>elements on my FT-847, I get endless, unsolicited, reports of excellent
>audio. Well worth the money.

Best Wishes And Good DX,
Tim 2-IR-082 Southern USA

Hottest and Most Current 11 Meter DX News:
HTTP://WWW.DXNEWS.DE

International Radio HQ Page:
HTTP://HOME.WXS.NL/~19IR01

IRDX Main Site:
HTTP://WWW.IRDX.ORG

873. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410125956.29125.00000820@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 114621

interesting point you've brought up, if your open minded check out this site.
it offers proof beyond the shadow of doubt that we did not go.

http://www.forteantimes.com/artic/94/moon.html

>Ahh, yes. That whole WWII thing was just to get some good story lines so
>Hollywood could make money. I heard that Pearl Harbor was done on a
>sound stage; whadda ya think? I bet we didn't really go to the moon
>either, huh?

Best Wishes And Good DX,
Tim 2-IR-082 Southern USA

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HTTP://WWW.DXNEWS.DE

International Radio HQ Page:
HTTP://HOME.WXS.NL/~19IR01

IRDX Main Site:
HTTP://WWW.IRDX.ORG

874. Re: worldwide mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410130910.29125.00000822@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 114622

maybe we can work out a deal on a case???

>Are you Paul from Oklahoma who years ago sent me that Moon Pie? Damn, it was
>good and we still can't buy them in Jersey.
>Doc

875. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: timnebo@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410131122.29125.00000823@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 114623

if it wasnt for riley you guys would be lost. guess what? riley hasnt done a thing for 11 meters, or ham either.

>
>They'll get their day.....Go get them Riley!
>

Best Wishes And Good DX,
Tim 2-IR-082 Southern USA

Hottest and Most Current 11 Meter DX News:
HTTP://WWW.DXNEWS.DE

International Radio HQ Page:
HTTP://HOME.WXS.NL/~19IR01

IRDX Main Site:
HTTP://WWW.IRDX.ORG

876. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410131143.18640.00001675@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114624

>Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in 1963. Those
>16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?
>
>73,
>Ed Hare, W1RFI

They are easy, as a matter of fact they are a Joke

877. FA Drake R4-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <ld34fs8tom15ijhjpe5mjg1h8d98uhom9j@4ax.com>
Source record: 114625
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

This is NOT your average R4-C.

Click on this link to find out more...

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=305449161

Thanks all.

Neil, N1DMA

878. Re: Joel doesn't get it (Written exams weakened)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F22AD0.CACA3803@ahole.com>
Source record: 114626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Something else to look at, the advance test was one in itself but is
now only 10 questions on the Extra test. They say the Advance test
is the hardest so I can see how they are dumb'ing down the written
test also.

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Joel said something like the theory tests stayed the same or were
> toughened.
>
> Joel, they weren't. The FCC and ARRL want you to think that. But since
> they're in bed together and always keep in mind the average intelligence
> of hams, while ignoring their own lack thereof (characteristic of FCC
> employees and ARRL wannabes), they think those of us with educations
> will fall for it.
>
> To those who are neutral on the code issue but have seen the new "more
> difficult" question pools that were to compensate for the code drop, you
> know to keep your hip waders in good shape, to wade through the ARR
> bullshit...
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

879. Re: ALERT New Law! Stop Bad Laws wrongly attacking Scanners! CTIA, Senate,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon the Wolf <wolf@ourserver.com>
Message-ID: <38F21280.BDCB7EE3@ourserver.com>
Source record: 114627

This is inconsistent with your long standing lauding of praise of the
Clinton administration's policies. I'd think you'd be celebrating it's
rapid passage into law, KK7HO. What's up with that Timmie?

KK7HO wrote:

> Well said ! Now, while they want to "limit" out ability to receive signals,
> they are enhancing theirs.
>
> http://jya.com/cryptout.htm#echelon
>
> http://www.cryptome.org/echelon-baby.htm

880. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ct61hfco1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114628

In article <38F1EBE2.A788589C@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Dan, one think we can look forward to is that the CW portion of the
> bands will have plenty of room to operate in.
>
Thats true, for now. Wanna bet the newguys don't petition the feds for
more room? And that will come from where?

Dan/W4NTI

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881. Re: Enigma machine stolen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ct62n$fd3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114629

In article <20000410125956.29125.00000820@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
timnebo@aol.com (2-IR-082 Tim) wrote:
> interesting point you've brought up, if your [sic] open minded check
> out this site.
> it offers proof beyond the shadow of doubt that we did not go.
>
> http://www.forteantimes.com/artic/94/moon.html

Oh, I'm open minded enough. Are you? I'll bet you didn't even look at
the follow-up page which pretty much dispenses with the "proof."

LRod

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882. Re: Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <38F207E1.2E5B@nospam.com>
Source record: 114630

LRod wrote:
>
> In article <38F1D149.70CC@nospam.com>,
> nospam@nospam.com wrote:
> > I have a solution to those that bemoan the recent changes (dumbing
> > down) of the Amateur Service and turning it into an expanded CB band!
> >
> > Show you moxie! Demonstrate you got what it takes---no bulls**t! Get
> > your FCC Radiotelegraph License!
> >
> > Sorry fellas... only those ops that have sea time can sit for the T1
> > (First Class Radiotelegraph) got to have some way to separate the sea
> > going/experienced professional operators from the rest of the crowd!
>
> Hey, no fair. I'm not ever going to sea, why should I be tested on
> something as ancient as sailing? Hell, most people travel by airplane
> now, anyway. Even that's going to be passe soon when space travel
> gets going. Let's get with the times. Eliminate the sea requirement.
>
> LRod

That was said jokingly LRod... the only difference between the T1 (First Class Radiotelegraph) and T2 (Second Class Radiotelegraph) is a code test at higher speed and sea time. Still, like I said, the T2 is more that enough of a challenge!

Good luck

Sincerely

883. Re: Restructuring; a solution!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ct524$2nv$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114631

Jim <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message news:38F1D149.70CC@nospam.com...
>
> Sorry fellas... only those ops that have sea time can sit for the T1
> (First Class Radiotelegraph) got to have some way to separate the sea
> going/experienced professional operators from the rest of the crowd!

ARRRRRRRRRGH!

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

884. Re: FA ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000410141145.23938.00001372@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114632

>Translation: "Whaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa!!!" When Lloyd gets tough, he uses
>Don Knotts as his role model.
>

I guess you just cant stop the comments can you?

>Poor Lloyd, it's tough when you know that a lot of people know you
>couldn't pass an upgrade if your life depended upon it.

Roger, have you said anything edifying to anyone on here? You need to start watching your own actions (ie 2 WARNING LETTERS)

I see that this back and forth posts are really going nowhere. I am gonna no longer going to reply to you no longer.

Bye Bye Wide-ASS!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

885. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ct6ss$gc3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8csunu$6q8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> How many of you have found a new hobby or are shifting your interests
> and funds over to another since December 31 ?
>
> I don't care much about the new exams anymore. I will continue to
> comment on how moronic they've become. But US ham radio is in trouble
> because no one is going to sit at a desk and listen to old buzzards
yap
> endlessly on the air. No one is going to pay 1200 for a decent ham
> station. You could buy two PCs for that. Or a PC and a lot of cellular
> calls.
>
> Those who think that any opposition aired to the new exams is because
of
> we think the sky is falling, are wrong. The problems of rudeness,
> litigious spirit on air (i.e. fights constantly), and poor operating
> practice are the result of a greater problem at hand in the US, not
> because the exams were made into even more special ed material. This
> problem is not as bad in Europe. (out will come the DXers to counter
> this)
>
> Hence, you could lower the code test to 0 wpm, or raise it to 50 wpm
> both here and France, or any other EU country, and find that the US
will
> ALWAYS turn up the worst operators, boring people, people who always
run
> their amps wide open or people with special ed mentalities.
>
> I just became VERY bored with ham radio suddenly since December 31. I
> think I started listening for the first time in years and the whole
> thing is disgusting. Furthermore, ARRL announcements of enforcement
> improvements without any fines being collected are just a waste of tax
> dollars that I'm dealing with through other avenues.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>
Right on....someone finally said it the way it is....So whats your
solution?

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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886. WANTED SOFT PROGRAMMING MOTOROLA rec.radio.amateur.misc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc <marc.bourrely@libertysurf.fr>
Message-ID: <8cr2mp$159s$1@news6.isdnet.net>
Source record: 114679

Hello,

I search for a site or I could find a software of programming, of TX MOTOROLA GM900 and GP300 (Not necessarily the original's copy but as a software made by an amateur.) Thank you for advance, all information and welcome.
Marc 73 of F1ITO marc.bourrely@libertysurf.fr

887. Re: Need TS-850 repair web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: happed <icetea28@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <oma2fsoq4q0vjl5cfgijv6l13ro8var8c7@4ax.com>
Source record: 114680

On Sun, 9 Apr 2000 16:26:05 -0500, "Bruce" <bwilke@netins.net> wrote:

>About 2 or 3 weeks ago, I ran across a web page that had
>maintenance and repair info on the Kenwood TS-850. This was NOT
>for mods, but for repairs for problems common to the 850. I didn't
>save it and now can't find it. Anyone out there know what the
>URL might be for this site?
>
>Thanks and 73,
>Bruce
>
http://www.mods.dk/

888. Re: KB1EVE caught jamming 14.313 AGAIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000409213937.22240.00000637@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 114681

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la di dah la di dah dah dah LOL
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889. Re: So Much for the Great Detectives

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000409214312.22240.00000638@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 114682

well it sounds like they "did" DF him and it went to NM. Hmmmm. Riley is going on what was said during their phone CONversation.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

890. Re: Need TS-850 repair web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8crdqfifj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114683

In article <8cqsjc$k8n$2@ins21.netins.net>,
"Bruce" <bwilke@netins.net> wrote:
> About 2 or 3 weeks ago, I ran across a web page that had
> maintenance and repair info on the Kenwood TS-850. This was NOT
> for mods, but for repairs for problems common to the 850. I didn't
> save it and now can't find it. Anyone out there know what the
> URL might be for this site?

Try this one:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/1138/850mod1.html

LRod

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891. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0b50$o50$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article
<27FABDE2FAEC20AF.E8AD65366C1AA070.0B4F991997305ACC@lp.airnews.net>,
"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
>
> John wrote in article <t1m4fsc5bcp0m8hmjrrmkdabta0ubmqfe0@4ax.com>...
> > On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 18:35:09 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:
> >
> >
> > >Right on....someone finally said it the way it is....So whats your
> > >solution?
> > >
> > >Dan/W4NTI
> >
> > This coming from one of the biggest potty mouths & trouble makers on
> > radio. Listen to Dan cry and curse nightly on 3.901.Dan hopes the
> > radio renegade WB2OTK comes back so they can once again terrorize
the
> > 75 meter band.
> >
>
> So? To use your analogy, that would mean that *anyone* with a valid
thought
> or, at a minimum, a thought worthy of consideration, should be
discounted
> because you disagree with most of their other ideas? That'd be like
me
> discrediting some of the very valid thoughts that Dave Heil, or Steve
Robeson,
> or whomever else I general disagree with, just because of who they
are.
> Doesn't make sense to me...
>
> Kim W5TIT
>
The issue of me cussing on the bands has been dealt with, by myself,
right here on this forum. And yes indeed there is an
occassional "damn", "Hell", "Asshole" that comes from my mouth. And
for good reason. We try to operate on 3.901 nightly and have to put up
with a barrage of buckshot and splatter from overpowered and
incorrectly adjusted stations off of 3.898. If that bothers you John
I'd suggest you turn your dial. Or better yet check the legal and the

FCC definition of obsene words and phrases.

As to why you heard it on 3.901 before, and in all fairness, you should mention this.....it was a direct result of total frustration from being jammed on a nightly basis from some moron's from Memphis and other places, at the behest of one K4OKA.

Now John, since you obviously have your feeble mind in the stumper corner....take your opinions, stick them up your rear, and rotate on it.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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892. Re: New guy with questions: ATTN W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0b9e$o6g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114435

In article <38F26781.878B901A@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>
> POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE wrote:
> >
> > PLEASE show me where a 'tech' can operate legally on ten meters.
> > Are you really an 'Extra'? A no code tech can only operate on
> > frequencies above 50 mhz....
> >
> Possum',
> Where did you see 'no-code' Tech. in my message?
> 'Doc

Here's what you said:

> The 'Tech' license gives you a partial 10 meter use, and all bands
> from there up (VHF/UHF). For the same co$t and a little bit of code
> (5wpm), you get access to all the bands with the General class
> license.

The only "Tech" that can operate on any part of 10 meters is a "Tech
Plus", which requires 5 wpm code. Since you then say "and a little bit
of code (5wpm)" you can only be talking about a no-code Tech in the
first place.

Perhaps not what you meant, but it can't be interpreted any other way.

LRod

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893. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0bdr$og2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114436
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> > This coming from one of the biggest potty mouths & trouble makers on
> > radio. Listen to Dan cry and curse nightly on 3.901.Dan hopes the
> > radio renegade WB2OTK comes back so they can once again terrorize
the
> > 75 meter band.
> >
>
> So? To use your analogy, that would mean that *anyone* with a valid
thought
> or, at a minimum, a thought worthy of consideration, should be
discounted
> because you disagree with most of their other ideas? That'd be like
me
> discrediting some of the very valid thoughts that Dave Heil, or Steve
Robeson,
> or whomever else I general disagree with, just because of who they
are.
> Doesn't make sense to me...
>
> Kim W5TIT
>
Kim,

Been watching your posts and find them very well thought out and to the
point. However this "John" character is obviously one of the members
of the worst terrorist group to ever occupy the amateur radio
spectrum. And it sure is not the Goodfellows.

I realise also that you don't know the complete story of all
this "radio war" stuff. But accept this advice in the manner it is
given......when it comes to these idiots.....YOU CAIN'T FIX STUPID.

Dan/W4NTI

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894. send N9VTB back to Warsaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d0a1sriq1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114437

A group of nice guys and good ops decided to vacate .313 due to Polly,TR and MXL stink and lo and behold what happened? They're now getting jammed by N9VTB and in Polish yet. I heard the whole brouhaha this afternoon and when Riley gets those valid complaints, he ought to ship George, N9VTB, back to Warsaw. The fellows on 14.275 were minding their business when in came splishki splashski I was taking a bathski from Chicago, smashingski .275 to pieces. All his knobs turned to the right, buckshotting 7 kHz both sides of fundamental, intentionally planting himself right alongside Rube, Dan and Tom in an effort to disrupt and HE DID. First off(the boat), George's main fault besides an attitude is his choice of language on ham radio. Polish? It's awful. No vowels. Just harsh spittering, splattering sputtering consonants designed to wash the other guy's puss and I feel sorry for the microphone too. Maybe that's one reason why Archie Bunker used to rib those people? And when he was approached by the fine gentlemen on .275 who daily are the victims of spitbaths, George came back with a "Give me liberty or give me death" speech taken from whom he considers to be the great Polish American statesman Patrick Igor Henski. Imagine, he told real patriots how to be good Americans. The guy's a greenhorn unwilling to talk OUR language on American ham radio and he's telling veterans about rights. Pirogihead from Chicago needs to learn some protocol before he tries to exert his foreign influence on us and secondly he openly admitted that his splatteringski was PAYBACK despite the previous peace overtures by K4RUB. I'm disgusted. You take a guy like George, mix him with the chowderheads about to become welfare Extras who'll swarm like locusts over every band and I'm set to quit ham radio. I'm ready to get rid of all my equipment and my price is fixed. I will pay no more than $200 to have it taken out of here. AF2Y

895. Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0c8lpgn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

(Oh my word !)

Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Gerald Rosner, N8FGK, has announced that Michigan's Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest, scheduled for Sunday April 16, and sponsored by SEMARA has been cancelled. The Hamfest Committee made the decision based on a lack of advance table sales and dealer participation. SEMARA apologized for any inconvenience.--George Race, WB8BGY

(Must've conflicted with this year's Grosse Point Spring Catillion. I do hope the Mercedes SUVs are still all abloom though !)

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896. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0cg4pig1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114439

In article <8cv0fk$b1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
> news:38F2BE47.29AD1FE3@worldnet.att.net...
> >
> > Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd
> > has never had HF prifileges.
> >
> > Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.
>
> LLoyd's equipment would be antiques by the time he passed the General
> test.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
Correct me if I am wrong...but wasn't this the same loser Lllllloyd
that was threatning to "take over HF"? And now he is selling his HF
rig? Dang.

Dan/W4NTI

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897. They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0cm6pse1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

From ARRL M.O. website; another "A-1" operator certificate holder displaying rude behavior. Oh yeah, and he's puckering up to clowntesters too.

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By Bruce Muscolino, W6TOY/3
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Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0cmjpsk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

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899. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0d34$q90$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114442

In article <20000411102155.18647.00002066@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> > Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd
> >has never had HF prifileges.
> >
> > Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.
> >
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> Peter,
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> If you really want to know, please kindly send me an e-mail
privately. I dont
> need anymore harrassment from KC8JBO. Maybe with the proceeds from
these
> sales, I'll get Mr. Laterbach's "Danger on the Internet" book -
Which I hear
> is being updated to include AF2Y, W4NTI and KC8JBO's type of NG
harrassments
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Hey Llllloyd,

You have a hell of a lot of nerve. I think Ill make you my business,
and go through all of USENET and copy all your racist, nazi, etc. crap
you have posted. I'd suggest you get your own act together dipshit.

Dan/W4NTI

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900. Re: send N9VTB back to Warsaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0dcuqqv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114443

In article <8d0a1sriq1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> A group of nice guys and good ops decided to vacate .313 due to
Polly,TR and
> MXL stink and lo and behold what happened? They're now getting jammed
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and my
> price is fixed. I will pay no more than $200 to have it taken out of
here.
> AF2Y
>
>
E-mails were sent, tapes are available. Now we will see how Riley
really is.

Dan/W4NTI

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901. Re: ARRL Executive VP an "A-1" Op ? I think not.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0dkbqul1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.raio.amateur.policy

In article <8cvl7haf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> How can ARRL "staffers" steer the future of ham radio in a competent
> manner if they go around making statements like this ?

Then with wit befitting Rabelais himself, <"radiosigs@mindspring.com">
crafted:

> Hell, they couldn't steer a toy boat in a bathtub.

It just was worth repeating such wit.

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902. Re: IC4008 technical info ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: C_Spray <C_Spray@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <egS2o2Ap$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 114445
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.family

http://www.icomamerica.com/

903. Apology to the drunkards on the newgroup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0e3s$ri9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114446

No, you are not seeing double (unless you just washed down your pre-
Dayton low calorie anchovy, pepperoni and garlic clove pizza dinner with
12 beers found in an aluminum alloy can). Deja has a case of hiccups and
is displaying dialog boxes that indicate message were not posted when
they were.

Your 12 step program is still on target, have faith.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

904. FCC assists AMA in restructuring!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMA@AMA.ORG
Message-ID: <8d0bsf$lkq@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Medical Practitioner Restructuring is Here: Three License Classes, One Residency
Requirement
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Dec 30, 1999 The Practice of Medicine will get a new look in the new millennium. The AMA today issued its long-awaited Report and Order in the 1998 Biennial Regulatory Review licensing procedure--more commonly known as "license restructuring." The bottom line is that starting April 15, 2000, there will be three license classes Emergency Medical Technician, General Practitioner, and Specialist--and a single Residency Requirement. "We believe that an individual's ability to demonstrate increased bedside proficiency is not necessarily indicative of that individual's ability to contribute to the advancement of the medical art," the AMA said.

Besides drastically streamlining the medical licensing process, the AMA said its actions would "eliminate unnecessary requirements that may discourage or limit individuals from becoming trained surgeons, technicians, and medical experts."

Although no new licenses other than those stated in the Report and Order will be issued after the effective date, the AMA does not plan to automatically upgrade any existing license privileges. The American EMT Association had proposed a one-time across-the-board upgrading of current Emergency Medical Technician licenses to General Practitioner, but the AMA declined to adopt the idea. This means that current EMT licensees will retain their current privileges, including access to various rescue squads, fire departments and other entities, and will be able to renew their licenses indefinitely.

Starting April 15, 2000, individuals who qualified for the Emergency Medical Technician class license prior to March 21, 1987, will be able to upgrade to General Practitioner by providing documentary proof to a Volunteer Examiner Coordinator, paying an application fee, and completing AMA Form 1273/B in triplicate.

The AMA's decision not to automatically upgrade Emergency Medical Technician licensees means the current EMT privileges will remain and not be "refarmed" to higher class licensees as the AEMTA had proposed. The AMA said it did not refarm these privileges because there was "no consensus" within the medical community as to what to do with them.

As it had proposed earlier, the AMA decided to lump Emergency Medical Technician and EMT Plus licensees into a single licensee database, all designated as "Emergency Medical Technician" licensees. Those who can document having passed the helicopter proficiency examination will continue to have the current EMT Plus flight privileges. "If documentation is needed to verify whether a licensee

has passed a proficiency examination, we may request the documentation from that licensee or the VECs," the AMA said.

In addition to reducing the number of license classes from hundreds to three and eliminating the advanced residency requirements, the AMA also will reduce the number of written examination elements from hundreds to three, authorize all current General Practitioners to prepare and administer General Practitioner examinations, and eliminate Medical Civil Emergency Service (MCES) facility licenses.

Under the new licensing scheme, there will be four examination elements. Element 1 will be the 5 week residency final exam. Element 2 will be a 35-question written test to obtain an Emergency Medical Technician license; Element 3 will be a 35-question written test to obtain a General Practitioner license, and Element 4 will be a 50-question written test for the Specialist license. The AMA has left it in the hands of the National Conference of VECs Question Pool committee to determine the specific mix and makeup of written examination questions. Current medical study materials remain valid at least until the new rules become effective in April.

The AMA's new licensing plan means someone will be able to become a medical professional by passing a single 35-question written examination. The plan also simplifies and shortens the upgrade path from the ground floor through Specialist--especially since doctors will only have to pass one residency test.

Elimination of the myriad of residency requirements also means an end to physician certification waivers for applicants claiming an inability to undertake residency due to physical handicap.

The AMA disagreed with the AEMTA's suggestion that it undertake a restructuring of operating privileges along with licensing restructuring. "We believe that in light of ongoing discussions concerning implementation of new and more modern medical technologies within the medical community, we should accord the medical service community an opportunity to complete such discussions and possibly reach a consensus regarding implementation of new technologies before we undertake a comprehensive restructuring of the medical operating privileges" the AMA said in its Report and Order.

In its amendments, the AMA's Report and Order refers to a "Hospital Name Administrator," something that does not exist under the current rules and which was not explained in the R&O itself. An AMA spokesperson said the Association plans to issue a Public Notice soon to explain the program and to solicit qualified entities to serve as name administrators for hospital applications.

In its comments, the AMA noted that by simplifying the entrance requirements for medical professionals, the public stands to gain by having greater access to the medical profession and drastically reduced medical care costs. No comment was made regarding increased litigation costs in medical malpractice suits, however. "We believe this is an issue best left to public policy and the American Bar Association", noted an AMA source who wished to remain anonymous.

When asked whether the change in licensing would affect the status of AMA rules enforcement, AMA Enforcement Bureau Chief, Rollie Hoisington said, "Given that

the AMA has made no effort over the past ten years to enforce its rules, we see restructuring as a positive move." When asked to elaborate, Hoisington declined further comment.

905. Re: FCC assists AMA in restructuring!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <9274345974D94C82.F97D6FBAFD92CB52.0256DB6D02350CCD@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It will never cease to amaze me that ham radio, the hobby, is compared to things such as this, the profession. The hobby holds a lot less incentive than the profession to be serious.

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73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343

<AMA@AMA.ORG> wrote in message news:8d0bsf$lkq@edrn.newsguy.com...
> Medical Practitioner Restructuring is Here: Three License Classes, One Residency
> Requirement
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> Dec 30, 1999 The Practice of Medicine will get a new look in the new millennium.

ad nauseum deleted

906. Re: Looking for my page from callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: &retired0 <&retired0@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <38F3E583.F3DD5F01@hotmail.com>
Source record: 114449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You don't say why you need it. If all you want to do is
prove that you
did have a call then, the older versions of QRZ on CD showed
the previous
call and the date you upgraded. This might still be
available at the FCC
site, but I've noticed recently that historical and personal
information
has been disappearing from (publicly available) databases.

mike

Dean wrote:
>
> No good in the 1983-84 book
>
> On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 10:19:25 -0400, Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Will pay someone to send me a page from a 1987 call book or earlier that
> >shows my Technician License.
> >
> >Bob T -KA2RUU
> >
> >

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Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus. Click below to reply
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

907. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eF79b7Cp$GA.351@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 114450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote
>I maintian that the word Damn is fully permissable on the ARS

Profanity is permissible to use in public also, and usually won't get you arrested. But would you use it in a family setting? It doesn't add anything to the conversation, and often offends those you're talking to. Since ham radio is supposed to be a family rated hobby, profanity really has no place on the bands...

908. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <1cr7fs8tpnhdvvi68pqtp1s455m5ahdc2u@4ax.com>
Source record: 114451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>In article <SJsI4.34$Yk1.445@reader1.interactive.net>,
>John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
>>Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic go on?
>>
>Until April 15th. :-)

Of 2025.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

909. nothing ever changes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <geronimo@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <38F3FC81.C76929D7@extremezone.com>
Source record: 114452

Gee, I go away for a long while and thinsg are still in the same state they were when I left.

Some things never change.

910. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay N4AOX <wyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38F2982C.3FD8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
>
> Not really ... we're just getting warmed up ... 5 wpm is a step
> in the right direction ... as evidenced by the HUGE increase in
> people taking tests to get licenses

> There's a lot of work to go to get to that stage ... we're on it.
>
> > Given the good successes of the present crew, why would we want a
> > change?
>
> Thanks, Brian ...
>

Old buddy "Fred"'s account of what went down in the restructuring action doesn't give much credit to NCI. In his column in CQ he says the NCVEC (under his leadership of course) swayed the FCC away from going with the ARRL proposal at the last minute.

By the way where is Fred staying at Dayton? I'm sure there are those who want to pay homage to the man who made it all happen. ;-)

73,
Clay N4AOX

911. FS TWO DRAKE 2B's w/2BQ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2NZ
Message-ID: <38f2b0ca.4090137@news.ifreedom.com>
Source record: 114485

The 2B/2BQ combination was the hottest CW rx of its day and still holds its own. A skilled user can get 100-150 cps selectivity from this rig. Bought one new around 1959-60 and the other a year or two later.

The first one works on 40 meter band, but dirty band switches and noisy controls need cleaning badly and would no doubt result in other bands working as well. Comes with 2BQ q-multiplier/speaker; ORIGINAL TECH MANUAl; very rare plug-in 160 meter converter; 100 kc xtal caibrator;

Second unit doesn't work. Lights when switched on but just lies there. Good chance it's a tube or two. Also comes with 2BQ q-multiplier/ speaker; 100 kb xtal calibrator.

Physically both in similar condition: some few scratches, and chassis show corrosion. I rate them about 7 on a scale of 10.

Sell all as is for $350 plus shipping from 11758.

Please reply to

pasha196@gis.net

73 de W2NZ

912. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <davison7@gte.net>
Message-ID: <Zlyl4.55679$QJ3.6355861@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

YUP you guys are right, no doubt about it - only an electronics genius
can pass the new tests, and all those old questions were kindergarten
level stuff... AND if any current old-timers had to be retested, they
would all undoubtedly fail miserably...

There, feel better now?

--
Gary - KJ6Q
= = = = = = = =
BIGGEST THREAT to U.S. National parks?
Not pollution or environmental issues...
It's UN seizure, as allowed by our "political leaders",
already seen in Yellowstone Park and the Grand Canyon!
.....
American government - giving our country away, million
by million, and acre by acre - to many who are sworn enemies.

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote in message
news:38F25A43.F306A3B@icss.net...
> Gary Schafer wrote:
>
> > Thanks Walter for listing some of the "old questions".
> > I had forgotten how easy they really were! They seemed harder at
the time
> > though. I would have to say that today's tests are probably a
little more
> > involved than they were back then. Now there are many more aspects
of
> > electronics covered that were not then. Space communications,
digital
> > theory, solid state theory etc.
> >
> > I wish that all the guys gripping about how "dumbed down" today's
test are
> > would go back and read some of the old questions.
> >
> > Best regards
> > Gary K4FMX
>
> Gary, if they actually look at the new question pools and still
think they're
> easy, its because they don't understand the questions.

>
> Brian
>

913. FA Dentron Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000411014302.23947.00001940@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114487

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=306134123

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

914. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8cue85$2r1$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114488

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:

>>>As I've said before, you care more about the letter of the law, than the
>>>people that the law was meant for.

>>He admitted/boasted to breaking the law. You pat him on the head; after
>>you're done rewarding him, I'll throw Part 95 of Title 47 at him and
>>hope he reads it.

>I'm sure he'll think as much of it as the guests on the Jerry Springer show
>think of the "final thoughts".

Don't watch it so I have no idea what you mean.

>With a band that is so highly affected by atmospheric conditions, the distance
>restriction on CB communications serves no purpose. The regulation should be
>done away with.

Working DX is not one of the purposes of the CBRS. That one is heard by
a DX station is not breaking the law; only when two-way contact is
established has one broken federal law.

>...and I see you've conveniently deleted my quote from Marcus Cicero.

It's unknown to me what you're talking about. There was no "Marcus"
in the text. I think I recall deleting your signature line -- is
that what you're referring to?

>Yet, chastise others when they do the same to you. Bad boy, Jeff.

I've never chastised anyone for deleting my signature line. It's
expected, nay, encouraged, to trim such items.

Jeff KH6O <--- feel free to delete this line in your fol-up

915. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sf5f23d3cqv76@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

j1aguiar@aol.com (J1aguiar) wrote in
<20000410100915.20811.00000939@ng-fm1.aol.com>:

>One thing for sure, Amateur Radio needs the ARRL, and the ARRL needs
>Amateur Radio.
>The only suggestion I have is that anyone who is interested in keeping
>Amateur Radio in the future had best consider an ARRL membership, they
>are all we have on our side. Being an active ARRL member is the first
>step towards preserving Amateur Radio for the future.J1
>
>

That's the biggest Crock-of-Shit I've read since reading the League's
restructuring proposal!

At one time I could have agreed with your statement, but the ARRL betrayed
it's long held core values and principles. That's why alot of good hams
have *canceled* their memberships.

916. Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38F2BE47.29AD1FE3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114490

Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd has never had HF prifileges.

Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.

917. Blocked from QRZ.COM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: makingwaves3548@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13634-38F2F632-3@storefull-233.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114491

I have no antenna, I have no radios, ... now I
have been blocked from the (qrz.com) internet!!!
I cannot update my biography page (the only page hams will access) what
more do they want!
qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=WD6EJN
If you have had or are faced with antenna restrictions, you know what I
am talking about.
I urge you to try SOMETHING (on your qrz.com biography page, this is
the only page hams will see,... hams will not look at your "personal"
web page) ANYTHING TO GET OTHER HAMS WITH ATTIC ANTENNAS and pressured
by community and houssing associations, on the air.
Making Waves P.O.box 14034 Palm Desert Ca
92255.

918. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cv0fk$b1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114492

Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:38F2BE47.29AD1FE3@worldnet.att.net...
>
> Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd
> has never had HF prifileges.
>
> Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.

LLoyd's equipment would be antiques by the time he passed the General
test.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

919. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F2F95B.33D516CC@icss.net>
Source record: 114493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

> That's the biggest Crock-of-Shit I've read since reading the League's
> restructuring proposal!
>
> At one time I could have agreed with your statement, but the ARRL betrayed
> it's long held core values and principles. That's why alot of good hams
> have *canceled* their memberships.

Can you explain why bad hams are cancelling their memberships also?

920. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F2F8F6.DF5EECD0@icss.net>
Source record: 114494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary - KJ6Q wrote:

> YUP you guys are right, no doubt about it - only an electronics genius
> can pass the new tests, and all those old questions were kindergarten
> level stuff... AND if any current old-timers had to be retested, they
> would all undoubtedly fail miserably...
>
> There, feel better now?

Now you're being silly. Go look at the Q-Pools. Think about what you're seeing.

921. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F2F7F6.ED6A91D3@icss.net>
Source record: 114495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Clay N4AOX wrote:

> By the way where is Fred staying at Dayton? I'm sure there are those
> who want to pay homage to the man who made it all happen. ;-)
>
> 73,
> Clay N4AOX

Does K7JOE want to present him with a T-Shirt?

922. Re: FA Drake R4-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <hl26fsktip41if19i4sfqd5o7205fvuukh@4ax.com>
Source record: 114496

Hi, sorry I forgot to post it. On the other hand, as you'll see in the description, the "serial number" is kinda meaningless, since this radio's been heavily modified by the Drake staff.

The actual number on the back is 16466, but as you can see from the photos, it has the 5-position mode switch, and as a result of their work, EF184 (6EJ7) tubes.

Thanks for asking.

Neil

On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 20:35:52 GMT, LA8AK@online.no (J M Noeding) wrote:

>On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 13:24:05 -0400, Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
>wrote:
>
>>This is NOT your average R4-C.
>>
>>Click on this link to find out more...
>>
>>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=305449161
>>
>>Thanks all.
>>
>>Neil, N1DMA
>>
>serial number?

923. Need TenTec 1208 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Little <dalite01@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <8cv3gasbp1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114497
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

I bought a Tentec 1208 Transverter from a tailgate hamfest the past weekend. It is a basket cast at this point, and the seller did not have the manual or assembly info. I need to strip it down and deflux it then rebuild it to trouble shoot it, and am looking for a kind soul to copy a manual. TenTech wants $10.00 for it, and that is certainly their right. At this point, I hate to put that into it additional to what I paid for it, as the chances of getting it cleaned up and in shape to check out are looking bad.....

Email replies please to dalite01@sprynet.com

Thanks,

David

924. Morse exercises No.18

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8cv4vgmqp1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 114498
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr18_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr18_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr18_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

925. Morse exercises No.7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Schmitte <dl1ydl@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8cv51c$mr6$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 114499
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr7_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr7_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr7_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

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| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

926. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F33454.4DF55585@ahole.com>
Source record: 114500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The reason it is dumbed down is that they give you all the answers
instead of you looking them up. Not much effort if someone has
already looked up the answers for you.

Gary Schafer wrote:
>
> Thanks Walter for listing some of the "old questions".
> I had forgotten how easy they really were! They seemed harder at the time
> though. I would have to say that today's tests are probably a little more
> involved than they were back then. Now there are many more aspects of
> electronics covered that were not then. Space communications, digital
> theory, solid state theory etc.
>
> I wish that all the guys gripping about how "dumbed down" today's test are
> would go back and read some of the old questions.
>
> Best regards
> Gary K4FMX
>
> Walter Gesundheit wrote:
>
> > In article <8ct6vi$k9r$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
> > jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> > > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
> > > >Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in
> > 1963. Those
> > > > >16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?
> > > >
> > > Why not post the questions contained in that study guide rather than
> > > counting the number of its pages?
> > > 73, Jeff KH6O
> >
> > My 1955 ARRL General Study Guide (11 pages) had questions like --
> >
> > "Name the basic units of electrical resistance, inductance,
> > capacitance, current, and electromotive force."
> >
> > "Why is full-wave rectification generally preferable to half-wave
> > rectification in a power supply?"
> >
> > "Why is a bleeder resistor connected across the output circuit of a
> > high-voltage power supply system?"

> >
> > "What radio messages have priority over all other communications?"
> >
> > "On what frequencies may a licensee holding General Class amateur
> > privileges operate?" (Answer: All amateur frequencies!)
> >
> > "What power input should an amateur station use for a particular
> > communication when the maximum legal input is 1 kw?" (Trick question,
> > Jeff, watch out!)
> >
> > "What is meant by the harmonic of a fundamental frequency?"
> >
> > "What is the FCC regulation regarding transmission of music by an
> > amateur ratio-telephone station for testing purposes?"
> >
> > "What are the undesirable effects of overmodulation in radiotelephony?"
> >
> > "What is the formula for finding the resonant frequency of a tuned
> > circuit?"
> >
> > "What effect does the Q of a circuit have on harmonic output?"
> >
> > Pretty similar to todays questions!
> >
> > And thats the way it was!
> >
> > Walter
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.

927. Re: New guy with questions: ATTN W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F3354A.D7FF9DC1@ahole.com>
Source record: 114501

Answering for POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE; I didn't see where you said
tech plus either?

W5LZ wrote:
>
> POSSUM BELLY ASSHOLE wrote:
> >
> > PLEASE show me where a 'tech' can operate legally on ten meters.
> > Are you really an 'Extra'? A no code tech can only operate on
> > frequencies above 50 mhz....
> >
> Possum',
> Where did you see 'no-code' Tech. in my message?
> 'Doc

928. Re: The movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cv5e0$9vb$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114502

The first 100 through the door get free Extra licenses, Kenwoods will be offered in the candy counter display windows and mens' room attendants will be accepting QST subscriptions.

In article <9bv4fsktsqhkub9cmi7qkc0cva8d4slmkt@4ax.com>, tnom@mucks.net wrote:

> The movie Frequency comes out on April 15. This movie uses an old
> amateur radio as a prop and link to the past.
>
> Is it just a coincidence that it opens on the 15th?
>
>
>
>

929. Re: Here's an interesting question....Hey Peter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F337DA.425B418C@ahole.com>
Source record: 114503

Did you know that the ICOM 706 also operates on 6 and 2 meters? And as you know techs can operate on those bands. Also Lloyd can listed to his great BARFIES on 14.313.....

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd
> has never had HF prifileges.
>
> Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.

930. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <h5FI4.6786$q67.194621@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey, let's keep this alive!!!

It's only 4 days now and counting...

Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
VE badge?

Mike

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8ctuvv$gi4$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
> >Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic
go on?
>
> As long as folks like yourself continue to post follow-ups to it.
>
>
> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> >news:8c0iqn$p5e$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> >> Wayne Woodhams <wwoodhamsNOwwSPAM@vcnet.com.invalid> wrote:
> >> > But unless
> >> >something had massively changed in the hobby, it was doomed to go
down
> >> >the tubes.
> >>
> >> Your prediction is older than you are: In "...1922 many radio
> >> magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung away
> >> from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying
the
> >> end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)
> >>
> >> 73, Jeff KH6O
> >
> >
>
>
>

931. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <abc@123.net>
Message-ID: <8cv8os$4o2$1@vallen.koba.ee>
Source record: 114505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

No Ed, I think we should allow applicants to keep taking exams at a test session even if they continue to fail the exam each time. Simply charge them another $6.65 and keep handing them tests until the VE's supply is exhausted. That would be a good measure of knowledge.

Hey, wait a minute, you can already do that now. Cool man! Will I get an ARRL coupon for each failed exam?

"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message news:BzkI4.50$G4.11050@news.ntplx.net...
> Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>
> >Buy a League membership and get a 'Dumbed-Downed' license
> >upgrade free!
>
>
> Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in 1963. Those
> 16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
>
>

932. Re: The movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8cvcbh$n3s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114506

In article <9bv4fsktsqhkub9cmi7qkc0cva8d4slmkt@4ax.com>,
tnom@mucks.net wrote:
> The movie Frequency comes out on April 15. This movie uses an old
> amateur radio as a prop and link to the past.
>
> Is it just a coincidence that it opens on the 15th?

It should be an interesting movie, however. I think the premise has
been done before in science-fiction, i.e. the original tv
series "Twilight Zone."

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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933. A ONCE ONLY CROSS-BAND EVENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Dixon <robert.dixon@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <20000411145344697742@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 114507

BT Radio Services have announced the closure dates for the United Kingdom's Coast Radio station Service.

Portishead Radio/GKA and all remaining VHF stations will close at 1200z on Sunday 30 April. Portishead Radio first came on air 80 years ago in 1920 and was to become the largest communications centre in the world. It employed over 340 people and was the CW and RT centre for the British Commonwealth.

Stonehaven Radio control centre and all remaining MF stations will close at 1200z on Friday 30 June. The history of the MF service traces right back to Marconi himself.

BT Maritime Services have agreed to run a special cross band maritime/amateur event on Saturday 29th April 2000. The details are as follows: -

Date: 29th April 2000. Time 0700 - 1900 UTC

Call sign Frequency Amateur
Frequency + or -

5 kHz
GKB2 4274 3525
GKB4 8559.5 7025
GKB5 12835.4 14050
GKB6 17113 18075
GKB7 22448.7 21050

There will be three stations operating at any one time - subject to the commercial requirements of the station.

COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES
Special efforts will be made to beam towards Commonwealth countries at appropriate times. Please e-mail details of which frequency band and time suits your part of the world (e-mail address below)

BT has appointed the Radio Officers Association to handle the amateur side of this operation and the liaison officer is David Barlow/G3PLE.

ALL QSOs WILL RECEIVE A QSL VIA THE RSGB BUREAU.

Contact details: -
David Barlow G3PLE PO Box 50, Helston, TR12 7YQ
e-mail (for this event) dbarlow@u.genie.co.uk
Event Website: http://you.genie.co.uk/dbarlow

Amateurs are asked to note that there will be NO access to BT sites
and following closure and there will be no surplus equipment for
sale. Any enquiries from radio amateurs should be routed through G3PLE.

PLEASE CIRCULATE THIS AS WIDELY AS POSSIBLE INSIDE THE AMATEUR RADIO WORLD.

http://welcome.to/amateur.radio

934. Re: Blocked from QRZ.COM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38f33357.147609866@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114508

On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 02:53:54 -0700 (PDT), makingwaves3548@webtv.net
wrote:

>I have no antenna, I have no radios, ... now I
>have been blocked from the (qrz.com) internet!!!
>I cannot update my biography page (the only page hams will access) what
>more do they want!
>qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=WD6EJN
>If you have had or are faced with antenna restrictions, you know what I
>am talking about.
>I urge you to try SOMETHING (on your qrz.com biography page, this is
>the only page hams will see,... hams will not look at your "personal"
>web page) ANYTHING TO GET OTHER HAMS WITH ATTIC ANTENNAS and pressured
>by community and houssing associations, on the air.
>Making Waves P.O.box 14034 Palm Desert Ca
>92255.
What the hell are you talking about?

935. Looking for my page from callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com>
Message-ID: <38F3346C.A09F5400@sysadminus.com>
Source record: 114509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Will pay someone to send me a page from a 1987 call book or earlier that shows my Technician License.

Bob T -KA2RUU

936. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000411102155.18647.00002066@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114510

> Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd
>has never had HF prifileges.
>
> Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.
>

Peter,

If you really want to know, please kindly send me an e-mail privately. I dont need anymore harrassment from KC8JBO. Maybe with the proceeds from these sales, I'll get Mr. Laterbach's "Danger on the Internet" book - Which I hear is being updated to include AF2Y, W4NTI and KC8JBO's type of NG harrassments

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

937. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <8cvddb$9m2@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 114511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Send me your radios also. you will have no need for them.

Mike Yetsko wrote in message ...
>Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
>
>It's only 4 days now and counting...
>
>Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
>VE badge?
>
>Mike
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>
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>news:8ctuvv$gi4$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>> John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
>> >Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic
>go on?
>>
>> As long as folks like yourself continue to post follow-ups to it.
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>> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>> >news:8c0iqn$p5e$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>> >> Wayne Woodhams <wwoodhamsNOwwSPAM@vcnet.com.invalid> wrote:
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>> >> >something had massively changed in the hobby, it was doomed to go
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>> >> >the tubes.
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>> >> magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung away
>> >> from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying
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>> >> end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)
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>> >> 73, Jeff KH6O
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938. Re: FS Kenwood TMV-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerry <tgerryNOtgSPAM@global.co.za.invalid>
Message-ID: <197a3504.ac756ea9@usw-ex0105-037.remarq.com>
Source record: 114512

I have tried twice previously to send a message to you by my
mail keeps bouncing back. I am very interested and would like to
buy it. Although I am located in South Africa, payment will be
done through a close friend of mine living in New York. Please
let me know what the situation is.

Gerry Pieterse ZS6GER
e-mail: tgerry@global.co.za

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

939. Re: Here's an interesting question....Hey Peter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38F33CC3.D0C9E147@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114513

> Did you know that the ICOM 706 also operates on 6 and 2 meters?

Yes, I did. Look more closely at his offerings.

940. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Schafer <gschafer@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <38F342E6.43DAA503@mediaone.net>
Source record: 114514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Do I detect a bit of sarcasm being injected into this very serious subject
?

Gary K4FMX

Gary - KJ6Q wrote:

> YUP you guys are right, no doubt about it - only an electronics genius
> can pass the new tests, and all those old questions were kindergarten
> level stuff... AND if any current old-timers had to be retested, they
> would all undoubtedly fail miserably...
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> There, feel better now?
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> Not pollution or environmental issues...
> It's UN seizure, as allowed by our "political leaders",
> already seen in Yellowstone Park and the Grand Canyon!
> ....
> American government - giving our country away, million
> by million, and acre by acre - to many who are sworn enemies.
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> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote in message
> news:38F25A43.F306A3B@icss.net...
> > Gary Schafer wrote:
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> > > I had forgotten how easy they really were! They seemed harder at
> the time
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> little more
> > > involved than they were back then. Now there are many more aspects
> of
> > > electronics covered that were not then. Space communications,
> digital
> > > theory, solid state theory etc.
> > >
> > > I wish that all the guys gripping about how "dumbed down" today's
> test are
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> > > Best regards
> > > Gary K4FMX
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> > Gary, if they actually look at the new question pools and still
> think they're
> > easy, its because they don't understand the questions.
> >
> > Brian
> >

941. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38F3281B.4F2C@some.net>
Source record: 114515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:
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> Gary, if they actually look at the new question pools and still think they're
> easy, its because they don't understand the questions.
>
> Brian

You don't have to understand the question when the answer is given to
you. All test applicants have to do now is just memorize which answer
goes with the question.

942. Re: Blocked from QRZ.COM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com>
Message-ID: <perf-349B20.10561011042000@news.jajaweb.net>
Source record: 114516

In article <38f33357.147609866@news.mindspring.com>, (John) wrote:

> On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 02:53:54 -0700 (PDT), makingwaves3548@webtv.net
> wrote:
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> >by community and houssing associations, on the air.
> >Making Waves P.O.box 14034 Palm Desert Ca
> >92255.
> What the hell are you talking about?

If I understand correctly (which rarely happens) you have problems with
antennas in your "neck of the woods" others do like them?
IF (being the largest word in the english vocabulary) that is the case

MOVE!!!!!!!

if not.....disregard my last.

943. ARRL Executive VP an "A-1" Op ? I think not.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8cvl7haf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114517

How can ARRL "staffers" steer the future of ham radio in a competent manner if they go around making statements like this ?

May 2000 QST:

regarding operating:

(and especially if it's intermittent and you have to remind your-self
how things work every time you sit down to operate)

What does this tell us ?

1. Quantity is better than quality. Contesters are on 10 weekends a year, disappear from the air for months on end, and as such want a body count to run up their QSO totals (at least they think all those guys will call CQ contest on April 15). Thus, they never really learn to operate their gear. But because they can sit in a chair for 48 hours and make 2500 QSO's, they're better than the rest.

If they think that is professional or A-1... they're wrong. Professional was some sloppy fisted guy on a tanker in the Persian Gulf sending SOS, not "UR 599 TU" from a computer program, 2568 times on a Saturday in January.

2. Well now, if the ARRL VP can't remember how to tune his AL-1500 after using it for several years, for thousands of QSO's, should he be pontificating to others about "good amateur practice" or proposing to institute "ARRL certification" programs to make up for written exam shortfalls they failed to stave off ?

3. I guess the people who say the buzzards are in control are right. By inference, this guy can't figure out how to run what he buys. Or else he doesn't care enough about ham radio to commit it to memory. Or else, he doesn't have a memory at his age and should retire before ham radio gets driven into the soil because of their misguided interpretations of what's going on.

But the fact that he doesn't care about ham radio doesn't surprise us, does it ?

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

944. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <38F3531E.6B5B@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 114518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Joel B Levin wrote:
>
> In <8ctukg$ga5$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> }Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com> wrote:
> }> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> }>> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
> }>> >Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in
> }>1963. Those
> }>> >16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?
> }>> Why not post the questions contained in that study guide rather than
> }>> counting the number of its pages?
> }
> }>My 1955 ARRL General Study Guide (11 pages) had questions like --
> }
> }Those are interesting, but Ed et al keep making reference to the 16
> }pages of their'63 study guide; I'd like to view all the questions
> }contained in that guide rather than just know the number of pages.
> }Maybe someone could place the '63 guide on a web page.
>
> I don't remember which study guide(s) I had when I got my novice in '62, but
> I seem to recall that the questions for the technician or general were not
> all that different in nature. It was still the same sort of thing -- 'learn
> the material covered here and you will know enough to be able to answer the
> actual questions of the test'. For various reasons I did not go on to get
> the general (well, then it would have been a conditional) till nearly 30
> years later. The CW was still the hard part anyhow.
>
> /JBL KD1ON (ex-KN7YEG)

Yes, my 61 study guide was also about the same as the 1955. As for
current tests being "dumbed down" because of learning to memorize the
right answer out of four given, the only difference then was that the
three incorrect answers were not provided with the question, only the
single correct answer. Thus the "hard" part, memorizing the right
answer out of the manual, and being able to detect it in a stealth field
of previously undefined incorrect answers. It was really rough then :)

RT
W7RT

945. Re: Questions about SSTV, JVFAX and the MFJ-1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F31E23.A76118BF@oio.net>
Source record: 114519

Chuck,
My earlier reply didn't help you much with JVFAX,
sorry 'bout that.
The settings deal with 'timing'. These settings
depend on the speed of your computer. Even computers
with the same CPU, etc, can/will have different settings.
Theres no practical way to tell you what yours are
going to be. It's sort of a "try it and see" thing, and
can really be a 'pain'.
Still haven't helped you much, but really, theres
not a lot any one can do. Hope you get things running,
SSTV is a lot of fun.
'Doc

946. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <davison7@gte.net>
Message-ID: <VWII4.56000$QJ3.6508973@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

YUP - but it seems lost on some here, doesn't it...

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Gary - KJ6Q
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947. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <38f367f7.32644314@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 114521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

948. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <5dKI4.17931$y4.625690@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

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Hey, get in line after me!!!

Mike

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949. Re: The movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cvs2q$f82$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114523

And you forgot about "Contact" with Jodie Foster..one TREMENDOUS film.

In article <8cvcbh$n3s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <9bv4fsktsqhkub9cmi7qkc0cva8d4slmkt@4ax.com>,
> tnom@mucks.net wrote:
>> The movie Frequency comes out on April 15. This movie uses an old
>> amateur radio as a prop and link to the past.
>>
>> Is it just a coincidence that it opens on the 15th?
>
> It should be an interesting movie, however. I think the premise has
> been done before in science-fiction, i.e. the original tv
> series "Twilight Zone."
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
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>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

950. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8cvsngdtf1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114524

In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
> talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
> will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.

You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF coupled to lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about INTERFERENCE complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's going to be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by adjacent signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin in four days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.

951. Drake HF Station For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carver Washburn <clwashburn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38F384E4.76284E02@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114525

Full HF station complement of operating Drake equipment for sale: T4X transmitter with two extra 500 KHz bands for MARS frequencies, AC4 power supply for T4X, R4A receiver (built in power supply) and MS-4 speaker & equipment manuals. I'll throw in extra pair of T4X final tubes and a new Heil dynamic microphone. $400. takes all plus shipping.
Name: Carver Washburn
Callsign: W2TFM
Email: clwashburn@worldnet.att.net

952. Help Wanted - Standard 5900DA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Willis <jwillis@nc-cap.org>
Message-ID: <SDLI4.8228$x62.40110@typhoon.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 114526

I have recently purchased a Standard 5900DA. Fine Rig (I think) I got it at a hamfest for a real good deal. But (there is always a but) I don't have the manual. have most of it figured out, but I need to know how to program a subtone into a memory channel as and how to do a non standard offset. If anyone has the manual and can help I would be most appreciative.

Thanks folks,

Jeff Willis
Senior Systems Engineer
Network Consultants Inc.
jeff@networkconsultants.net

953. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d005g0bre@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114527

In article <8cue85$2r1$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>>I'm sure he'll think as much of it as the guests on the Jerry Springer show
>>think of the "final thoughts".
>
>Don't watch it so I have no idea what you mean.

Well, I guess since it's not a federal law, you probably wouldn't know.

>
>>With a band that is so highly affected by atmospheric conditions, the
distance
>>restriction on CB communications serves no purpose. The regulation should be
>>done away with.
>
>Working DX is not one of the purposes of the CBRS. That one is heard by
>a DX station is not breaking the law; only when two-way contact is
>established has one broken federal law.
>

The purpose is irrelevant. The government has mandated who you may and may not talk to via a specific radio frequency or frequencies.

The FCC, since its inception, has dictated what speech is allowed over the airwaves. They have bamboozled federal judges into believing that the airwaves should not have the *full* protection of the First Amendment. How the American people have been led to believe and accept this con is an even bigger travesty.

The purpose of the FCC should be to regulate and assign frequency allocations for different services, and prevent such from interfering with each other for the protection of life and property. Content of transmissions should not even be an issue.

>>...and I see you've conveniently deleted my quote from Marcus Cicero.
>
>It's unknown to me what you're talking about. There was no "Marcus"
>in the text. I think I recall deleting your signature line -- is
>that what you're referring to?
>
>>Yet, chastise others when they do the same to you. Bad boy, Jeff.
>
>I've never chastised anyone for deleting my signature line. It's
>expected, nay, encouraged, to trim such items.
>
>Jeff KH6O <--- feel free to delete this line in your fol-up

FYI, it was *not* a signature line. The only signature line I have in the radio newsgroups is my name and callsign. You can find it if you go back through the thread. I assure you that it's there.

Tom - N8ECW

954. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <8d0603$fl1@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 114528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey, can I sound like an old fart for a minute? Weellllll ya know I passed my 13WPM at the FCC office at Atlanta back in 70 and passed my 20 in 87 now all I need is 5wpm and wished it had been that way back in 70. Finially, the FCC has got something close to being correct.

Mike Yetsko wrote in message
<5dKI4.17931$y4.625690@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>Hey, get in line after me!!!
>
>Mike
>
>J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net> wrote in message
>news:8cvddb$9m2@journal.concentric.net...
>> Send me your radios also. you will have no need for them.
>>
>>
>> Mike Yetsko wrote in message ...
>> >Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
>> >
>> >It's only 4 days now and counting...
>> >
>> >Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
>> >VE badge?
>> >
>> >Mike
>> >
>> >
>> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>> >news:8ctuvv$gi4$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>> >> John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
>> >> >Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and
>topic
>> >go on?
>> >>
>> >> As long as folks like yourself continue to post follow-ups to it.
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>> >>
>> >> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>> >> >news:8c0iqn$p5e$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>> >> >> Wayne Woodhams <wwoodhamsNOwwSPAM@vcnet.com.invalid> wrote:
>> >> >> > But unless
>> >> >> >something had massively changed in the hobby, it was doomed to
>go

>> >down
>> >> >> >the tubes.
>> >> >>
>> >> >> Your prediction is older than you are: In "...1922 many radio
>> >> >> magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung
>away
>> >> >> from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying
>> >the
>> >> >> end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)
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>> >> >> 73, Jeff KH6O
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955. Re: The movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d07ra$k9k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114529

In article <8cvs2q$f82$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> And you forgot about "Contact" with Jodie Foster..one TREMENDOUS
film.

Aggreed. It was a good movie. I wouldn't mind getting in a QSO with
Jodie Foster, either. hahahaha!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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956. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d082ikkg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114530

Brother Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.com> whined in message
news:20000411102155.18647.00002066@ng-cg1.aol.com...
>
> Peter,
>
> If you really want to know, please kindly send me an e-mail
privately. I dont
> need anymore harrassment from KC8JBO.

Boo hoo hoo, Let's all send SPAMMING Lloyd a crying towel.
"Don't." "Harassment."

>Maybe with the proceeds from these
> sales, I'll get Mr. Laterbach's "Danger on the Internet" book -
Which I hear
> is being updated to include AF2Y, W4NTI and KC8JBO's type of NG
>harrassments

"Harassments," Dumbass.
You'll need to learn how to READ first, Latoid the Mongoloid.
And if you'd keep my call out of your posts, you wouldn't get my
feedback, stupid.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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957. Re: ARRL Executive VP an "A-1" Op ? I think not.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d07iu$6un$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114531

Hell, they couldn't steer a toy boat in a bathtub.

In article <8cvl7haf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>
>
>
> How can ARRL "staffers" steer the future of ham radio in a competent
> manner if they go around making statements like this ?
>
> May 2000 QST:
>
> regarding operating:
>
> (and especially if itï¿½s intermittent and you have to remind your-self
> how things work every time you sit down to operate)
>
> What does this tell us ?
>
> 1. Quantity is better than quality. Contesters are on 10 weekends a
> year, disappear from the air for months on end, and as such want a body
> count to run up their QSO totals (at least they think all those guys
> will call CQ contest on April 15). Thus, they never really learn to
> operate their gear. But because they can sit in a chair for 48 hours and
> make 2500 QSO's, they're better than the rest.
>
> If they think that is professional or A-1... they're wrong. Professional
> was some sloppy fisted guy on a tanker in the Persian Gulf sending SOS,
> not "UR 599 TU" from a computer program, 2568 times on a Saturday in
> January.
>
> 2. Well now, if the ARRL VP can't remember how to tune his AL-1500 after
> using it for several years, for thousands of QSO's, should he be
> pontificating to others about "good amateur practice" or proposing to
> institute "ARRL certification" programs to make up for written exam
> shortfalls they failed to stave off ?
>
> 3. I guess the people who say the buzzards are in control are right. By
> inference, this guy can't figure out how to run what he buys. Or else he
> doesn't care enough about ham radio to commit it to memory. Or else, he
> doesn't have a memory at his age and should retire before ham radio gets
> driven into the soil because of their misguided interpretations of
> what's going on.
>

> But the fact that he doesn't care about ham radio doesn't surprise us,
> does it ?
>
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> Before you buy.

958. NEW Web Site!! --RADIOS-- --COMPUTER PARTS & SYSTEMS--

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiotek@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <38f3a65b.30309665@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 114532

We just put together our new web site.
MAG Electronics: We sell radio communication
products + Computer Parts & Systems for LESS!

Check us out:

http://magelectronics.8m.com
Backup: http://magelectronics.hypermart.net

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not see a product listed, drop us a line or e-mail us with
you inquiry!

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credit cards!!!

Your click is worth it!

Thank You,

Mike Green KQ6MU
MAG Electronics
magelectronics@pacbell.net

959. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F3A77C.82E3359A@icss.net>
Source record: 114533
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

JR wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> >
> >
> > Gary, if they actually look at the new question pools and still think they're
> > easy, its because they don't understand the questions.
> >
> > Brian
>
> You don't have to understand the question when the answer is given to
> you. All test applicants have to do now is just memorize which answer
> goes with the question.

True. But the material is harder than ever before, and making it even harder is senseless.

960. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8ctjl1bcb1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 114574

Rick Adams <ke8hh@SPAMFREE.arrl.net> wrote in message
news:93724FE20F2EC41D.0803E7BF27EDFED4.CFB5FE07DCCAEBC9@lp.airnews.net...
> On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 07:15:25 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> >Good grief Dwight, you can't believe what you write. I was indoctrinated
by
> >my parents to hate Castro when that man allowed Russian nuclear missiles
to
> >be installed on his island to blackmail and imperil the USA? Are you
nuts?
>
> What about the missiles _we_ had in nations bordering the
> former USSR? Was it "ok" for us to do that but not them? Why?
>
> Of _course_ you were "indoctrinated" by your parents--all of
> us are socialized by our families, our schools, our peers, and the
> media as we grow up. Here in the US that socialization results in our
> belief that our system of government is the best in the world--and
> guess what? In Cuba the socialization results in the belief that
> _theirs_ is the best system! If it's "indoctrination" for them, it's
> equally so for us.
>
> >You're as naive as Little Red Riding Hood. You actually believe that
people
> >are happy on that island?
>
> Sure they are. Get on the air sometime and talk to some Cuban
> hams! Obviously, some are dissatisfied with life there--on the other
> hand, do you seriously believe that the people living in our ghettos
> are happy here in the US?
>
> >Then explain why so many have escaped and God
> >knows how many would love to.
>
> Not to burst your bubble, but only a very small percentage of
> Cubans have attempted to flee Cuba. Most are satisfied there _despite_
> the way the US has singled out that one small nation for complete
> economic embargo.
>
> Cuba is no more of a threat to the US today than, for example,
> Nicaragua--but we limit their trade, prevent them from modernizing,
> and pressure the international community to do the same. If you want a
> reason that people might want to leave Cuba you don't have to look at

> _their_ government, you have to look at _ours_--because WE are the
> ones keeping much of their citizenry in poverty.
>
> >Castro is no Leninist? All Red are. He's their
> >head honcho who took theories by Marx and Engels and put them into
practice.
>
> In a sense you are partially correct. Lenin implemented the
> political theories of Marx in Russia, and the USSR was instrumental in
> guiding the ideologies of other Communist nations. On the other hand,
> most current Communist nations (China, Cuba, etc.) do _not_ follow a
> particularly Leninist form of government, but practice very modified
> forms of Communism.
>
> >You simply don't understand history or appreciate the cruelty of that
thing
> >called communism.
>
> No, you are the one who doesn't understand the nature of
> Communism. If you seriously believe that some of the dictatorships
> that have been overthrown by Communist regimes were better than the
> governments which followed, you simply are unwilling to examine them
> with any degree of honesty. Obviously there have been abuses, Stalin's
> "Cult of personality," and the "Cultural revolution" in Maoist China
> are excellent examples--but the same holds true of right wing
> dictatorships as well. Hitler was as far from a Communist as it was
> possible to be--and he certainly was far worse than any Communist who
> ever lived. Other examples throughout Latin America, Asia, and Africa
> abound.
>
> > Your mind is pliable and malleable and if you think
> >there's so much freedom on Cuba, pack up and move there. Good riddance!
>
> America--Love it or Leave it, right?
>
> That's the knee jerk response of _anyone_ who is so jingoistic
> that s/he finds it impossible to believe that ANY nation can have any
> value other than his/her own. That's utter rubbish!
>
> For the record, I _do_ prefer the US system to that of the
> Communist nations--and as a political science teacher at the college
> level, I _know_ the differences. You can skip the "Love it or Leave
> it" attitude--I paid my dues by serving in Vietnam and coming home
> with a couple bullet holes as a result. But I served my country
> because of what it stands for--which INCLUDES freedom of speech--not
> because I was so blind that I couldn't see that other nations had a
> right to disagree with us.
>
> Keeping Elian in the US is tantamount to kidnapping him.
> Simply because we don't agree with the political structure of Cuba--or

> more precisely, because we want to force the Cuban people to remove
> their political leader because we _personally_ don't like him. What
> rank hypocrisy! If China held an American child against the will of
> his father because they felt their system of government was "better"
> than ours, you would be among the first to demand that we use military
> force to get him back--but because it is a small, helpless, country
> whose child is being held by our nation you feel it's "ok." Sorry, but
> if it isn't "ok" for China (or any other nation, for that matter), it
> isn't "ok" for the US, either.
>
> Rick
>
> --
>
> Rick Adams
> ke8hh@arrl.net
> adamsr@voyager.net
> Department of Social Sciences
> Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
> "... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
> will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
> Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

Of course you are right Rick. I just finished a 3 year assignment in Vietnam..Hanoi no less. People there live under what we consider a repressive government. Most people in VN howwever are not communists..they're as apathetic about politcs as Americans. What matters most there, as I suspect from my travels in Latin America goes for Cuba, is FAMILY. The VN wouldn't and don't understand the way some Amercians parade politics all over the world as "we know what's best for you folks". And they certainly don't understand how we could hold on to a child when his father is willing and able to care for him. Neither do I.
I wonder if this his Doc fellow has ever been anywhere? No matter, as an American he can talk talk talk----no experience necessary.

In any case, this discussion continues all over the internet and convention/etiquette dictate that it shouldn't take place in here.

73, John

961. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ctukg$ga5$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:

>> >Let's make 'em pass that really hard test, like I had to do in
>1963. Those
>> >16 pages of study guide make today's tests look really easy, eh?

>> Why not post the questions contained in that study guide rather than
>> counting the number of its pages?

>My 1955 ARRL General Study Guide (11 pages) had questions like --

Those are interesting, but Ed et al keep making reference to the 16
pages of their'63 study guide; I'd like to view all the questions
contained in that guide rather than just know the number of pages.
Maybe someone could place the '63 guide on a web page.

Jeff

>"Name the basic units of electrical resistance, inductance,
>capacitance, current, and electromotive force."
>
>"Why is full-wave rectification generally preferable to half-wave
>rectification in a power supply?"
>
>"Why is a bleeder resistor connected across the output circuit of a
>high-voltage power supply system?"
>
>"What radio messages have priority over all other communications?"
>
>"On what frequencies may a licensee holding General Class amateur
>privileges operate?" (Answer: All amateur frequencies!)
>
>"What power input should an amateur station use for a particular
>communication when the maximum legal input is 1 kw?" (Trick question,
>Jeff, watch out!)
>
>"What is meant by the harmonic of a fundamental frequency?"
>
>"What is the FCC regulation regarding transmission of music by an
>amateur ratio-telephone station for testing purposes?"
>
>"What are the undesirable effects of overmodulation in radiotelephony?"

>
>"What is the formula for finding the resonant frequency of a tuned
>circuit?"
>
>"What effect does the Q of a circuit have on harmonic output?"
>
>Pretty similar to todays questions!
>
>And thats the way it was!
>
>Walter
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962. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ctuvv$gi4$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
>Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic go on?

As long as folks like yourself continue to post follow-ups to it.

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>>
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>> magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung away
>> from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying the
>> end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)
>>
>> 73, Jeff KH6O
>
>

963. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ctvil027k5@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114577

In article <8cpcmb$rf2$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>>As I've said before, you care more about the letter of the law, than the
>>people that the law was meant for.
>
>He admitted/boasted to breaking the law. You pat him on the head; after
>you're done rewarding him, I'll throw Part 95 of Title 47 at him and
>hope he reads it.

I'm sure he'll think as much of it as the guests on the Jerry Springer show think of the "final thoughts".

With a band that is so highly affected by atmospheric conditions, the distance restriction on CB communications serves no purpose. The regulation should be done away with.

...and I see you've conveniently deleted my quote from Marcus Cicero. Yet, chastise others when they do the same to you. Bad boy, Jeffy

Tom - N8ECW

964. Re: Dayton Hooters Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wex w2ilp <w2ilp@juno.com>
Message-ID: <8cu404$f6l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8cit4dkjs1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
hermit_thrush@my-deja.com wrote:
> Q: What do hams visiting Dayton have in common with girls at Hooters ?
>
> A: They need bras badly.

A: They both may depend on silicon for communicating.

Hams need better exams so they can understand what is in their chips,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Increase License Potential)

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965. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f28e0d.510170@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 19:24:34 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
>
>> "Dave Heil" <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in message
>> news:38EFFD8C.8DC572EB@cats-net.com...
>> >
>> > You're right, Carl. The interesting thing was not the posting of the
>> > results. The interesting thing was that from the vast throngs of
>> > "doers" holding NCI membership there were no nominations at all.
>> >
>> > All in favor, say "Baaaa"...er, "Aye".
>> >
>> > Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>>
>> Gee, Dave ... I hate to be the one to tell you this, but the
>> member bulletin announcement brought MANY "Keep up
>> the good work!" and "Thanks for all of your work on our
>> behalf ... you're doing a great job." sort of messages from
>> the members who received the bulletin.
>>
>> But you couldn't conceive of conceeding that perhaps the
>> reason there were no other nominations was based on the
>> fact that the membership is very satisfied with the performance
>> of the Board of Directors team that's been in place for the
>> past couple of years.
>
>Right, Carl. You're doing a great job. Keep up the good work.
>
>> I can live with that ... I don't need YOUR approval.
>
>Then why bother with the reply if you can live with it and don't need my
>approval?
>
>> The approval of the membership I represent is all I need.
>
>That and this ashtray. That's all I need. (borrowed from the Steve
>Martin film, "The Jerk")

Give up smoking then. You really don't need the
medical problems that come with it.

This medical public service bulletin brought to
you by your friends at NCI.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

966. Re: Joel doesn't get it (Written exams weakened)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f29054.131983272@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 10 Apr 2000 16:01:05 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>Joel said something like the theory tests stayed the same or were
>toughened.
>
>Joel, they weren't. The FCC and ARRL want you to think that. But since

Thee ARRL wanted, the FCC left the matter the QPC which choose to
canabalize the old pools (a logical step whitoit regard to any other
merits/demerits it has)

>they're in bed together and always keep in mind the average intelligence

The FCC and the ARRL in bed together. What are you smoking?
and how much did you inhale. The ARRL finds itself all but ignored byt
the FCC in the matter of license structure, rightly or wrongly the FCC
did what it thout best and rejected all the ARLL's coments/proposals.
Indeed I suspect it reject the petion to reconsider consoldating the
Tech and tech Plus license groups. I believe (without real evedieence)
that this is because the FCC expects and has more or less decided that
when S25.2 is droped that they will drop all code testing and so the
seperation will become moot.

>of hams, while ignoring their own lack thereof (characteristic of FCC
>employees and ARRL wannabes), they think those of us with educations
>will fall for it.
>
>To those who are neutral on the code issue but have seen the new "more
>difficult" question pools that were to compensate for the code drop, you
>know to keep your hip waders in good shape, to wade through the ARR
>bullshit...

`The ARRL asked the FCC said little or nothing on the subject.
the Matter is in the Hand of nobody but Hams anymore the QPC by name.
>
>
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967. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1on@arrl.net
Message-ID: <38f292f7.9707059@news.gte.net>
Source record: 114581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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}contained in that guide rather than just know the number of pages.
}Maybe someone could place the '63 guide on a web page.

I don't remember which study guide(s) I had when I got my novice in '62, but I seem to recall that the questions for the technician or general were not all that different in nature. It was still the same sort of thing -- 'learn the material covered here and you will know enough to be able to answer the actual questions of the test'. For various reasons I did not go on to get the general (well, then it would have been a conditional) till nearly 30 years later. The CW was still the hard part anyhow.

/JBL KD1ON (ex-KN7YEG)

968. Re: NCI Announces Bylaws Amendments or Fleecing the FLock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410230858.02937.00000388@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 114582

>Watch for dues being
>assessed to the membersheep.

That will probably happen when Carl sets up the Official Club Station at his
home

969. Questions about SSTV, JVFAX and the MFJ-1213

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000410231041.25764.00000887@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 114583

I have purchased the MFJ-1213 interface for my PC. It works great using HAMCOM and decoding RTTY and CW. I can not for the life of me get it to work in the SSTV mode using JVFAX ver 7.1. What type of mode is the SSTV on 14.230 in?

Can someone please supply me with the settings for JVFAX in the SSTV mode???

Thanks and 73's
Chuck
W0CBF

970. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F4ED7C.3C026F79@oio.net>
Source record: 114334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Not sure who the original poster was, but it's probably
best if he did turn in his VE 'badge'. Who ever your are
I for one am glad your gone. Byeeeeee.....
'Doc

971. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <Ot9Lo8Op$GA.228@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote
>the issue then comes down to what is pofanity in any given
>instance. That's not an easy line to draw.

The line for profanity on the ham bands should be easy to draw...

972. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William F. Hagen" <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <38F549FE.F171896@inreach.com>
Source record: 114336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I think I am just tired of seeing amateur radio tear itself apart. It
reminds me of a pathetic little animal eating its own children because
it cant find anything else to do.

Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>
> What's the matter? Does it hit to close to home? I think it's funny that the
> QRS signal was used to slam restructuring.
>
> In article <38EFF96E.F431C1E@inreach.com>, whagen@inreach.com wrote:
> >I wonder if there is anyone who actually thinks this kind of stuff is
> >funny.
> >
> >John Jones wrote:
> >>
> >> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down repeater ID's.
> >>
> >> Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:
> >>
> >> >The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
> >> >hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
> >> >kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
> >> >but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
> >> >lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
> >> >might only know CW to 2 WPM. Repeaters with voice ID's
> >> >must be programed to talk slower to accomodate restructured
> >> >hams who are still learning the alphabet. Elmers who want
> >> >to help new hams with their CW repeater ID skills, should
> >> >focus on the letters found in phrases like "Welfare check" or
> >> >"Food Stamps" as restructured hams are more familier
> >> >with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
> >> >identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
> >> >they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
> >> >
> >> >QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

973. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5DRB <k5drb@cei.net>
Message-ID: <h1cJ4.61$gb5.1731049513@typhoon.cei.net>
Source record: 114337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

I tell you this Vincent is a disgrace to the Amateur Radio hobby. Why don't
you do us all a favor and give up your callsign as well. Then you can go
back to the 11 meter group. Real Amateur radio operators don't want dumb
butts like you giving our hobby a bad name.

Donald

K5DRB (AND PROUD OF IT !!!!!)
Keith Wood wrote in message <38F4CC5E.E515678@bctv.com>...
>
>
>"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
>>
>> I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>>
>> KB7ADL
>
>Cool! Thank you!
>
>Usually when people have tantrums they don't fulfill their promises.

974. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gariac <gspamnotsellani@accesscom.com>
Message-ID: <sfaqkndualn67@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114338
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

The BC780XLT is not a handheld unit. It is designed as a mobile unit. Will it take a battery pack? Still, it will do more that the BC245 and has some aphanumerics.

The VX-5R is a pretty poor HT. The old FT50RD is a better choice, though not much cheaper. The VX-5R CTCSS is unusable. The metal case makes the unit too hot to handle. It has other problems as well.

John LeMay <jlemay@nospam.njmc.com> wrote in message news:8d2vs4$gq4$1@news.monmouth.com...
> In article <Vd6J4.58452$QJ3.6911774@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>, "N9NWO"
> <2121d@GTE.net> wrote:
>
> Wait until the new Bearcat BC780XLT comes out. 25-1300 and trunking all in
> one. That's the scanner I'm waiting for. Check out www.strongsignals.net
> for more info and a scan of the brochure.
>
> > I am about ready to buy a trunking scanner, such as the BC-245, and a
> > new handheld radio, such as the Yaesu VX-5R. What is holding me back is
> > that the new equipment is usually announced at Dayton. But this year
> > there has been little talk of any new equipment.
> >
> > Am I safe to go ahead and buy these two radios??
> >
> > --
> > **********
> > In two days, tomorrow will be yesterday!
> > **********
> >
> >
> >
>
> --
>
> To reply directly to my email address, please remove the "nospam." from
> the address shown. Sorry for the inconvenience!
>

975. Re: Looking for my page from callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F49278.45EC5B3B@ahole.com>
Source record: 114384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Why don't you lazy bums just re-take the 5wpm(very slow code) test
again. What's the big deal?

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com> wrote in message
> news:38F3346C.A09F5400@sysadminus.com...
> > Will pay someone to send me a page from a 1987 call book or earlier that
> > shows my Technician License.
> >
> > Bob T -KA2RUU
> >
> >
>
> If you need it for proof of passing the code element, you can send a letter
> to the FCC records clerk with the details of your call, year of issue,
> address at the time, etc. It takes a little time, (for me it took about 3
> weeks for them to respond) but they will respond with a confirmation letter
> of your license class held at that time.
>
> 73 de W6DKN

976. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F4932E.DA90D263@ahole.com>
Source record: 114385

The reason for dumbing down ham radio was to CLEAR THE VHF AND UHF
BANDS so that the FCC could sell off that spectrum. You guys just
don't get it. With all the hams getting on HF and leaving the bands
above 50mhz they will be ripe for a takeover.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> radiosigs@mindspring.com <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
>
> >> And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
> >> talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
> >> will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.
>
> >You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF coupled to
> >lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about INTERFERENCE
> >complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's going to
> >be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by adjacent
> >signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin in four
> >days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.
>
> Then we can submit a petition to reinstate the "high speed" code exams
> again.
>
> Jeff

977. Re: send N9VTB back to Warsaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d1ug5dbd1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114386

Right onski, Danski.

In article <8d0dcuqqv1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> E-mails were sent, tapes are available. Now we will see how Riley
> really is.
>
> Dan/W4NTI

978. Re: They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Smith <w9wi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <38F47F89.1C9F7725@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 114387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" wrote:
> >Anyone who thinks ARRL checks all those contest logs for
> >accuracy should have his head soaked in sparkling muscatel.
> >Just like DX logs. In 1997 I added 10,000 points to my November
> >SS score by adding a couple of dozen contacts from calls
> >that I had "lifted" from listening.
>
> Now, there's something that a fellow can really brag about...

I would encourage this "gentleman" to continue cheating. In another
year or two, the increased computer power will make it possible to fully
check *all* the logs (and not just the top 50-70%). Seems to me it's
been awhile since anybody's been disqualified.....
--
Doug Smith W9WI
Pleasant View (Nashville), TN EM66
http://personal.bellsouth.net/~w9wi
Domains that fail to act against spammers are subject to being
killfiled.

979. Re: AF2Y: leave Elian BE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d1vss$12n$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114388

There is no correlation between the destitute waifs roaming the streets of poverty striken countries and Elian Gonzalez. Had his mother lived, the INS and State Department NEVER would have made an isssue over it but instead lauded the bravery of the two who held tight to anything that took them across the strait between Florida and Cuba. Sending Elian back will have nothing to do with anything but pure politics based on an agreement we made with a lousy commie s.o.b who's held Cuba in subjugation for 41 years and was treacherous enough to allow the Russians to point nuclear warheads at us. Do you really believe the kid wants to go back to rotten Cuba with daddy? Every shot of him I've seen shows a happy content little boy surrounded by loving relatives instead of a tearful kid caling for poppy. And here's something that suprises me. How come we don't hear the religious right in this country demanding he stay? They try to come off as being the only ones who'll ever get into heaven-they talk about family values and all that stuff so why are they silent about the value of Elian's family in Miami who love and comfort the kid? Everyone died at sea except Elian and probabaly by the grace of God himself, herself or itself. Doesn't God's desires mean anything to us? Who knows-by allowing him to stay we might be fulfilling God's plan? Yoo hoo, Jerry Falwell, where are you? Where are you Pat Robertson? Why don't we hear anything from prominent Catholic and Jewish leaders. I can't stand hypocrisy and this whole Gonzalez affair reeks from it.
AF2Y

In article <38F1C125.6BB@nospam.com>, Dybao <nospam@nospam.com> wrote:

> radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>>
>> Here I sit at my desk, doing paperwork with the Kenwood R1000 tuned to .313
>> and guess whom I'm hearing? That windbag KT4TR telling everyone that little
>> Elian Gonzalez MUST go back to Cuba with his red herring poppa. Like
>> hell...send Harrison to Cuba and leave that kid here! Wanna know why? Here's
>> some reasons. First of all, the kid's mother DIED bringing the child to
>> freedom? The U.S.A. is to let her die in vain? Since when doesn't this
>> country recognize the valiant attempt at escaping from oppression? (sniped)
>
> I've been following the issue since it started---I live in Florida. I
> have yet to hear of a similar situation to the one I learned about a
> year ago. No recent reportage, to my knowledge, has yet been made in
> the conventional and alternative news media of this parallel case to
> that of Elian Gonzalez.
>
> On or around November/December 1998 I heard a feature news story on
> NPR/PRI radio 'All Things Considered'. Apparently, a youngster from a

> country in Central America (Hounduras perhaps) was being held in a Texan
> jail after being capture by INS agents as an illegal alien. The news
> report went on to state that the youngster had come from a particularly
> difficult location and was one of thousands of illegimate children
> roaming the streets selling themselves in prostitution in order to buy
> drugs or plastic bags filled with glue or solvents that they sniff.
> Other childeren don't fare as well, they end up dead from gang violence
> or worse! An investigative news team went to where this fellow came
> from and the interviews and experiences gained there tended to confirm
> the story.
>
> The report continued that the fellow in jail, with the aid of a support
> group, applied to the US for political assylum. Unfortuately, it was
> reported that the US had no provisions to accept requests for assylum
> from children. The report ended by stating that the issue was in the
> process of being reviewed by the US Supreme Court and hopefully a
> favorable decision would be granted---the acceptance of requests of
> political assylum from children.
>
> What I found interesting in this report was the mention of controversy
> centering upon the issue of political assylum requests from children.
> There was a developing fear that if this fellow was granted political
> assylum it would establish a precedent for tens of thousands of children
> to emigrate from countries like Thailand, Brazil, Columbia, Mexico,
> Venezuela, countries of Africa and Central America... A situation that
> some found to be threatening to the health and welfare of this country
> not only from disease, but from gang bred violent behavior. It was
> pointed out that the US simply could not meet the needs of these hoards
> of illegimate children coming into the country presenting problems with
> schooling, hospitalization and care for the diseased (AIDS). Simply
> put, children that were born and bred, raised in the streets of third
> world countries, would not be able to socialize properly to their new
> home in the US and become a serious social and economic problem.
> Believe me, having travelled to many of those countries I understand
> what they are saying!
>
> I never heard the outcome of that case. My law professor, a juvenille
> judge, had nothing to add or comment beyond what the the news story
> presented. I wondered why this situation, with such close parallels to
> the Elian Gonzalez case, seemingly has never been mentioned (to the best
> of my knowledge)---especially with regard to the issue of political
> assylum requests from children! I believe the issue has far reaching
> implications beyond that currently discussed in the thread or from the
> emotional outcry we are being fed on a daily basis from the media.
>
> I really have to wonder, if Elian is sent back to Cuba and most likely
> becomes a national hero with all rights and privileges, it would
> probably be a short time before the political climate changes in Cuba to
> where he could return to the US under more favorable circumstances.
>

> Anyone have comment on that 'All Things Considered' news story that
> aired back in November/December 1998, what eventually became of that boy
> held in custody of a Texas jail pending Supreme Court review of
> political assylum requests from children---links or references to news
> stories appreciated.
>
> Sincerely
>

980. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f48313.1204560@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 13:10:36 GMT, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Mark, your statement is incorrect that profanity is permissible to
>use in public. There is a law that was enforced in Colorado when a
>family was out rafting and a drunk no good bum lost his raft and
>started cussing. He was arrested and found guilty. Also in Texas
>there is a law that if a person is offended with your profanity in
>public that person can be arrested.

Neat idea, arrest the person that was offended :-)

The reality is somewhere in between as the issue then comes
down to what is pofanity in any given instance. That's not
an easy line to draw.

The rafting episode I believe was not in CO, but
either Michigan or Minnesota I think.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

981. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d21pf$k2j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114390

In article <20000412013847.18640.00002319@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> >Hey Llllloyd,
> >
> >You have a hell of a lot of nerve. I think Ill make you my business,
> >and go through all of USENET and copy all your racist, nazi, etc.
> >crap you have posted. I'd suggest you get your own act together
> >dipshit.
>
>
> Really? If you really had the nerve, you get that big fat ass of
> yours up to Athens and meet me face to face. That goes for anyone
> else too.

Uh, oh. Lloyd's stretched up to his full 5'6" and is threatening to
punch someone in the knee.

> Bet I can get more tapes of you making threats, harrassing others on
> 20m and 75m than you can find my "nazi" posts.

Translation: "oh, yeah"

> How about you make a webpage of all my "nazi" posts and I'll put up a
> webpage of your QRMing days Dan?

Watch out, it's webpages at 50 paces! What happened to "come on up to
Athens"?

Translation of all this: S-P-A-N-K !

Good job, Dan.

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

982. Re: nothing ever changes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack <jackn2mpu@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <38F48A71.D32228F0@monmouth.com>
Source record: 114391

Burt wrote:
>
> "Hawke" <geronimo@extremezone.com> wrote in message
> news:38F3FC81.C76929D7@extremezone.com...
> > Gee, I go away for a long while and thinsg are still in the same
> > state they were when I left.
> >
> > Some things never change.
>
> That defines ham radio
>
> Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
> You will see:
>
All kinds of crap that makes your computer choke and crash. Either
Burp, or whoever writes his Java code, is a screw-up on writing web page
stuff. And this happens no matter whether it's a PC or a Mac, dial-up or
T1/T3 line. Go to something like look at Burp's family, and the page
starts to load, calls up some applet, and proceeds to hang,
necessitating a hard reboot. Of course, just the thought of looking at
his family is enough to make anyone (or anything) choke.

--
JackN2MPU
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO and CPRail and D&H in N
Proud NRA member

983. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d24u0nlm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114392

In article <20000412013847.18640.00002319@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> >Hey Llllloyd,
> >
> >You have a hell of a lot of nerve. I think Ill make you my business,
> >and go through all of USENET and copy all your racist, nazi, etc.
crap
> >you have posted. I'd suggest you get your own act together dipshit.
> >
>
> Really? If you really had the nerve, you get that big fat ass of
yours up to
> Athens and meet me face to face. That goes for anyone else too.
>
> Bet I can get more tapes of you making threats, harrassing others on
20m and
> 75m than you can find my "nazi" posts.
> Wanna make a deal Dan? I'm sure the good Stumpjumpers have got lots
of good
> tapes of you QRM'ing to the tilt. In fact, I might have a few laying
here
> myself. How about you make a webpage of all my "nazi" posts and I'll
put up a
> webpage of your QRMing days Dan?
>
> Got a deal?
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
This just shows everyone how juvenile you really are Llllloyd. You
come on this board a few years ago and jump on the anti-semite, racist
bandwagon. You make thousands of off subject posts. You bitch and
moan about hams that actually give a damn, and work to upgrade. You
badmouth anything and everything good and decent. Now you expect me,
or anyone else to take you serious? What a flippin fool you are
Llllloyd.

If you have that much of a problem with me....call ur BARF buddies and
see if any of them are interested in doing your foot work. I'll bet
you wont find anyone. And why is that Llllloyd? Because we have a

truce worked out. A handshake sealed it all. Now Llllloyd in order for such a thing to work....both parties must have some crediability. This immediatly elliminates you.

And you better damn well believe that I got just as many tapes of your "hero's" in action. Will I use them? NO. Why not? BECAUSE ITS OVER STUPID. In otherwords wanabee newguy, you ain't worth my time or effort or sweat off my you know what. Get a life.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

984. Re: nothing ever changes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000412112236.09218.00000382@nso-fe.aol.com>
Source record: 114393

>Burt wrote:

>> >
>> > Some things never change.
>>
>> That defines my posts. I post the same old drivel, over and over and over.
:))))

985. Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8d24cd$d7a$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 114394

Look, even if the FCC and ARRL won't grant a concession to people who passed the harder Extra Exam, we can do it ourselves. Once something gets into the common lexicon, it doesn't matter if it is official or not, we make is so. For example, UNC officials have done everything possible to try and have people call their arena by it's official name, "The Smith Center", but everyone calls it the "Dean Dome".

Rather than slight new Extras who still have passed a written test and 5wpm and deserve some credit by calling them Extra Lites or worse, let's use the positive and call old Extras, "Extra Plus's". What do you think? We had Tech Pluses, so why not? Let's all just standardize it, talk it up everywhere.

Fred
N4IXL
Extra Plus

986. WTB: Yaesu SP-102 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <hydro@fx2.com>
Message-ID: <%x0J4.3938$Uz6.5148@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 114395

Looking for a Yaesu SP-102 External speaker. Must be in good condition.

Thanks , John KI4NR

987. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <V11J4.3964$Uz6.5133@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 114396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Bill Sohl" <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote in message
news:38f48313.1204560@news.interactive.net...
> On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 13:10:36 GMT, Liberty_nits
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
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> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK
>
Michigan. Minnesota only gets unhappy if you are smoking at the time.

988. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F4BD8F.D2D562B8@ahole.com>
Source record: 114397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Texas Penal Code

TITLE 9. OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC
ORDER AND DECENCY
CHAPTER 42. DISORDERLY CONDUCT AND
RELATED OFFENSES

Sec. 42.01. Disorderly Conduct.

(a) A person commits an offense if he intentionally or knowingly:

(1) uses abusive, indecent, profane, or vulgar language in a
public place, and the language by its very utterance tends to
incite an immediate breach of the peace;

(2) makes an offensive gesture or display in a public place, and
the gesture or display tends to incite an immediate breach of
the
peace;

(3) creates, by chemical means, a noxious and unreasonable odor
in a public place;

(4) abuses or threatens a person in a public place in an
obviously offensive manner;

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f4a199.9019639@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The cited law below does not prohibit using foul
or profane language in public...EXCEPT when
the second condition is met...that the "language
by its very utterance tends to incite an immediate
breach of the peace;" Several possibile allowed
situations come to mind:

If John Doe is standing next to his car cursing
up a storm at the flat tire he has, that probably
wouldn't by its very utterance tend to incite any
immediate breach of the peace. Someone might
not like hearing it, but it wouldn't fit the law as
being so inciteful.

Just my lay personal opinion. Your mileage
may vary.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 16:15:37 GMT, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

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990. Re: Jeff's Grumblings ... was NCI Electiion News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <4E1J4.3446$G4.13640@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote:

>...and I'll be happy to provide you a definition of a "gimme".

Hello, Dave,

There are probably as many definitions of "gimme" as there are definers.

There are some who would define memorizing a 42 character encoding set
instead of learning the principles of modern radio technology as a "gimme."

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

991. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F4CEA9.609FA121@ahole.com>
Source record: 114400

I think you all are full of shit....

Fred wrote:
>
> Look, even if the FCC and ARRL won't grant a concession to people who passed
> the harder Extra Exam, we can do it ourselves. Once something gets into the
> common lexicon, it doesn't matter if it is official or not, we make is so.
> For example, UNC officials have done everything possible to try and have
> people call their arena by it's official name, "The Smith Center", but
> everyone calls it the "Dean Dome".
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> Tech Pluses, so why not? Let's all just standardize it, talk it up
> everywhere.
>
> Fred
> N4IXL
> Extra Plus

992. Re: LOOKING FOR digipan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8d2bblqpg1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 114401

In article <Pj6I4.28582$Y4.790641@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>,
Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net> wrote:
>Where is digipan. I can't find a link to get it but see many using it
>on the bands.
>TIA.
>
http://members.home.com/hteller/digipan/
Have fun...

73, Mike, WA9CQ

993. Re: nothing ever changes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <geronimo@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <38F4B5A4.EFF1B513@extremezone.com>
Source record: 114402

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Hash: SHA1

well. hello burt...

yep, this proves it. things are still unchanged.

Even old "burt the troll" is still trying to carry one a
USELESS FEUD with everyone.

Burt wrote:

"Hawke" <geronimo@extremezone.com> wrote in message
news:38F3FC81.C76929D7@extremezone.com...
> Gee, I go away for a long while and thinsg are still in the same
> state they were when I left.
>
> Some things never change.

That defines ham radio

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page
like it.
You will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham
contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous
people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have
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burt@broadcast.net
http://www.geocities.com/k1oik

-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
Version: PGPfreeware 6.5.3 for non-commercial use <http://www.pgp.com>
Comment: Protecting the Privacy of law abiding citizens everywhere!

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994. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@SPAMFREE.arrl.net
Message-ID: <D6699842D72BD46D.C2A74D027794A216.C5DE295DA38447C7@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114403

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 11:13:57 -0400, "Fred" <fdecker@compuserve.com>
wrote:

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>the harder Extra Exam, we can do it ourselves. Once something gets into the
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>Tech Pluses, so why not? Let's all just standardize it, talk it up
>everywhere.

Better yet, let's break it down further:

New Extra:

From VE Novice/Tech upgrade: Extra Quickie-Minus
From VE General upgrade: Extra Easy-Minus
From VE Advanced upgrade: Extra -CW-Minus

From FCC Tech upgrade: Extra Quickie-Plus
From FCC General upgrade: Extra Easy-Plus
From FCC Advanced upgrade Extra -CW-Plus

Old Extras:
Pre-April 15/Post-VE program: Extra +CW-Minus
VE upgrade-from Pre-VE program: Extra +CW-Plus
Pre-VE program Extra: Extra Old

After all, if we're going to _brag_ about how macho our cw
is--let's brag about how hard the test was, too!

Sheesh!

Rick <----Extra +CW-Plus

--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@arrl.net
adamsr@voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

995. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Stairmeister <broshit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <183J4.11118$q67.318005@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d0c8lpgn1@nnrp1.deja.com...

> Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Gerald Rosner, N8FGK, has
> announced that Michigan's Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest, scheduled for
> Sunday April 16, and sponsored by SEMARA has been cancelled. The
> Hamfest Committee made the decision based on a lack of advance table
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different from cheapo VCR's anyway. Anyone who would pay
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head examined. So keep droppin like flies you old tightwad
farts. I wanna see page-and-a-half long Obit's in QST.

996. Re: nothing ever changes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Stairmeister <broshit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <683J4.11119$q67.318005@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
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CHANGE ????????????????

IN HAM RADIO ??????????

YOU have GOT to be kidding me.

997. Re: send N9VTB back to Warsaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Stairmeister <broshit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <883J4.11120$q67.318005@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114406

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8d1ug5dbd1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Right onski, Danski.

And don't forget to tell N9VTB to:

a) go back to school to learn how to
properly speak the King's English and
then re-apply for his green-card/visa
b) check into the Liberty Net where he will
obviously find like-minded pea-brains
to swap BS with. (Vic comes o mind right away)
c) stick a whole kiebassa (cooked) up his fat
ass sideways without the benefit of K-Y

In that order. :) :) :) :)

998. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Stairmeister <broshit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <983J4.11121$q67.318005@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114407

Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote in message
news:8d24cd$d7a$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com...

> Rather than slight new Extras who still have passed
> a written test and 5wpm and deserve some credit by
> calling them Extra Lites or worse, let's use the
> positive and call old Extras, "Extra Plus's".

That sounds like taking money out of your left pocket and putting it into your right pocket Fred. Let's refer to "Lite" Extras as blue-collar hams, and "plus" Extras as white-collar hams. (..we just cannot have those "blue collar hams" on OUR frequencies you know! Next they'll want to become members of the Country Club and want a slip for their Glassmaster right alongside my 52' crusing ship, or a reserved parking spot. No No No this is totally unacceptable.)

I just LOVE IT how ham radio continues to fracture, fragment and self-destruct from within! These folks actually still want the old "incentive licensing" scam that sealed this hobby's fate 33 years ago, and continues to drag it to the grave along with their obsolete and overpriced radio gear. I guess next they'll say that ham radio is more desirable to the average 15-22 year old than the Internet. What a pack of seff-blindsided old FOOLS.

999. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sf9h1v649uv99@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

What's the matter? Does it hit to close to home? I think it's funny that the
QRS signal was used to slam restructuring.

In article <38EFF96E.F431C1E@inreach.com>, whagen@inreach.com wrote:
>I wonder if there is anyone who actually thinks this kind of stuff is
>funny.
>
>John Jones wrote:
>>
>> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down repeater ID's.
>>
>> Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:
>>
>> >The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
>> >hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
>> >kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
>> >but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
>> >lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
>> >might only know CW to 2 WPM. Repeaters with voice ID's
>> >must be programed to talk slower to accomodate restructured
>> >hams who are still learning the alphabet. Elmers who want
>> >to help new hams with their CW repeater ID skills, should
>> >focus on the letters found in phrases like "Welfare check" or
>> >"Food Stamps" as restructured hams are more familier
>> >with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
>> >identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
>> >they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
>> >
>> >QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

1000. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Stairmeister <broshit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <nC3J4.22602$y4.759609@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114409

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d0cg4

> Correct me if I am wrong...but wasn't this
> the same loser Llllloyd that was threatning
> to "take over HF"? And now he is selling his HF
> rig? Dang.
>
> Dan/W4NTI

Perhaps he needs the extra cash to
purchase required additional supplies of
bannanas and KFC original recipie?

;) ;) :) :)

1001. Re: The movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brother Stairmeister <broshit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <pC3J4.22603$y4.759609@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114410

<tnom@mucks.net> wrote in message
news:9bv4fsktsqhkub9cmi7qkc0cva8d4slmkt@4ax.com...
> The movie Frequency comes out on April 15. This movie uses an old
> amateur radio as a prop and link to the past.
>
> Is it just a coincidence that it opens on the 15th?

I think it's an clear-cut indication that
you desperatly NEED a LIFE apart from ham radio.

1002. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter@NewYorkNERD.com>
Message-ID: <7U3J4.1583$X56.78068@typhoon1.gnilink.net>
Source record: 114411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Troll.

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news:183J4.11118$q67.318005@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
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1003. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: terry02@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d2jm7$9u8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

troll=asshole?

In article <7U3J4.1583$X56.78068@typhoon1.gnilink.net>,
"Peter Gottlieb" <peter@NewYorkNERD.com> wrote:
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Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1004. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com>
Message-ID: <perf-5A8D12.14290112042000@news.jajaweb.net>
Source record: 114413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <f6wH4.3387$zi.73335@nntp1.onemain.com>, "John P. Franklin"
<jpfrankl@teleport.com> wrote:

> > Gee, you would think a person posting to a radio newsgroup would
> > understand the appeal of radio (any radio).
> >
> >
> > Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
> Save your breath Dwight, there seems to be a rather large collection of
> rude, mindless, nitwits that frequent these NG's.
>
> Pat said (typed) that.

Geez! Dwight, What did you ever do to these people to make them hate you
so much?
Did you sell porn pics of their daughters on the web?
Did you slash and burn the rain forest?
Did you:
Vote for Clinton?
Steal their food?
....transmit ....uh out of band?.....whooo

Both my rigs go out of band....miles out.
HF VHF UHF
Theirs do too, (if they know how to do it) ((they'll say " NEVER'))
We're too good for that.. yea right!
CB'ers at least do not have their noses in the air, and L regularly talk
on the 11 meter band with my ICOM...... so sue me.
>
>

1005. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38F4CC5E.E515678@bctv.com>
Source record: 114414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
>
> I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>
> KB7ADL

Cool! Thank you!

Usually when people have tantrums they don't fulfill their promises.

1006. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d2j36$2fd$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114415

That's nuts. V/UHF will still be used by *everyone* for short-range
comms, just as that region has been used for that purpose for the
past 40+ years. I can't envision a 160m HT. (Besides, anyone with
the login name you've chosen has no credibility at all.)

<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>The reason for dumbing down ham radio was to CLEAR THE VHF AND UHF
>BANDS so that the FCC could sell off that spectrum. You guys just
>don't get it. With all the hams getting on HF and leaving the bands
>above 50mhz they will be ripe for a takeover.
>
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>
>> radiosigs@mindspring.com <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> >In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
>>
>> >> And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
>> >> talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
>> >> will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.
>>
>> >You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF coupled to
>> >lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about INTERFERENCE
>> >complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's going to
>> >be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by adjacent
>> >signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin in four
>> >days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.
>>
>> Then we can submit a petition to reinstate the "high speed" code exams
>> again.
>>
>> Jeff

1007. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38F4CF79.90FED5AF@bctv.com>
Source record: 114416

Fred wrote:
>
> Look, even if the FCC and ARRL won't grant a concession to people who passed
> the harder Extra Exam, we can do it ourselves.

Sounds good to me! Let's set up 20 WPM code exams at all the hamfests,
and let people prove their competence at 20 every year. We can award a
little annual badge or patch or sticker or something like that just for
taking the exam (this proves something right there, after all!), and
publish their callsigns and pass / no pass ratings.

We can charge, say, $6 for the test, and give the money to public-school
ham radio clubs in the way of equipment.

The exams should include not only DEcoding CW, but also SENDING (bring
your own key / keyer or use ours), and different levels of accuracy will
be rated -- "Extra A+" would be 95% on both elements, for instance, B+
would be 95% on one element, below that but passing the other, and C+
would be passing but below 95%.

How many Extras do you think would challenge a test like this to prove
their skill?

1008. The W8MMQ Wire - April 14, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hicks <email@w8mmq.net>
Message-ID: <38f4d3a3$0$5035$2c3edae7@news.voyager.net>
Source record: 114417

Friday, April 14, 2000
Target: news@w8mmq.net

Online: http://w8mmq.net/
Subscribe/unsubscribe: email@w8mmq.net

FCC Warns Ham Against "Indecent" Language on the Air

W8MMQ - The FCC has sent a warning notice to Thousand Oaks, California ham Donald Rainwater, KY6W. The letter charges Rainwater with using indecent or obscene language on the 40-meter band.

In the letter, the FCC tells Rainwater that he is misinformed about the basis and purpose of amateur radio, and that he is misguided about the Commission's enforcement of indecent or obscene language on amateur radio frequencies.

The letter goes on to say that the Commission treats amateur radio transmissions the same as commercial broadcasts, on what can and cannot be said on the air. The Commission says that obscene speech is not protected by the First Amendment, and will not be tolerated.

Hang Gliders, Get a License

Amateur Radio Newsline - If you fly a hang glider and use ham radio to communicate, you had better have a ham radio license. If you don't you risk a heavy fine or other sanctions. So says the FCC's chief rules enforcer Riley Hollingsworth K4ZDH in a letter to a California glider port:

"We requested the Torey Pines Glider Port out in California, to warn its patrons that use of Amateur Radio equipment without a license could lead to a monetary penalty.

We had gotten information that numerous pilots out there of the hang gliders, were using Amateur Radio without licenses to communicate." Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH

And Torey Pines might not be the only glider port to get such a letter. You may remember a few years ago Newsline reported that a similar activity was taking place with hang glider enthusiasts in New Mexico. According to sources in Albuquerque, the problem has not yet gone away and hams there continue to monitor the gliders and record the illegal glider pilot communications.

From Amateur Radio Newsline, April 7, 2000

The FCC Prepares for Restructuring Phase-In; Expects Many Upgrades

ARRL - The FCC has indicated that it will continue to accept electronic filings from VECs for Technician Plus license applicants until May 4, 2000 -- 20 days after restructuring becomes effective. But ARRL-VEC Manager Bart Jahnke, W9JJ, says that date is under scrutiny at the FCC and could change. April 14, 2000, is the last day that an applicant may take the Tech Plus examination, however.

According to information from the FCC as of this week, Tech Plus applications reaching the FCC by May 4 will be granted a license stamped "Technician Plus," and this license class will be posted to the FCC database. After May 4, the FCC no longer will grant new Novice, Tech Plus, or Advanced licenses. Licensees of any class may modify and renew their licenses indefinitely after restructuring becomes effective. At renewal time FCC will change a license class of "Technician Plus" to "Technician," but no privileges will be lost. The "codeless" Technician license will continue to be available under the revamped licensing system.

Restructuring also will mean changes to the forms required to apply for an Amateur Radio license. "What's changing is every written test, answer sheet, roster, test report and most importantly the Certificate of Successful Completion of Exam, or CSCE -- all to reflect the new exam element categories," Jahnke said. Prior to April 15, Volunteer Examiners also will be supplied with copies of a revised NCVEC Form 605 that reflects the new four-element examination system of three license classes and one Morse code speed. The new form no longer will include the Novice, Tech Plus or Advanced license nor will it include the physician's certification section for applicants seeking a waiver on the Morse code examination.

If ARRL-VEC statistics are any indication, the HF bands will be hopping with newly minted licensees starting April 15. Jahnke says interest in obtaining element credit prior to the big day has been nothing short of intense. ARRL-VEC statistics show that the number of individuals served has risen by more than 135% in the three months since the FCC announced restructuring December 30, 1999. The number of applicants -- many Tech Plus ticket holders -- attempting to pass Element 3B to upgrade to General rose by several hundred percentage points over last year's numbers. Interest skyrocketed among applicants -- many Advanced licensees -- trying to get credit for Element 4B, the Amateur Extra written examination. The number attempting that element rose on the order of 1500%. Demand for General and Extra license study materials also has been unprecedented.

Jahnke said that while a typical ARRL-VEC examination session last year served maybe a dozen or so examinees, sessions the first quarter of this year have seen five or six times that number -- and more. VE teams across the US have scheduled so-called "paperwork processing" and examination sessions on April 15, some of them starting at the stroke of midnight so licensees can get an early start on using their new privileges. The upswing in the number of applications has slowed the normally swift flow of paperwork through ARRL-VEC. As a result, it now can take up to 10 days or more for a new license to show up in the mail.

From the ARRL Letter, April 7, 2000

New Movie Features Ham Radio; in Sneak Previews through April 15

W8MMQ - A new movie, called "Frequency" and scheduled to be released in April, features amateur radio.

According to those who have seen the trailers for the movie, Dennis Quaid stars as a son who meets up with his dead father on the airwaves. He then tries to alter the past to prevent his father's death.

"Frequency" is currently playing in selected cities. It is a science fiction thriller, and rated PG-13 for intense violence and disturbing images.

"Frequency" web site: http://www.frequencymovie.com/

W8MMQ Web Site Back Online

W8MMQ - The W8MMQ web site was offline for a couple of days. It was undergoing maintenance, and the radio mod archive was being updated. The web site is now back online, and the radio mod archive has been updated.

Also, please note, the w8mmq.com address will soon be phased out. If you are currently using it, please start using w8mmq.net. Thank you.

The Weekly DX Report

The Kingdom of Bhutan has completed the long-awaited Telecommunications Act of 2000, which authorises amateur radio. An international team has been invited by their Ministry of Communications for the initial introduction of amateur radio to Bhutan from the 1st until the 12th of May 2000. The goal will be to give as many DXers as possible the opportunity to work this second-most-wanted country, and initial emphasis will be on the major bands, including the WARC bands. The team will be operating from two hotels with stable power lines. After the first demands of the DX bands have been met, more emphasis will be placed on the lower bands. Three CW, three SSB and one RTTY station will be active around the clock. Six of the operators are veterans of the Heard Island operation, three have just returned from Clipperton Island and all have extensive DXpedition and contest experience.

Andre, GM3VLB, plans to be on the Scottish islands of Grimsay (OH27) and Baleshare (OH26) this evening, Sunday the 9th of April.

From RSGB News and 425 DX News

Upcoming Contests and Events

Visit the ARRL Contest Calendar at http://www.arrl.org/contests/ for more contest information.

The Michigan QSO Party, sponsored by the Mad River Radio Club, will run from 1600-Z April 15 until 0400-Z April 16. Stations may operate the full 12 hours. Operate phone and CW, on 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 meters.

The DXYL-NAYL Contest, CW portion, sponsored by the YLRL, will run from 1400-Z April 15 until 0200-Z April 17 (phone contest is April 22-24). YLs only. Send RS(T), QSO number and section/province/DXCC entity. W/VE YLs work DX YLs, and vice versa. KL7 and KH6 count as DX. Work stations once per

band.

And ... In Closing

Thanks for reading this edition of the W8MMQ Wire! This newsletter is produced and distributed each week by Dan, W8MMQ, and is available free to all radio amateurs.

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73 de,
Dan, W8MMQ

1009. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com>
Message-ID: <perf-6F51C6.15173912042000@news.jajaweb.net>
Source record: 114418

In article <8cea54$66m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com
(Robert Casey) wrote:

> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
>
> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

If you have a problem listening to, or understanding them, while on 11
meter or "freebanding" why do you listen? have you not got a tuner dial
on your radio?
Possibly an on/off switch?
Seems to me that many on the NG complain about CB'ers and freebanders.
How would any of you "ticket holders" know they exist unless you are
there listening? Guaranteed you'll hear little from CB'ers on 40 mtrs.

Your question was: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their
signals?
My question to you is WHY do you care?
>

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�� (per fid' i es) adj. ��

1010. WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Day <gday@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <38F4E54A.793A7E4F@cableinet.co.uk>
Source record: 114419

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WTB One variable double-ended air-spaced capacitor around 50 to 150pfd.
Small receiver type if possible. Bet theres one in your junkbox
George
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1011. What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <2121d@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <Vd6J4.58452$QJ3.6911774@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114420
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

I am about ready to buy a trunking scanner, such as the BC-245,
and a new handheld radio, such as the Yaesu VX-5R. What is
holding me back is that the new equipment is usually announced
at Dayton. But this year there has been little talk of any new equipment.

Am I safe to go ahead and buy these two radios??

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****
In two days, tomorrow will
be yesterday!
****

1012. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: w7wjm@arrl.nospam.net
Message-ID: <8d2lvenip1@news.netmar.com>
Source record: 114421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,

Good! Hopefully this will be the end of this thread!

In a previous article, <vlfiscus@mcn.net> writes:
>
>I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>
>KB7ADL
>
>
>In article <h5FI4.6786$q67.194621@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Mike
>Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
>>Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
>>
>>It's only 4 days now and counting...
>>
>>Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
>>VE badge?
>>
>>Mike

----- Posted via NewsOne.Net: Free Usenet News via the Web -----
----- http://newsone.net/ -- Discussions on every subject. -----
NewsOne.Net prohibits users from posting spam. If this or other posts
made through NewsOne.Net violate posting guidelines, email abuse@newsone.net

1013. Yaseu FT-102 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: elinger@sherwoodinv.com
Message-ID: <38f4f854.423154463@news.quickconnection.net>
Source record: 114422

Yaseu FT-102 For Sale. Excellent Condition -- Like New. I still have the original box.

SSB filters and two extra narrow-band CW filters installed.

Includes matching Yaseu speaker and manuals (not in original box any more). Original MH-1 microphone in box.

Works like new.

Delivers 180 watts with 3-6146s in final, but usually run at 100 to 125 watts.

Best offer accepted.

The FT-102 HF transceiver was top of the line for Yaesu in the mid-eighties and has a reputation of being a solid performer. It is a hybrid transceiver, all solid state circuitry except the final power amplifier (3 x 6146B) and driver (12BY7A) . It's better then average frequency response of both transmit and receive make it an excellent sounding rig. Also, it is one of the best receivers made in terms of dynamic range. It has plenty of controls, digital frequency display, two panel meters. It has almost everything you could ask for a rig except for computer control, memories and digital-age advantages. The rig is in excellent operating condition and does not have any relay problems that are common with these radios. Cosmetically it is also in excellent condition.

I'm located in New Jersey.

Please contact me email: elinger@sherwoodinv.com or web site www.SherwoodInv.com

73

Eric K2GU

1014. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d2t9h$8r4$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Is a catillion a party for felines? I never heard of it before your posting.
I think you mean cotillion or in plain words, a fancy dance party and how
that relates to a hamfest is beyond me unless that city is known for it's
swanky swingers and humdingers.

In article <8d0c8lpgn1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> (Oh my word !)
>
> Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Gerald Rosner, N8FGK, has
> announced that Michigan's Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest, scheduled for
> Sunday April 16, and sponsored by SEMARA has been cancelled. The
> Hamfest Committee made the decision based on a lack of advance table
> sales and dealer participation. SEMARA apologized for any
> inconvenience.--George Race, WB8BGY
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>
> (Must've conflicted with this year's Grosse Point Spring Catillion. I do
> hope the Mercedes SUVs are still all abloom though !)
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>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1015. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F4F87D.3F63@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

perfidious wrote:
>
> In article <f6wH4.3387$zi.73335@nntp1.onemain.com>, "John P. Franklin"
> <jpfrankl@teleport.com> wrote:
>
> > > Gee, you would think a person posting to a radio newsgroup would
> > > understand the appeal of radio (any radio).
> > >
> > >
> > > Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
> >
> > Save your breath Dwight, there seems to be a rather large collection of
> > rude, mindless, nitwits that frequent these NG's.
> >
> > Pat said (typed) that.
>
> Geez! Dwight, What did you ever do to these people to make them hate you
> so much?
> Did you sell porn pics of their daughters on the web?
> Did you slash and burn the rain forest?
> Did you:
> Vote for Clinton?
> Steal their food?
> ....transmit ....uh out of band?.....whooo
>
> Both my rigs go out of band....miles out.
> HF VHF UHF
> Theirs do too, (if they know how to do it) ((they'll say " NEVER'))
> We're too good for that.. yea right!
> CB'ers at least do not have their noses in the air, and L regularly talk
> on the 11 meter band with my ICOM..... so sue me.
> >
> >
So?

1016. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John LeMay <jlemay@nospam.njmc.com>
Message-ID: <8d2vs4$gq4$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 114425
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

In article <Vd6J4.58452$QJ3.6911774@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>, "N9NWO"
<2121d@GTE.net> wrote:

Wait until the new Bearcat BC780XLT comes out. 25-1300 and trunking all in
one. That's the scanner I'm waiting for. Check out www.strongsignals.net
for more info and a scan of the brochure.

> I am about ready to buy a trunking scanner, such as the BC-245, and a
> new handheld radio, such as the Yaesu VX-5R. What is holding me back is
> that the new equipment is usually announced at Dayton. But this year
> there has been little talk of any new equipment.
>
> Am I safe to go ahead and buy these two radios??
>
> --
> ********************************
> In two days, tomorrow will be yesterday!
> ********************************
>
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To reply directly to my email address, please remove the "nospam." from
the address shown. Sorry for the inconvenience!

1017. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: elinger@sherwoodinv.com
Message-ID: <38f50414.426162939@news.quickconnection.net>
Source record: 114426
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Test
Please disregard. Thanks

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 21:51:49 GMT, "N9NWO" <2121d@GTE.net> wrote:

>I am about ready to buy a trunking scanner, such as the BC-245,
>and a new handheld radio, such as the Yaesu VX-5R. What is
>holding me back is that the new equipment is usually announced
>at Dayton. But this year there has been little talk of any new equipment.
>
>Am I safe to go ahead and buy these two radios??
>
>--
>*********************************
>In two days, tomorrow will
>be yesterday!
>*********************************
>
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>

1018. A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d30pu$e0j$2@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114427

Before I discuss the disturbing e-mail, I want to thank the many who contacted me about Youngblood issuing some type of threat against my wife. It appears that he's coming into my area on business, probabaly monkey, and today made some type of harsh statement against her. This is to inform all that if this slob calls me, I'll have him arrested because one of the stipulations two years ago when I had his A in court and dropped the case after he issued a letter of apology was that he was never to call me. I have already apprised the Clifton Police Department of the threat he made on the air against Iris so if he doesn't show up on the air for weeks, someone come up here and make bail for the bum because I have a feeling his own wife wouldn't want to. Now for the other item. The other day I got an E mail from KC3AU of bible thumping fame on .313 in which he promised not to turn me in to Riley because of some postings I had made here. You're reading me right, folks and I'd post the actual message but John asked me not to and I shall abide by his wishes. He did say it was okay to paraphrase which I'm doing and I'll add that he said he helps the FCC catch only the unlicensed. And so quite logically I wrote back to ask if he were so inclined, what posting of mine would cause him to turn me in to Riley? I never got a reply. Does anyone know why he mentioned "turning in" hams? Because he has Riley's private number and I'd like to know why someone in enforcement has the gall to give any ham his private number? Since Riley's the type of guy who likes to get in with the boys right on the air an being that he's down-to-earth, perhaps he might like to come on this board to write about the situation? And I know he reads this r.r.a.m because he told me so. Does anyone see the danger in John's statement? I have a good relationship with the man except for the fact that I object to his agenda; I don't particularly like fundamentalists and especially those who make ham radio their private pulpits. But let me clarify something. I have absolutely nothing against Christianity-nothing. I see it as just one more religion, no more or less important than any else. I definitely do not see it as the ONLY way as fundamentalists brashly proclaim on bumper stickers and other venues. However when KC3AU comes on strong like garlic, he is not BROADCASTING in the illegal sense of the word. Some of you who dislike him claim he is but I've not heard him make one way broadcasts therefore he's perfectly entitled to preach and sermonize and lecture all he wants. Most times I just listen and wonder how any adult could take such little responsibility for his own life by assigning everything possible to Jesus? At any rate I wonder if John came out with that hint because of a posting like this? If so, it doesn't scare me in the least and I shall continue to speak out against those who'd turn this wonderful democracy into a theocracy because such an idea is as dangerous to the internal security of the United States as any threat ever issued by a Red, Nazi or anarchist. I see KC3AU as an honest decent man but should never be in a position to tell anyone that he will not turn them in to Riley because by such intimation he's saying he has leverage over his

fellow hobbyist. And for an enforcer to pass out his private number to those in the service he scrutinizes is a breach of faith and protocol. We need enforcement and after April 15th, we're going to need a lot more, but completely IMPARTIAL. Fellow hams-stop to think if there are others who have private access to Mr. Hollingsworth-hams we know to be ex-jammers, bigots, instigators and the like who have now put on the garb of sainthood which he believes to be legitimate? I mean can you imagine him having confidence in Queenie or Polly or MXL? Or even in KT4TR, God forbid? What's the answer? Let Mr.H. give the same private access as John has to everyone. No favorites allowed, period. Or let him give private access to no one and public access to everyone. I had every reason this morning to send him a tape and register a complaint against N4TLU, Dan or Bjorn on 14.308. I decided not to. I listened for one minute before calling CQ and heard nothing. After doing so I was attacked by this mad Dane who said that I was another Herbie Schoenbohm. That I should get off the frequency since I knew it belonged to the Danes who WOULD BE having a net in operation which I interpreted to mean did not at the time of the incident. In other words, the frequency was reserved, or so it seemed, which is VERBOTEN by Riley. Now suppose I had Riley's private number which meant that I was special. That tape I could have sent in would have had more impact than otherwise and that's not right. Who knows but just perhaps the Danes were in there so weakly I couldn't hear them but Dan could? My tape would have gotten the man unfairly in trouble had I been as special as KC3AU and I wouldn't want it on my conscience. Now you can understand why I dropped the thing and QSYed. Let Riley and the monitoring stations continue their fine work because with the mayhem that's coming, it's just the beginning but any sign of favoritism, even miniscule, must go.
AF2Y

1019. Re: FCC assists AMA in restructuring!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMA@AMA.ORG
Message-ID: <8d2ucc$1so3@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

And, we are supposed to take someone with a joke call sign seriously? You must be smokin' crack.

In article <9274345974D94C82.F97D6FBAFD92CB52.0256DB6D02350CCD@lp.airnews.net>, "Kim says...
>
>It will never cease to amaze me that ham radio, the hobby, is compared to
>things such as this, the profession. The hobby holds a lot less incentive
>than the profession to be serious.
>
>--
>73 de W5TIT - Kim
>NCI 3343
>
><AMA@AMA.ORG> wrote in message news:8d0bsf$lkq@edrn.newsguy.com...
>> Medical Practitioner Restructuring is Here: Three License Classes, One
>Residency
>> Requirement
>> ---
>----------
>>
>> Dec 30, 1999 The Practice of Medicine will get a new look in the new
>millennium.
>
>ad nauseum deleted
>
>

1020. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d3387$k9f$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114429

How about "Extra Extras Read All About It?"

In article <8d24cd$d7a$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com>, "Fred" <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote:

> Look, even if the FCC and ARRL won't grant a concession to people who passed
> the harder Extra Exam, we can do it ourselves. Once something gets into the
> common lexicon, it doesn't matter if it is official or not, we make is so.
> For example, UNC officials have done everything possible to try and have
> people call their arena by it's official name, "The Smith Center", but
> everyone calls it the "Dean Dome".
>
> Rather than slight new Extras who still have passed a written test and 5wpm
> and deserve some credit by calling them Extra Lites or worse, let's use the
> positive and call old Extras, "Extra Plus's". What do you think? We had
> Tech Pluses, so why not? Let's all just standardize it, talk it up
> everywhere.
>
> Fred
> N4IXL
> Extra Plus
>
>
>

1021. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <cubit@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8d33oj$f9s$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 114430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

What is a VE badge?

1022. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <8d363j$nvs@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 114431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

The Volunteer examiner (VE) administers Amateur Radio testing.
The badge is his/her identification.
Too bad this wasn't explained a month ago when this off topic thread started
(or was it longer?)
Butch
still keeping my VE badge and ham ticket

Dave wrote in message <8d33oj$f9s$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>...
>
>What is a VE badge?
>
>

1023. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0ca3e8e4.e6298e0e@usw-ex0104-087.remarq.com>
Source record: 114432

"I don't
particularly like fundamentalists and especially those who make
ham radio their private pulpits"

AND.....you don't consider yourself as preaching?? It is nice
not to look into the mirror.

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1024. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <1c9afscb9qc7r560kjot874ef9rusbao73@4ax.com>
Source record: 114433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 05:44:58 GMT, vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vincent Fiscus,
KB7ADL) wrote:

>
>I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>
>KB7ADL

Who gives a shit?

1025. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0f2c$si5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114453
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.flame,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

You have the right attitude.
We need alot more hams to take a good look at how they operate.
The crap I hear is just as bad if not worse than CB. The CB'ers that I used to fight with, when I see them in Wal-Mart, I shake thier hand and wish them well and they also in kind. Why do hams have such a hard time burrying the hatchet??

73's to all
Radio Oger

In article ,
nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org (Tomas - NW7US) wrote:
> Amateur Radio is not "cb" -- not just buying a factory-made, plug-and-play station and pushing the mic key, shouting, "CQ CQ!" While currently in the United States there exists a trend to make entry and upgrade to Amateur Radio privileges easier, there is something this hobby represents that is true for any amateur radio operator, in whatever country s/he resides. We represent our respective countries. We are ambassadors. When I talk with a Ukrainian Amateur, I actually come away thinking, "So that is how they act over there. That's what that country is like."
>
> Amateur Radio to me is an art. The art of communication, the art of language, the art of electronics, propagation, etc. Perhaps that is why CW is so attractive to some people, RTTY to others, and why DXing is so hot to many others. It is more than just making quick contacts and feeling like you did something grand because your 1500 watts made it 3000 miles.
>
> We Amateur Radio Operators are making connections. The human touch. Perhaps making peace and improving the human condition. Could it really be possible?
>
> All of us are part of a large family. This hobby allows us to use technology in a pleasurable way to "reach out and touch someone" (remember that advert?) and make connection. CW is a mode, one of many. I take great pleasure in it. It inhances the experience of communicating. Sexy, some might think of it.
>
> If we wish to encourage the long life and health of cw, or of any mode, perhaps we should nurture the sizzle. This has been said, and said again. We lead by example and through embracing those who choose this form of communication. The result is that more of us humans are

connecting, forming a closer family around the world. No skin color. No accent. No gender. Pure exchange of thoughts and the sharing of common experiences.
>
> I am a single dad, with two sons (11.5 and 13) -- and my life's work is to nurture them into leaders -- men who know the "real deal" and lead by example. Ham Radio is just a channel that allows society to communicate. What we communicate and how is an extension of who we are and what we believe. So my hope is that my boys, and I, exemplify a high standard that impacts the world of humankind with something of value.
>
> Life is simple. Really, it is. And Amateur Radio is not God's gift to the world. But it is a very valuable pursuit. The foundation of this hobby is made in part of the value of life and the respect of each other. Modes of operation in Ham Radio is really insignificant. What we do through these modes is more at issue. CB became the mess it is because those with virtue left it to the lowest common denominator.
>
> I hope to spark the kindling in other's minds. To tempt the non-amateur with the magic and sizzle of crossing boundries and issues, and connect. Be it with dit-dahs or with long-winded chatter.
>
> (remember to change my email address when replying direct)
>
> 73 de NW7US, Tomas
>
> --
> : http://accessnow.com -- Brinnon, Washington : 122.93W : 47.67N :
> : HOME: http://hfradio.org and http://cw.hfradio.org :
> : - :
> : World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : CW/SSB DX Hound :
> : 10x56526 : FISTS 7055 : Code Warrior #60 : FISTS NW Member #57 :
> : :
> : Member, ARRL -- Official Webmaster of the North West ARRL Site :
> : NWARRL - http://hfradio.org/nwarrl/ :
>
> Get your FREE Ham Radio Website today, create online equidistant
> azimuth maps, swap and shop, books, check propagation, read dx
> news, and more. All at http://hfradio.org/ - SWL/HAM/Live!
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1026. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0g7t$ts1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114454

I think that Geofrey protests just a little too much.
I'd be willing to bet that he was the biggest CB'er in his neighborhood
or engaged in some form of BS or bootlegging along the way to becoming
the self-righteous ham he is today. He is looking to punish us all and
bring us to the level of perfection that he cannot attain.

Besides, that gentleman did not say he did anything wrong. He mentioned
the frequencies above and including 27.385MHz. Last time I checked,
those were legal channels 38, 39, and 40. I see no law breaking there.

I think that he needs to get his medication adjusted.

Radio Oger

In article <8d005g0bre@enews3.newsguy.com>,
tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L. Bryant) wrote:
> In article <8cue85$2r1$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
> >>I'm sure he'll think as much of it as the guests on the Jerry
Springer show
> >>think of the "final thoughts".
> >
> >Don't watch it so I have no idea what you mean.
>
> Well, I guess since it's not a federal law, you probably wouldn't
know.
>
> >
> >>With a band that is so highly affected by atmospheric conditions,
the
> distance
> >>restriction on CB communications serves no purpose. The regulation
should be
> >>done away with.
> >
> >Working DX is not one of the purposes of the CBRS. That one is heard
by
> >a DX station is not breaking the law; only when two-way contact is
> >established has one broken federal law.
> >
>
> The purpose is irrelevant. The government has mandated who you may and
may not
> talk to via a specific radio frequency or frequencies.
>

> The FCC, since its inception, has dictated what speech is allowed over
the
> airwaves. They have bamboozled federal judges into believing that the
airwaves
> should not have the *full* protection of the First Amendment. How the
American
> people have been led to believe and accept this con is an even bigger
travesty.
>
> The purpose of the FCC should be to regulate and assign frequency
allocations
> for different services, and prevent such from interfering with each
other for
> the protection of life and property. Content of transmissions should
not even
> be an issue.
>
> >>...and I see you've conveniently deleted my quote from Marcus
Cicero.
> >
> >It's unknown to me what you're talking about. There was no "Marcus"
> >in the text. I think I recall deleting your signature line -- is
> >that what you're referring to?
> >
> >>Yet, chastise others when they do the same to you. Bad boy, Jeff.
> >
> >I've never chastised anyone for deleting my signature line. It's
> >expected, nay, encouraged, to trim such items.
> >
> >Jeff KH6O <--- feel free to delete this line in your fol-up
>
> FYI, it was *not* a signature line. The only signature line I have in
the radio
> newsgroups is my name and callsign. You can find it if you go back
through the
> thread. I assure you that it's there.
>
> Tom - N8ECW
>
>

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1027. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d0gs6ugu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114455

Yea... and I will be working 6, 17 and 11 meters with my 706 and the
trusty solid state 600 watt amp.

You guys can have the pile-ups. I really like 6. Have you guys ever
worked it?

Radio Oger

In article <8cvsngdtf1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI
<w4nti@my-deja.com>
> wrote:
>
> > And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
> > talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and
antenna
> > will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.
>
> You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF
coupled to
> lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about
INTERFERENCE
> complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's
going to
> be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by
adjacent
> signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin in
four
> days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.
>

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1028. Re: They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tooooomany raydeos <blueturt@aol.com>
Message-ID: <_API4.20286$y4.663775@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> reproduced in message
news:8d0cm6pse1@nnrp1.deja.com...

> This month, I reveal my secret method of working DX! There's
> no magic involved, except being in the right place at the right
> time.
> I just put about 200 DX QSL cards
> in a box and sent them off to the Outgoing QSL Service at ARRL
> Headquarters.

and....

> Of course, you might feel pretty good for having saved the 20 bucks over
> the several years you could have sent the cards out over, but how do the
> recipients feel ? (If they're still alive..., ed.)

Anyone who thinks ARRL checks all those contest logs for
accuracy should have his head soaked in sparkling muscatel.
Just like DX logs. In 1997 I added 10,000 points to my November
SS score by adding a couple of dozen contacts from calls
that I had "lifted" from listening. Sure enough, my "hamburger helper'
score was there on the pages of QST in their cheap ink that smudges
when you rub it. What a JOKE.

1029. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f3c430.58397883@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114457

On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 23:29:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <8cv0fk$b1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
>> Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
>> news:38F2BE47.29AD1FE3@worldnet.att.net...
>> >
>> > Who's equipment is Lloyd selling lately? This is HF gear. Lloyd
>> > has never had HF prifileges.
>> >
>> > Or is he suddenly in the consignment business.
>>
>> LLoyd's equipment would be antiques by the time he passed the General
>> test.
>>
>> --
>> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
>> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
>> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>>
>> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>>
>Correct me if I am wrong...but wasn't this the same loser Lllllloyd
>that was threatning to "take over HF"? And now he is selling his HF
>rig? Dang.

Right don't you recall CW gets though without even a radio;)
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

1030. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f3c673.58976363@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 23:06:20 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>>
>The issue of me cussing on the bands has been dealt with, by myself,
>right here on this forum. And yes indeed there is an
>occassional "damn", "Hell", "Asshole" that comes from my mouth. And
>for good reason. We try to operate on 3.901 nightly and have to put up
>with a barrage of buckshot and splatter from overpowered and
>incorrectly adjusted stations off of 3.898. If that bothers you John
>I'd suggest you turn your dial. Or better yet check the legal and the
>FCC definition of obsene words and phrases.

indeed I maintian that the word Damn is fully permissable on
the ARS after it was premit in a movie under the censorhsip of the
Hayes Comission ("frankly my dear I don't give a damn")
>
>As to why you heard it on 3.901 before, and in all fairness, you should
>mention this.....it was a direct result of total frustration from being
>jammed on a nightly basis from some moron's from Memphis and other
>places, at the behest of one K4OKA.
>
>Now John, since you obviously have your feeble mind in the stumper
>corner....take your opinions, stick them up your rear, and rotate on it.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

1031. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ray_psi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0j32$13t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

SAY IT AIN'T SO JOE!

In artic

le <8d0c8lpgn1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> (Oh my word !)
>
> Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Gerald Rosner, N8FGK, has
> announced that Michigan's Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest, scheduled for
> Sunday April 16, and sponsored by SEMARA has been cancelled. The
> Hamfest Committee made the decision based on a lack of advance table
> sales and dealer participation. SEMARA apologized for any
> inconvenience.--George Race, WB8BGY
>
> (Must've conflicted with this year's Grosse Point Spring Catillion. I
do
> hope the Mercedes SUVs are still all abloom though !)
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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1032. Re: FS: HQ-100, S-38C, 6 meter ant, more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ray_psi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0k0u$229$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114460

AND YOUR POINT IS?

In a

rticle <PC4I4.36749$MZ2.470367@news1.wwck1.ri.home.com>,
"Albert Alvareztorres, Jr." <albert13@home.com> wrote:
> http://www.qsl.net/aa1do/
>
> --
> Al
> ARS: AA1DO
> URL: http://members.home.net/albert13/index.htm
>
> Life is what happens while you are making other plans.
> John Lennon (1940-1980)
>
>

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1033. Re: Ham IRC Chat Room

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ray_psi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d0k7f$2c5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114461

SOUNDS LIKE AN OXYMORON TO ME EH?

In article <daftes48hr74drpuv7nkh5ahuuelhlqogk@4ax.com>,
David Warheit <dwarheit@nauticom.net> wrote:
> Can someone direct me to a IRC chat room for ham operators?
>
> TIA
>
> Dave
>

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1034. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8d0jti$7bd$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <SJsI4.34$Yk1.445@reader1.interactive.net>,
John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
>Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic go on?
>
Until April 15th. :-)

1035. MF*CK** LUDER...Full moon or "spring" in the air...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <KSQI4.48803$YU2.815533@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114463

TROLL-OMETER is now at 20 - 30 dB over S-9...on this nutcase.

He has reeled in a few suckers...good job....
funny... how he shows up at the same time as burp...
or is it belch fisher....suffering from the same seasonal disorder?

1036. Re: Looking for my page from callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <w6dkn@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <l2SI4.57255$QJ3.6672123@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com> wrote in message
news:38F3346C.A09F5400@sysadminus.com...
> Will pay someone to send me a page from a 1987 call book or earlier that
> shows my Technician License.
>
> Bob T -KA2RUU
>
>

If you need it for proof of passing the code element, you can send a letter to the FCC records clerk with the details of your call, year of issue, address at the time, etc. It takes a little time, (for me it took about 3 weeks for them to respond) but they will respond with a confirmation letter of your license class held at that time.

73 de W6DKN

1037. Re: They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <rHSI4.44181$W5.421082@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114465
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

You guys make me proud!
I am just about to right my exam, hmmmm..... I hope all operators are
not like these guys!
--
EDDY

_____
tooooomany raydeos <blueturt@aol.com> wrote in message
news:_API4.20286$y4.663775@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
|
| <mf_luder@my-deja.com> reproduced in message
| news:8d0cm6pse1@nnrp1.deja.com...
|
| > This month, I reveal my secret method of working DX! There's
| > no magic involved, except being in the right place at the right
| > time.
| > I just put about 200 DX QSL cards
| > in a box and sent them off to the Outgoing QSL Service at ARRL
| > Headquarters.
|
| and....
|
| > Of course, you might feel pretty good for having saved the 20
bucks over
| > the several years you could have sent the cards out over, but how
do the
| > recipients feel ? (If they're still alive..., ed.)
|
| Anyone who thinks ARRL checks all those contest logs for
| accuracy should have his head soaked in sparkling muscatel.
| Just like DX logs. In 1997 I added 10,000 points to my November
| SS score by adding a couple of dozen contacts from calls
| that I had "lifted" from listening. Sure enough, my "hamburger
helper'
| score was there on the pages of QST in their cheap ink that smudges
| when you rub it. What a JOKE.
|
|
|

1038. Re: FCC assists AMA in restructuring!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38F3F4FC.8AD492D0@bctv.com>
Source record: 114466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Some Extra sure is stuck on himself . . .

AMA@AMA.ORG wrote:
>
> Medical Practitioner Restructuring is Here: Three License Classes, One Residency
> Requirement
> ---
>
> Dec 30, 1999□The Practice of Medicine will get a new look in the new millennium.
> The AMA today issued its long-awaited Report and Order in the 1998 Biennial
> Regulatory Review licensing procedure--more commonly known as "license
> restructuring." The bottom line is that starting April 15, 2000, there will be
> three license classes□Emergency Medical Technician, General Practitioner, and
> Specialist--and a single Residency Requirement. "We believe that an individual's
> ability to demonstrate increased bedside proficiency is not necessarily
> indicative of that individual's ability to contribute to the advancement of the
> medical art," the AMA said.
>
> Besides drastically streamlining the medical licensing process, the AMA said its
> actions would "eliminate unnecessary requirements that may discourage or limit
> individuals from becoming trained surgeons, technicians, and medical experts."
>
> Although no new licenses other than those stated in the Report and Order will be
> issued after the effective date, the AMA does not plan to automatically upgrade
> any existing license privileges. The American EMT Association had proposed a
> one-time across-the-board upgrading of current Emergency Medical Technician
> licenses to General Practitioner, but the AMA declined to adopt the idea. This
> means that current EMT licensees will retain their current privileges, including
> access to various rescue squads, fire departments and other entities, and will
> be able to renew their licenses indefinitely.
>
> Starting April 15, 2000, individuals who qualified for the Emergency Medical
> Technician class license prior to March 21, 1987, will be able to upgrade to
> General Practitioner by providing documentary proof to a Volunteer Examiner
> Coordinator, paying an application fee, and completing AMA Form 1273/B in
> triplicate.
>
> The AMA's decision not to automatically upgrade Emergency Medical Technician
> licensees means the current EMT privileges will remain and not be "refarmed" to
> higher class licensees as the AEMTA had proposed. The AMA said it did not refarm
> these privileges because there was "no consensus" within the medical community
> as to what to do with them.
>

> As it had proposed earlier, the AMA decided to lump Emergency Medical Technician
> and EMT Plus licensees into a single licensee database, all designated as
> "Emergency Medical Technician" licensees. Those who can document having passed
> the helicopter proficiency examination will continue to have the current EMT
> Plus flight privileges. "If documentation is needed to verify whether a licensee
> has passed a proficiency examination, we may request the documentation from that
> licensee or the VECs," the AMA said.
>
> In addition to reducing the number of license classes from hundreds to three and
> eliminating the advanced residency requirements, the AMA also will reduce the
> number of written examination elements from hundreds to three, authorize all
> current General Practitioners to prepare and administer General Practitioner
> examinations, and eliminate Medical Civil Emergency Service (MCES) facility
> licenses.
>
> Under the new licensing scheme, there will be four examination elements. Element
> 1 will be the 5 week residency final exam. Element 2 will be a 35-question
> written test to obtain an Emergency Medical Technician license; Element 3 will
> be a 35-question written test to obtain a General Practitioner license, and
> Element 4 will be a 50-question written test for the Specialist license. The AMA
> has left it in the hands of the National Conference of VECs Question Pool
> committee to determine the specific mix and makeup of written examination
> questions. Current medical study materials remain valid at least until the new
> rules become effective in April.
>
> The AMA's new licensing plan means someone will be able to become a medical
> professional by passing a single 35-question written examination. The plan also
> simplifies and shortens the upgrade path from the ground floor through
> Specialist--especially since doctors will only have to pass one residency test.
>
> Elimination of the myriad of residency requirements also means an end to
> physician certification waivers for applicants claiming an inability to
> undertake residency due to physical handicap.
>
> The AMA disagreed with the AEMTA's suggestion that it undertake a restructuring
> of operating privileges along with licensing restructuring. "We believe that in
> light of ongoing discussions concerning implementation of new and more modern
> medical technologies within the medical community, we should accord the medical
> service community an opportunity to complete such discussions and possibly reach
> a consensus regarding implementation of new technologies before we undertake a
> comprehensive restructuring of the medical operating privileges" the AMA said in
> its Report and Order.
>
> In its amendments, the AMA's Report and Order refers to a "Hospital Name
> Administrator," something that does not exist under the current rules and which
> was not explained in the R&O itself. An AMA spokesperson said the Association
> plans to issue a Public Notice soon to explain the program and to solicit
> qualified entities to serve as name administrators for hospital applications.
>

> In its comments, the AMA noted that by simplifying the entrance requirements for
> medical professionals, the public stands to gain by having greater access to the
> medical profession and drastically reduced medical care costs. No comment was
> made regarding increased litigation costs in medical malpractice suits, however.
> "We believe this is an issue best left to public policy and the American Bar
> Association", noted an AMA source who wished to remain anonymous.
>
> When asked whether the change in licensing would affect the status of AMA rules
> enforcement, AMA Enforcement Bureau Chief, Rollie Hoisington said, "Given that
> the AMA has made no effort over the past ten years to enforce its rules, we see
> restructuring as a positive move." When asked to elaborate, Hoisington declined
> further comment.

1039. Re: They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <kb9tmp@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d11gv$go0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

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In article <rHSI4.44181$W5.421082@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
"EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
> You guys make me proud!
> I am just about to right my exam, hmmmm..... I hope all operators are
> not like these guys!
> --
> EDDY
>

Some are WORSE but most are better! :^)
Good luck on your test!

> ____________________________
> tooooomany raydeos <blueturt@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:_API4.20286$y4.663775@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> |
> | <mf_luder@my-deja.com> reproduced in message
> | news:8d0cm6$pse$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
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> | > This month, I reveal my secret method of working DX! There's
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> | > time.
> | > I just put about 200 DX QSL cards
> | > in a box and sent them off to the Outgoing QSL Service at ARRL
> | > Headquarters.
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> | and....
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> | > Of course, you might feel pretty good for having saved the 20
> bucks over
> | > the several years you could have sent the cards out over, but how
> do the
> | > recipients feel ? (If they're still alive..., ed.)
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> | accuracy should have his head soaked in sparkling muscatel.
> | Just like DX logs. In 1997 I added 10,000 points to my November
> | SS score by adding a couple of dozen contacts from calls
> | that I had "lifted" from listening. Sure enough, my "hamburger
> helper'
> | score was there on the pages of QST in their cheap ink that smudges
> | when you rub it. What a JOKE.
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'73' From KB9TMP

It is best not meddle in the affairs of dragons,
for you are crunchy and taste good with ketchup!

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1040. Kenwood TS-660 Quad Bander mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: happed <icetea28@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <hv18fs0vces81b4v4gna336n19ri0rcdln@4ax.com>
Source record: 114468

anybody have any mods Kenwood TS-660 Quad Bander

1041. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sf82c4274nk23@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.

KB7ADL

In article <h5FI4.6786$q67.194621@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Mike
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>Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
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>It's only 4 days now and counting...
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>Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
>VE badge?
>
>Mike

1042. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000412013352.18640.00002317@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114470

more proof that ham radio is dying!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1043. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000412013847.18640.00002319@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114471

>Hey Llllloyd,
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>You have a hell of a lot of nerve. I think Ill make you my business,
>and go through all of USENET and copy all your racist, nazi, etc. crap
>you have posted. I'd suggest you get your own act together dipshit.
>

Really? If you really had the nerve, you get that big fat ass of yours up to Athens and meet me face to face. That goes for anyone else too.

Bet I can get more tapes of you making threats, harrassing others on 20m and 75m than you can find my "nazi" posts.
Wanna make a deal Dan? I'm sure the good Stumpjumpers have got lots of good tapes of you QRM'ing to the tilt. In fact, I might have a few laying here myself. How about you make a webpage of all my "nazi" posts and I'll put up a webpage of your QRMing days Dan?

Got a deal?

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1044. Re: They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <PYUI4.45124$W5.426941@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

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Thank You!
But I don't think I'll be relying on luck.
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EDDY

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1045. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d16rn$af1$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114473

radiosigs@mindspring.com <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>

>> And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
>> talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
>> will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.

>You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF coupled to
>lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about INTERFERENCE
>complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's going to
>be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by adjacent
>signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin in four
>days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.

Then we can submit a petition to reinstate the "high speed" code exams
again.

Jeff

1046. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: BDF <bumologist@pipeline.com>
Message-ID: <MPG.135e9e847819f0ce9896ed@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 114474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

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> >Mike
>>>>>Proof he's a putz??
>>>>>I'll take his word for it,goodbye,so long,don't let the door hit ya
Vince!Time for a new hobby,maybe collecting baseball caps or something
where you wont feel bitter about "dumbing down standards",and there's no
regulation so you can't be "stabbed in the back"...

73 Vince!
Barry

1047. Re: nothing ever changes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <fjYI4.25797$Of2.867536@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114475

"Hawke" <geronimo@extremezone.com> wrote in message
news:38F3FC81.C76929D7@extremezone.com...
> Gee, I go away for a long while and thinsg are still in the same
> state they were when I left.
>
> Some things never change.

That defines ham radio

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

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A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@broadcast.net
http://www.geocities.com/k1oik

1048. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d1m85$711$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114476

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d0cg4
pig1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8cv0fk$b1c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >
> > LLoyd's equipment would be antiques by the time he passed the
General
> > test.
> >
> Correct me if I am wrong...but wasn't this the same loser Lllllloyd
> that was threatning to "take over HF"? And now he is selling his HF
> rig? Dang.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
I know, isn't it a disappointment? LOL!
He could keep "Kawasaki" company, QRMing.
Although I have a feeling Lllllllllllloyd might have been doing some of
that QRMing.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1049. Re: Here's an interesting question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d1mdf$78m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114477

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d0d34$q90
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <20000411102155.18647.00002066@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.com (Cheeta's Retarded Brother Lloyd) wrote:
<Nothing of importance>
> Hey Llllloyd,
>
> You have a hell of a lot of nerve. I think Ill make you my business,
> and go through all of USENET and copy all your racist, nazi, etc. crap
> you have posted. I'd suggest you get your own act together dipshit.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
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>

His whining makes you want to break out the crying towels, doesn't it?
LOL!
Here's some to get you started:

"YOU ARE NOTHING BUT A LYING JEW WHO LOVES TO CONTROL EVEYTHING AROUND
HIM.
Drools the sub-human antisemite N0VFP, Lloyd Davies in
Message-ID: <19990730080252.21150.00003002@ng-
fx1.aol.com>

Lloyd A Davies (n0vfp@aol.com) neo-nazi idiot savant slobbered:
"No Doc, We have just begun. The Whites will rise again and take back
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Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d1mhp$7ho$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114478

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>
> Really? If you really had the nerve, you get that big fat ass of
yours up to
> Athens and meet me face to face. That goes for anyone else too.

Since you're only 5'7" or so and well over 200 pounds, you don't have
room to call anybody a fatass, Mongolloyd. And that's BIG talk from
behind the keyboard, it's rather doubtful you'd be any different in
real life.
Funny, you use the same rhetoric (you'd better look it up, since your
ill-educated mind won't know what that word means) as the "Kawasaki."

> Bet I can get more tapes of you making threats, harrassing others on
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> 75m than you can find my "nazi" posts.

Wanna bet?

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Bwhahahahahahaha! Lloyd's delusional. Go get him Dan.

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Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d1mnd$7in$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114479

In article <8d0gs6ugu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:
> Yea... and I will be working 6, 17 and 11 meters with my 706 and the
> trusty solid state 600 watt amp.
>
> You guys can have the pile-ups. I really like 6. Have you guys ever
> worked it?
>
> Radio Oger

6 is GREAT! When the band's open.

> In article <8cvsngdtf1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
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Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Stuart <fstuart1@maine.rr.com>
Message-ID: <UPYI4.1350$J81.8940@newsr1.maine.rr.com>
Source record: 114480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

All,
He grabbing his marbles and going home as he does not like the rules. He can't be serious about he hobby or he would stay and help foster new hams into it. Hell he could even focus all that negative energy into going after the 35-55 crowd that have the money and leisure time to get into ham radio. So Vince are you going to do more public service to give back to the hobby or are you going to "sell out" and move over so us radio do goobers can't get more band space? I don't think you would be happy in any hobby as you are an old curmudgeon.
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> >
> >Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
> >VE badge?
> >
> >Mike

1053. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <38f46766.2175295@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 114481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

1054. Re: They could be dead by now (QSL ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <2r_l4.3443$G4.13808@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

toooooomany raydeos wrote:

>Anyone who thinks ARRL checks all those contest logs for
>accuracy should have his head soaked in sparkling muscatel.
>Just like DX logs. In 1997 I added 10,000 points to my November
>SS score by adding a couple of dozen contacts from calls
>that I had "lifted" from listening.

Now, there's something that a fellow can really brag about...

>What a JOKE.

Oh, now I understand. :-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1055. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F49233.7C0B1553@ahole.com>
Source record: 114483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark, your statement is incorrect that profanity is permissible to use in public. There is a law that was enforced in Colorado when a family was out rafting and a drunk no good bum lost his raft and started cussing. He was arrested and found guilty. Also in Texas there is a law that if a person is offended with your profanity in public that person can be arrested.

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> Mark Morgan wrote
> >I maintian that the word Damn is fully permissable on the ARS
>
> Profanity is permissible to use in public also, and usually won't get you
> arrested. But would you use it in a family setting? It doesn't add anything
> to the conversation, and often offends those you're talking to. Since ham
> radio is supposed to be a family rated hobby, profanity really has no place
> on the bands...

1056. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <0B1015E24EB912CD.5F2950B892D249D1.131F7BFA42B9F6DE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Since we're sharing :), I think the simple truth is that those who equate their thoughts about CB to that of some kind of lower form of life have truly not listened to CB in quite some time, and have certainly never listened to SSB. I began listening to CB as a youngster and began talking on a CB in my teen years. That was my very first exposure to radio as a hobby.

I then bought my first CB several years ago, began using CB on a regular basis, learned about ham radio via CB, took ham classes taught by two CB/Hams and one non-CB Ham. Were it not for CB, I would not be in the hobby of ham radio.

The "AM" part of CB radio is pretty trashy; with either a flood of signals or topics and language that no self-respecting person would involve themselves with. I didn't know a darn thing about SSB until one night when a really thoughtful person (who was using SSB on the same channel where my AM rig was at) was nice enough to switch modes and explain that the "buzzing" noise I was hearing was a whole bunch of people talking on SSB. It was 2 days later when I bought my first AM/SSB CB.

I have only a Tech+ license. I have only operated on 10M phone. But, my experience in listening on all the other HF bands, and talking on the Tech+ portion of 10M, is that there is little difference between the two. Before the critics keel over with heart attacks over that, consider that CB is the one place where some of our most credible work for ham radio can be conducted. It is on CB that DFing conversations often take place; it is on CB where we can do things that are not allowed on the ham bands, due to the "pecuniary interest" restriction in the ham portion of the bands. Maybe you don't consider that valuable, but I do.

I think the unfavorable attitude towards CB radio and those who enjoy it is more against the perception of a lower class of person in general--it is generally thought that "anyone" on CB must be "one of those knuckle dragging, beer swilling" whatever you call 'ems. I'm here to tell you I've heard those same kind of people on ham radio and they are just as disgusting on ham radio as they are on CB.

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73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8d5pbrgqa1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Remember....whenever standards are lowered, quality suffers. ALWAYS. Years
> ago when someone was interested in knowing the difference between CB and

> amateur radio, a ham could say, "WE EARN LICENSES, CBers don't" and it was
> the truth. What will a "welfare Extra" now say,"I earned my higher grade
> ticket?" Like hell he did. It certainly was a GIFT. From time to time I
> heard fellows saying, "I'm going to try to get my Extra BEFORE April
15th."
> That's admirable and anyone who stepped on it and pushed and studied to do
> it and has succeeded should be commended. In two days the entire
composition
> will change. perhaps irrevocably and if anyone thinks that amateur radio
> will become better for it is just plain nuts. Several years ago WB2OTK
> called a watch officer at an FCC monitoring station who told him that for
> all he cared, ham radio could become CB. It's going to happen in 2 days.
> What puzzles me is why will the Commission bother with enforcement when
the
> Commission itself, along with the ARRL, will be responsible for such chaos
> that enforcement will not be practical? Riley has stated that he wants no
> conflicts, no arguing on the bands since they are detrimental to the very
> esssence of the hobby/service. Yet, the Commission with restructuring is
> contributing to exactly what the man opposes. How many arguments will now
> pop up between hams who earned their tickets versus the electronic
> carpetbaggers who'll try to run things? The excess baggage that'll flood
> into HF will turn the entire thing upside down with such ferocity that
> enforcement will become useless and the amateur PHONE portions will be
> nothing more than "10-4 Good Buddy." What then will be the saving grace
for
> the old timers? " Charlie Whiskey." CW will gain more status than ever.
The
> Phoenix will rise from the ashes and the lost art which wasn't important
> enough to warrant the retaining of the status quo will become a badge of
> honor and achievment for REAL HAMS. Dust off your Vibroplexes, keyers and
> straight jobbies-the great days will return. Hallelujah.
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> In article <38F5FAC5.18921CD@nashville.com>, Jon Johnson
> <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:
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> > John Jones wrote:
> >>
> >> It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the ARRL
or
> buy
> >> a new CB and celebrate.
> >>
> >> After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few endorsements
tacked
> >> on the license.
> >
> > Obviously you don't have a dog in the hunt. Why do *you* care??
> >
> > - Jon NU4JJ

1057. Mackey at it again! Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr.Happy@tu.com
Message-ID: <38F692AE.9BAB4E7B@tu.com>
Source record: 114235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

John Mackey at it again!

Innocent John!!! wrote:

> Why would I be jealous of that fool? I've had an Extra Class license for
> many years
> am one of the most active VE's in the US with 10 years of activity!!!!
>
> "teddy39" <teddy39@aol.com> wrote
> > Actually what is real funny is knowing how jealous you are of him for ever
> > having it in the first place!! LOL!!

1058. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#YYkAzcp$GA.226@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote
> 2) where was it written that this was a family oriented hobby?

It's just common sense to most decent people that when you are in the company of strangers of all ages profanity and decency should prevail. You should act as if you were in the presence of a family when on the air, because you might be. Do you remember the old Heathkit catalogs with the cover showing a family operating the station?

But of course it's probably not written anywhere. Do we have to codify decency? Here is a better question: where is it written that hams should be cordial to each other when on the air? Yet most hams are, no written regulations required...

1059. Re: New guy with questions: ATTN W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F6061E.619C9F62@ahole.com>
Source record: 114284

Let's do the TEXAS two step.....

W5LZ wrote:
>
> You are all absolutely correct, I should have said the
> 'Tech Plus' would give you limited privileges on 10 meters.
> Now, for a few replies to the comments.
> Yes, I am sure I am an 'Extra'. Passed the test, and
> bought the callsign. If your not happy with that, I suggest
> you 'handle it'.
> No, I did not 'have' to be referring to a 'no code Tech.',
> I was referring to a non licensed person who was asking about
> the 'tech' license class. Good answer, but wrong premise.
> Next.....
> 'Doc

1060. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjones@radio.org.com.net
Message-ID: <8d4puackv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the ARRL or buy a new CB and celebrate.

After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few endorsements tacked on the license.

J Jones

1061. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjones@radio.org.com.net
Message-ID: <8d4qbfckv2@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by CBer's,
pirates, Bootleggers, welfare recipients, and other low-life.

In article <38F549FE.F171896@inreach.com>, whagen@inreach.com wrote:
>I think I am just tired of seeing amateur radio tear itself apart. It
>reminds me of a pathetic little animal eating its own children because
>it cant find anything else to do.
>
>Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>>
>> What's the matter? Does it hit to close to home? I think it's funny that
> the
>> QRS signal was used to slam restructuring.
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>> In article <38EFF96E.F431C1E@inreach.com>, whagen@inreach.com wrote:
>> >I wonder if there is anyone who actually thinks this kind of stuff is
>> >funny.
>> >
>> >John Jones wrote:
>> >>
>> >> We need to welcome new hams all that we can by slowing down repeater ID's.
>> >>
>> >> Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:
>> >>
>> >> >The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
>> >> >hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
>> >> >kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
>> >> >but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
>> >> >lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
>> >> >might only know CW to 2 WPM. Repeaters with voice ID's
>> >> >must be programed to talk slower to accomodate restructured
>> >> >hams who are still learning the alphabet. Elmers who want
>> >> >to help new hams with their CW repeater ID skills, should
>> >> >focus on the letters found in phrases like "Welfare check" or
>> >> >"Food Stamps" as restructured hams are more familier
>> >> >with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
>> >> >identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
>> >> >they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
>> >> >
>> >> >QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

1062. BEST HF TUNER??-HELP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8LVJ <rjc100@attglobal.net>
Message-ID: <38F61FDB.65D1@attglobal.net>
Source record: 114287

CAN YOU RECCOMEND A GREAT/BETTER TUNER?

I AM CURRENTLY USING A MFJ-949E TUNER FOR HF AND HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY
IN CONSISTANTLY GETTING MY MUTIBAND(40-10 METER) DIPOLE TUNED.
IT TUNES WELL ON ALL BANDS AT TIMES AND AT TIMES I CAN NOT GET IT TO
TUNE AT ALL.

I CHECKED ALL OTHER CONNECTIONS AND AREAS AND THEY ARE IN CORRECT ORDER.
EVEN MFJ THINKS THEIR MAY BE A PROBLEM WITH THE TUNER. (ONLY 3 MONTHS
OLD).
IS THERE A BETTER TUNER THAT I CAN DEPEND ON TO BE CONSISTANT IN USE???
T H A N K S

1063. Marconi to appear at Dayton Banquet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4u5h$pf4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Details at the web site:

http://w3.gwis.com/~joelr/vent.htm

And that's the way it is!

Walter

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1064. Re: BEST HF TUNER??-HELP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F5C13E.DBF13867@oio.net>
Source record: 114289

KC8LVJ,
Check that there are no changes in the antenna, the
feed line, or grounding(if any). If your sure there
are no differences in those things between when the
tuner doe and does not work, then I'd agree with MFJ,
maybe something wrong with the tuner.
When selecting any MFJ tuner, always pick one that
has apower rating twice what your normal output is.
MFJ's tuner ratings are in 'PEP', NOT in average power.
If your normal power level is 100 watts, you need at
least a 200 watt tuner. If 1500 watts, then at least
a 3000 watt tuner (or more).
MFJ does have good tuner designs, the quality
control isn't always the best though, but their warranty
makes up for it. Just to be safe, always shake a MFJ
tuner, if it rattles, open it up and tighten all the
nuts/bolts.
'Doc

1065. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Aycock <baycock@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <38F5FA3C.E28EA925@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 114290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I REALLY wish the Bitter Bastards Brigade would keep this OFF the
antennas NG.

Face it- things change- I'm 73 and an Advanced Ham, but I dont see
anything to gain by increasing the Irritation factor by this type of
Bitching.

Bill- W4BSG

John Jones wrote:
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>
> Repeater ID guidelines found on QRS-Qsignal.COM website:
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> >The CW speed for repeater ID's must be lowered so new
> >hams can feel pride in knowing what repeaters they're
> >kerchunking. The ARRL recommends 5 WPM for repeater ID's
> >but the FCC disagrees and suggests the speed should be
> >lower because some individuals may have tested with W5YI and
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> >with these terms. When a restructured ham can correctly
> >identify the words "government-handout" or "breaker one nine",
> >they're ready to ID repeaters on their own.
> >
> >QRS-Qsignal, when you want your message understood.

1066. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F5FAC5.18921CD@nashville.com>
Source record: 114291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

John Jones wrote:
>
> It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the ARRL or buy
> a new CB and celebrate.
>
> After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few endorsements tacked
> on the license.

Obviously you don't have a dog in the hunt. Why do *you* care??

- Jon NU4JJ

1067. Re: New guy with questions: ATTN W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d500drlg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114292

In article <38F57742.583186CE@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> No, I did not 'have' to be referring to a 'no code Tech.',
> I was referring to a non licensed person who was asking about
> the 'tech' license class. Good answer, but wrong premise.

I guess you're responding to me here. Sorry but, again, this is what you said:

> The 'Tech' license gives you a partial 10 meter use, and all bands
> from there up (VHF/UHF).

This part is in response to a non-licensed person, but it refers to the Tech license. At this point it *could* be a Tech or a Tech Plus; it's ambiguous, but wrong for a non-Tech Plus.

> For the same co$t and a little bit of code (5wpm),

Here you are tell the non-licensed person that in addition to the "Tech" license, code will get you more. That resolves the ambiguity in the first part to a non-Tech Plus.

So, no matter what the license stature of the original questioner, you HAD to be talking about a no-code Tech that gets partial 10 meter use, and that is clearly incorrect. You have acknowledged the "incorrect" part. Good start, but poor finish.

Next.....

LRod

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1068. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8d4vnviif1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 114293

> How many Extras do you think would challenge a test like this to prove
> their skill?

Actually, I think quite a few. I am not an elitist, I want the restructuring, I just also want their to be more challenges and areas where HAM's can excel. It just "stops" at extra. You can try other modes, work for DXCC, but there are no other "endorsements" you can have. I think it would be a good thing. A lot of people I have talked to are buzzing about it and looking into the certificate you can get from the ARRL.

Fred
N4IXL

1069. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000413133408.14288.00000161@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 114294

I don't give a rats ass! This is another step for CB Radio to be in the forefront!

10-4 Good Buddy!

1070. 10-4 Good Buddy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000413133507.14288.00000162@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 114295

I just wanted to pass this along to all my CB Brothers in the fight come Apr 15!

10-4 Good Buddy!

Long Live Radio Shack!

1071. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8d50ms$j12$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 114296

To Eddie and anyone with at least a sane response. I ignore those who use obscenity or who are just basically clinically insane, but somehow manage to function enough to keep themselves out of an institution (ie: most of the old hams on this list).

I am not an old timer, I just turned 40. I am also FOR restructuring and think code is a silly test of ham skills. OTOH, it is a weeding out of people who don't want to make a comittment. I wasn't going to be a chemist either, but they made me take it in College to be a EE. Frankly, a lot of us don't make our own rigs anymore either and there are no "user serviceable parts" inside, yet there is a lot of electronics on the test. The bottom line is that we have to test SOMETHING, and this is the best we have come up with.

I accept and welcome all hams, new and old, except for the ignorant rednecks that seem to dominate 14.313 and parts of 80 meters and this list. However, I don't think it is fair to people who worked very hard to get what will always be the hardest qualifier, the one you couldn't cheat on, the CW test. You can argue that this is ego or bragging rights, but why do you think all the Advanced licensees scrambled to get in their tests before the 15th? Same thing, they want bragging rights. I am certain they don't want the tiny little extra band privildeges, most are only using VHF anyway and hardly any can take advantage of CW only high speed bands. What they want is to say they are extras and know that no one will no whether they got it the hard way or the easy way. I know several right in my circle who have been Tech Pluses and Advanced for over 25 years, and are now becomming Extras because it is "free".

I think bringing more people into HF is great, especially if they crowd out the rejects who shouldn't even have a license. I also think that there should be a class called Extra Plus for the same reason there were Tech Pluses. I think it is a very fair compromise.

Fred
N4IXL

1072. CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000413134038.14293.00000163@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 114297

10-4 Good Buddy!

1073. Re: CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d52od$v1m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114298

In article <20000413134038.14293.00000163@ng-ch1.aol.com>,
cbrambo1@aol.com (CBRambo1) wrote:
> 10-4 Good Buddy!
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TROLL-O-METER

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1074. Re: n0vfp = Newsgroup Troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d52r6$v3p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114299

In article <8d4lnjffb1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>
> Just stating the obvious.
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

<as ED McMahon>
"You are right, Sir!"
<end Ed McMahon>
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1075. Re: CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F60E6E.CA0C6836@nashville.com>
Source record: 114300

CBRambo1 wrote:
>
> 10-4 Good Buddy!

Plonk.

1076. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjones@radio.org.com.net
Message-ID: <8d532hrjl1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Donald, Donald, Donald,

As you being from Arkansas, I can understood your resentment. Why don't you go find your sister and have some more kids and let real hams debate the issue.

Donald Banks "K5DRB", A Toothless Porch-monkey Technician in Arkansas wrote:
>I tell you this Vincent is a disgrace to the Amateur Radio hobby. Why don't
>you do us all a favor and give up your callsign as well. Then you can go
>back to the 11 meter group. Real Amateur radio operators don't want dumb
>butts like you giving our hobby a bad name.
>
>
>Donald
>
>K5DRB (AND PROUD OF IT !!!!!)
>Keith Wood wrote in message <38F4CC5E.E515678@bctv.com>...
>>
>>
>>"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
>>>
>>> I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>>>
>>> KB7ADL
>>
>>Cool! Thank you!
>>
>>Usually when people have tantrums they don't fulfill their promises.
>
>

1077. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <2d8df19e.6c75fa39@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>
Source record: 114302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Here in 5 land, we use the expression "A dog in the fight".
Regardless, my dog was chewed up long ago. Peace. KZ5B

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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1078. Re: W4FQF = American Hero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d5649$2tu$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114303

In article <20000413020531.23942.00002767@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Subject says it all!
>
> N0VFP since 1993
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Subject says it all!

NOVFP since 1993

And STILL a NOCODE Technician. What a looooooooser!

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1079. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d566g$35i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <8d33oj$f9s$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>,
"Dave" <cubit@prodigy.net> wrote:
>
> What is a VE badge?
>

A "Victory in Europe" badge. It is worn by old-time hams that were
around in 1945.

Stewart - N0MHS

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1080. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F616F2.B13183B5@nashville.com>
Source record: 114305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

wolf wrote:
>
> Here in 5 land...

'Nuf said. ;-)

1081. The future of ham radio seen this afternoon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d56rs$3rv$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114306

Those of you on the cloister this afternoon were "treated" to this garbage. I wonder why hams are so obssesed with something most of them will never do (not counting the guys in Dayton who pay people) ?

Why did it take 30 minutes for the garbage to be taken out ? Was the operator of the node too busy on a DX NET ?

STAND BY PWEEZE STAND BY PWEEZE. PWEEZE DONT CALL THE DX STATIWON UNLESS I CORONATE YOU PWEEZE....

If the guy was in JA (not), it's an amazing use of an education in English; but didn't we all learn the bad words first when studying a broad (get it) ?

XXX-@ XXX.0 XXX this is for ham not porn 1856 13 Apr
KE4RNA 28495.0 VP6BR VR6 1853 13 Apr
N6CA-@ 50110.0 LU6DRV into DM03 looking VP8 1854 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 PREGNANT http://www.sweetassugar.com/ 1842 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 SENIOR http://www.sweetassugar.com/ 1842 13 Apr
UU2JQ 21410.0 BV4OB with BD8GK 1843 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 NECROPHILIA http://www.adultorigin.com/?fr1841 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 PRETEEN http://www.adultorigin.com/?fr1841 13 Apr
YU7LN 28495.0 VP6BR 5-10 up 1840 13 Apr
IW9BCD 50110.0 VP8DBL 1840 13 Apr
K1VR 28495.0 VP6BR Listening for EU 1841 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 CHILDLEN http://www3.freesexserver.com/1840 13 Apr
W6NDR 28495.0 VP6BR wrkn ue up 5/10 1840 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 GROUPSEX http://www3.freesexserver.com/1839 13 Apr
VY2CFB 14200.0 JUNK Someone kick this JJ1 off! 1838 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 FEMEL http://www.pre-teen.nu/cgi-bin1839 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 EROTIC http://www.pre-teen.nu/cgi-bin1839 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 AMATEUR http://www.sweetassugar.com/ga1838 13 Apr
OZ4RT 14263.3 RA0LOM/0 IOTA AS-062 1838 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 ANIMAL http://www.sweetassugar.com/ga1837 13 Apr
UA4CC 21023.3 8Q7LA up, via OM3LA 1838 13 Apr
DL1YD 18087.8 ES0IC sorry.... 1838 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 VOYEURISM http://www.assbonanza.com/ 1837 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 FAT http://www.assbonanza.com/ 1836 13 Apr
DL1YD 18087.8 ES0DC 1837 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 AMPUTEE http://www.assbonanza.com/ 1836 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 BRACK http://www.hairless-lolita.com1835 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 HAIR http://www.hairless-lolita.com1835 13 Apr
I2TAO 21021.1 JJ1NZA vattelo a prendere nel ....1833 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 CHILDSEX http://www.hairless-lolita.com1833 13 Apr
IT9KSI 14188.0 JA5PL kazu 9+30.. 1834 13 Apr

JJ1NZA 21021.1 BESTIALITY http://www.fuctnetwork.net/ind1833 13 Apr
PA3HHF 28448.0 LU1QAH Bill strong 59+ 1832 13 Apr
YU7LN 28490.0 HS1NGR 1832 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 ZOOPHILIA http://www.fuctnetwork.net/ind1832 13 Apr
OK1WN 14022.2 T99NN fb sign 1831 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 FIST http://www.webyoung.nu/teenlov1831 13 Apr
KC0EWX 28475.0 7X4AN MOHAMED 1835 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 ANIME http://lolitaskin.com/ 1828 13 Apr
IT9KSI 21245.0 GM0RLZ/ZC4 colin crr. srry. 1829 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 LESBIAN http://lolitaskin.com/ 1828 13 Apr
W4YGE-@ 28007.0 OD5/OK1MU UP 1 1827 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 ASPHYX http://lolita.u-z.net/ 1827 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 RAPE http://lolita.u-z.net/ 1827 13 Apr
IT9KSI 21254.0 GM0RLJ/ZC4 1828 13 Apr
T99RM 14023.0 T99NN Ron - QSL via DL5NAV -> CQ.. 1831 13 Apr
IK2UCK 21320.0 7X3WDK 1825 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 TORTURE http://www.underage.org/free/i1826 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 SPANKING http://www.underage.org/free/i1826 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 SCAT http://www.topless-lolita.com/1825 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 ENEMA http://www.topless-lolita.com/1825 13 Apr
G3IBI 50123.0 VP8DBL has opening to CT 1823 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 DIAPER http://www.topless-lolita.com/1824 13 Apr
PA3HHF 28345.0 LU6GBV Joe sri freq. 1824 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 URINE http://www.topless-lolita.com/1824 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 INCEST http://www.topless-lolita.com/1823 13 Apr
DK2GP 24894.9 DU3NXE up3 1822 13 Apr
F5TGR 21323.0 ZS2I 1818 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 CHILD http://www.superlolita.com/top1822 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 TEEN http://www.superlolita.com/top1822 13 Apr
PA3HHF 28350.0 LU6GBV Joe 1822 13 Apr
W6BH 21250.0 EA1AIQ 1821 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 LOLITA http://www.euro-lolitas.com/ 1821 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 YOUNG http://www.euro-lolitas.com/ 1821 13 Apr
G0WOU 21188.0 YF7PT HERE NW 1821 13 Apr
IT9KSI 28490.0 HS1NGR 1821 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 NUDISM http://www.little-virgins.com/1820 13 Apr
JJ1NZA 21021.1 PEDO http://www.little-virgins.com/1819 13 Apr

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1082. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Bagodonuts <dogworks@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <sfc3i5caln183@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114307
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

"Mike Gormley" <WA8VEC@ARRL.net> wrote in message
news:38F5E5A0.4379287F@ARRL.net...
> >
> > -- --- *-* *** *
> > -*-* --- --* *
> > ** ***
> > --* * *- -**

"morse coge is gead"

> > --*- --- -* --*

"Qong'

> > *-*- ** ***- *

'aa(?) i v e'

> > -- --- *-* *** *

"Morse".

> >
> > -- The Who paraphrased.

The Hell.

>
> Looks like "swamp land" on my GPS! (and make about
as much sense)

Mike, you got that right. Smells like it, too, if you
scratch and sniff!

1083. Re: Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Oh My !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d5774$47e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In article <8d0c8lpgn1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> (Oh my word !)
>
> Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest cancelled: Gerald Rosner, N8FGK, has
> announced that Michigan's Grosse Pointe Woods Hamfest, scheduled for
> Sunday April 16, and sponsored by SEMARA has been cancelled. The
> Hamfest Committee made the decision based on a lack of advance table
> sales and dealer participation. SEMARA apologized for any
> inconvenience.--George Race, WB8BGY
>
> (Must've conflicted with this year's Grosse Point Spring Catillion. I do
> hope the Mercedes SUVs are still all abloom though !)

Doc is right.

At least I didn't type it out as Castillian, as some on here with
advanced degrees in ham radio (now possible under the ARRL CEU program)
would have.

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1084. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F618C1.6631B6FB@IEEE.org>
Source record: 114309
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

John Jones wrote:
> The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by CBer's,
> pirates, Bootleggers, welfare recipients, and other low-life.

Witness the snake swallowing its own tail and hopefully disappearing.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1085. Re: Badwill hunting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d55th$74$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>>David Walker <dwalker65@one.net.au> wrote:
>>>"Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

>>>>If you went to a zoo armed with a shotgun, the animals all being behind
>>>>cage, the animals were chained and you shot them one by one would that
>>>>be called hunting?

>>>What's the gun thing all about?

>>He seems to believe that working DX is no different than hunting caged
>>zoo animals.

>s/hunting caged zoo animals/working lists

The first two-way across the Atlantic was conducted according to a
pre-arranged schedule.

The distance is still covered, regardless of the existance of a list or
not.

Jeff KH6O

1086. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Flanagan <markf@cshore.com>
Message-ID: <sfc7il6ealn115@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I don't think I've heard "welfare recipients" and Ham radio mentioned in the same breath before. Do you include medicare and social security recipients in that pool of low lifes as well? Seein that they are all government handouts that are being supported by the working middle class.

Mark Flanagan, K1MKF
k1mkf@qsl.net
http://www.qsl.net/k1mkf/
John Jones <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote in message
news:8d4qbfckv2@slb3.atl.mindspring.net...
>
>
> The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by CBer's,
> pirates, Bootleggers, welfare recipients, and other low-life.
>

1087. WTB: Azden PCS-7000/7200/7300/7800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <8d5736$1h6f$1@news.enteract.com>
Source record: 114312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi! I'd like to purchase one each of the following Azden radios:

PCS-7800 or PCS-7800H 10M Xcvr
PCS-7000 or PCS-7000H 2M Xcvr
PCS-7200 or PCS-7200H 220 MHz Xcvr
PCS-7300 or PCS-7300H 440 MHz Xcvr

The radios must be a cosmetic 8 or better, and 100% functional. They must be complete with manual, power cord, mic, and mounting bracket.

Please drop me a note with your offers.

Thanks,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

1088. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F62DA5.37DD@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> wolf wrote:
> >
> > Here in 5 land...
>
> 'Nuf said. ;-)
Au contrere' mon frere, here in five land heritage runs deep and some
sayings are particular to the area. nuff said ;->
Martin N5PZJ

1089. Re: CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <4nbcfs4e38cbvsk00jrv9fp96q314vcm8l@4ax.com>
Source record: 114314

On 13 Apr 2000 17:40:38 GMT, cbrambo1@aol.com (CBRambo1) wrote:

>10-4 Good Buddy!
>
Who gives a shit?

1090. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F63082.BB9E4D4C@nashville.com>
Source record: 114315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
>
> Au contrere' mon frere, here in five land heritage runs deep and some
> sayings are particular to the area. nuff said ;->

Excuse' moi, monsieur et pardonez moi, s'il vous plait. Our heritage on
this particular saying allows us to *hunt* rather than fight. ;-)

1091. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Old Biker <enfield@3n.net>
Message-ID: <01bfa58b$bdfa5500$e84a1504@howard>
Source record: 114316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

John Jones <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote
>
> The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by .. other
low-life.

Not so, John! Our national parks and forests and other public lands are
over-run by campers and hikers who couldn't start a fire with flint and steel
if their lives depended on it. What has this to do with ham bands and low
life? Well the ham bands are public property allocated to recreational (vs
commercial) use just like national parks and forests and code is much like
flint and steel: both are antiquated, both can be fun, both could save your
life under the right circumstances and both could be used to minimize the
number of Americans allowed to use their own recreational property - right?
Think how many people we could exclude from our parks by making them prove an
ability to start a fire in 30 seconds with flint/steel, and how much room
that'd leave for the few "serious campers" who can. After all, it worked for
amature radio for half a century ... ;o(
73s
KA3DWW

1092. Trade dual band handheld!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net>
Message-ID: <lJqJ4.869$Wn2.19279@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 114317

Hi I would like to trade a dual band handheld (icom 24at) for a 10 meter radio to work repeaters, something like a hr2600 would be what I am looking for. if you are interested you can reach me at (530) 589-4483 or badco@jps.net
Thanks Frank..N6AQ

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http://www.jps.net/badco/
http://www.jps.net/badco/Orowpmc/

1093. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4hij@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d5ee8cnj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8d4puackv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
jjones@radio.org.com.net (John Jones) wrote:
> It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the
ARRL or buy
> a new CB and celebrate.
>
> After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few endorsements
tacked
> on the license.
>
> J Jones
> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my General
class ticket. I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago. It's not
an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long overdue! I
have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw op.,
but he never tried to force it on me. He would be delighted to see me
get my new privileges!
Michael

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1094. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d5dme$8lb$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114319

perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com> wrote:
>(Robert Casey) wrote:

>> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
>> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
>> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
>> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

>If you have a problem listening to, or understanding them, while on 11
>meter or "freebanding" why do you listen? have you not got a tuner dial
>on your radio?

Most amateurs abide by the regulations set forth by the Commission. It
can be a bit irritating to be mindful of the regs yet hear law-breakers
using our public resource RF spectrum in such an awful manner -- similar
to witnessing people littering a public park. Maybe folks like yourself
can turn your back and pretend it's none of your business, but others
are more community-minded and do care (and wonder why it's occurring).
Ignoring federal communication laws is a good indicator that one would
ignore other federal (and state and local) laws, too. Such folks are
a burden to society and are looked down upon by the more law-abiding
citizens. You'll have to just accept that rather than questioning why
(just like you chastising Robert for asking why).

>Seems to me that many on the NG complain about CB'ers and freebanders.
>How would any of you "ticket holders" know they exist unless you are
>there listening?

Those free-banders have found their way up to the 10m band and down to
12m; that's how we know they exist. Some are so bold as to even use
the HF air-to-ground frequencies, endangering aircraft. That becomes
everyone's business (even yours).

>Guaranteed you'll hear little from CB'ers on 40 mtrs.

Guaranteed you'll hear many of them as low as 12m and has high as 10m.
It really has become our problem. And note the region between 11m and
10m are government frequencies; the latest recipient of a $17,000 fine
was caught operating on those government frequencies.

Jeff

1095. Re: CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d5ihihbr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114320

In article <4nbcfs4e38cbvsk00jrv9fp96q314vcm8l@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> On 13 Apr 2000 17:40:38 GMT, cbrambo1@aol.com (CBRambo1) wrote:
>
> >10-4 Good Buddy!
> >
> Who gives a shit?
>
I agree...however why is "it" using CBRAMBO1?. Where is that trool
meter when I need it.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1096. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <11jcfsof57ojrmkls6md935omradgmi17e@4ax.com>
Source record: 114321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 21:32:56 GMT, w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:

>> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
>requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my General
>class ticket. I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
>pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago. It's not
>an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long overdue! I
>have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw op.,
>but he never tried to force it on me. He would be delighted to see me
>get my new privileges!
>Michael
>
So what you're saying is that you were too lazy to try again. Now you
can take a handout and be 1/4 of a ham. Idiot.

1097. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000413185330.19925.00000068@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 114322

Thanks for the report. Yeah i know Steve took a trip by your QTH and all that but why?? I never figured that out.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

1098. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f64d4d.66271626@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 11 Apr 2000 20:16:55 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote
>>I maintian that the word Damn is fully permissable on the ARS
>
>Profanity is permissible to use in public also, and usually won't get you
>arrested. But would you use it in a family setting? It doesn't add anything
>to the conversation, and often offends those you're talking to. Since ham
>radio is supposed to be a family rated hobby, profanity really has no place
>on the bands...

1) The word Damn is was ruled to be NOT profane under the
censorship of the day by a group tougher than the FCC.

2) where was it written that this was a family oriented hobby?

3) Under the right occasion I certainly will use the word Damn
indeed in right place I will use far harsger lang.

4) Why use it? to express outrage etc, to shock and startle
the listener

An example I heard off once was during a rather long winded exchage on
a repater and some needing assiting trying to get in In frustration he
in fact a God damn it the new operator was let on and the emergnecy
dealt with prefectly proper use by the operator under part 97

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1099. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sfcl3328aln109@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

[posted and mailed]

Ed,
There is a difference. Hams in 1963 probably cared more and they certainly had more intiative. After they got their licenses alot of them had to build their own equipment. If they couldn't build, they'd get surplus military gear and modify it, often making it work better than it had to start with. Hams with money could buy off the shelf. When you have to work harder to be a part of something you care for it alot more. In my opinion, the hams of the 1940's, 50's, and 60's with their innovation and experimentation advanced ham radio more than any of these modern day Techie-talking code haters will ever do. Amsat is the only group moving amateur radio forward with new emission types and the utilization of microwave frequencies. Using these new modes and frequencies might require a little effort on ones part, such as modifying or homebrewing equipment, but thats not anything different then what the early hams had to do to use HF in the early days. Where am I going with this?
The ARRL has been talking bull out of both sides of its mouth and the whole thing has been a smoke screen money-grab, and it has suckered in alot of hams over the last year. The League says it's moving ham radio forward, but I haven't seen any proposals. The League says gaining more hams by removing some exam elements will advance ham radio, they said the same thing about the no-code tech which didn't advance a thing. I could go on and on but who'd read it. I'm not requesting electronic experts, I'm reguesting hams have good operating practices and procedure, and it's gotten to sound a whole lot like CB over the last 10 years.

Make it harder to be a ham and those that make it will certainly have the initative to move the service forward and protect it. Ed, I don't know how much time you spend listening to your HF rig, but you more than anyone else should be a creditable witness on how operating practices have gone into the sewer. And don't cut yourself short Ed, what you had to do as a ham in the early days was tough.

w1rfi@arrl.net (Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)) wrote in
<vGlJ4.3918$G4.14850@news.ntplx.net>:
>Are you sure you are not attributing the knowledge you possess today
>(gained by years of being active in ham radio) to the "studying" you
>did in 1959? As I think back to myself in 1963 as a new General, I was
>really not very bright. I did NOT understand all of what I studied; I
>read those 16 pages until I had them virtually memorized.
>
>73,

>Ed Hare, W1RFI

1100. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38f6580e.69025559@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 114325

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 19:27:27 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

You are not the first to be threatened with some kind of harm for
posting here. Alas you will not be the last

1101. Re: BEST HF TUNER??-HELP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Free Elian <tacosmell@tacosmell.com>
Message-ID: <CUsJ4.26055$y4.891488@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114326

KC8LVJ <rjc100@attglobal.net> wrote in message
news:38F61FDB.65D1@attglobal.net...
> CAN YOU RECCOMEND A GREAT/BETTER TUNER?
>
> I AM CURRENTLY USING A MFJ-949E TUNER FOR HF AND HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY
> IN CONSISTANTLY GETTING MY MUTIBAND(40-10 METER) DIPOLE TUNED.
> IT TUNES WELL ON ALL BANDS AT TIMES AND AT TIMES I CAN NOT GET IT TO
> TUNE AT ALL.

Find yerself a late model Dentron "160-10 AT"

They aint been made in many Years, but their
built to Mil-Spec in 18 gauge steel cabinets.

Check E-Bay or hamfests. Easily handle a FULL
Kilowatt.

1102. Re: CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Free Elian <tacosmell@tacosmell.com>
Message-ID: <BUsJ4.26054$y4.891488@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114327

Welcome back Drew !
We missed ja !
Please feel free to jump in and poke-em-with-a-stick-an-watch-em-jump
anytime :)

(don't forget the special On-AIR belch and farting contest slated
for the evening of the 15th on 3.865)

CBRambo1 <cbrambo1@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000413134038.14293.00000163@ng-ch1.aol.com...
> 10-4 Good Buddy!

1103. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7zx@aol.comantispam
Message-ID: <20000413195542.23932.00003227@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

oh me oh my..... ham radio, the ultimate in life, is changing......oh no....

1104. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d5pbrgqa1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Remember....whenever standards are lowered, quality suffers. ALWAYS. Years ago when someone was interested in knowing the difference between CB and amateur radio, a ham could say, "WE EARN LICENSES, CBers don't" and it was the truth. What will a "welfare Extra" now say,"I earned my higher grade ticket?" Like hell he did. It certainly was a GIFT. From time to time I heard fellows saying, "I'm going to try to get my Extra BEFORE April 15th." That's admirable and anyone who stepped on it and pushed and studied to do it and has succeeded should be commended. In two days the entire composition will change. perhaps irrevocably and if anyone thinks that amateur radio will become better for it is just plain nuts. Several years ago WB2OTK called a watch officer at an FCC monitoring station who told him that for all he cared, ham radio could become CB. It's going to happen in 2 days. What puzzles me is why will the Commission bother with enforcement when the Commission itself, along with the ARRL, will be responsible for such chaos that enforcement will not be practical? Riley has stated that he wants no conflicts, no arguing on the bands since they are detrimental to the very esssence of the hobby/service. Yet, the Commission with restructuring is contributing to exactly what the man opposes. How many arguments will now pop up between hams who earned their tickets versus the electronic carpetbaggers who'll try to run things? The excess baggage that'll flood into HF will turn the entire thing upside down with such ferocity that enforcement will become useless and the amateur PHONE portions will be nothing more than "10-4 Good Buddy." What then will be the saving grace for the old timers? " Charlie Whiskey." CW will gain more status than ever. The Phoenix will rise from the ashes and the lost art which wasn't important enough to warrant the retaining of the status quo will become a badge of honor and achievment for REAL HAMS. Dust off your Vibroplexes, keyers and straight jobbies-the great days will return. Hallelujah.
AF2Y

In article <38F5FAC5.18921CD@nashville.com>, Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:

> John Jones wrote:
>>
>> It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the ARRL or buy
>> a new CB and celebrate.
>>
>> After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few endorsements tacked
>> on the license.
>
> Obviously you don't have a dog in the hunt. Why do *you* care??

>
> - Jon NU4JJ

1105. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d5q22$91r$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114330

NEGATIVE. John didn't threaten me; he ENLIGHTENED me to the fact that he has the power to adversely affect the destiny of a fellow ham through a privileged connection to enforcement. He therefore has the ability to suppress free expression on the Internet which I find extremely dangerous and hopefully erroneous. I still don't know to which of my postings he alluded because he never answered the question. His quasi arrogance would be equivalent to someone pointing an empty pistol at your head and saying, "I can put bullets in the chamber."

In article <38f6580e.69025559@nntp.one-eleven.net>, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan) wrote:

> On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 19:27:27 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>
> You are not the first to be threatened with some kind of harm for
> posting here. Alas you will not be the last

1106. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <38F66F75.6ED112AB@rconnect.com>
Source record: 114331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

After watching the piece on amateur radio on the abc news
last night I wonder how many of you actually care what
happens. All I ever see is code no code slams one way or the
other instead of congrats on giving someone a helping hand.
After the pirate attack on that boat that kid could have
died, it did not matter if the guy's who helped on the
maritime mobile net knew cw or not. Also, 2 years ago when
southern Minnesota was torn up but tornados in early March
many tech class hams helped (taking time off work without
pay) to support communications out of the spots that needed
it. Why don't you guy's get a clue, it isn't the fact that
someone took this or that test, it's the reason for the
amateur service, to help in emergencies, the hobby part is
just the added fun.
Mark (tech + and don't know if I want to bother with hf,
to busy working eme)

Mark Flanagan wrote:
>
> I don't think I've heard "welfare recipients" and Ham radio mentioned in the
> same breath before. Do you include medicare and social security recipients
> in that pool of low lifes as well? Seein that they are all government
> handouts that are being supported by the working middle class.
>
> Mark Flanagan, K1MKF
> k1mkf@qsl.net
> http://www.qsl.net/k1mkf/
> John Jones <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote in message
> news:8d4qbfckv2@slb3.atl.mindspring.net...
> >
> >
> > The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by CBer's,
> > pirates, Bootleggers, welfare recipients, and other low-life.
> >

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en24gp 6m through 1296, BBQ rules, icq 41823284

1107. Baja 2m Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Weir <jim@rst-engr.com>
Message-ID: <jcncfskstrpqjmk4sb5v4f9kk2fp1dfd6r@4ax.com>
Source record: 114332

Anybody know what the standard 2m simplex frequency is in Baja? 146.52? Any suggestions on where to look?

Jim
Jim Weir, VP Eng. RST Eng. WX6RST
A&P, CFI, and other good alphabet soup

1108. Re: BEST HF TUNER??-HELP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <109a3010.11550270@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>
Source record: 114333

In article <38F61FDB.65D1@attglobal.net>, KC8LVJ
<rjc100@attglobal.net> wrote:
>CAN YOU RECCOMEND A GREAT/BETTER TUNER?

If you can find a Heathkit SA-2040 for 3.5 to 30 Mhz or even
better A heathkit SA-2060 / SA-2060A antenna tuners. Very heavy
built and will out live you. These are KW rated tuners and so
you will simply never need another tuner.

Pre MFJ Vectronics tuners are also good, not great but still
good.

>
>I AM CURRENTLY USING A MFJ-949E TUNER FOR HF AND HAVE GREAT
DIFFICULTY

You always will have Difficulty with this stuff.

>IN CONSISTANTLY GETTING MY MUTIBAND(40-10 METER) DIPOLE TUNED.
>IT TUNES WELL ON ALL BANDS AT TIMES AND AT TIMES I CAN NOT GET
IT TO
>TUNE AT ALL.

If everything checks out ok, could it be anything other than the
Tuner?

>
>I CHECKED ALL OTHER CONNECTIONS AND AREAS AND THEY ARE IN
CORRECT ORDER.

Check for cold solder joints and water in connections.

>EVEN MFJ THINKS THEIR MAY BE A PROBLEM WITH THE TUNER. (ONLY 3
MONTHS
>OLD).

You might get a new tuner but not your money back.

>IS THERE A BETTER TUNER THAT I CAN DEPEND ON TO BE CONSISTANT
IN USE???
>T H A N K S
>
>

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1109. FS: SX-96

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Albert Alvareztorres, Jr." <albert13@home.com>
Message-ID: <Qc8J4.39115$MZ2.483775@news1.wwck1.ri.home.com>
Source record: 114339

Hallicrafter SX-96 for sale. See it at: http://24.2.190.190/forsale/

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Al
ARS: AA1DO
URL: http://members.home.net/albert13/index.htm

Life is what happens while you are making other plans.
John Lennon (1940-1980)

1110. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8d34nk$706g6$1@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

ko4qc@mindspring.com (Joel) wrote:
>He wants to be taken seriously,but cant even spell ROLE correctly.Must
>be brain damage from too many Dits and Dahs...:>)

You mean, braindamaged as in fullqouting without any hint of answering to
what was originally said? Must have been all that SSB-crap through your
earphones.

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

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1111. Re: FS: HQ-100, S-38C, 6 meter ant, more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Albert Alvareztorres, Jr." <albert13@home.com>
Message-ID: <5D8J4.39124$MZ2.483922@news1.wwck1.ri.home.com>
Source record: 114341

Guess you didn't get the point.....

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Al
ARS: AA1DO
URL: http://members.home.net/albert13/index.htm

Life is what happens while you are making other plans.
John Lennon (1940-1980)

<ray_psi@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d0k0u$229$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
>
> AND YOUR POINT IS?
>
>
> In a
>
> rticle <PC4I4.36749$MZ2.470367@news1.wwck1.ri.home.com>,
> "Albert Alvareztorres, Jr." <albert13@home.com> wrote:
> > http://www.qsl.net/aa1do/
> >
> > --
> > Al
> > ARS: AA1DO
> > URL: http://members.home.net/albert13/index.htm
> >
> > Life is what happens while you are making other plans.
> > John Lennon (1940-1980)
> >
> >
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>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1112. Re: Dayton caters to 20 wpm whining Extras with free Depends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8d355v$706g6$2@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>REAL 20WPM Extras don't feel threatened by 5WPM Extras, because their
>sense of manhood isn't related to their CW speed.

And 20 wpm is for wimps anyway.

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

1113. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8d359v$706g6$3@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

"Dayton 2k Beachball Belly" <break19@arrl.org> wrote:
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^

Cute e-mail address....

Whose secretary are you?

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

1114. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8d35jl$706g6$5@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

"dm" <dmandjos@olypen.com> wrote:
>Excuse me....doesn't this whole "thread" belong on one of the Same Old
>"Stuff" Newsgroups ?? N 7 D M

Yep Bill, it does. Except for the fact that K1OINK's ISP seems to have
droppes him in time...

Cya again on 30!

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

1115. Re: Badwill hunting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8d3666$706g6$7@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114345
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>David Walker <dwalker65@one.net.au> wrote:
>
>>"Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>>If you went to a zoo armed with a shotgun, the animals all being behind
>>>cage, the animals were chained and you shot them one by one would that
>>>be called hunting?
>
>>What's the gun thing all about?
>
>He seems to believe that working DX is no different than hunting caged
>zoo animals.

s/hunting caged zoo animals/working lists

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

1116. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <zp9J4.151987$_G1.1219078@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 114346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

This is really funny, the easier license testing is how this FOOL below
got his license in the first place. Now that exact same issue is why the
FOOL
is resigning.

<w7wjm@arrl.nospam.net> wrote in message
news:8d2lvenip1@news.netmar.com...
> Good! Hopefully this will be the end of this thread!
>
>
> In a previous article, <vlfiscus@mcn.net> writes:
> >
> >I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
> >
> >KB7ADL
> >
> >
> >In article <h5FI4.6786$q67.194621@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Mike
> >Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
> >>Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
> >>
> >>It's only 4 days now and counting...
> >>
> >>Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
> >>VE badge?
> >>
> >>Mike
>
>
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abuse@newsone.net

1117. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000412220546.15274.00001270@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114347

I don't think Brother John would qualify as a fundamentalist. He'd have to condemn Southern Baptists and Catholics to qualify for that one.

And ham radio is not a private pulpit. The only pulpit more public is wherever "Prophet" Stair is broadcasting at a given moment.

And a word of thanks to Radiosigs for his compassionate tone towards Brother John. I think Radiosigs understands that Brother John's message keeps the "nasties" squirming. So even if one does not agree with Brother John, we still have to love him for the enemies he makes.

Keep up the good work, Brother John. Light in the darkness. Just what we need.

Flame-throwers?

1118. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d3c0g$2ik$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114348

It don't do bad on sideband with a horizontal beam even without band
openings. It's easy to get 100 to 300 miles out of it.

Have you ever used one of those Create Design log beams. My asshole
yuppie neighbors think that it is a TV antenna, although they cannot
figure out why there is a second rotor on it to turn it vertical.
I do use it as a TV antenna, when I'm not operating. It's the easiest to
hide in a well regulated neighborhood. Right out in the open!
Not to mention the inverted V from the chimney to the two light posts in
opposite corners of the property.

I had an idea of putting up a vertical that I can raise and lower
through a plastic vent in the roof. Up at night or when operating, and
down, just like a power car antenna at the carwash. Something like that
would make the Zoning guy crazy with false reports and fruitless drive
by inspections.

Radio Oger

In article <8d1mnd$7in$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8d0gs6ugu1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > Yea... and I will be working 6, 17 and 11 meters with my 706 and the
> > trusty solid state 600 watt amp.
> >
> > You guys can have the pile-ups. I really like 6. Have you guys ever
> > worked it?
> >
> > Radio Oger
>
> 6 is GREAT! When the band's open.
>
> > In article <8cvsngdtf1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > >
> > > In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI
> > <w4nti@my-deja.com>
> > > wrote:
> > >
> > > > And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one
> can
> > > > talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and
> > antenna
> > > > will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.

> > >
> > > You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF
> > coupled to
> > > lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about
> > INTERFERENCE
> > > complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's
> > going to
> > > be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by
> > adjacent
> > > signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin
> in
> > four
> > > days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.
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> > --
> > Radio Oger
> > Giving a straight answer every time.
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> >
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> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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1119. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000412222204.15274.00001274@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114349

I heard N8WGM mention that situation in his comments to The Great Liberty Net this past week.

I don't know the background, but Steve used some admirable discretion in describing the situation to his friends on the net. He never once mentioned any names or call-signs. Steve gets an A+ for his use of diplomacy in a difficult situation.

I don't know JBO, but I can tell that he and Tim and I have a common enemy. Nope, it's not Steve Tunder, either. Tim knows to whom I refer. :-)

LW

1120. Question - TM-732

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kal4cu@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d3cgk$2vp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114350

Can someone give me some info Pros/Cons on a Kenwood TM-732 and what a fair price would be on a used radio. I have searched the Internet and have not been able to find any specific info on this radio. Would this be a good radio for a beginner?

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1121. Re: Comments on HEIL MICROPHONES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8cpa@arrl.net
Message-ID: <38f52e66.2422415@netnews.att.net>
Source record: 114351
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On Fri, 07 Apr 2000 08:56:35 -0400, Joe & Bonita Sanada
wrote:

>Hi I have a Yaesu FT-990 rig and have an MD-1 Mic. I want to purchase
>another Mic. for my rig
>
>how is the quality of the HEIL Mic Line and also what do you suggest I
>purchase other then HEIL
>
>Thanks 73 Joe W1JAS.. Terryville Ct.
>

I'll take his question in another direction, How does HEIL mic work
with a Kenwood TS-950SDX?

I was thinking of adding one to my station, when I get it set up.

(I'm still in disbelief, that I'm getting a TS-950SDX for $1500.00)

Chuck K8CPA
Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
E-mail:MailTo:k8cpa@qsl.net or
MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com or
MailTo:k8cpa@arrl.net
ICQ: 17045539
Firetalk:237969
AOL IM: RadioMan29
Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
(Download at http://www.firetalk.com)

1122. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f53262.5032045@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 19:04:05 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>the issue then comes down to what is pofanity in any given
>>instance. That's not an easy line to draw.
>
>The line for profanity on the ham bands should be easy to draw...

I agree completely.

My comments shouldn't be viewed as condoning
the use of profanity on the air or in many
other places. I was simply comenting on
the law as written in Texas which someone
posted.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1123. Re: Looking for my page from callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com>
Message-ID: <38F53A09.A2E38222@sysadminus.com>
Source record: 114353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Actually, I am trying to prove that I passed the technical test needed for my General License. I passed the test in 1985 and should not need to take it again.

Liberty_nits wrote:

> Why don't you lazy bums just re-take the 5wpm(very slow code) test
> again. What's the big deal?
>
> Dan K Nelson wrote:
> >
> > Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com> wrote in message
> > news:38F3346C.A09F5400@sysadminus.com...
> > > Will pay someone to send me a page from a 1987 call book or earlier that
> > > shows my Technician License.
> > >
> > > Bob T -KA2RUU
> > >
> > >
> >
> > If you need it for proof of passing the code element, you can send a letter
> > to the FCC records clerk with the details of your call, year of issue,
> > address at the time, etc. It takes a little time, (for me it took about 3
> > weeks for them to respond) but they will respond with a confirmation letter
> > of your license class held at that time.
> >
> > 73 de W6DKN

1124. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <38f64944.14048639@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 05:44:58 GMT, vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vincent Fiscus,
KB7ADL) wrote:

>
>I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>
>KB7ADL
>
>
>

Crybaby!!!!!

73 de Rick KC2ESD

1125. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <%QbJ4.46763$W5.448797@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114355

So let me understand...
New Ham's will never be accepted?
Is there some place I can go to test 20wpm and a harder test?
If I could do 50 wpm and be able to pass any exam ever given in the last 50 years, would I be accepted by you all?
Will you be able to tell me apart from any one that takes the easy one? (still just a newbie in your eyes)

This change was not made by a new operator, but it seems that we will take all the flak.
I would think that this would be the time to take us in, under your wing, and teach us.
But instead it seems like an elementary class here, WE HAD THINGS HARDER SO WE DESERVE MORE!

So to me it looks like you all are going to take it out on all the new operators because they didn't walk 20 miles uphill to and from school at -40 with bare feet!

I wonder if the exams had got harder what most of you would be saying... Would you be able to pass the harder exams, heck can you pass them now?

Just My Opinion
--
EDDY

Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote in message news:8d24cd$d7a$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com...
| Look, even if the FCC and ARRL won't grant a concession to people who passed
| the harder Extra Exam, we can do it ourselves. Once something gets into the
| common lexicon, it doesn't matter if it is official or not, we make is so.
| For example, UNC officials have done everything possible to try and have
| people call their arena by it's official name, "The Smith Center", but
| everyone calls it the "Dean Dome".
|
| Rather than slight new Extras who still have passed a written test and 5wpm
| and deserve some credit by calling them Extra Lites or worse, let's

use the
| positive and call old Extras, "Extra Plus's". What do you think?
We had
| Tech Pluses, so why not? Let's all just standardize it, talk it up
| everywhere.
|
| Fred
| N4IXL
| Extra Plus
|
|
|

1126. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000413003449.22753.00000183@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 114356

>Nope, it's not Steve Tunder, either. Tim knows to whom I refer. :-)

Nope, Steve's ok, even though him and JBO seem to have some animosity

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1127. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ross Archer <dogbert@mindless.com>
Message-ID: <38F55086.962E6566@mindless.com>
Source record: 114357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Adapt or die to change. Time has largely passed the code by,
except in specialty areas like QRP, EME, and weak-signal DX.
Vince would rather pass blame and have his hobby "die"
than adapt and continue. So be it; it's his choice.

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--* * *- -**

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-- ** ***- *
-- --- *-* *** *

-- The Who paraphrased.

w7wjm@arrl.nospam.net wrote:

> Good! Hopefully this will be the end of this thread!
>
> In a previous article, <vlfiscus@mcn.net> writes:
> >
> >I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
> >
> >KB7ADL
> >
> >
> >In article <h5FI4.6786$q67.194621@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Mike
> >Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
> >>Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
> >>
> >>It's only 4 days now and counting...
> >>
> >>Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
> >>VE badge?
> >>
> >>Mike
>
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1128. AF2Y: Vocal Polish Bigot?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anon <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200004130605.CAA16461@cotse.com>
Source record: 114358

Now wait One moment stop the presses let me get this right Doc AF2Y the one and only Official (as per FCC) Jammer and Noted "Wide" Splash Master of 14.313 is actually pointing fingers and producing his gibberish against others

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This has to be the best comedy output from that Clifton
Idiot for at least a week.
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Imagine (And yes gang this only can happen in America) the Clifton Putz AKA Doc the Pot is Calling the George the Kettle BLACK....

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ROTFL so hard that it is starting to hurt.
I guess it must burn him that he is not abel to speak
Polish,, and his French is no better
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(PS. Doc was arrested in Paris for asking a women standing on the corner for the Time)

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I wonder if George paid Doc the $200 for that crummy amp,
I sure hope that it was a check.
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I guess the Clifton IDIOT has finally come out of the Closet and now it is clear for all to see that he actually is a true Putz and a most of all a BIGOT.

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Thank God that we do live in a democracy, like the USA, can
you imagine living in a country that is run by the likes of
the Clifton Idiot AF2Y and his brethren.
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Charlie you are a true example of a individual who suffers from Hoof and Mouth Syndrome, it is NO wonder why you alone have become the poster boy for the Idiocy Telethon.

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>A group of nice guys and good ops decided to vacate .313
due to Polly,TR and MXL stink and lo and behold what
happened?
They're now getting jammed by N9VTB and in Polish yet.
I heard the whole brouhaha this afternoon and when Riley
gets those valid complaints, he ought to ship George,
N9VTB, back to Warsaw.
The fellows on 14.275 were minding their business when in
came splishki splashski
I was taking a bathski from Chicago, smashingski .275 to
pieces. All his knobs turned to the right, buckshotting 7
kHz both sides of fundamental, intentionally planting
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himself right alongside Rube, Dan and Tom in an effort to disrupt and HE DID. First off(the boat), George's main fault besides an attitude is his choice of language on ham radio. Polish? It's awful. No vowels. Just harsh spittering, splattering sputtering consonants designed to wash the other guy's puss and I feel sorry for the microphone too. Maybe that's one reason why Archie Bunker used to rib those people? And when he was approached by the fine gentlemen on .275 who daily are the victims of spitbaths, George came back with a "Give me liberty or give me death" speech taken from whom he considers to be the great Polish American statesman Patrick Igor Henski. Imagine, he told real patriots how to be good Americans. The guy's a greenhorn unwilling to talk OUR language on American ham radio and he's telling veterans about rights. Pirogihead from Chicago needs to learn some protocol before he tries to exert his foreign influence on us and secondly he openly admitted that his splatteringski was PAYBACK despite the previous peace overtures by K4RUB. I'm disgusted. You take a guy like George, mix him with the chowderheads about to become welfare Extras who'll swarm like locusts over every band and I'm set to quit ham radio. I'm ready to get rid of all my equipment and my price is fixed. I will pay no more than $200 to have it taken out of here. AF2Y>

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Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

1129. W4FQF = American Hero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000413020531.23942.00002767@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114359

Subject says it all!

N0VFP since 1993

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1130. Burt Fisher = American Ham Radio Hero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000413020916.23949.00002761@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114360

Line says it all!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1131. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38F5817F.83D7EB77@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

perfidious wrote:
>
> Geez! Dwight, What did you ever do to these people to make them hate you
> so much?
> Did you sell porn pics of their daughters on the web?
> Did you slash and burn the rain forest?
> Did you:
> Vote for Clinton?
> Steal their food?
> ....transmit ....uh out of band?.....whooo

Well, actually, I probably did all those things at one time or another
(except vote for Clinton - one has to have some limits).

> Both my rigs go out of band....miles out.
> HF VHF UHF
> Theirs do too, (if they know how to do it) ((they'll say " NEVER'))
> We're too good for that.. yea right!
> CB'ers at least do not have their noses in the air, and L regularly talk
> on the 11 meter band with my ICOM..... so sue me.

Oh, that's it. Now you've done it. Prepare to be disgraced, flogged,
and shot, at dawn. We can't have any of that radical nonsense in this
newsgroup. This newsgroup is for intellegent, rightious, people to
discuss the seriously important issues facing the ham radio community.

No, honestly people, I don't use my radio in the CB band. As I have
already said, I have an old cobra radio for that. My ham radio has the
MARS/CAP modification to allow it to be used on the VHF marine band in
connection with my activities with the USCGA, but that is as far as it
goes when it comes to out-of-bands activity.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

1132. FT90R ..extended TX? how to? programming software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MS@home" <mirek@MailAndNews.com>
Message-ID: <3900459A@MailAndNews.com>
Source record: 114362

My rig is supposed to be enabled for extended RX + TX on the marine band. (purchased in Singapore) I cannot figure it out how to tune it outside 2m/70cm.

Is there any memory programming software available for FT90R? Do I need any special interface?

73 de Mirek

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1133. Re: AF2Y: Vocal Polish Bigot?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d48vt$fc0$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114363

Hold on there. You call me a Polish bigot? My father came here in 1920 from
Rzeszow in southeast Poland but of course won't admit it and I hope
cockroaches polka in your bed!

In article <200004130605.CAA16461@cotse.com>, "Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com>
wrote:

>
> Now wait One momentï¿½ stop the presses let me get this
> right Doc AF2Y the one and only ï¿½Official ï¿½ (as per FCC)
> Jammer and Noted "Wide" Splash Master of 14.313 is
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> ROTFL so hard that it is starting to hurt.
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> Polish,, and his French is no better
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> (PS. Doc was arrested in Paris for asking a women standing
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> actually is a true Putz and a most of all a BIGOT.
>
> Thank God that we do live in a democracy, like the USA, can
> you imagine living in a country that is run by the likes of
> the Clifton Idiot AF2Y and his brethren.
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> Charlie you are a true example of a individual who suffers
> from ï¿½Hoof and Mouth Syndromeï¿½, it is NO wonder why you
> alone have become the poster boy for the Idiocy Telethon.
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>>A group of nice guys and good ops decided to vacate .313
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> happened?
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> pieces. All his knobs turned to the right, buckshotting 7
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> himself right alongside Rube, Dan and Tom in an effort to
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> http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
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1134. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d497r$qa5$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114364

I prefer being a funnymentalist than a fundamentalist.

In article <0ca3e8e4.e6298e0e@usw-ex0104-087.remarq.com>, wufu
<wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:

> "I don't
> particularly like fundamentalists and especially those who make
> ham radio their private pulpits"
>
> AND.....you don't consider yourself as preaching?? It is nice
> not to look into the mirror.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

1135. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d49ae$i04$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114365

Amen brother but didn't a guy just meet with the wrath of the FCC for repeating it constantly?

In article <20000412220546.15274.00001270@ng-cn1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> I don't think Brother John would qualify as a fundamentalist. He'd have to
> condemn Southern Baptists and Catholics to qualify for that one.
>
> And ham radio is not a private pulpit. The only pulpit more public is wherever
> "Prophet" Stair is broadcasting at a given moment.
>
> And a word of thanks to Radiosigs for his compassionate tone towards Brother
> John. I think Radiosigs understands that Brother John's message keeps the
> "nasties" squirming. So even if one does not agree with Brother John, we still
> have to love him for the enemies he makes.
>
> Keep up the good work, Brother John. Light in the darkness. Just what we
> need.
>
> Flame-throwers?

1136. Re: W4FQF = American Zero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4bfk$3vc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114366

In article <20000413020531.23942.00002767@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Subject says it all!
>
> N0VFP since 1993

Now it certainly does!

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1137. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4bm1$47g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114367

In article <20000412222204.15274.00001274@ng-cn1.aol.com>,
kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
> I heard N8WGM mention that situation in his comments to The Great
Liberty Net
> this past week.
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> I don't know the background, but Steve used some admirable discretion
in
> describing the situation to his friends on the net. He never once
mentioned
> any names or call-signs. Steve gets an A+ for his use of diplomacy
in a
> difficult situation.

I think so too, if what you said is true. I didn't hear him, so I'll take your word for it. The only reason I mentioned him on here is because a few idiots posted that I was the only one to get a letter. I wouldn't mind making peace with Tunder, but I am uncertain about his thoughts on the matter. I refer you back to his September of 1999 posts, and you'll get some history.

> I don't know JBO, but I can tell that he and Tim and I have a common
enemy.
> Nope, it's not Steve Tunder, either. Tim knows to whom I refer. :-)
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> LW
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Hmmm......
lol!
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EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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1138. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Time--2--Go@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24036-38F5A6AC-6@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114368

My question is, if Hollingsworth has such a burr up his ass about "airing personal conflicts"...WHY in the hell does he let David Castle air HIS personal conflicts about 3.950 participants....night...after night...after night...after night...after night...

Isaac

1139. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4bpk$4gd$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114369

In article <20000413003449.22753.00000183@ng-ct1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> >Nope, it's not Steve Tunder, either. Tim knows to whom I refer. :-)
>
> Nope, Steve's ok, even though him and JBO seem to have some animosity
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

Since you were on the ng in Sept. 1999, Tim, you KNOW what the
animosity is about.
Hey, I happened to listen up on your freq the other night, and you were
putting in a good signal at my QTH.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1140. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4brq$4gm$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114370

In article <8d497r$qa5$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I prefer being a funnymentalist than a fundamentalist.

Nyuck, nyuck, nyuck.....lol!

> ----------
> In article <0ca3e8e4.e6298e0e@usw-ex0104-087.remarq.com>, wufu
> <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:
>
> > "I don't
> > particularly like fundamentalists and especially those who make
> > ham radio their private pulpits"
> >
> > AND.....you don't consider yourself as preaching?? It is nice
> > not to look into the mirror.
> >
> > * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> > The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
> >
>

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1141. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4bu3$4h1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114371

In article <24036-38F5A6AC-6@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Time--2--Go@webtv.net (Isaac Shift) wrote:
> My question is, if Hollingsworth has such a burr up his ass about
> "airing personal conflicts"...WHY in the hell does he let David Castle
> air HIS personal conflicts about 3.950 participants....night...after
> night...after night...after night...after night...
>
> Isaac

Selective enforcement?
But, I think Castle has been popped several times has he not?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1142. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4c8f$4r7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114372

In article <8d4bu3$4h1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <24036-38F5A6AC-6@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> Time--2--Go@webtv.net (Isaac Shift) wrote:
> > My question is, if Hollingsworth has such a burr up his ass about
> > "airing personal conflicts"...WHY in the hell does he let David
Castle
> > air HIS personal conflicts about 3.950 participants....night...after
> > night...after night...after night...after night...
> >
> > Isaac
>
> Selective enforcement?
> But, I think Castle has been popped several times has he not?

Interesting note:
NOTE: Issuance by the FCC of a Warning Notice indicates that the FCC
has what it believes to be reliable evidence of possible rules
infractions and not necessarily that the recipient has violated FCC
rules.

So Barflies/rumphumpres put that in your pipe.

> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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1143. Re: New guy with questions: ATTN W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F57742.583186CE@oio.net>
Source record: 114373

You are all absolutely correct, I should have said the
'Tech Plus' would give you limited privileges on 10 meters.
Now, for a few replies to the comments.
Yes, I am sure I am an 'Extra'. Passed the test, and
bought the callsign. If your not happy with that, I suggest
you 'handle it'.
No, I did not 'have' to be referring to a 'no code Tech.',
I was referring to a non licensed person who was asking about
the 'tech' license class. Good answer, but wrong premise.
Next.....
'Doc

1144. Icom 706 Tuner Simulator updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <rfsystem@texas.net>
Message-ID: <I%iJ4.797$oL4.17855@news2.nokia.com>
Source record: 114374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Here are our updated circuits for building a tuner simulator to gain control of the tune function on the Icom 706. Sure comes in handy for use on a manual tuner or other non-Icom tuners. Enjoy all!

Greg/N5SKE

http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Tuner%20Simulator_new.jpg

http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-1.jpg

http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-2.jpg

http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-3.jpg

1145. Re: W4FQF = American PARROT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F5DE03.C0F314E8@ahole.com>
Source record: 114375

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Brother Lloyd wrote:
>
> Subject says it all!
>
> N0VFP since 1993
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
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1146. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F5DC59.A8EDF176@ahole.com>
Source record: 114376

Not quite Jeffrey. The new breed will use 20 meters for cross town
comms. V/UHF are going going gone.......

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> That's nuts. V/UHF will still be used by *everyone* for short-range
> comms, just as that region has been used for that purpose for the
> past 40+ years. I can't envision a 160m HT. (Besides, anyone with
> the login name you've chosen has no credibility at all.)
>
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >The reason for dumbing down ham radio was to CLEAR THE VHF AND UHF
> >BANDS so that the FCC could sell off that spectrum. You guys just
> >don't get it. With all the hams getting on HF and leaving the bands
> >above 50mhz they will be ripe for a takeover.
> >
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >>
> >> radiosigs@mindspring.com <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >> >In article <8cqphetet1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
> >>
> >> >> And yes there will be a war if HF becomes so crowded that no-one can
> >> >> talk. It will be like CB. The bigger and better amplifier and antenna
> >> >> will win. The regular operator wont have a chance.
> >>
> >> >You bet. Because of the ease of influx of VH and UHFers into HF coupled to
> >> >lack of bandspace expansion, we will see mayhem and talk about INTERFERENCE
> >> >complaints? Riley will need a battalion of secretaries. I say it's going to
> >> >be impossible to conduct a regular QSO without being wiped out by adjacent
> >> >signals and splatter that will be unbelievable. The fun will begin in four
> >> >days and by the Fall of this year, MAYHEM IN FULL SWING.
> >>
> >> Then we can submit a petition to reinstate the "high speed" code exams
> >> again.
> >>
> >> Jeff

1147. Re: Yaesu FT-847 AM Modulation Adjustment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F5DBD4.89B37210@ahole.com>
Source record: 114377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

perfidious wrote:
>
> In article <f6wH4.3387$zi.73335@nntp1.onemain.com>, "John P. Franklin"
> <jpfrankl@teleport.com> wrote:
>
> > > Gee, you would think a person posting to a radio newsgroup would
>cut cut cut
> > Pat said (typed) that.
>
> Geez! Dwight, What did you ever do to these people to make them hate you
> so much?
> Did you sell porn pics of their daughters on the web?
> Did you slash and burn the rain forest?
> Did you:
> Vote for Clinton?
> Steal their food?
> ....transmit ....uh out of band?.....whooo
>
> Both my rigs go out of band....miles out.
> HF VHF UHF
> Theirs do too, (if they know how to do it) ((they'll say " NEVER'))
> We're too good for that.. yea right!
> CB'ers at least do not have their noses in the air, and L regularly > talk

The reason for that is their head is too far up their ass to get
that nose in the air...

> on the 11 meter band with my ICOM..... so sue me.
> >
> >
No one is going to sue you for operating your ICOM on 11 meters.
What you might get is a visit from the FCC and LOOSE that ICOM..

1148. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <2121d@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <8LjJ4.59410$QJ3.7110838@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114378
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

The point is, is that we are not hearing about ANY new
equipment. The market is dead!!

Is there anything, handheld, that will replace these
two units? Anything at all in the pipeline??

: I am about ready to buy a trunking scanner, such as the BC-245,
: and a new handheld radio, such as the Yaesu VX-5R. What is
: holding me back is that the new equipment is usually announced
: at Dayton. But this year there has been little talk of any new equipment.
:
: Am I safe to go ahead and buy these two radios??
:
: --
: ********************************
: In two days, tomorrow will
: be yesterday!
: ********************************
:
:
:

1149. Re: AF2Y: did he say WHINING EXTRAS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4j0fcco1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114379

In article <38F5DC59.A8EDF176@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Not quite Jeffrey. The new breed will use 20 meters for cross town
> comms.

Like W4FQF and W4LLI did. And they say they've been hams for years and years, of course like Dan W4NTI says, "You can't fix stupid."

> V/UHF are going going gone.......
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >
> > That's nuts. V/UHF will still be used by *everyone* for short-range
> > comms, just as that region has been used for that purpose for the
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> > >> again.
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> > >> Jeff
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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1150. Re: Dayton caters to 5 wpm Extra with Smothers Bros

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4jbj$d04$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <2GnH4.4924$y4.131019@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Dayton 2k Beachball Belly" <break19@arrl.org> wrote:
>
> <hermit_thrush@my-deja.com> wrote in message
> news:8cirsl$j7j$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> >
> >
> > Dayton Hamvention® has announced that the
> > Smothers Brothers comedy team will headline
> > the post-banquet entertainment this year. This
> > year's Hamvention also will host the ARRL National Convention.
>
> OH BOY!!!!! a real doubleheader! Tell me will most of the
> banquet attendees fall asleep halfway thru the proceedings?
> I understand that The amount of "sleepy-heads" at the banquet
> even puts Senator Strom Thurmond's performances in Coingress to
> shame.....

Yeah, really, Their routine is as follows:

Dick says some smartass comment while he and Tommy strums their
guitar/banjos. Tom retorts with "Mom liked you best!"
ZZZZZZZZZZ!!!!!!

> > Why don't they just have some new Extras get up
> > and explain the workings of F layer propagation
> > or the difference between IF and AF DSP ?
>
> Don't Kenwood already include that inside of
> the box with your new HF radio? (In poorly translated
> "Jap-English" of course. Complete with those cute pictures
> that look loke something out of Pokemon)
>
> > More recently, Dick Smothers has gained a
> > reputation as a vintner in California.
> > Excellent. He can bring some with him and hand
> > it out to the new Extras since they'll all be
> > longing to hold an Eyeball Belch Contest with Riley
> > as judge and jury (a roll he relishes) a la 75 meters after dinner.
>
> I can't top that astute comment of observation! Have a Beer
> and a Big Mac on me dude!!
>
> xoxoxo

>
>

ROFLMAO!
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1151. n0vfp = Newsgroup Troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d4lnjffb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114381

Just stating the obvious.

LRod

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1152. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Gormley <WA8VEC@ARRL.net>
Message-ID: <38F5E5A0.4379287F@ARRL.net>
Source record: 114382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
> -- --- *-* *** *
> -*-* --- --* *
> ** ***
> --* * *- -**
>
> --*- --- -* --*
> *-*- ** ***- *
> -- --- *-* *** *
>
> -- The Who paraphrased.

Looks like "swamp land" on my GPS! (and make about as much sense)

--
Mike (who likes code) Gormley

"Full Time RV'ers currently located in: Kissimmee, FL"

mailto:WA8VEC@ARRL.net

Web page linking to Genealogy, RV'ing & Square Dancing:

http://home.earthlink.net/~deltadd/

1153. HAM SITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: F6KEH <f6keh@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <8d4olkefn3@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 114383

http://members.xoom.com/_XMCM/softelecom/index_r.htm

1154. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d889qgcj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114134

In article <8d7qeeef1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> Who was "jumping for joy" Dan?
>
> If you were "REAL" man you would name the names instead of vague
> references to "two bit hypocrits on this forum". Show you are a man
Dan.
>
> W4FQF since 1952
>
Sorry, didn't work. I'm not going to break the truce. And BTW if you
really were W4FQF you wouldn't need to ask.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1155. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d88cs$gd7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <sfeq1ogqivv20@corp.supernews.com>,
"Mark Flanagan" <markf@cshore.com> wrote:
> As I understand it the discount is equal to the amount paid for a VE
> session. This is most likely because of the fact that most upgrading hams
> paid that fee once in the past couple of months and will paying it again for
> paperwork submission only after April 15th. Thus it is really a rebate from
> the ARRL. Besides, what is so wrong with welcoming in and rewarding new or
> upgrading hams? It is this attitude that has probably driven away more new
> or possible hams than any cw test ever did.

Attitude means nothing in the real world. If you wanted to step inside ham world, you'd do it anyway. Nothing is wrong with rewarding someone who "WORKS" for it (not that a published Q and A constitutes work- you'll have to trust I didn't memorize 5 elements like a loser does). [insert sour grapes/ why do we have to because you did crybaby CRAP here]

In order to avoid having people be screwed without knowledge of what they're getting into, I took the opportunity more than once to pull out the ham catalog and let the visitor laugh their formerly interested ass off at the pricetag on anything other than a 2 meter CB.

Then, to solve that problem, I put on the 2 meter CB (or packet when I had it), and let them listen to the buzzards spin around and around, chasing their beaks in an infinite spiral that makes the Greeks' Oros look comprehensible.

So you see, the problem with ham radio is the "Three P's"

1. The Prices
2. The People on air
3. The People who then point out the above (otherwise known as telling the truth, as others did toward me, when I was first licensed)

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1156. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d88fhgdm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114136

In article <8d7n5cskf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000414124221.24876.00000190@ng-ch1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.com (Bother Lloyd) wrote:
>
> > Bidding is at $500.00 Here's a chance to get a 706 really cheap!
> >
> > comes w/ box - power cord and copy of manual
> >
>
> This reminds me of the ad for WWII Italian Army rifles:
>
> Never fired, only dropped once.
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
Or the one for the Italian battle tank of WW2 fame. 27 gears in it.
Powerfull and fast. 1 forward, and 26 reverse.

Dan/W4NTI
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1157. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F79EC1.8B49AA5@icss.net>
Source record: 114137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:

> > Thanks Bill,
> I knew I would get all the negative posts and the insults but it's nice
> to know some of us still have sense. I'm not going to reduce myself to
> their level and engage in a battle of insults but the only whining I
> hear is coming from their camp. I'm going to use my time constructively
> and put up some new antennas and get my computer ready for some digital
> modes. Let em piss and moan, I'm going to enjoy my hobby!!
> Michael

That's right! Go for it. It's not the license, it's what you do with it...

73, Brian/N0iMD

1158. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d88i2gfq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114138

In article <20000414124221.24876.00000190@ng-ch1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Bidding is at $500.00 Here's a chance to get a 706 really cheap!
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=301822093
>
> comes w/ box - power cord and copy of manual
>
> YOU NEED THIS RADIO!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
I bid 200....I'll pick it up....then we can go from there Lllllloser!!!

Dan/W4NTI

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1159. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F79FF2.685B4C6E@icss.net>
Source record: 114139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
> >The exams of today certainly cover a LOT more scope
>
> Translation: the exams contain a lot more memorization.
>
> >The exams of today are certainly a lot more work, as evidenced by
> >the sheer volume of the questions
>
> Translation: more questions and answers means more memorization work.
>
> >[How can] some people...say
> >with a straight face that the "new" exams are too easy.
>
> Ed, can you look at me with a straight face and say that everyone passing
> the Extra Class exam really knows the material he was tested for? Can you
> even say that you can't pass the test by memorization alone...
> (Please don't fall back on how it was in 1963. Let's discuss how it really
> is today.)

Aaaron (I guess), can you look at me with a straight face and say that the material is easier than it was in 1963?

1160. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d88kkggb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114140

In article <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> >This reminds me of the ad for WWII Italian Army rifles:
> >
> >Never fired, only dropped once.
> >
> >LRod
> >
>
> Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once.
What in the
> hell have i ever done to piss you off?
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Just breathing the same air is suffecient.

Dan/W4NTI

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1161. Re: >>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d88oo$go6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114141

In article <38F77AC6.F2BC3104@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Hey Butt head. Try putting FA in the subject line. Don't give a
> shit if you get $1.00 for it, just as long as you don't use it on
> HF....
>
> Brother Lloyd wrote:
> >
> > Bidding is at $500.00 Here's a chance to get a 706 really cheap!
> >
> > http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=301822093
> >
> > comes w/ box - power cord and copy of manual
> >
> > YOU NEED THIS RADIO!
> >
> > LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> > http://www.3950.net/
> > http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> > http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> > http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
NO WAY !!!...I wish he would actually get on HF, I'd love to run him
around the mulberry bush a bit. Hardy HAr HAr !!!

Dan/W4NTI

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1162. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d88ptgpo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <#YYkAzcp$GA.226@cpmsnbbsa03>,
"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
> Mark Morgan wrote
> > 2) where was it written that this was a family oriented hobby?
>
> It's just common sense to most decent people that when you are in the
> company of strangers of all ages profanity and decency should prevail. You
> should act as if you were in the presence of a family when on the air,
> because you might be. Do you remember the old Heathkit catalogs with the
> cover showing a family operating the station?
>
> But of course it's probably not written anywhere. Do we have to codify
> decency? Here is a better question: where is it written that hams should be
> cordial to each other when on the air? Yet most hams are, no written
> regulations required...

Oh yeah ?

Try to get some buzzard on 75 to remove the bolt through his tuning knob
by taking the frequency he's been on since Hirohito was welcomed aboard
the Missouri and see how cordial he is.

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1163. For you "non believers" Check this from the FCC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d8960$h4n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114143

F.C.C. to Promote a Trading System to Sell Airwaves

By STEPHEN LABATON

WASHINGTON -- As the airwaves grow ever more congested with modern wireless communications, the federal government is developing plans to open up the spectrum by, in effect, treating its frequencies as commodities to be bought and sold as routinely as pork bellies or soybeans in the open market.

Officials at the Federal Communications Commission say they are preparing rules that would create a trading system in which telecommunications companies of all kinds, from old-fashioned radio stations and telephone companies to purveyors of wireless Internet services, could bid for underused slivers of the spectrum that are already under the control of other companies.

It would be a radical overhaul of the rules governing one of the most valuable, if intangible, forms of property in the new economy: the rights to transmit electronic signals at specific radio frequencies that constitute the spectrum. It would also have profound implications, not only for the telecommunications industries, but for consumers as well.

Under the current system, the federal government licenses each user and regulates what frequencies and signal power can be used. Most times these rights have been sold to the industry, although the oldest license holders got them for free. But they have never been bought and sold in a secondary market like so many bushels of grain.

With the proliferation of cell phones, pagers, satellite services and other wireless devices, the communications agency's top officials have warned that demand is so outstripping supply that it may lead to what they call a spectrum drought, making the scarce spectrum even more valuable to haves and have-nots alike.

Right now, for instance, the agency reports that the volume of traffic on the Internet is doubling every 100 days, a stunning increase considering that telephone traffic has traditionally risen about 5 percent a year. As consumers increasingly reach the Internet through wireless connections, like cell phones and handheld computers, experts fear the heavy use of the airwaves will begin to create bottlenecks and interference that could greatly frustrate the further development of the technology.

"What a tragedy it would be if, right as we're on the verge of the Internet migrating to inexpensive handheld devices and offering real hopes of truly democratizing the technology, the movement would be stymied by overloading the spectrum," William E. Kennard, the chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, said in an interview on Friday.

Kennard, who has been pushing the agency to consider what rules need to be changed to help deregulate the spectrum to foster a new market, said the FCC was just beginning to enable the licensees who own the rights to a given slice of the spectrum to make money from any surplus they have, like parts of the airwaves they may not be using 24 hours each day.

The plan began to take effect last week and will take many months to complete. In a little noticed announcement last Thursday, the FCC released rules for an auction this spring of a slice of the spectrum used by public safety organizations, including police departments and hospitals, as well as railroads.

Described by Kennard as "putting our toe in the water," the rules will reserve some of the frequencies to be auctioned to "guard band managers." They would be able to lease and trade the frequencies they win at the auction to commercial companies or private wireless users, setting up a system that opens the door to brokers who could help match buyers with sellers.

Another auction this year for even more valuable frequencies, those being vacated by broadcasters as they convert to digital television, is also being prepared in a way intended to encourage new spot markets. These frequencies, considered beachfront property by the industry, can be used for a wide variety of technologies beyond television, including cell phone

and Internet communications.

If the idea works, the trading of spectrum futures could benefit the telecommunications companies
that own licenses and other companies that cannot function without obtaining access to the
airwaves. And consumers, in theory, would benefit from more capable communications devices and
cheaper bills.

Just as the trade in physical commodities allows farmers to hedge against abrupt swings in price
and enables consumers to count on steady supplies, economists and communications experts say a new
approach that treated scarce frequencies as a commodity would allow new and older technologies to
continue to flourish.

In theory, officials and economists say, the secondary market would be beneficial to consumers in
several ways. Economically, it would create a more efficient and predictable way of matching supply
and demand, and therefore would result in lower costs for using any equipment that makes use of the
spectrum, like cell phones and pagers.

Technologically, it offers the hope of better reception for consumers who have begun to encounter
greater interference as the spectrum has become overloaded.

"There is a severe spectrum shortage," said Peter Cramton, an economics professor at the University
of Maryland who as chairman of the Spectrum Exchange Group, a Washington company, is involved in a
private effort to auction parts of the UHF television spectrum in conjunction with the broadcast
auction.

"Consumers want better services," Cramton said. "They want high-speed data. They want a connection
every time they place a call on their cell phones, not three-quarters of the time. The needs for
users right now are great."

Officials at the Federal Communications Commission described a variety of ways a commodity market
in the spectrum would work.

-- News organizations covering political conventions or the Olympics would be able to buy contracts
to use a piece of the spectrum during the event to give them extra capacity to beam pictures, sound
and data back to their headquarters.

-- A large metropolitan airport congesting the local airwaves around it with everything from air
traffic transmissions to car rentals and cell phone users would be able to reserve space from other
spectrum users who are not fully using their space during peak hours.

-- Nationwide cell telephone companies would be able to buy and sell pieces of the spectrum in
different regions of the country depending on the available supply and the demands of their
customers.

Kennard and executives of some companies that are involved in creating markets for fiber-optic
cable use said they envisioned a secondary market that could be set up by brokers on the Internet,
much the way a secondary market exists for reserving the excess capacity of fiber-optic cable. They
said the market would exist on a Web site listing what is available from licensees to trade to
other companies who would want to buy or lease space, an eBay for telecommunications companies.

Companies like Arbinet Communications, Enron and The Williams Cos. now act as brokers to
essentially buy and then sell unused telephone time on fiber-optic cables.

At a telecommunications conference sponsored by Credit Suisse First Boston in New York last week,
executives from some of the companies now involved in trading unused telephone time said that the
FCC's proposal held great promise, but that it would take time to develop.

"The beauty of wireless is that the current system for trading it is so inefficient," said Eric L.
Rabb, managing director of AIG Telecom, a unit of the American International Group that acts as a
broker for access to time on fiber-optic cable. "What we apply now to the wired world we can apply
to the wireless."

Officials at the FCC say they are planning a forum this spring on ideas and rules changes for
encouraging spot markets for the spectrum.

"Just through our licensing records we already have the most comprehensive list of potential
sellers," Kennard said. But even as it seeks comment on changing the rules, he said, the agency is
beginning to take steps beyond just the way it structures spectrum auctions to encourage the new

marketplace.

This week, for instance, the agency plans to begin writing rules for a new technology that could
have a profound effect on a secondary market. The technology is known as digitally defined radio,
and it would allow new kinds of radios and cell phones with special software to seek out different
and broader frequencies than current radios and phones.

The military has expressed interest in digitally defined radio because it would enable radios to
avoid being jammed by an enemy by searching for a clean signal. But other companies are also
developing products that rely on the technology.

By making broader use of the spectrum, digitally defined radio would also encourage
telecommunications companies who are not using all of their licensed frequencies to their full
capacity to lease their underused portions in a secondary market.

.Federal Communications Commission

.FCC Announcement on Spectrum Auction

.Spectrum Exchange Group

.Arbinet Communications

.Enron

.The Williams Cos.

.AIG Telecom

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Dan/W4NTI

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1164. God and Fiber, save Ham Radio's Arteries !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d897s$h56$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114144

I think we can safely assume that there will be no need for the major airlines flying in and out of Dayton or the fully booked motels to prepare the Vegetarian Entree.

Rumor has it that lard shipments to Ohio have depleted the quantity on hand to feed pigs in other states...

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1165. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <hv9ffsor0llbs667sh2b7m2218f9pcohgu@4ax.com>
Source record: 114145

On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 18:08:55 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>
>
>Just wondering where are all the apolgies due Dean Brown, AC5IU?
>Remember, this is the guy that was "supposidly" nailed by the FCC for
>jamming, and not using his call. And all you two bit hypocrits on here
>that were jumping for joy. Show you are a man. You remember how dont
>you?
>
How about all the stuff he did that he didn't get caught for? You just
worry about 3.901 and your merry band of crybabies and don't worry
about AC5IU.

1166. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.4.10.10004141918210.25318-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 114146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

I am ready to give the hobby a bad name in a hot minute. They just gave
all the bands away, and i am verry mad about it.

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000, K5DRB wrote:

> Date: Wed, 12 Apr 2000 23:22:28 -0500
> From: K5DRB <k5drb@cei.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner, rec.radio.amateur.misc,
> rec.radio.amateur.policy, rec.radio.amateur.space,
> rec.radio.shortwave
> Subject: Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.
>
> I tell you this Vincent is a disgrace to the Amateur Radio hobby. Why don't
> you do us all a favor and give up your callsign as well. Then you can go
> back to the 11 meter group. Real Amateur radio operators don't want dumb
> butts like you giving our hobby a bad name.
>
>
> Donald
>
> K5DRB (AND PROUD OF IT !!!!!)
> Keith Wood wrote in message <38F4CC5E.E515678@bctv.com>...
> >
> >
> >"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
> >>
> >> I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
> >>
> >> KB7ADL
> >
> >Cool! Thank you!
> >
> >Usually when people have tantrums they don't fulfill their promises.
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1167. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f7add5.6211500@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 18:00:57 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep
>sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL
>is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to
>not renew their subscription... er, "membership":
>
>NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
> of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
> equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
> second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
> issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
> weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
> Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
> the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
> Majerus.
>
> Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
> Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
> ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
> ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
> NQ1R.
>
> Leading the discussions were Gordon West,
> WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
> Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.
>
> Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
> better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
> "As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
> said.
>
>Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life
>support.
>
>The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion,
>not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to
>sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the
>advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit
>indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.
>
>Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you
>>>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...

Go read the anti-trust act and then tell us about
the illegalities (i.e. lack of any that is).

ROTFLMAO

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1168. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <wgOJ4.61$QX1.6017@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 114148

"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote in message
news:38f6580e.69025559@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 19:27:27 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>
> You are not the first to be threatened with some kind of harm for
> posting here. Alas you will not be the last

Hams have no balls.
Not to worry.
No ham will ever harm you.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@broadcast.net
http://www.geocities.com/k1oik
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

1169. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <8d8ds9$b3r@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 114149
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Life will go on.

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1170. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

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Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <8d8e90$b29@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 114150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You are right, that is exactly the point. Being a ham myself for 30 years, that is my feelings. Why fight something I wish they had done 30 years ago. The good ole boys at the frat house(ARRL) did a fine job of keeping out many by using the code to weed out the underlings. Some of us think ham radio ranks right up there with world hunger or a cure for cancer. The better informed of us do know this is not true. I will continue to enjoy my hobby of radio and use morse code and phone and it will be better than before.

Butch WA8X

Sylvan Butler wrote in message <8d8c7kkrb1@news.cyberhighway.net>...
>J Peitsch (jpeitsch@concentric.net) on 14 Apr 2000 17:28:15 EDT wrote:
>>Who really cares!
>
>Exactly the point...
>
>sdb
>--
>Watch out for munged e-mail address.
>User should be sylvan and host is cyberhighway.net.
>Do NOT send me unsolicited commercial e-mail (UCE)!

1171. Reg.MFJ power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregory <okguy@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <%0PJ4.15136$8p4.456384@news.corecomm.net>
Source record: 114151

Anyone using the new MFJ power supplies ? Any humming or other noise ? Will my radio lights dim when using 100 watts ? I have the Kenwood TS50 and the 850 but can't afford $270 for a Kenwood power supply .
Greg KA9MVP

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1172. Re: For you "non believers" Check this from the FCC.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d8fsm$g5t$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114152

I believe you now,Dan. It all comes into focus. By allowing every incompetent jackass on VHF and UHF to flood into HF leaves the formers as prime commodities to be put on the auction block.It all involves money me boy, doesn't it and in light of what's in this posting,ham radio is to become better? We've all been HAD but good!

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> underused slivers of the spectrum that are already under the control of
> other companies.
AND SO ON AND SO FORTH AD INFINTUM.....

1173. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F7CAB1.3FE482A@IEEE.org>
Source record: 114153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James Rosenthal wrote:
>
> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) (w1rfi@arrl.net) wrote:
> : LRod wrote:
>
> : >Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
> : >you FAILED to meet the requirements
>
> : And presumably after April 15, he will be granted a General ticket because
> : he will succeed at meeting the requirements.
>
> "Time heals all." ;-))

I thought "Time wounds all heels".
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1174. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <E3C6BA73478D89BA.603083215E0F9979.E0EE8B0D8ECC5878@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Right up front, I am no where near educated enough to make reasonable assumptions on either side of this... But, if any of what mf_luder(?) is saying is remotely near the truth, my reaction is "what have we here?"

--
73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d8ela$n0a$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <38f7add5.6211500@news.interactive.net>,
> billsohl@interactive.net wrote:
> > On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 18:00:57 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep
> > >sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL
> > >is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to
> > >not renew their subscription... er, "membership":
> > >
> > >NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
> > > of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
> > > equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
> > > second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
> > > issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
> > > weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
> > > Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
> > > the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
> > > Majerus.
> > >
> > > Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
> > > Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
> > > ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
> > > ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
> > > NQ1R.
> > >
> > > Leading the discussions were Gordon West,
> > > WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
> > > Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.
> > >
> > > Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
> > > better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
> > > "As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
> > > said.
> > >
> > >Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life
> > >support.

> > >
> > >The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion,
> > >not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to
> > >sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the
> > >advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit
> > >indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.
> > >
> > >Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you
> > >>>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...
> >
> > Go read the anti-trust act and then tell us about
> > the illegalities (i.e. lack of any that is).
> >
> > ROTFLMAO
> >
> > Cheers,
> > Bill K2UNK
>
> I hope you didn't injure your brain, Attorney Sohl.
>
> "every contract, combination in the form of trust or
> otherwise, or conspiracy, in restraint
> of trade or commerce among the
> several States, or with foreign
> nations."
>
> A meeting of a "non profit" publishing house, which sends countless,
> annoying proposals to the FCC, ever aimed at increasing the number of
> amateurs.
>
> A group joined by foreign manufacturers, who without policies aimed at
> lowering standards to try to get new hams, can threaten not to
> adevertise.
>
> A group of foreign manufacturers who drove all but one company out of
> business, that exist in two different countries, have two different
> economies and wage systems, yet arrive at nearly identical prices for
> all radios small, medium and large with the one remaining US company.
>
> A group of 4 or 5 companies that, no matter what the initial features,
> have identical entry level radio prices, once apples are compared to
> apples.
>
> And all this occurs under the supervision of one of two major chain
> stores.
>
>
> If you retort that's competition, you'll have failed. That occurs
> without group meetings of iron triangles.
>

> And your dual PhD in Economics and Legal Philosophy is from where ?
> Universite du ROTFLMAO ?
>
> Sorry, the ARRL CEU pogram, I forgot.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1175. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38F7D359.DD810E01@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114155

Ummm... Does this mean the jews and hindus and such will
all have to move to 27 MC? Just wondering....

1176. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <u0LCOOop$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote
>Try to get some buzzard on 75 to remove the bolt through his tuning knob
>by taking the frequency he's been on since Hirohito was welcomed aboard
>the Missouri and see how cordial he is.

If you will read my post again you will see that I said that *most* hams are
cordial to each other in their everyday QSOs. I would even give the opinion
that 99% of regular ham contacts are cordial. That's certainly better than
the general public, and vastly superior to rrap...

1177. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uOVoOOop$GA.231@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote in
>Aaaron (I guess),can you look at me with a straight face
>and say that the material is easier than it was in 1963?

I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was much easier. Today's memorization of a large amount of very technical questions is definitely not easy. But what does easy or hard have to do with the *quality* of a test? If the purpose of a test is to examine the applicant to see if he knows the test material, then today's tests do not do that. If the purpose of the test is just to be *hard* and require a lot of *effort* at memorization to pass, then it is no better than the Morse test...

1178. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <fflffs472hs7qbddm16ndbcsjrn7tdm2d4@4ax.com>
Source record: 114158
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 23:34:15 -0700, "gariac" <gspamnotsellani@accesscom.com> wrote:
>The VX-5R is a pretty poor HT. The old FT50RD is a better choice, though not
>much cheaper. The VX-5R CTCSS is unusable. The metal case makes the unit too
>hot to handle. It has other problems as well.

CTCSS works fine on the VX-5R. The repeater I use has CTCSS access,
and I have no trouble accessing it with the VX-5R. The metal case is the
heatsink for the radio. If it gets too hot to handle, it is telling you to shut your
yap and let the other fellow talk for a while. You probably timed out the repeater
several minutes ago anyway.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1179. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33mffssl431ccqbh4j0r653cah72kjffhf@4ax.com>
Source record: 114159
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 13:14:44 GMT, "N9NWO" <2121d@GTE.net> wrote:
>The point is, is that we are not hearing about ANY new
>equipment. The market is dead!!

Not necessarily. It may just mean that current models
are adequately addressing market demand. In other
words, there's no reason to bring out a new model if
the old model is still selling well.

>Is there anything, handheld, that will replace these
>two units? Anything at all in the pipeline??

Rumor has it that Motorola is returning to the ham
market. If so, we can expect a bulletproof radio which
doesn't try to be a DC to daylight noise box. I'd be
delighted with a new radio that had stout helical
filtering in the front end which would stop cold any
signal from outside the ham bands getting into the
radio.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1180. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <d3qffssqic7pcim0oftkv59jtptr4ghrol@4ax.com>
Source record: 114160

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 03:41:40 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

>I LISTEN A LOT ON 313 AND I NEVER HERD ANY TAPES OF THE GOOF BUT I HAVE
>HERD HIM BUT IN TO A LOT OF QSO'S . PEOPLE UNKEY AND THERE HE IS IN
>THERE FACE TELLING THEM HOW WRONG THEY ARE HE THINKS HE KNOWS EVERY
>THING. THERES NO DOUGHT THAT HE LIED HIS WAY OUT OF THIS BUT HE WILL
>SCREW UP AGIN AND NEXT TIME POP GOS THE WEESEL..> FCC Amateur Radio

At least he doesn't type in upper case. What a dumbshit you are, Mike.

1181. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <38F794B8.4875@rpi.edu>
Source record: 114161

perfidious wrote:
>
> In article <8cea54$66m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com
> (Robert Casey) wrote:
>
> > Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
> > in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
> >
> > Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> > signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.
>
> If you have a problem listening to, or understanding them, while on 11
> meter or "freebanding" why do you listen? have you not got a tuner dial
> on your radio?
> Possibly an on/off switch?
> Seems to me that many on the NG complain about CB'ers and freebanders.
> How would any of you "ticket holders" know they exist unless you are
> there listening? Guaranteed you'll hear little from CB'ers on 40 mtrs.
>
> Your question was: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their
> signals?
> My question to you is WHY do you care?
> >
>
> --
> ï¿½ï¿½ (per fid' i es) adj. ï¿½ï¿½

Well, it's an interesting anthropological question! I think that this
is a reflection of a separate culture that's developed on (and near!)
the 11m band, and it's interesting to probe its origins. I suspect that
heavy voice processing is part of a generally rebellious posture taken
by the people who use it, and it also harks back to the use of
overdriven amplified Shure mics in the 70's. I think that this is
indicative of the existance of a distinct set of styles within each of
the hobby radio services when it comes to abiding by the letter of the
law. It seems to me that "Pirate Radio" is at one end of this
"legalistic" spectrum, and amateur radio is at the other end, with
"Freebanders" being closer to the "Pirate" end, and a majority of CBer's
being somewhere in the middle. This is not to say that hams are all
squeaky clean when it comes to sticking to the rules - it just means
that many of them are more defensive about making sure that people abide
by the laws of the land, particularly when it comes to spectral
incursion and operating procedure. It's difficult to place FRS on this
"legalism" scale, since it's usually used for a different mode of local

communication.

Any thoughts about this?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP/AE

1182. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@telocity.com>
Message-ID: <38F75F26.BD6B6C94@telocity.com>
Source record: 114184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

WW - KB9TMP wrote:
>
> If I remember right from the old road gang with
> Charle Douglas on WWL New Orleans it's
> "Mornin' glory and how you is?"

That may have been the Charlie Douglas line...

But my transplanted coon ass friends who live in Nashville use y'all.

But, does it really matter? The message is plain, n'est pas, mon ami?
;-)

1183. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F77A5A.F1C4A207@ahole.com>
Source record: 114185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Horse Shit......

Brian wrote:
>
> k.d. mOLSON wrote:
>
> > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
> > news:pREJ4.14$R5.3719@news.ntplx.net...
> > > I see no evidence at all that the hams of
> > > today care any differently about
> > > ham radio than the hams of 1963.
> > > I see no evidence that they have less
> > > intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more.
> > > I studied those 16 pages to get all amateur
> > > privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of
> > > study guide to get the same thing.
> >
> > HORSE-APPLES! All they need to do 2-day is pass a simple
> > test in which the question pool has already been printed.
>
> Those who believe it is a simple test don't understand the questions.

1184. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F77AC6.F2BC3104@ahole.com>
Source record: 114186

Hey Butt head. Try putting FA in the subject line. Don't give a shit if you get $1.00 for it, just as long as you don't use it on HF....

Brother Lloyd wrote:
>
> Bidding is at $500.00 Here's a chance to get a 706 really cheap!
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=301822093
>
> comes w/ box - power cord and copy of manual
>
> YOU NEED THIS RADIO!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1185. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d7qeeef1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114187

Who was "jumping for joy" Dan?

If you were "REAL" man you would name the names instead of vague
references to "two bit hypocrits on this forum". Show you are a man Dan.

W4FQF since 1952

In article <8d7mrb$s8t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>
> Just wondering where are all the apolgies due Dean Brown, AC5IU?
> Remember, this is the guy that was "supposidly" nailed by the FCC for
> jamming, and not using his call. And all you two bit hypocrits on
here
> that were jumping for joy. Show you are a man. You remember how dont
> you?
>
> FCC Amateur Radio Enforcement Log
> Apr 10, 2000
>
> ALBUQUERQUE, NM [UPDATE]: The FCC wrote Amateur Extra licensee Dean M.
> Brown,
> AC5IU, on April 4, 2000, advising him that it was rescinding a Warning
> Notice
> sent March 14 concerning operation on the 20-meter band. The FCC told
> the ARRL
> that additional evidence indicates that the licensee was not at fault
> for the
> alleged interference. The licensee was advised to disregard the
Notice.
>
> author: webmaster@arrl.org
> Copyright © 2000, American Radio Relay League, Inc. All Rights
> Reserved.
>
> _____
>
> Dan/W4NTI
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

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Before you buy.

1186. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8d7oph$10nd$1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 114188

In article <8d7k88$p7e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>This ought to be fun as many hams can't keep their spurious signals out
>of a TV 2 blocks away, since most are running antiquated tube type CRAP.
>
Uhhh... what universe are you from?
- Mike, WA9CQ

1187. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <hNJJ4.16$R5.4299@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE wrote:

>Ed, here in Cajun Land, its worse than trying to figure out a
>Cape Cod'er since the heavy French Canadian Accent blurs our
> speech, had to learn English pronounciations from a Texas
> eacher, so I talks funny, you'all..... Proudly different,
>Martin N5PZJ Advanced Orphan

My goodness, Martin; it sounds like if we ever talk in person, we are only going to get the gist of what the other guy is saying! :-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1188. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Flanagan <markf@cshore.com>
Message-ID: <sfeq1ogqivv20@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

As I understand it the discount is equal to the amount paid for a VE session. This is most likely because of the fact that most upgrading hams paid that fee once in the past couple of months and will paying it again for paperwork submission only after April 15th. Thus it is really a rebate from the ARRL. Besides, what is so wrong with welcoming in and rewarding new or upgrading hams? It is this attitude that has probably driven away more new or possible hams than any cw test ever did. Think about it!

Mark Flanagan, K1MKF
k1mkf@qsl.net
http://www.qsl.net/k1mkf/
<hermit_thrush@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8cirej$ip8$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> ARRL, who brought you the incentive licensing debacle, has once again
> decided to cash in; now on the reduced license requirements by offering
> a discount to only those hams who are upgrading.
>
> Recall the defenses of some on here that the ARRL restructuring was
> needed to save ham radio and not to increase the membershp ? No, they'll
> do that by piggybacking a discount for the lazy bastards who are
> upgrading on April 15.
>
> The ARRL Membership Discount Coupon will offer
> examination and upgrade applicants a chance to recoup the usual $6.65
> processing fee in the form of an equal discount from the cost of a new
> or renewed ARRL membership.
>
> Well, screw the rest of us is the easiest way to phrase what they think
> of current members, who wasted their time on 20 wpm code tests and
> diagrams of tubes.
>
> Why would WB2OTK WANT to get back on the air ? Why would any of us with
> a brain want to ?
>
> What would we expect from an organization that thinks it's fine to
> discount the memberships of old farts who receive social security check
> handouts every month in addition to their fat pensions, but thinks the
> disabled can go fend for themselves, by denying a rate reduction at
> every board meeting. That's right, discount it for the most frequent
> service users, leave it at $34 for the poor folks who are disabled.
>
> Discount it for kids who have no other expenses in life, screw the guy
> on oxygen or the guy with no legs. Let him shell out the 6 bucks to keep

> K1ZZ, et al., comfy in northeast Connecticut.
>
> ARRL-VEC Manager Bart Jahnke, W9JJ, says the League is offering the
> discount coupon as a way to "soften the blow" by giving applicants a
> one-time $6.65 discount from the cost of an ARRL full or associate
> membership.
>
> Got that right. One time is all you'll see these newly enhanced novices
> as ARRL members. And the last time is how you'll see many more.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1189. HO HUM SAME OLD NAMES ON "RAIN REPORT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d7qmqnb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114191

How many letters from FCC will Dr Hate and "Horsehead " get before they
are rightfully kicked out of amateur radio.

Are they just a postal drop for warning letters, kinda like them
receiving a magazine each month?

How long must we suffer their QRM!!

W4FQF Since 1952

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Before you buy.

1190. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: CB Ram-a-bone <vlospickle@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dWJJ4.16150$q67.516240@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114192
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d7mcf$rm5$1@nnrp1.deja.com...

> The high prices of ham radios are
> the result of this sort of collusion,
> not the result of high costs of design
> and production, as ARRL tries to sell us.
> Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the
> keeper of the advertising journal and vendors.
> Collusion which is the real, albeit indirect,
> reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.

OH MY!!! IT'S GONNA FREAKIN SNOW A FOOT IN ORLANDO
IN JULY - SOMEONE ACTUALLY SPOKE THE TRUTH FOR A CHANGE!

HERETIC!! BLASPHMEY!! BLASPHMEY!! STONE HIM - STONE HIM!!

> Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were
> to lower the cost, you >>would<< end up
> with more hams (maybe)...

Holey SHIT man!! Enough! No More!! NoMas!!

I have to turn off the computer.

I just can't take reading so much un-biased
and un-restrained **TRUTH** in the
rec.radio.amateur.policy NG in just
>ONE DAY< .

I feel like taking a run NAKED in the sun - OH BLISS, OH JOY!

Thank you Sir. YOU deserve to be the keynote speaker
at Dayton this year

1191. Re: ICOM to give away ONE (count 'em) IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: CB Ram-a-bone <vlospickle@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <fWJJ4.16151$q67.516240@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d7l32$q72$1@nnrp1.deja.com...

> Well, not only is ARRL guaranteeing free passes for clubs (screw the
> individual ham, and screw the schools and colleges where the new hams
> they want so badly [not] are found), but Icom is giving away ONE IC-746
> to the club that does the best job of promoting ham radio.
>
> What is it with the ARRL, that anything they stick their filthy hands in
> ends up being done through a club ? Any one want to wager on whether
> ARRL has aranged it so that rig will go to an ARRL affiliated club ?
> After all, if a club doesn't pay homage to ARRL, it's no good, is it ?

And no doubt it will ultimatly end up in the radio room
of someone in that "ARRL affiliated" club who pulls
in $150k/yr in salary (..or more), and is too tight to
even spend $20 at a hamfest and complains about the
admission cost.

1192. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: CB Ram-a-bone <vlospickle@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <gWJJ4.16152$q67.516240@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d7k88$p7e$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
> "Clubs are being urged to contact
> their local theaters to inquire
> when Frequency will show in
> their area and about the
> possibility of on-site promotion
> on behalf of Amateur Radio. "

No doubt it will be another cinematic flop
like "The French Atlantic Affair" which was
also supposed to be a promotion for ham
radio, and was relegated to the celluoid scrap
pile along with the Chevy Vega and 8-Track audio
cassette tape player 25 Yrs ago....

"Welcome to Ham Radio! Set your wristwatch back 40 Years".

1193. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <38F75D28.F0FFA54E@cats-net.com>
Source record: 114195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
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> k.d. mOLSON wrote:
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> > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
> > news:pREJ4.14$R5.3719@news.ntplx.net...
> > > I see no evidence at all that the hams of
> > > today care any differently about
> > > ham radio than the hams of 1963.
> > > I see no evidence that they have less
> > > intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more.
> > > I studied those 16 pages to get all amateur
> > > privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of
> > > study guide to get the same thing.
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> > HORSE-APPLES! All they need to do 2-day is pass a simple
> > test in which the question pool has already been printed.
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> Those who believe it is a simple test don't understand the questions.

And those who believe it to be difficult don't understand the answers.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

1194. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F76D44.214899C1@icss.net>
Source record: 114196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You don't understand the questions. Do you understand that?

Liberty_nits wrote:

> Horse Shit......
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> Brian wrote:
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> > k.d. mOLSON wrote:
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> > > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
> > > news:pREJ4.14$R5.3719@news.ntplx.net...
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1195. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F76D73.B53733D5@icss.net>
Source record: 114197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dave Heil wrote:

> Brian wrote:
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> > k.d. mOLSON wrote:
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> > > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
> > > news:pREJ4.14$R5.3719@news.ntplx.net...
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> And those who believe it to be difficult don't understand the answers.
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> Dave 5H3US, K8MN

It is far, far more difficult the the exams you took. Do you understand
that?

1196. IC 761 & IC W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com>
Message-ID: <perf-BD799B.14161614042000@news.jajaweb.net>
Source record: 114198

at yahoo auctions.

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�� (per fid' i es) adj. ��

1197. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Bishop <gbishop@home.com>
Message-ID: <38f76c78@honntp01.AMICA.COM>
Source record: 114199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com> wrote in message
news:38F73379.15B9@mobiletel.com...
> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:
> >
> > Jon Johnson wrote:
> >
> > >"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
> >
> > >> Au contrere' mon frere, here in five land heritage runs deep and some
> > >> sayings are particular to the area. nuff said ;->
> >
> > >Excuse' moi, monsieur et pardonez moi, s'il vous plait. Our heritage
on
> > >this particular saying allows us to *hunt* rather than fight. ;-)
> >
> > Here in 1 Land, we talk so funny that we have learned to understand the
> > meaning of the saying no matter how it is expressed. :-)
> >
> > 73,
> > Ed Hare, W1RFI
> Ed, here in Cajun Land, its worse than trying to figure out a
> Cape Cod'er since the heavy French Canadian Accent blurs our speech, had
> to learn English pronounciations from a Texas
> Teacher, so I talks funny, you'all..... Proudly different,
> Martin N5PZJ Advanced Orphan, hopefully to be extra, I can do it
> again, over and over.

It's Cape Cod'ah not 'er!
Ayup. 73
Gil
k1gil

1198. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <kb9tmp@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7sa0$2hc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38F75F26.BD6B6C94@telocity.com>,
Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@telocity.com> wrote:
> WW - KB9TMP wrote:
> >
> > If I remember right from the old road gang with
> > Charle Douglas on WWL New Orleans it's
> > "Mornin' glory and how you is?"
>
> That may have been the Charlie Douglas line...
>
> But my transplanted coon ass friends who live in Nashville use y'all.
>
> But, does it really matter? The message is plain, n'est pas, mon ami?
> ;-)
>

I was right with you up to the "n'est pas, mon ami" part then
your signal started to fade and I lost ya! ;^)

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'73' From KB9TMP

It is best not meddle in the affairs of dragons,
for you are crunchy and taste good with ketchup!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1199. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000414152716.26818.00000555@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114201

Who care what you say anymore? You always bitch about him. Go ahead, make me "your business"

Send me proof, if you have any, of this "truce" as well. If you do send me some proof via E-mail - Then I will shut my mouth. Ok w/ you?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1200. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <HkKJ4.17$R5.4384@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

k.d. mOLSON wrote:

>HORSE-APPLES! All they need to do 2-day is pass a simple
>test in which the question pool has already been printed.

All I had to do in 1963 was pass a simple test I took after reading 16 pages
of study guide.

When I was in high school, I would not have considered a test that was drawn
from over 1000 questions to be "simple."

> Hey, while on this topic, will the ARRL please
> now admit that they put the pressure on at the FCC to publish
> the question pools, just so that they could put Dick Bash
> out of business and retain the market for study guides?

I was not active in ham radio, much less the ARRL, at the time.

Can you share with us the way you have determined what actions the ARRL took
at the time? Or is it a case of "it coulda' been that way, so it musta'
been?"

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

>If that ain't tossing softballs, then I don't know
>what is. They don't even need Dick Bash's old study guides
>anymore either. >
>The ARRL is at it's root, a publishing company, and as such those
>who are in the publishing industry tend to get a little "testy"
>when someone (Dick Bash in this case..) takes away their
>(ARRL's) market.
>
>Heck, I can remember when the Bash Study Guides were the hottest commodity
>at any hamfest from Coast to Coast. People were
>having them Fed-Ex'd the minute they rolled off the press! They were hotter
>and in more demand than "nose candy" would be
>at any Hollywood Movie celebrity party, while ARRL study guides
>collected dust on the shelf....
>
>What is the REAL STORY concerning the "Bash Study
>Guides vs ARRL" battle Ed? I am sure some of us would
>like to read this juicy tidbit of ham radio history
>just as much as we would the un-redacted Warren

>Commission report.
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>:) :) :)
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1201. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114203

>This reminds me of the ad for WWII Italian Army rifles:
>
>Never fired, only dropped once.
>
>LRod
>

Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once. What in the hell have i ever done to piss you off?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1202. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <yoKJ4.18$R5.4400@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:

>> > Those who believe it is a simple test don't understand the questions.

>> And those who believe it to be difficult don't understand the answers.

>It is far, far more difficult the the exams you took. Do you understand
>that?

The exams of today certainly cover a LOT more scope, starting with the Novice exam (we don't even want to talk about the 4-page Novice study guide, do we?). The exams of today are certainly a lot more work, as evidenced by the sheer volume of the questions in the pool and the 1200 pages of study guide it takes to describe them, as compared to the 16 pages it took to describe the study guides in 1963.

But some people can look at the stack of 16 pages of old study guide on one hand and look at the 1200 pages of new study guide on the other hand and say with a straight face that the "new" exams are too easy.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1203. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000414154020.26818.00000566@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114205

>Could be the SWL-ers will soon have reason again to listen to 3950 on
>Saturday
>night. Ahhhhhhh for the good old days.
>

Yes, you are right. I have to admit that I, enjoyed a dose of "moan, faggot, moan" and "blah-blah-blah" and so forth. Even Bro Stair paled in comparison to Sid. I even enjoyed "Arkybob" too

And let's dont forget W2YEE and his jukebox Saturdays - Now that was funny, I'll never forget a couple of years ago, one night listening to the Liberty Net, and W2YEE had his check-in and then proceeded to play them some music. This went on for about 6 hours

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http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1204. HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anon <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200004141959.PAA10880@cotse.com>
Source record: 114206

Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

1) Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
and every frequency shall proclaim Jeeesus as Lord!

2) For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, I was traveling on the
Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
did shine from within it!

3) On his right stood Saint Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook,
and on his left stood Marconi and Morse,
Protectors of the Faith of old.

4) And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
"John, my good and faithful servant, know ye my
servant Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
preaching in my name.

5) And where thou dost encounter the heathen, rise ye up,
and call upon my servant Riley, and he shall call down
the holy Fire from Heaven, and they shall be consumed."

6) So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
them from our holy bands, that you may be
seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.

In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,

Amen and Amen.

Brother John KC3AU

(This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)
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Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

1205. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com>
Message-ID: <perf-D7B653.14555914042000@news.jajaweb.net>
Source record: 114207

In article <8d5dme$8lb$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> perfidious <perf@inlandcars.com> wrote:
> >(Robert Casey) wrote:
>
> >> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
> >> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
> >> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> >> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.
>
> >If you have a problem listening to, or understanding them, while on 11
> >meter or "freebanding" why do you listen? have you not got a tuner dial
> >on your radio?
>
> Most amateurs abide by the regulations set forth by the Commission. It
> can be a bit irritating to be mindful of the regs yet hear law-breakers
> using our public resource RF spectrum in such an awful manner -- similar
> to witnessing people littering a public park. Maybe folks like yourself
> can turn your back and pretend it's none of your business, but others
> are more community-minded and do care (and wonder why it's occurring).
> Ignoring federal communication laws is a good indicator that one would
> ignore other federal (and state and local) laws, too. Such folks are
> a burden to society and are looked down upon by the more law-abiding
> citizens. You'll have to just accept that rather than questioning why
> (just like you chastising Robert for asking why).
>
> >Seems to me that many on the NG complain about CB'ers and freebanders.
> >How would any of you "ticket holders" know they exist unless you are
> >there listening?
>
> Those free-banders have found their way up to the 10m band and down to
> 12m; that's how we know they exist. Some are so bold as to even use
> the HF air-to-ground frequencies, endangering aircraft. That becomes
> *everyone's* business (even yours).
>
> >Guaranteed you'll hear little from CB'ers on 40 mtrs.
>
> Guaranteed you'll hear many of them as low as 12m and has high as 10m.
> It really has become our problem. And note the region between 11m and
> 10m are government frequencies; the latest recipient of a $17,000 fine
> was caught operating on those government frequencies.
>
> Jeff

Agreed! That is the FCC's position, and responsibilty. Not yours or mine. All I was getting at is people spend their time compaining about what other people are doing, 'rather than enjoying themselves doing their hobby. Let's assume I (or you) have a license and the equipment to legally operate on HF. Can I (or you) operate on 27.650 etc. ? No. So why are we there? Not to talk, but to listen, get griped, and then to finish with bitching. To what end? Have you appointed yourself commisioner? cop? what can YOU do? little. send in a complaint? that's it.
I dislike hwy. litter, i do not think however that I will park on the interstate to see if people do it. Hell, I know they do it. Shall I chase them down? then what? get shot? or be arrested for harrasment? The police will tell me "mind your own, this is OUR business"

Just seems to me that too much time is spent bickering, chastising, and lowering others or ourselves, 'rather than promoting, enjoying, furthering our hobby. Why ask why? Why care? Do you think there is actually an answer to all questions? Why do CB'ers this? or that? Why do kids feel compelled to push pencils through speakers?

"Maybe folks like yourself
can turn your back and pretend it's none of your business,"
Not at all. Somethings are and should be out of my realm to handle, or to want to handle.

I think simply that you should do one or the other, enjoy, or police. Not both.
Bitch about taxes... Bitch about your pres. Bitch about the country going down the tubes. Bitch about alot of things that "SHOULD" concern you more than some CB'er freebanding.

Do you hunt down illegal aliens? (Border Patrol INS)
Chase theives? (Police, FBI etc)
Catch drug runners? (DEA)
Protect your Pres? (Secret Service)
Confiscate Guns? (BATF)
Check out commercial Trucks? (FHWA)
Airplanes? (FAA)
Dogs? (SPCA, Animal Control)
Flies? (Vector Control)
Beef? (USDA)

Radio (FCC)

See my point? probably not. You probably want to play cop, or bitch, or just make everyone else aware that you are aware that everyone else is worse than you. Better you than me.

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�� (per fid' i es) adj. ��

1206. Need Ramsey PA-20 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8d7ttl$3m4$1@ssauraaa-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 114208

Hi, I need any info I can find about a PA-20, 20Watt 220mHz amp from Ramsey. Does anyone out there have one they can scan or fax? Thanks!

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Fred
N4IXL
ICQ:10254840
http://members.aol.com/fdecker

1207. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8d7ttm$3m4$2@ssauraaa-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 114209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Do you include medicare and social security recipients
> in that pool of low lifes as well

No, just MEDICAID recipients. :)

Fred

1208. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7vha$6gl$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114210

In article <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Cheeta's FATASSED Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> >This reminds me of the ad for WWII Italian Army rifles:
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> >Never fired, only dropped once.
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> >LRod
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> Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once.
What in the
> hell have i ever done to piss you off?

Poor baby.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1209. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7vn4$6k0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114211

In article <20000414152716.26818.00000555@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Who care what you say anymore? You always bitch about him. Go
ahead, make me
> "your business"
>
> Send me proof, if you have any, of this "truce" as well. If you do
send me
> some proof via E-mail - Then I will shut my mouth. Ok w/ you?

Poor baby huey Lllllloyd, the NO CODE Technician since 1993......
ROFLMFAO!

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1210. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F77DC9.3B5CB5BC@nashville.com>
Source record: 114212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

WW - KB9TMP wrote:

> I was right with you up to the "n'est pas, mon ami" part then
> your signal started to fade and I lost ya! ;^)

n'est pas => "Is it not so?"

mon ami => "My friend"

;-)

1211. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7vt9$6su$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114213

In article <200004141959.PAA10880@cotse.com>,
"Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote:
> Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
<FLUSH!>
> Brother John KC3AU
>
> (This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
> Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)
> --
> Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
> http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

Typical christian, always looking for a handout.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1212. Europeen repeaters list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: F6GKD <f6gkd@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <8d7upt$kv5$1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 114214

http://www.ref.tm.fr/cnrr/index.html best 73

1213. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F78291.B314D3D8@icss.net>
Source record: 114215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:

> Brian wrote:
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> describe the study guides in 1963.
>
> But some people can look at the stack of 16 pages of old study guide on one
> hand and look at the 1200 pages of new study guide on the other hand and say
> with a straight face that the "new" exams are too easy.
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI

Ed, it's a simple act of self-deception.

1214. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d81mq$911$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38F77DC9.3B5CB5BC@nashville.com>,
Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:

> > I was right with you up to the "n'est pas, mon ami" part then
> > your signal started to fade and I lost ya! ;^)
>
> n'est pas => "Is it not so?"

This is what happens when hillbillies are allowed to dabble in French.
It's n'est ce pas.

But it is pronounced "nes pa". See the French put lots of letters in
that they don't need ("t" "ce" "s"). Take a look at what we would spell
as "or derv." In French it's hors d'oeuvres. A complication factor of 2.
Go figure.

But, they do know their comic geniuses...

LRod

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1215. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d80na$6ph$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114217

A warning to whomever spun this irreverent but brilliantly satirical commentary. You've got talent but unfortunately after KC3AU reports you, there'll be no more ham radio for you but then again if you go CB there'll be hardly any perceivable difference. Amen.

In article <200004141959.PAA10880@cotse.com>, "Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote:

> Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
>
> 1) Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
> to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
> and every frequency shall proclaim Jeeesus as Lord!
>
> 2) For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
> Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, I was traveling on the
> Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
> glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
> blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
> and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
> did shine from within it!
>
> 3) On his right stood Saint Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook,
> and on his left stood Marconi and Morse,
> Protectors of the Faith of old.
>
> 4) And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
> "John, my good and faithful servant, know ye my
> servant Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
> Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
> preaching in my name.
>
> 5) And where thou dost encounter the heathen, rise ye up,
> and call upon my servant Riley, and he shall call down
> the holy Fire from Heaven, and they shall be consumed."
>
> 6) So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
> I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
> I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
> OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
> them from our holy bands, that you may be
> seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.
>
> In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,

>
> Amen and Amen.
>
> Brother John KC3AU
>
> (This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
> Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)
> --
> Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
> http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
>
>
>

1216. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4hij@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d8258$9dm$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38f6980f.2210756@news.interactive.net>,
billsohl@interactive.net wrote:
> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 03:09:06 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >In article <8d5ee8cnj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> >> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
> >> requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my
> >> General class ticket.
> >
> >Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
> >you FAILED to meet the requirements. Failing to meet the requirements
> >was a choice YOU made. No one did anything to you. YOU elected to
not do
> >the work need to meet the requirements.
>
> That's absolutely true, and in 24 hours he WILL meet
> the requirements because the requirements have changed.
>
> >> I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
> >> pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago.
> >
> >The correct way to say this is, "and get the ticket I FAILED to earn
all
> >those years ago."
>
> Sour grapes and a love affair with the past?
>
> >> It's not an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long
> >> overdue!
> >
> >Ah yes, the something-for-nothing argument. You weren't due anything.
> >You CHOSE not to do the work for the license.
>
> Not at all. Times changed and the requirement he didn't
> pass has been ruled out as unjustifiable anymore by the FCC.
> Guess what, they don't teach sliderules anymore in tech
> schools and college. Guess those people are just dumbed
> down techs and engineers now.
>
> >> I have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw
> >> op., but he never tried to force it on me.

> >
> >That's not all he failed to teach you.
>
> Yes, just 24 hours until you can really piss and moan.
>
> >> He would be delighted to see me get my new privileges!
> >
> >If you were my child, I'd be turning over in my grave, because you
would
> >have been taught that something you get for nothing is no privilege.
>
> Pure sour grapes.
> If he were my child I'd say he recognized that progress
> leads to changes. YOU may not like those changes,
> but that's just the way it goes.
>
> Cheers and welcome to all new and upgrading
> hams now and after 4/15/00.
>
> Bill K2UNK
>
> Thanks Bill,
I knew I would get all the negative posts and the insults but it's nice to know some of us still have sense. I'm not going to reduce myself to their level and engage in a battle of insults but the only whining I hear is coming from their camp. I'm going to use my time constructively and put up some new antennas and get my computer ready for some digital modes. Let em piss and moan, I'm going to enjoy my hobby!!
Michael

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1217. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F7863D.2B1C@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114219
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> WW - KB9TMP wrote:
>
> > I was right with you up to the "n'est pas, mon ami" part then
> > your signal started to fade and I lost ya! ;^)
>
> n'est pas => "Is it not so?"
>
> mon ami => "My friend"
>
> ;-)
Well, after 3 or 4 beers down here and a bowl of Seafood Gumbo,
everybody understands each other pretty well.
Martin N5PZJ

1218. Wall Street blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d819ifis1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114220

Due to the enormous beating Wall Street took today, 4/14/00, as a religious Jewish ham I'd like to announce that all Shabbos(Sabbath) services scheduled for tomorrow morning will be extended one hour.

1219. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F78807.6FD4@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Gil Bishop wrote:
>
> "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com> wrote in message
> news:38F73379.15B9@mobiletel.com...
> > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:
> > >
> > > Jon Johnson wrote:
> > >
> > > >"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
> > >
> > > >> Au contrere' mon frere, here in five land heritage runs deep and some
> > > >> sayings are particular to the area. nuff said ;->
> > >
> > > >Excuse' moi, monsieur et pardonez moi, s'il vous plait. Our heritage
> on
> > > >this particular saying allows us to *hunt* rather than fight. ;-)
> > >
> > > Here in 1 Land, we talk so funny that we have learned to understand the
> > > meaning of the saying no matter how it is expressed. :-)
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Ed Hare, W1RFI
> > Ed, here in Cajun Land, its worse than trying to figure out a
> > Cape Cod'er since the heavy French Canadian Accent blurs our speech, had
> > to learn English pronounciations from a Texas
> > Teacher, so I talks funny, you'all..... Proudly different,
> > Martin N5PZJ Advanced Orphan, hopefully to be extra, I can do it
> > again, over and over.
>
> It's Cape Cod'ah not 'er!
> Ayup. 73
> Gil
> k1gil
Sorry Gil, my neighbor is from Boston (he took a wrong turn) and we are
pointed out still as the guys who talk funny by the neighborhood.
He still has a tendency to Pahk d'cah.
73 de Martin N5PZJ
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1220. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F7882B.35E2@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:
>
> Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE wrote:
>
> >Ed, here in Cajun Land, its worse than trying to figure out a
> >Cape Cod'er since the heavy French Canadian Accent blurs our
> > speech, had to learn English pronounciations from a Texas
> > eacher, so I talks funny, you'all..... Proudly different,
> >Martin N5PZJ Advanced Orphan
>
> My goodness, Martin; it sounds like if we ever talk in person, we are only
> going to get the gist of what the other guy is saying! :-)
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI
We also speak English!!!
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1221. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d821msdu1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114223

I don't have to apologize to Dean because I never believed for a moment that
he was guilty but you're right-these sick Stumpjumping s.o.b.s who were
elated over his misfortune should either apologize or drop dead with the
emphasis on the latter!

In article <8d7mrb$s8t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

>
>
> Just wondering where are all the apolgies due Dean Brown, AC5IU?
> Remember, this is the guy that was "supposidly" nailed by the FCC for
> jamming, and not using his call. And all you two bit hypocrits on here
> that were jumping for joy. Show you are a man. You remember how dont
> you?
>
>
>
> FCC Amateur Radio Enforcement Log
> Apr 10, 2000
>
>
>
> ALBUQUERQUE, NM [UPDATE]: The FCC wrote Amateur Extra licensee Dean M.
> Brown,
> AC5IU, on April 4, 2000, advising him that it was rescinding a Warning
> Notice
> sent March 14 concerning operation on the 20-meter band. The FCC told
> the ARRL
> that additional evidence indicates that the licensee was not at fault
> for the
> alleged interference. The licensee was advised to disregard the Notice.
>
>
> author: webmaster@arrl.org
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> Reserved.
>
> --
>
> Dan/W4NTI
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>

>
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1222. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Peitsch <jpeitsch@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <8d82hf$7do@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 114224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Who really cares!

1223. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d82mr$5lb$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'll bet there was so much hand rubbing in glee,the friction could have caused a fire big enough to burn down the state of Wisconsin! Who really will benefit from restructuring? Hams? Ham radio? Bullbleep, It's as carefully designed and manipulated as any major scam and sham you've ever read about. Oh yes,I have NOT renewed my ARRL membership which ends this month and unless I have a complete change of heart,will not. Let AES support all ARRL employees and if things work out according to plans, it won't be too tough.

In article <8d7mcf$rm5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>
>
>
> You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep
> sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL
> is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to
> not renew their subscription... er, "membership":
>
> NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
> of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
> equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
> second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
> issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
> weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
> Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
> the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
> Majerus.
>
> Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
> Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
> ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
> ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
> NQ1R.
>
> Leading the discussions were Gordon West,
> WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
> Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.
>
> Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
> better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
> "As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
> said.

>
> Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life
> support.
>
> The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion,
> not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to
> sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the
> advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit
> indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.
>
> Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you
>>>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...
>
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1224. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uZzWlplp$GA.265@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 114226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>The exams of today certainly cover a LOT more scope

Translation: the exams contain a lot more memorization.

>The exams of today are certainly a lot more work, as evidenced by
>the sheer volume of the questions

Translation: more questions and answers means more memorization work.

>[How can] some people...say
>with a straight face that the "new" exams are too easy.

Ed, can you look at me with a straight face and say that everyone passing the Extra Class exam really knows the material he was tested for? Can you even say that you can't pass the test by memorization alone...
(Please don't fall back on how it was in 1963. Let's discuss how it really is today.)

1225. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net>
Message-ID: <NrMJ4.197$Yk1.5849@reader1.interactive.net>
Source record: 114227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8ctuvv$gi4$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> John Porter <oceans1@nccoast.net> wrote:
> >Good grief - how long will this completely worn out thread and topic go
on?
>
> As long as folks like yourself continue to post follow-ups to it.
>
And as long as 'folks like you' post follow ups to my follow ups.
Genius....

JP

1226. Re: Looking for my page from callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <38F7A5E6.6C6F64F5@erols.com>
Source record: 114228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Robert, just a heads-up. Some VEC teams will not recognize a call book entry, so check with the VE you intend to go to to ensure they will accept the call book data, provided you find the page. 73 Murray, K3BEQ

Robert Tortajada wrote:

> Actually, I am trying to prove that I passed the technical test needed for my
> General License. I passed the test in 1985 and should not need to take it again.
>
> Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> > Why don't you lazy bums just re-take the 5wpm(very slow code) test
> > again. What's the big deal?
> >
> > Dan K Nelson wrote:
> > >
> > > Robert Tortajada <bobt@sysadminus.com> wrote in message
> > > news:38F3346C.A09F5400@sysadminus.com...
> > > > Will pay someone to send me a page from a 1987 call book or earlier that
> > > > shows my Technician License.
> > > >
> > > > Bob T -KA2RUU
> > > >
> > > >
> > >
> > > If you need it for proof of passing the code element, you can send a letter
> > > to the FCC records clerk with the details of your call, year of issue,
> > > address at the time, etc. It takes a little time, (for me it took about 3
> > > weeks for them to respond) but they will respond with a confirmation letter
> > > of your license class held at that time.
> > >
> > > 73 de W6DKN

1227. ARRL Hires Another Cronie (I'm loving this...)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d86i7efo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114229

Where to begin, where to begin.

Contester cronie. They already have him lined up to join YCCC I'm told.

Retiree who doesn't know when to quit. Sold a radio business ? Think of the connections there, friends. Must be a few units short of a picnic at SSA.

By the way, when ARRL uses phrases like "history making DXpedition" or "noted DXer" as they do here, I derive such joy. It just proves the fact that they're so out of touch with the real world, they need to note each other and write their own history. Kind of like feminists and homosexuals...

DXer. Yowser. Isn't this the organization that still worships Don Miller, convicted attempted murderer, while telling the FCC on hams who use BAD OR CONTROVERSIAL WORDS on 20 meters ? Why yes it is. A book by K1 Zootsuited Moron said what a great guy he is and it had a forward by K1 Zooming Zero (not the Toyota made one). Guess it's official, then. Of course, our friend N7NG isn't in jail, but there's hope for a Don if the parole board gives the nod.

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Wayne Mills, N7NG, to Join ARRL HQ Staff

NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 14, 2000--ARRL Executive Vice President David Sumner, K1ZZ, has announced that noted DXer Wayne Mills, N7NG, will join the Headquarters staff as Membership Services Manager, effective May 2. He succeeds Bill Kennamer, K5NX, who retired from the League last month.

First licensed in 1953 at age 10, Mills has served as the Rocky Mountain Division DX Advisory Committee representative since 1996 and as chairman of the ARRL DXAC since March 1997. He also served on the DXCC 2000 Committee. He is best known for his operating on DXpeditions over the past 15 years, most recently from the Chesterfield Islands TX0DX DXpedition.

Mills holds BSEE and MSEE degrees from the University of California-Davis and just sold his two-way radio communication sales and service business in Jackson, Wyoming.

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1228. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d85ii$d0l$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114230

Brother Lloyd n0vfp@aol.com wrote:
>What in the hell have i ever done to piss you off?

Well, for one thing, you should place "FA" in the subject line when
you post an auction notice; this is the agreed upon protocol. Second,
the sales NG is rec.radio.swap.
Jeff

1229. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d877n$f4r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8d82mr$5lb$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I'll bet there was so much hand rubbing in glee,the friction could have
> caused a fire big enough to burn down the state of Wisconsin! Who really
> will benefit from restructuring? Hams? Ham radio? Bullbleep, It's as
> carefully designed and manipulated as any major scam and sham you've ever
> read about. Oh yes,I have NOT renewed my ARRL membership which ends this
> month and unless I have a complete change of heart,will not. Let AES support
> all ARRL employees and if things work out according to plans, it won't be
> too tough.

Now, Doc, those 5 dollar black and white books with the two tone covers
they offer all of us free on the 15th renewal notice and that
personalized Xerox from K1ZZ is enough to get any of us back.

I know I'm getting ready to torture myself this fall waiting for all the
notices to pile up, until one cool day, as the leaves gently fall to the
amber ground... they all go into the pail at once. I want to see if with
the increased numbers of "no thank you's" I'm hearing about, they panic
and begin offering books sooner.

But then again, the Board will have to vote on any changes in July over
roast beef...

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1230. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d87eg$f7g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <dWJJ4.16150$q67.516240@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"CB Ram-a-bone" <vlospickle@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> <mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d7mcf$rm5$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
> > The high prices of ham radios are
> > the result of this sort of collusion,
> > not the result of high costs of design
> > and production, as ARRL tries to sell us.
> > Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the
> > keeper of the advertising journal and vendors.
> > Collusion which is the real, albeit indirect,
> > reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.
>
> OH MY!!! IT'S GONNA FREAKIN SNOW A FOOT IN ORLANDO
> IN JULY - SOMEONE ACTUALLY SPOKE THE TRUTH FOR A CHANGE!
>
> HERETIC!! BLASPHMEY!! BLASPHMEY!! STONE HIM - STONE HIM!!
>
> > Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were
> > to lower the cost, you >>would<< end up
> > with more hams (maybe)...
>
> Holey SHIT man!! Enough! No More!! NoMas!!
>
> I have to turn off the computer.
>
> I just can't take reading so much un-biased
> and un-restrained **TRUTH** in the
> rec.radio.amateur.policy NG in just
> >ONE DAY< .
>
> I feel like taking a run NAKED in the sun - OH BLISS, OH JOY!
>
> Thank you Sir. YOU deserve to be the keynote speaker
> at Dayton this year

You sir, are too kind.

But alas, I'm allergic to the virus that causes hepatitis, commonly
found in Dayton (per the ARRL M.O. web last year soon after the guts
were full and the tables folded up).

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1231. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d882bfsd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114233

In article <20000414152716.26818.00000555@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Who care what you say anymore? You always bitch about him. Go
ahead, make me
> "your business"
>
> Send me proof, if you have any, of this "truce" as well. If you do
send me
> some proof via E-mail - Then I will shut my mouth. Ok w/ you?
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
This is from the idjit that thinks he is actually a member of the BARF
or the Stumpjumpers. If he really is/was then why is he not "in the
loop"?? I could care less if you shut your mouth or not Llllloyd. You
have never been of any consequence here or anywhere else. You have no
idea of what is going on, and never will. Your just a late coming
wanabee with absolutly no knowledge at all. Id be willing to bet you
don't even know who to ask do you? And your the barf commo
meister....NOT!!!

Do yourself a favor, no a BIG FAVOR, just stay out of my way. Don't
even reply to anything I say, or read it for that matter. When I want
you to reply I'll squeeze your head, and see the color of the crap that
flows out. Probably a baby brown.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1232. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d5nso$n4b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114237

In article <20000413185330.19925.00000068@ng-fv1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> Thanks for the report. Yeah i know Steve took a trip by your QTH and
all that
> but why?? I never figured that out.
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

Plain harassment. He was going to put up a special website on me.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1233. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <davison7@spamlessgte.net>
Message-ID: <ZetJ4.59844$QJ3.7270163@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You can't speak for the living and are FAR less likely to speak for the
dead... If you were MY kid, I would be ashamed that my name, let alone
my CALL, was attached to a lazy sniveling whiner...

--
Gary - KJ6Q
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The fable,"The grasshopper & the ant", reveals the
existance of socialist attitudes - even in Greek times...
"Play today - live off your neighbor tomorrow..."

<w4hij@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d5ee8cnj1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8d4puackv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> jjones@radio.org.com.net (John Jones) wrote:
> > It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the
> ARRL or buy
> > a new CB and celebrate.
> >
> > After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few endorsements
> tacked
> > on the license.
> >
> > J Jones
> > Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
> requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my
General
> class ticket. I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
> pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago. It's
not
> an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long overdue! I
> have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw op.,
> but he never tried to force it on me. He would be delighted to see me
> get my new privileges!
> Michael
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1234. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000413201746.15769.00000100@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 114239

Good point .. VERY good point. Dave is not as frequent on "the most exciting frequency in amateur radio" as he once was, however.

What else would be interesting? Well Dave's complaint is that Vic won't let him check into The Great Liberty Net. This I'd like to see. Maybe let him check in one time. Just to see what he wants to say on the net.

"Friendlies" will be interested to know that Sid should be back on in a few weeks. "Netters" might not find the news all that interesting.

1235. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <davison7@spamlessgte.net>
Message-ID: <IvtJ4.59858$QJ3.7275401@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 114240

SEEMS like most keep overlooking the FACT that passage of the new
license gives user rights to operate the CW mode AND band spectrum -
THUS an excellent reason to PROVE ability somewhere above the Novice
minimum! For those so rabid and opposed AGAINST CW, either as a point in
testing OR operation, why not merely BAR them from operating CW in other
than current Novice-assigned CW bands/frequencies? Wouldn't be any skin
off their noses, since they hate CW anyhow, and gives all the "plus"
license holders that additional sense of pride and achievement THEIR
extra work/ability has accomplished...

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Gary - KJ6Q
====================
The fable,"The grasshopper & the ant", reveals the
existance of socialist attitudes - even in Greek times...
"Play today - live off your neighbor tomorrow..."

"Fred" <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote in message
news:8d50ms$j12$1@ssauraac-i-1.production.compuserve.com...
> To Eddie and anyone with at least a sane response. I ignore those who
use
> obscenity or who are just basically clinically insane, but somehow
manage to
> function enough to keep themselves out of an institution (ie: most of
the
> old hams on this list).
>
> I am not an old timer, I just turned 40. I am also FOR restructuring
and
> think code is a silly test of ham skills. OTOH, it is a weeding out
of
> people who don't want to make a comittment. I wasn't going to be a
chemist
> either, but they made me take it in College to be a EE. Frankly, a
lot of
> us don't make our own rigs anymore either and there are no "user
serviceable
> parts" inside, yet there is a lot of electronics on the test. The
bottom
> line is that we have to test SOMETHING, and this is the best we have
come up
> with.
>
> I accept and welcome all hams, new and old, except for the ignorant
rednecks

> that seem to dominate 14.313 and parts of 80 meters and this list.
However,
> I don't think it is fair to people who worked very hard to get what
will
> always be the hardest qualifier, the one you couldn't cheat on, the CW
test.
> You can argue that this is ego or bragging rights, but why do you
think all
> the Advanced licensees scrambled to get in their tests before the
15th?
> Same thing, they want bragging rights. I am certain they don't want
the
> tiny little extra band privildeges, most are only using VHF anyway and
> hardly any can take advantage of CW only high speed bands. What they
want
> is to say they are extras and know that no one will no whether they
got it
> the hard way or the easy way. I know several right in my circle who
have
> been Tech Pluses and Advanced for over 25 years, and are now becomming
> Extras because it is "free".
>
> I think bringing more people into HF is great, especially if they
crowd out
> the rejects who shouldn't even have a license. I also think that
there
> should be a class called Extra Plus for the same reason there were
Tech
> Pluses. I think it is a very fair compromise.
>
> Fred
> N4IXL
>
>

1236. Re: Badwill hunting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8d5qtt$7a4gk$4@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 114241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>The first two-way across the Atlantic was conducted according to a
>pre-arranged schedule.
>
>The distance is still covered, regardless of the existance of a list or
>not.

Err, and who yelled "Gooooood contact" after this?

SCNR

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

1237. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry <kb5oai@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <RLuJ4.6848$fV.594740@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 114242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Well Randal, if you feel strong enough to make a statement, why do you
embellish the need to hide your identity as you make these post? Is this
not equivalent to the same "low life" issues of which you speak?

73.....
Jerry

"John Jones" <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote in

> The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by CBer's,
> pirates, Bootleggers, welfare recipients, and other low-life.

1238. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000413220031.04395.00000155@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 114243

Oh I see now. Probably the same "type" of website they've put up on Dave (KJI). I'd give the URL but don't want to promote the crap. Gotcha Roger, thanks for the low down.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

1239. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr3950@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000413221044.12411.00001327@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 114244

Sir, word has it that Mr. Mahan is putting up a 3 wire beam. Can you guess in which direction? If it works anything like his single wire antenna did, you guys will need an attenuator.

1240. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d6012vtq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114245

In article <8d5q22$91r$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

> NEGATIVE. John didn't threaten me; he ENLIGHTENED me to the fact that
> he has the power to adversely affect the destiny of a fellow ham
> through a privileged connection to enforcement.

I'm disappointed in you. After all the years' experience you have listening to one blowhard after another saying they can do this and they have that, when it turns out they couldn't blow their nose if their brains were dynamite.

This guy is just one more blowhard saying he has something or can do something that not only is suspect on its face but fits that same blueprint of blowhardism that you've heard or read for years.

Challenge him. Tell him to try and get over on me. I offer myself up as a test case. Have him make his calls. See where it gets him.

LRod

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1241. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d6248$20g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8d5ee8cnj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:

> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
> requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my
> General class ticket.

Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
you FAILED to meet the requirements. Failing to meet the requirements
was a choice YOU made. No one did anything to you. YOU elected to not do
the work need to meet the requirements.

> I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
> pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago.

The correct way to say this is, "and get the ticket I FAILED to earn all
those years ago."

> It's not an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long
> overdue!

Ah yes, the something-for-nothing argument. You weren't due anything.
You CHOSE not to do the work for the license.

> I have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw
> op., but he never tried to force it on me.

That's not all he failed to teach you.

> He would be delighted to see me get my new privileges!

If you were my child, I'd be turning over in my grave, because you would
have been taught that something you get for nothing is no privilege.

LRod

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1242. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <ZPvJ4.156210$_G1.1235250@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 114247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Why would I be jealous of that fool? I've had an Extra Class license for
many years
am one of the most active VE's in the US with 10 years of activity!!!!

"teddy39" <teddy39@aol.com> wrote
> Actually what is real funny is knowing how jealous you are of him for ever
> having it in the first place!! LOL!!

1243. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d63br$1ve$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>I began listening to CB as a youngster and began talking
>on a CB in my teen years.
>my first CB several years ago, began using CB on a regular basis,
>CB,
>CB
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>CB.
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>CB
>CB
>CB.
>73 de W5TIT - Kim
>NCI 3343

I wonder if there's some CB-NCI connection. =:o
Does NCI require its members to be licensed amateurs?

Jeff

1244. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000413235044.11102.00001337@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114249

Guys guys guys ... this is Brother John we are talking about here. Brother John, like Radiosigs, is a good spirited individual. Brother John brings good insights to the ham bands just like Radiosigs brings good insights to this n/g.

Now let's lay this aside before it gets outa hand. Don't want either of these fine individuals to be offended in any way.

I don't get on 313, but I listen there a lot. I sure miss the religious repartee' between Brother John and KC1ZQ. Radiosigs, see if you can get these 2 talking some more. It would be nice to hear them "go at it" in their gentlemanly demeanor again.

1245. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000414000832.11102.00001338@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114250

Aha ! ! ! So that accounts for the absence of Sir Sidney. Well it will be nice to hear him again with his new antenna. Well, attenuators we have plenty of. And failing that, the old RF Gain knob should tame it down to acceptable levels.

Could be the SWL-ers will soon have reason again to listen to 3950 on Saturday night. Ahhhhhhh for the good old days.

1246. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: GH <nbc_red@hotmailSpAmNot.com>
Message-ID: <38F68B36.217B@hotmailSpAmNot.com>
Source record: 114251

perfidious wrote:

> Seems to me that many on the NG complain about CB'ers and freebanders.
> How would any of you "ticket holders" know they exist unless you are
> there listening?

So who says anyone who holds a valid ticket cannot listen to the
so-called "freeband" (and I hate to break your bubble but there is no
freeband, all those frequencies are allocated to licensed services).
However I don't have to listen there to know they are there, I hear
their splatter boxes with the gain on everything they can find cranked
to the max, splattering all the way up into the 10 meter band. It seems
that CBers have this stupid notion that if they cannot hear someone
using a frequency it is "free" for their taking.

1247. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f6980f.2210756@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 03:09:06 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <8d5ee8cnj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
>> requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my
>> General class ticket.
>
>Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
>you FAILED to meet the requirements. Failing to meet the requirements
>was a choice YOU made. No one did anything to you. YOU elected to not do
>the work need to meet the requirements.

That's absolutely true, and in 24 hours he WILL meet
the requirements because the requirements have changed.

>> I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
>> pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago.
>
>The correct way to say this is, "and get the ticket I FAILED to earn all
>those years ago."

Sour grapes and a love affair with the past?

>> It's not an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long
>> overdue!
>
>Ah yes, the something-for-nothing argument. You weren't due anything.
>You CHOSE not to do the work for the license.

Not at all. Times changed and the requirement he didn't
pass has been ruled out as unjustifiable anymore by the FCC.
Guess what, they don't teach sliderules anymore in tech
schools and college. Guess those people are just dumbed
down techs and engineers now.

>> I have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw
>> op., but he never tried to force it on me.
>
>That's not all he failed to teach you.

Yes, just 24 hours until you can really piss and moan.

>> He would be delighted to see me get my new privileges!
>

>If you were my child, I'd be turning over in my grave, because you would
>have been taught that something you get for nothing is no privilege.

Pure sour grapes.
If he were my child I'd say he recognized that progress
leads to changes. YOU may not like those changes,
but that's just the way it goes.

Cheers and welcome to all new and upgrading
hams now and after 4/15/00.

Bill K2UNK

1248. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <bKyJ4.48778$W5.475854@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 114253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

My story totally!
We used to have a large group that got together on weekends for beers(ok, maybe a lot of beer) and also one night during the week for the usual bunny hunt. For those that don't know what that is... It's when someone out our group(maybe 20 - 30 vehicles) would go hide anywhere with in the city limits and they would key up for 30 seconds and un-key for 2 minutes, while all of us would start spinning circles to find the signal. The winner usually got a case of beer...hmmm the good old days!
Now granted there were some... ok a few low life operators on there, but all in all it was good and fun.
Upper 37 was the place to be where there seemed to be an unwritten code of conduct, where there was the Tuesday night swap meet at 7pm and somebody always there to help when needed. What I found strange was the amount of HAM operators on Upper 37... although it was good for all the info, they helped me build my first antenna not to mention mic repairs and tower erecting.

I just had my CB in the pick-up from a 10 leave of it, but took it out as before because of all the skip bending my needle from the US.

CB for me was my learning zone, it taught me all the basics such as...
SWR, Antennas, Radio Conduct, Signal searching, Radio trouble shooting, grounding and drinking coffee(or beer) with a group that had the same interests.

Without CB I don't think I would have ever been interested in AR.

And yes, I had a license... and that didn't seem to make me better then the people who didn't after it was abolished.
--
EDDY

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:0B1015E24EB912CD.5F2950B892D249D1.131F7BFA42B9F6DE@lp.airnews.net...
| Since we're sharing :), I think the simple truth is that those who equate
| their thoughts about CB to that of some kind of lower form of life have
| truly not listened to CB in quite some time, and have certainly never
| listened to SSB. I began listening to CB as a youngster and began

talking
| on a CB in my teen years. That was my very first exposure to radio
as a
| hobby.
|
| I then bought my first CB several years ago, began using CB on a
regular
| basis, learned about ham radio via CB, took ham classes taught by
two
| CB/Hams and one non-CB Ham. Were it not for CB, I would not be in
the hobby
| of ham radio.
|
| The "AM" part of CB radio is pretty trashy; with either a flood of
signals
| or topics and language that no self-respecting person would involve
| themselves with. I didn't know a darn thing about SSB until one
night when
| a really thoughtful person (who was using SSB on the same channel
where my
| AM rig was at) was nice enough to switch modes and explain that the
| "buzzing" noise I was hearing was a whole bunch of people talking
on SSB.
| It was 2 days later when I bought my first AM/SSB CB.
|
| I have only a Tech+ license. I have only operated on 10M phone.
But, my
| experience in listening on all the other HF bands, and talking on
the Tech+
| portion of 10M, is that there is little difference between the two.
Before
| the critics keel over with heart attacks over that, consider that
CB is the
| one place where some of our most credible work for ham radio can be
| conducted. It is on CB that DFing conversations often take place;
it is on
| CB where we can do things that are not allowed on the ham bands,
due to the
| "pecuniary interest" restriction in the ham portion of the bands.
Maybe you
| don't consider that valuable, but I do.
|
| I think the unfavorable attitude towards CB radio and those who
enjoy it is
| more against the perception of a lower class of person in
general--it is
| generally thought that "anyone" on CB must be "one of those knuckle
| dragging, beer swilling" whatever you call 'ems. I'm here to tell
you I've
| heard those same kind of people on ham radio and they are just as

disgusting
| on ham radio as they are on CB.
|
| --
| 73 de W5TIT - Kim
| NCI 3343
|
| <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
| news:8d5pbrgqa1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
| > Remember....whenever standards are lowered, quality suffers.
ALWAYS. Years
| > ago when someone was interested in knowing the difference between
CB and
| > amateur radio, a ham could say, "WE EARN LICENSES, CBers don't"
and it was
| > the truth. What will a "welfare Extra" now say,"I earned my
higher grade
| > ticket?" Like hell he did. It certainly was a GIFT. From time to
time I
| > heard fellows saying, "I'm going to try to get my Extra BEFORE
April
| 15th."
| > That's admirable and anyone who stepped on it and pushed and
studied to do
| > it and has succeeded should be commended. In two days the entire
| composition
| > will change. perhaps irrevocably and if anyone thinks that
amateur radio
| > will become better for it is just plain nuts. Several years ago
WB2OTK
| > called a watch officer at an FCC monitoring station who told him
that for
| > all he cared, ham radio could become CB. It's going to happen in
2 days.
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| > Commission itself, along with the ARRL, will be responsible for
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| > that enforcement will not be practical? Riley has stated that he
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| > conflicts, no arguing on the bands since they are detrimental to
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| > contributing to exactly what the man opposes. How many arguments
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| > carpetbaggers who'll try to run things? The excess baggage

that'll flood
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| > enforcement will become useless and the amateur PHONE portions
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| > Phoenix will rise from the ashes and the lost art which wasn't
important
| > enough to warrant the retaining of the status quo will become a
badge of
| > honor and achievment for REAL HAMS. Dust off your Vibroplexes,
keyers and
| > straight jobbies-the great days will return. Hallelujah.
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| > >> a new CB and celebrate.
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| > >> After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few
endorsements
| tacked
| > >> on the license.
| > >

| > > Obviously you don't have a dog in the hunt. Why do *you*
care??
| > >
| > > - Jon NU4JJ
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1249. God and Riley Save Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28176-38F6B785-110@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114254

What a tempest in a teapot. Riley Hollingsworth is providing his good offices, together with telephone number, to quell and mediate disputes. So why is it necessary for any of us to exacerbate trouble with inflammatory posts?

No one should want harm done another. Isn't solving our problems better than making the alleged bad in people worse? After all, most of us are at least over 13 (the age at which I got my license) and have some measure of maturity. Let's use it!

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1250. dont try this@home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: darth-peter <ffm@home.nl>
Message-ID: <2cAJ4.637$uh7.184112@news1.dbsch1.nb.nl.home.com>
Source record: 114255

youre now welcome to select a show @

www.fuckfm.nl

1251. Re: God and Riley Save Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Looney of 75 <66lfines@aol.com>
Message-ID: <MPDJ4.15222$q67.491110@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114256

Robert Morris <AllAmericn@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:28176-38F6B785-110@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> Riley Hollingsworth is providing his good
> offices, together with telephone number, to
> quell and mediate disputes.
> So why is it necessary for any of us to exacerbate trouble with
> inflammatory posts?

He's also using his post to stifle free speech.
Somehow, the FCC seems to think that when I signed the back
of my licence that I somehow waived my rights to discuss
ANY topic whatsoever over the ham radio airwaves.
Takling on topics NOT CONFINED to technical discussions
ARE NOT verbotin on ham radio. (ONLY exception being
the famous "seven dirty words") If I want to discuss
politics on ham radio that's MY business, NOT the FCC's.
Since when did THEY become the arbitators of the content of speech?

1252. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d73ua$6a7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38f6980f.2210756@news.interactive.net>,
billsohl@interactive.net wrote:
> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 03:09:06 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >In article <8d5ee8cnj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> >> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
> >> requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my
> >> General class ticket.
> >
> >Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
> >you FAILED to meet the requirements. Failing to meet the requirements
> >was a choice YOU made. No one did anything to you. YOU elected to not
> >do the work need to meet the requirements.
>
> That's absolutely true,

You were doing real good up to this point. You should have stopped here.

> and in 24 hours he WILL meet the requirements because the requirements
> have changed.

Which has nothing to do with my comments.

> >> I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
> >> pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago.
> >
> >The correct way to say this is, "and get the ticket I FAILED to earn
> >all those years ago."
>
> Sour grapes and a love affair with the past?

No, statement of fact.

> >> It's not an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long
> >> overdue!
> >
> >Ah yes, the something-for-nothing argument. You weren't due anything.
> >You CHOSE not to do the work for the license.
>
> Not at all. Times changed and the requirement he didn't
> pass has been ruled out as unjustifiable anymore by the FCC.

Whatever the reason, his claim that he was done some wrong lo these many years is baloney. The responsibility is his, no one elses. It's sour grapes, nothing more.

> Guess what, they don't teach sliderules anymore in tech
> schools and college. Guess those people are just dumbed
> down techs and engineers now.

Specious argument.

> >> I have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw
> >> op., but he never tried to force it on me.
> >
> >That's not all he failed to teach you.
>
> Yes, just 24 hours until you can really piss and moan.

This isn't about me. It's about someone whining that he's OWED something because he ELECTED to not do the work for it.

> >> He would be delighted to see me get my new privileges!
> >
> >If you were my child, I'd be turning over in my grave, because you
> >would have been taught that something you get for nothing is no
> >privilege.
>
> Pure sour grapes.

Pure baloney. If you were my child I'd slap you up side the head for missing the entire point.

> If he were my child I'd say he recognized that progress
> leads to changes. YOU may not like those changes,
> but that's just the way it goes.

Yep, another point entirely missed. Whether I like them or not is irrelevant. His whining "poor me, I was denied" when it was HIS choice is the subject. Get back to me when you have something substantive to say on THAT subject.

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1253. Re: Let's adopt "Extra Plus"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F72AA8.EDF57C69@ahole.com>
Source record: 114258

I think you all need a life. Ham Radio is not the ends of the earth. Use what privileges you have and enjoy. Does it matter to you if you have a qso with a person that has a general, advance or extra? Does it make that much difference? It does not to me and when I talk to anyone on ham radio, be it on 440 mhz, 144 mhz, 50 mhz or HF I don't ask what class license you have. I really don't care. Just enjoying Ham Radio.

Fred wrote:
>
> To Eddie and anyone with at least a sane response. I ignore those who use
> obscenity or who are just basically clinically insane, but somehow manage to
> function enough to keep themselves out of an institution (ie: most of the
> old hams on this list).
>
> I am not an old timer, I just turned 40. I am also FOR restructuring and
> think code is a silly test of ham skills. OTOH, it is a weeding out of
> people who don't want to make a comittment. I wasn't going to be a chemist
> either, but they made me take it in College to be a EE. Frankly, a lot of
> us don't make our own rigs anymore either and there are no "user serviceable
> parts" inside, yet there is a lot of electronics on the test. The bottom
> line is that we have to test SOMETHING, and this is the best we have come up
> with.
>
> I accept and welcome all hams, new and old, except for the ignorant rednecks
> that seem to dominate 14.313 and parts of 80 meters and this list. However,
> I don't think it is fair to people who worked very hard to get what will
> always be the hardest qualifier, the one you couldn't cheat on, the CW test.
> You can argue that this is ego or bragging rights, but why do you think all
> the Advanced licensees scrambled to get in their tests before the 15th?
> Same thing, they want bragging rights. I am certain they don't want the
> tiny little extra band privildeges, most are only using VHF anyway and
> hardly any can take advantage of CW only high speed bands. What they want
> is to say they are extras and know that no one will no whether they got it
> the hard way or the easy way. I know several right in my circle who have
> been Tech Pluses and Advanced for over 25 years, and are now becomming
> Extras because it is "free".
>
> I think bringing more people into HF is great, especially if they crowd out
> the rejects who shouldn't even have a license. I also think that there
> should be a class called Extra Plus for the same reason there were Tech
> Pluses. I think it is a very fair compromise.
>
> Fred

> N4IXL

1254. Re: W4FQF = American Zero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F72B29.307473A8@ahole.com>
Source record: 114259

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>
> In article <20000413020531.23942.00002767@ng-md1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> > Subject says it all!
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> > N0VFP since 1993
> >
> > LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> > http://www.3950.net/
> > http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> > http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> > http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
> >
> Subject says it all!
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> NOVFP since 1993
>
> And STILL a NOCODE Technician. What a looooooooser!
>
> Dan/W4NTI
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> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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1255. infos about FT847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: F4TUG <f4tug-63@ifrance.com>
Message-ID: <MPG.13610d7ecc9297a498969c@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 114260

i go to sell my TS870 and buy a FT847 ,
is there a mail-list or a web site where i can found any infos or tips
about the 847 ?

merci, thanks, danke,...

1256. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F72D12.547B9780@ahole.com>
Source record: 114261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey butthead, you weren't denied anything! You just didn't qualify
by not passing the requirements. If you failed in school, which you
probably did, did you go to the school board and request a diploma
because you were denied one by not passing the requirements. Get a
life and hope you do enjoy your dumb down ham radio. Welcome to the
NEXT generation... What a bunch of looooooosers.

w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:
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> In article <8d4puackv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> jjones@radio.org.com.net (John Jones) wrote:
> > It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join the
> ARRL or buy
> > a new CB and celebrate.
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> an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long overdue! I
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> but he never tried to force it on me. He would be delighted to see me
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1257. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38F72EC7.5B5F1D54@ahole.com>
Source record: 114262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

But they are Kim, they are!

Kim W5TIT wrote:
>
> Since we're sharing :), I think the simple truth is that those who equate
> their thoughts about CB to that of some kind of lower form of life have
> truly not listened to CB in quite some time, and have certainly never
> listened to SSB. I began listening to CB as a youngster and began talking
> on a CB in my teen years. That was my very first exposure to radio as a
> hobby.
>
> I then bought my first CB several years ago, began using CB on a regular
> basis, learned about ham radio via CB, took ham classes taught by two
> CB/Hams and one non-CB Ham. Were it not for CB, I would not be in the hobby
> of ham radio.
>
> The "AM" part of CB radio is pretty trashy; with either a flood of signals
> or topics and language that no self-respecting person would involve
> themselves with. I didn't know a darn thing about SSB until one night when
> a really thoughtful person (who was using SSB on the same channel where my
> AM rig was at) was nice enough to switch modes and explain that the
> "buzzing" noise I was hearing was a whole bunch of people talking on SSB.
> It was 2 days later when I bought my first AM/SSB CB.
>
> I have only a Tech+ license. I have only operated on 10M phone. But, my
> experience in listening on all the other HF bands, and talking on the Tech+
> portion of 10M, is that there is little difference between the two. Before
> the critics keel over with heart attacks over that, consider that CB is the
> one place where some of our most credible work for ham radio can be
> conducted. It is on CB that DFing conversations often take place; it is on
> CB where we can do things that are not allowed on the ham bands, due to the
> "pecuniary interest" restriction in the ham portion of the bands. Maybe you
> don't consider that valuable, but I do.
>
> I think the unfavorable attitude towards CB radio and those who enjoy it is
> more against the perception of a lower class of person in general--it is
> generally thought that "anyone" on CB must be "one of those knuckle
> dragging, beer swilling" whatever you call 'ems. I'm here to tell you I've
> heard those same kind of people on ham radio and they are just as disgusting
> on ham radio as they are on CB.
>
> --
> 73 de W5TIT - Kim

> NCI 3343
>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8d5pbrgqa1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> > Remember....whenever standards are lowered, quality suffers. ALWAYS. Years
> > ago when someone was interested in knowing the difference between CB and
> > amateur radio, a ham could say, "WE EARN LICENSES, CBers don't" and it was
> > the truth. What will a "welfare Extra" now say,"I earned my higher grade
> > ticket?" Like hell he did. It certainly was a GIFT. From time to time I
> > heard fellows saying, "I'm going to try to get my Extra BEFORE April
> 15th."
> > That's admirable and anyone who stepped on it and pushed and studied to do
> > it and has succeeded should be commended. In two days the entire
> composition
> > will change. perhaps irrevocably and if anyone thinks that amateur radio
> > will become better for it is just plain nuts. Several years ago WB2OTK
> > called a watch officer at an FCC monitoring station who told him that for
> > all he cared, ham radio could become CB. It's going to happen in 2 days.
> > What puzzles me is why will the Commission bother with enforcement when
> the
> > Commission itself, along with the ARRL, will be responsible for such chaos
> > that enforcement will not be practical? Riley has stated that he wants no
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> > > Obviously you don't have a dog in the hunt. Why do *you* care??
> > >
> > > - Jon NU4JJ

1258. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <OpEJ4.12$R5.3562@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Johnson wrote:

>"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:

>> Au contrere' mon frere, here in five land heritage runs deep and some
>> sayings are particular to the area. nuff said ;->

>Excuse' moi, monsieur et pardonez moi, s'il vous plait. Our heritage on
>this particular saying allows us to *hunt* rather than fight. ;-)

Here in 1 Land, we talk so funny that we have learned to understand the
meaning of the saying no matter how it is expressed. :-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1259. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <YsEJ4.13$R5.3728@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LRod wrote:

>Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
>you FAILED to meet the requirements

And presumably after April 15, he will be granted a General ticket because
he will succeed at meeting the requirements.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1260. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <pREJ4.14$R5.3719@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 114265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

>There is a difference. Hams in 1963 probably cared more and they certainly
>had more intiative.

I see no evidence at all that the hams of today care any differently about ham radio than the hams of 1963. I see no evidence that they have less intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more. I studied those 16 pages to get all amateur privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of study guide to get the same thing.

> After they got their licenses alot of them had to build their own equipment. If they couldn't
> build, they'd get surplus military gear and modify it, often making it work better than it had to
> start with. Hams with money could buy off the shelf.

I was 13 years old when I was licensed. I didn't build a darn thing to get on the air; I borrowed a transmitter from W1BNB, my Elmer. A few months later, I bought an old National HRO-5 receiver off the shelf for $50 from Hatry Electronics in Hartford. A few months later, I bought a used DX-20, then a used DX-100 for my General operation. The only building I did was at some point, I took apart the DX-100 and rebuilt it all on a wooden chassis; it did NOT work better as a result.

Sure, there were homebrew rigs about, but the majority of the stations I worked were using commerical gear. My other Novice friends, equally young and equally poor, had commercial gear, too.

What you describe may have been true in 1933, but not in 1963,

> When you have to work harder to be a part of something you care for it alot more.

Under that premise, the new hams care more about ham radio than those who only had to study 16 pages of study guide.

> In my opinion, the hams of the 1940's, 50's, and 60's with their innovation and
>experimentation advanced ham radio more than any of these modern day
>Techie-talking code haters will ever do.

The percentage of hams, even in the 40s and 50s, that were active experimenters who advanced the state of the art, has always been small. Most hams then did what hams do today; buy commerical equipment that builds

on experimental work done only by a few. For a recent example, what is the ratio of the number of hams who developed PSK-31 to the number that use it?

> Amsat is the only group moving amateur radio forward with new emission types and the utilization of
> microwave frequencies.

I don't know that AMSAT has developed any new emissions types. Phase IIId will indeed use microwave frequencies, a good thing. Perhaps you are talking about TAPR? Even in that case, the work they are doing on spread spectrum is based mainly on technologies that were first implemented seriously outside the Amateur Radio Service.

> The League says gaining more hams by removing some exam elements will advance ham radio,
> they said the same thing about the no-code tech which didn't advance a thing.

The only exam element that the League's proposal asked to remove was the 20 wpm code test.

As to the NCT, let's see, it only added a few hundred thousand hams to the ranks, many of whom chose to upgrade. It only increased VHF activity several fold. The advancements brought forth by the NCT are, on the whole, not much different than the advancements brought forth by the other classes of license.

> I'm not requesting electronic experts, I'm reguesting hams have good operating practices and procedure,
> and it's gotten to sound a whole lot like CB over the last 10 years.

Not in the parts of the bands I have listened to. There are a few "trouble" areas, and, although there were a few trouble areas in 1963, the conduct of <0.1% of those licensed does seem to be a bit worse than it was in 1963. Now, you seem to imply that this is because the testing process is not rigourous enough to have prevented these people from getting licenses. I offer that the slight worsening of the degree (not the amout) of misconduct on the ham bands is a result of decades of the lack of FCC enforcement.

> And don't cut yourself short Ed, what you had to do as a ham in the early days was tough.

It sure seemed so at the time, but when I look at that study guide with today's eyes, I see how easy that exam really was. When I look, with today's eyes, at that study guide and the scope and amount that new hams have to study to get the same priveleges I was given so easily, I begin to understand how dumfounded some of these folks must be when one of the old timers starts saying that all that work is "dumbed down" from the "really hard" work he had to do to study those 16 pages and get his General and all amateur priveleges.

Are we sure it isn't a case of having to walk 10 miles to school uphill both ways in our bare feet on ice with barbed wire on our feet for traction?

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1261. FA: One Day Left, Drake R4-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <0d6efs0ot95dk9qftutpbcvljes29efmo6@4ax.com>
Source record: 114266
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hi all.

Just a reminder, there's just one day left on the ebay auction for a very special Drake R4-C. This unit is an interesting collectors item, having been an in-house engineering prototype at Drake.

Check it out at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=305449161

Thank you, and happy bidding.

Neil

1262. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "k.d. mOLSON" <wb1aaaa@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <IYFJ4.28016$y4.965058@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote in message
news:sfcl3328aln109@corp.supernews.com...
> [posted and mailed]
>
> Ed,
> There is a difference. Hams in 1963 probably
> cared more and they certainly had more intiative.
> After they got their licenses alot of them had to
> build their own equipment.

True, but also remember that when ARRL proposed and later
got it's "Incentive Licencing" from the FCC, nearly 75%
of the USA based ham manufacturer's went out of business
in the following 2-Year period, and lost a full 40% of
their paying membership in the organization.

I know. I was *there* when it happened, and it does not
suprise me that the guy (callsign?) who was ARRL Pres.
at the time came up with this disaster from which the
hobby has >NEVER< recovered. (The ARRL President
at the time was also known as a red-nosed drunk,
along with some of the Board members. They nearly had
to CARRY him out of the 1966 or 67 Dayton hospitality
room... He was so LOADED with Seagrams and Old #7
that he couldn't walk more than 3 steps at a time
without falling on his face. All hail our fearless
leader! All hail Incentive Licencing! Pass me
another drink boy! -hic-hic-hic)

> Amsat is the only group moving
> amateur radio forward with new emission types
> and the utilization of microwave frequencies.
> Using these new modes and frequencies might require
> a little effort on ones part, such as modifying
> or homebrewing equipment, but thats not anything
> different then what the early hams had to do to use
> HF in the early days.

Again true. But remember that AMSAT accounts for
0.8 percent of ham radio enthusiasts also. A drop
in the pond. This is a gem in the rough. If the AMSAT
boys could come up with a way to couple *wireless*
internet access with HamSats, THEN you would see some

interest in young people in ham radio.

Nahhh, it will not happen, too many folks want
stupid mores code and are bitchin and moaning
about April the 15th of 2000 or something.
Status-Quo, Same ole s--- different day.

> The ARRL has been talking bull out of both
> sides of its mouth and the whole thing has
> been a smoke screen money-grab, and it has
> suckered in alot of hams over the last year.

Not really, their membership stats are dropping
about 5% (or more) per year. The old standby
crowd is dying off. 15 per month to 1 new member
joining. This is what's called a revenue disaster.

All they're interested in is keeping their
ivory building well-covered in English Ivy
and those nice advertising revenue checks
rolling in the mail from the "Big-3"
Jap radio builders, and QST subscriptions.
Hope they have a big marble stone to plant
on Main Street in Newington in a Year or two...

> The League says it's moving ham radio
> forward, but I haven't seen any proposals. The League says
> gaining more hams by removing some exam elements will
> advance ham radio, they said the
> same thing about the no-code tech which didn't
> advance a thing.

Correct! And add to that as long as code is required for ANY
class of radio licence, you will never attract new
people. Code is about as relavant today
as buggy whips, horseshoes and dial-type telephones.
Come to think of it, much of ham radio is just as outmoded
too.

> Make it harder to be a ham and those that
> make it will certainly have the initative to
> move the service forward and protect it.

Yes, I am sure all EIGHT of the new hams will!

Guess what, you just >re-instituted< Incentive Licencing!

HOW the phuck does this keep re-appearing? It boggles my
mind why Hams are so addamant to think that making something
harder will somehow *increase* both quality and quantity. I don't
know about you, but between work, kids in college, time wasted
in commuting, weekend chores, soccer games for the
youngest etc etc I am lucky if I talk an hour-a-day on 2M

and this mostly while waiting in traffic on the Interstate.

Tell me, HOW is someone going to make time for code and
other arcane stuff to get an ham licence, when for FAR
LESS MONEY, they can pick up a Pentium-III computer
and be "Plug-and-Play" on the Internet with RealAudio
and a gazillion webpages and chatrooms to select from?

Finally, about 2 Meters.. HA HA HA!!

You can get a *pair* of Family Radio Service
UHF walkie-talkies from Motorola for about $120.00
No Licence. No learning code. No test. No problem.
Put 3 "AA" batteries in, and your on the air with 13 channels
and 32 PL tones to choose from. (MUCH cheaper than 2 Meter
rigs)

FACE IT GUYS HAM RADIO IS IN IT'S DEATH THROES. THE ARRL
KNOWS IT, AND SO DOES EVERYBODY ELSE. Hamfests are being
canceled all over, people AIN'T comming anymore. Dealers
AIN'T comming out anymore. It a non-stop ride down the
technological whirlpool of history. Used to be that
ham radio was UNIQUE. To talk to someone in Europe or
make a phone call from your car used to be something
new and interesting. Today, you can do all this on the
Internet and via cell phones and FRS radios.

FACE IT boys, ham radio IS as OBSOLETE as a vaccum tube
television set is in the Year 2000. Enjoy it for the
next 10 years at the most, before it's relagated to the
antique shelf display in a dusty corner at the Smithsonian.

And that, my friends, IS the real TRUTH.

1263. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "k.d. mOLSON" <wb1aaaa@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7hGJ4.28091$y4.966145@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:pREJ4.14$R5.3719@news.ntplx.net...
> I see no evidence at all that the hams of
> today care any differently about
> ham radio than the hams of 1963.
> I see no evidence that they have less
> intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more.
> I studied those 16 pages to get all amateur
> privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of
> study guide to get the same thing.

HORSE-APPLES! All they need to do 2-day is pass a simple
test in which the question pool has already been printed.
If that ain't tossing softballs, then I don't know
what is. They don't even need Dick Bash's old study guides
anymore either. Hey, while on this topic, will the ARRL please
now admit that they put the pressure on at the FCC to publish
the question pools, just so that they could put Dick Bash
out of business and retain the market for study guides?

The ARRL is at it's root, a publishing company, and as such those
who are in the publishing industry tend to get a little "testy"
when someone (Dick Bash in this case..) takes away their
(ARRL's) market.

Heck, I can remember when the Bash Study Guides were the hottest commodity
at any hamfest from Coast to Coast. People were
having them Fed-Ex'd the minute they rolled off the press! They were hotter
and in more demand than "nose candy" would be
at any Hollywood Movie celebrity party, while ARRL study guides
collected dust on the shelf....

What is the REAL STORY concerning the "Bash Study
Guides vs ARRL" battle Ed? I am sure some of us would
like to read this juicy tidbit of ham radio history
just as much as we would the un-redacted Warren
Commission report.

:) :) :)

1264. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F731C4.86C@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

EDMONTON wrote:
>
> My story totally!
> We used to have a large group that got together on weekends for
> beers(ok, maybe a lot of beer) and also one night during the week for
> the usual bunny hunt. For those that don't know what that is... It's
> when someone out our group(maybe 20 - 30 vehicles) would go hide
> anywhere with in the city limits and they would key up for 30 seconds
> and un-key for 2 minutes, while all of us would start spinning
> circles to find the signal. The winner usually got a case of
> beer...hmmm the good old days!
> Now granted there were some... ok a few low life operators on there,
> but all in all it was good and fun.
> Upper 37 was the place to be where there seemed to be an unwritten
> code of conduct, where there was the Tuesday night swap meet at 7pm
> and somebody always there to help when needed. What I found strange
> was the amount of HAM operators on Upper 37... although it was good
> for all the info, they helped me build my first antenna not to
> mention mic repairs and tower erecting.
>
> I just had my CB in the pick-up from a 10 leave of it, but took it
> out as before because of all the skip bending my needle from the US.
>
> CB for me was my learning zone, it taught me all the basics such
> as...
> SWR, Antennas, Radio Conduct, Signal searching, Radio trouble
> shooting, grounding and drinking coffee(or beer) with a group that
> had the same interests.
>
> Without CB I don't think I would have ever been interested in AR.
>
> And yes, I had a license... and that didn't seem to make me better
> then the people who didn't after it was abolished.
> --
> EDDY
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> _____________________________
> Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:0B1015E24EB912CD.5F2950B892D249D1.131F7BFA42B9F6DE@lp.airnews.ne
> t...
> | Since we're sharing :), I think the simple truth is that those who
> equate
> | their thoughts about CB to that of some kind of lower form of life

> have
> | truly not listened to CB in quite some time, and have certainly
> never
> | listened to SSB. I began listening to CB as a youngster and began
> talking
> | on a CB in my teen years. That was my very first exposure to radio
> as a
> | hobby.
> |
> | I then bought my first CB several years ago, began using CB on a
> regular
> | basis, learned about ham radio via CB, took ham classes taught by
> two
> | CB/Hams and one non-CB Ham. Were it not for CB, I would not be in
> the hobby
> | of ham radio.
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> | The "AM" part of CB radio is pretty trashy; with either a flood of
> signals
> | or topics and language that no self-respecting person would involve
> | themselves with. I didn't know a darn thing about SSB until one
> night when
> | a really thoughtful person (who was using SSB on the same channel
> where my
> | AM rig was at) was nice enough to switch modes and explain that the
> | "buzzing" noise I was hearing was a whole bunch of people talking
> on SSB.
> | It was 2 days later when I bought my first AM/SSB CB.
> |
> | I have only a Tech+ license. I have only operated on 10M phone.
> But, my
> | experience in listening on all the other HF bands, and talking on
> the Tech+
> | portion of 10M, is that there is little difference between the two.
> Before
> | the critics keel over with heart attacks over that, consider that
> CB is the
> | one place where some of our most credible work for ham radio can be
> | conducted. It is on CB that DFing conversations often take place;
> it is on
> | CB where we can do things that are not allowed on the ham bands,
> due to the
> | "pecuniary interest" restriction in the ham portion of the bands.
> Maybe you
> | don't consider that valuable, but I do.
> |
> | I think the unfavorable attitude towards CB radio and those who
> enjoy it is
> | more against the perception of a lower class of person in
> general--it is

> | generally thought that "anyone" on CB must be "one of those knuckle
> | dragging, beer swilling" whatever you call 'ems. I'm here to tell
> you I've
> | heard those same kind of people on ham radio and they are just as
> disgusting
> | on ham radio as they are on CB.
> |
> | --
> | 73 de W5TIT - Kim
> | NCI 3343
> |
> | <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> | news:8d5pbrgqa1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> | > Remember....whenever standards are lowered, quality suffers.
> ALWAYS. Years
> | > ago when someone was interested in knowing the difference between
> CB and
> | > amateur radio, a ham could say, "WE EARN LICENSES, CBers don't"
> and it was
> | > the truth. What will a "welfare Extra" now say,"I earned my
> higher grade
> | > ticket?" Like hell he did. It certainly was a GIFT. From time to
> time I
> | > heard fellows saying, "I'm going to try to get my Extra BEFORE
> April
> | 15th."
> | > That's admirable and anyone who stepped on it and pushed and
> studied to do
> | > it and has succeeded should be commended. In two days the entire
> | composition
> | > will change. perhaps irrevocably and if anyone thinks that
> amateur radio
> | > will become better for it is just plain nuts. Several years ago
> WB2OTK
> | > called a watch officer at an FCC monitoring station who told him
> that for
> | > all he cared, ham radio could become CB. It's going to happen in
> 2 days.
> | > What puzzles me is why will the Commission bother with
> enforcement when
> | the
> | > Commission itself, along with the ARRL, will be responsible for
> such chaos
> | > that enforcement will not be practical? Riley has stated that he
> wants no
> | > conflicts, no arguing on the bands since they are detrimental to
> the very
> | > esssence of the hobby/service. Yet, the Commission with
> restructuring is
> | > contributing to exactly what the man opposes. How many arguments

> will now
> | > pop up between hams who earned their tickets versus the
> electronic
> | > carpetbaggers who'll try to run things? The excess baggage
> that'll flood
> | > into HF will turn the entire thing upside down with such ferocity
> that
> | > enforcement will become useless and the amateur PHONE portions
> will be
> | > nothing more than "10-4 Good Buddy." What then will be the saving
> grace
> | for
> | > the old timers? " Charlie Whiskey." CW will gain more status
> than ever.
> | The
> | > Phoenix will rise from the ashes and the lost art which wasn't
> important
> | > enough to warrant the retaining of the status quo will become a
> badge of
> | > honor and achievment for REAL HAMS. Dust off your Vibroplexes,
> keyers and
> | > straight jobbies-the great days will return. Hallelujah.
> | > AF2Y
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> | > ----------
> | > In article <38F5FAC5.18921CD@nashville.com>, Jon Johnson
> | > <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:
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> | >
> | > > John Jones wrote:
> | > >>
> | > >> It's not an upgrade. It's a gift. Show your gratitude and join
> the ARRL
> | or
> | > buy
> | > >> a new CB and celebrate.
> | > >>
> | > >> After the 15th, new hams will all be Novices with a few

> endorsements
> | tacked
> | > >> on the license.
> | > >
> | > > Obviously you don't have a dog in the hunt. Why do *you*
> care??
> | > >
> | > > - Jon NU4JJ
> |
> |
Lots of Hams have their quest for radio (RF) knowledge ignited by
exposure to CB radio. Mine included-Martin N5PZJ Advanced Orphan

1265. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F73379.15B9@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:
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> Jon Johnson wrote:
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> >"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
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> >> Au contrere' mon frere, here in five land heritage runs deep and some
> >> sayings are particular to the area. nuff said ;->
>
> >Excuse' moi, monsieur et pardonez moi, s'il vous plait. Our heritage on
> >this particular saying allows us to *hunt* rather than fight. ;-)
>
> Here in 1 Land, we talk so funny that we have learned to understand the
> meaning of the saying no matter how it is expressed. :-)
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI
Ed, here in Cajun Land, its worse than trying to figure out a
Cape Cod'er since the heavy French Canadian Accent blurs our speech, had
to learn English pronounciations from a Texas
Teacher, so I talks funny, you'all..... Proudly different,
Martin N5PZJ Advanced Orphan, hopefully to be extra, I can do it
again, over and over.

1266. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <kb9tmp@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7fai$jg0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <bKyJ4.48778$W5.475854@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
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> My story totally!

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<SNIP>

> |
> | --
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> | NCI 3343
> |

Yes I to had a CB once and a CB license to go with it.
Those who look down on CB are just the type of people
who want to revise history and clean up (in their opinion)
the dirty parts. Seems I remember reading something
like that in the book 1984 "Hey Winston we don't like
CB's anymore rewrite history and make them the bad guys
this time" :0

BTW most of you must live in a bad part of the country
the CB'ers in this area are a pretty good bunch of people,
of course there are a couple of bad apples but the county
jail has a few bad apples housed in it, and some of them
have "NEVER TALKED ON A CB IN THERE LIFE!"

Go figure?

--
'73' From KB9TMP

It is best not meddle in the affairs of dragons,
for you are crunchy and taste good with ketchup!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1267. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F73E5E.3D51DF16@nashville.com>
Source record: 114272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
>
> ...here in Cajun Land...

So, how y'all is?? ;-)

Jon NU4JJ

1268. New software from DXSoft group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alexander Anipkin <aia@mail.ru>
Message-ID: <8d7hgv$m4a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114273

Hello!

I want to present new software from DxSoft group
AAVoice - digital voice processor
http://www.dxsoft.com/miaavoice.htm

Digital voice processor for amateur radio operators. It use prepared
"wav"-files for transmition. Optionally you can use simple circuit for
PTT-control. It has a lot macros for tramsmitting. Can cooperate with
RZ4AG AALog logger.

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Alexander Anipkin
http://www.dxsoft.com

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Before you buy.

1269. KC8JBO & 'Da BULL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO_horsehead@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8d7hh1$m4b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114274

I will be stopping by for a "fireside" chat this weekend, HORSEFACED BOY!!!!!!!! Tell the 'ole GOAT to fix me up some CORN.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1270. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <kb9tmp@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7hmb$m7m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114275
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Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:
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> >
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>
> So, how y'all is?? ;-)
>
> Jon NU4JJ
>

If I remember right from the old road gang with
Charle Douglas on WWL New Orleans it's
"Mornin' glory and how you is?"

--
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1271. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F746E4.F7B61DF7@icss.net>
Source record: 114276
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> HORSE-APPLES! All they need to do 2-day is pass a simple
> test in which the question pool has already been printed.

Those who believe it is a simple test don't understand the questions.

1272. Re: God and Riley Save Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d7hed$514$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114277

Negativo. Bob Sherin was talking about my postings in which I wrote that I was offended by Brother" John's implied threat of turning me into Riley because of my postings which he skillfully turned into the negative to prevent me from posting that he would turn me in to Riley because of my postings.Regarding free speech,the 1934 Communications Act specifically states that the FCC will not suppress it but nowadays you can take that promise and line the bottom of your birdcage with it.It works this way:if a stink is to be made against someone for ulterior motives, the Commission can take anything said by that person, protected speech, and state that, although protected, it was against the best interests of the hobby/service thereby eliminating said individual. This is known as arbitrary justice based on capricious, contemptible, nonsensical evidence.My recommendation for ham radio in light of current events to prevent forfeiture of one's ticket is the same course any man can take to prevent AIDS.Sit on your butt and keep your mouth shut.
AF2Y

In article <MPDJ4.15222$q67.491110@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Radio Looney of 75" <66lfines@aol.com> wrote:

>
> Robert Morris <AllAmericn@webtv.net> wrote in message
> news:28176-38F6B785-110@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
>> Riley Hollingsworth is providing his good
>> offices, together with telephone number, to
>> quell and mediate disputes.
>> So why is it necessary for any of us to exacerbate trouble with
>> inflammatory posts?
>
> He's also using his post to stifle free speech.
> Somehow, the FCC seems to think that when I signed the back
> of my licence that I somehow waived my rights to discuss
> ANY topic whatsoever over the ham radio airwaves.
> Takling on topics NOT CONFINED to technical discussions
> ARE NOT verbotin on ham radio. (ONLY exception being
> the famous "seven dirty words") If I want to discuss
> politics on ham radio that's MY business, NOT the FCC's.
> Since when did THEY become the arbitators of the content of speech?
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1273. >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000414124221.24876.00000190@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 114278

Bidding is at $500.00 Here's a chance to get a 706 really cheap!

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=301822093

comes w/ box - power cord and copy of manual

YOU NEED THIS RADIO!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1274. ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d7k88$p7e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114279

ARRL, in yet another attempt to be sure no one except relatives of current hams and friends of contesters become hams, is pushing for clubs

"to get free passes to a sneak preview of the film. A field publicity representative for the film's distributor, New Line Cinema, said that select clubs in the top 50 markets where early screenings are being held will be offered the opportunity to get passes to sneak preview during the week of April 24. Clubs contacted may also be asked about their promotional activities for the weekend of the movie's release. "

Instead of pushing for hams, terminally cheap as it is, to get in free, why is the ARRL once again rushing forward to cater to existing hams ? I thought the whole thing of this restructuring that they fought so hard to guide (sheah) was to get new hams ?

(of course, at this point, some ARRL know it all will say "oh no, the studio is pushing, not us", because they don't have a leg to stand on)

Then why aren't half the tickets or more going to schools, colleges, or technical schools ? Why, especially, aren't those people in the cities (black and hispanic) being approached to increase the numbers of these groups in ham radio ?

Wait. We all know. It's because if you're not a relative of a current ham or a friend of a contester or a relative, you're not REALLY wanted. Except as another slash mark in the total hams column at the FCC.

"Clubs are being urged to contact
their local theaters to inquire
when Frequency will show in
their area and about the
possibility of on-site promotion
on behalf of Amateur Radio. "

This ought to be fun as many hams can't keep their spurious signals out of a TV 2 blocks away, since most are running antiquated tube type CRAP.

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1275. ICOM to give away ONE (count 'em) IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d7l32$q72$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well, not only is ARRL guaranteeing free passes for clubs (screw the individual ham, and screw the schools and colleges where the new hams they want so badly [not] are found), but Icom is giving away ONE IC-746 to the club that does the best job of promoting ham radio.

What is it with the ARRL, that anything they stick their filthy hands in ends up being done through a club ? Any one want to wager on whether ARRL has aranged it so that rig will go to an ARRL affiliated club ? After all, if a club doesn't pay homage to ARRL, it's no good, is it ?

Have you ever been to a ham club meeting ? I know MANY of you have made comments to me over the years about what a nice CLEAN, NEAT group of men and WOMEN attend these meetings. There is never the faintest aroma of CIGARETTE SMOKE on any of their business suits. Which is amazing since so many arrive from their jobs as teachers, lawyers, doctors, and other office professionals. Of course, seating has never been an issue as these persons are never obese SLOBS, with their legs outstretched. I also know that many of you have remarked that you've never been in a room with so many POLITE, well-spoken, educated people in your entire lives.

People who would never waste their time bickering endlessly over whether to use voice or CW ID's or the code speed of the CW ID.

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1276. ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d7mcf$rm5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to not renew their subscription... er, "membership":

NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
Majerus.

Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
NQ1R.

Leading the discussions were Gordon West,
WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.

Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
"As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
said.

Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life support.

The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion, not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.

Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you >>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...

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1277. WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7mrb$s8t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114282

Just wondering where are all the apolgies due Dean Brown, AC5IU?
Remember, this is the guy that was "supposidly" nailed by the FCC for
jamming, and not using his call. And all you two bit hypocrits on here
that were jumping for joy. Show you are a man. You remember how dont
you?

FCC Amateur Radio Enforcement Log
Apr 10, 2000

ALBUQUERQUE, NM [UPDATE]: The FCC wrote Amateur Extra licensee Dean M.
Brown,
AC5IU, on April 4, 2000, advising him that it was rescinding a Warning
Notice
sent March 14 concerning operation on the 20-meter band. The FCC told
the ARRL
that additional evidence indicates that the licensee was not at fault
for the
alleged interference. The licensee was advised to disregard the Notice.

author: webmaster@arrl.org
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Dan/W4NTI
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1278. Re: >>>>>>>>>1 DAY LEFT on ICOM 706 <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d7n5cskf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114283

In article <20000414124221.24876.00000190@ng-ch1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (Bother Lloyd) wrote:

> Bidding is at $500.00 Here's a chance to get a 706 really cheap!
>
> comes w/ box - power cord and copy of manual
>

This reminds me of the ad for WWII Italian Army rifles:

Never fired, only dropped once.

LRod

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1279. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F939E2.8D4321A7@icss.net>
Source record: 113984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >> "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>
> >>>I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was
> >>>much easier.
>
> >>Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
> >>The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
> >>prepare for one's exam.
>
> >Show me the statement in the Y2K ARRL license manual where the Handbook is to
> >be avoided.
>
> Does the 2000 LM mention the Handbook? My '91 Extra LM makes no mention
> of it; the only outside reference mentioned is the FCC Rule Book and
> code tapes.
>
> His claim was that the material was much easier in 1963. You can get
> an idea of the body of knowledge an amateur could know by perusing
> the '63 Handbook; the material was *not* "much easier" then. The 16-
> page LM was to be supplemented with the 400+ page Handbook. Today's
> LM is self-contained.

Thats not what Ed said. The 16 page manual contained everything you needed to
know to PASS the EXAM,

> Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
> exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.

Now that is very true.

> Jeff KH6O+

1280. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F93D1A.177E301C@icss.net>
Source record: 113985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Brian wrote
> >Are you saying that the material might too difficult for the non-engineer
>
> If a person really knew the material on the Extra test, he should be able to
> find employment as (at least) and electronics technician. In most trade
> schools like DeVry, it takes from 1 to 2 years to bring a layman up to that
> level.
>
> I'm saying that the average guy, who just want's to be a ham, would rather
> spend the week memorizing the test, than 2 years at DeVry...

Does the FCC want hams to go to DeVry for two years?

I was trained as a meteorologist, and educated as a geographer and cartographer. I'm installing and programming automated hydro-meteorological sensors and data collection platforms, and programming the systems and sensors. They are powered with solar and lead acid batteries. They transmit to the GOES satellite at around 400 MHz. Kind of technical but not rocket science.

A few days ago I was a know-nothing Tech, according to my detractors. Soon I'll be the Extra you spoke of above.

1281. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eFdFkt1p$GA.342@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote
>Thats not what Ed said. The 16 page manual contained everything
>you needed to know to PASS the EXAM,

Those guys in 1963 must have been just half as smart as the 1949 guys,
because the 1949 manual has 32 pages...

1282. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F9408F.5B00CBC6@oio.net>
Source record: 113987

Robert,
Congratulations!
'Doc

1283. Re: TS-520 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F941A6.44B7E2BF@oio.net>
Source record: 113988

Dan/W4NTI,
I agree with half of your reply. He should retune
when changing bands.
I disagree with your comments about the G5RV. I
think rather than say "it should be reasonable on all
bands", your should have said that "it would be a miracle
if it was satisfactory on any band other than 20 meters".
'Doc

1284. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <ugqSXz1p$GA.304@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote
>A few days ago I was a know-nothing Tech, according to my detractors.
>Soon I'll be the Extra you spoke of above.

I've been talking of the merits of the *test*,
not the people taking it...

1285. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F942D2.7910C7AF@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> The 16- page LM was to be supplemented with the 400+ page Handbook.

Doubt it, Jeff. Here's what the ARRL said: "If our answers
sometimes seem to the initiated to be naive or incomplete,
rest assured that they are sufficient for the purpose."
That meaning seems pretty clear to me. No other material
required. Memorize the LM Q&A and you will pass the exam.
It worked exactly that way for me in 1951/1952 when you
were how old?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1286. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uW4bR31p$GA.271@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote
>Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.

The closest I can come is my 1955 handbook that I used through my teenage years. I don't think it even begins to have the complexity of the 2000 handbook...

1287. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F94447.2147A35E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob Wex w2ilp wrote:
> The motivation of
> any human to do more than required (especially for advancement in a non-
> profit hobby) can only be driven by self pride.

Which, from an evolutionary standpoint, probably includes a death wish.
Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man, that
expends more energy than required to perform a task. Do you know of any
cats who give a mouse a headstart? How about Purple Martins who give a
mosquito a second chance?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1288. Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark and Annette <gege@planetsos.com>
Message-ID: <sfii2qg5ivv86@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113993

I would bet that all the people who are complaining about license restructuring are the same people who thought that the 3point shot in basketball would ruin the game, that installing running water and electricity into homes was luxury we didnt need, that color TV was a bad thing, that installing lights at Wrigley field would destroy baseball in Chicago, etc. Change is inevitable. Why cant the oldtime HAMS welcome the new HAMS and be glad for us?? When I was trying to decide if this was something I would really be intersted in, I posted questions on the newsgroups and i received many reponses such as....Get your ticket then come back and talk to us..... Buy the NOW YOU ARE TALKING book followed by,...(you probably wont be able to understand it), HAM radio requires a license and until you get one dont waste our time. Finally one HAM, not an oldtimer, offered some help and I was on my way. Now that I have my ticket, I am embarassed by the way the new HAMS are treated by some on the list. Anyway, Congratulations to all who upgraded and to all who are new to the hobby.

Mark
KC0HND

1289. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <u3S0VT2p$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>Here's what the ARRL said: "If our answers
>sometimes seem to the initiated to be naive or incomplete,
>rest assured that they are sufficient for the purpose."

In my 1949 license manual ARRL said:
"The questions and answers in this booklet are designed to give you all the knowledge you need to answer correctly the actual examination questions. But it should be emphasized that the questions we list here are not the actual questions in the license examination, nor do they correspond question for question to similar examination items. What they are, however, are carefully prepared items designed to insure that you have the necessary knowledge to cope with the actual test queries."
[skip some]
"There may be several questions in the exact exam revolving around one simple discussion in this manual, but when you understand the subject you can readily check off the answers to any number of questions on it."

ARRL seems to encourage getting "knowledge" from the manual. It specifically says that the sample questions don't match the test, in fact one sample question may cover several test questions. How can that tacitly encourage no knowledge memorization...

1290. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uN1ZWT2p$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man, that
>expends more energy than required to perform a task.

Dogs that make several revolutions before finally lying down?

1291. UPDATE - http://www.ab7sl.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <charles@ab7sl.com>
Message-ID: <8dabfm$4mq$1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 114034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Drop by and visit AB7SL-Ham Radio Pages which has recently been updated. You'll find....

1. Ham Radio Links - that actually work and are kept updated
2. Equipment Photos
3.AB7SL Biography
4. Personal Photos
5. Station Description
6. Software Downloads
7. The DX Page
8. IOTA List - downloadable
9. W7NH - Elmer Tribute
10. Prescott,Arizona page - full of photos
11.Online Logbook - see who I have worked.
12. Music Page
13. Guestbook - leave your thoughts and remarks for all to read
14. Free-For-All Links Page - leave a public link to your site.

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AB7SL- Ham Radio Pages
http://www.ab7sl.com
Add YOUR SITE to my -- PUBLIC -- Links page
http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724

1292. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <Mq2K4.161884$_G1.1261208@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 114035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Learn to spell!!!!

(besides, no one gives a damm if you are mad!)

"dana" <dana@randomc.com> wrote
> all the bands away, and i am verry mad about it.
------------------------>> ^^^^ <--------------------

1293. Re: The Downward Sprial!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <61BF8F86262F49C6.3656E17758C613B7.39FEB6E0373CECB1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114036

On 15 Apr 2000 14:35:07 GMT, n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd)
wrote:

>Now do we begin to understand WHAT has happened to our culture in the last 50
>years?

Absolutely!

The level of education has sunk so low in this country that
even completely absurd right wing extremist babbling such as the rest
of your message has begun to sound rational to a dangerously
uninformed percentage of our population!

Scary, isn't it?

Rick

Listen to Liberty Net--the Jerry Springer Show of ham radio!

--

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1294. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <5qehfss8v7gmuup3evtfp2bkesr06gnedf@4ax.com>
Source record: 114037

On 15 Apr 2000 18:05:45 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
>No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

Congrats, you're now half a ham. Too bad you didn't have the guts to
do it when you had to get 20 wpm code.

1295. Re: The Downward Sprial!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Walton <kf6fgb@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <38F8CB04.4B831CBA@pacbell.net>
Source record: 114038

Why is it when someone gets on their soap box, people call him a supremacist, nut case, babbling idiot, etc.

I think "Brother Lloyd" posted some good points.... I don't think this was the forum for them... but, none the less, provoking thoughts.

W5LZ wrote:

> "Brother" Lloyd,
> Do you really want to sound like a 'nut-case'? I hope
> so, your doing a fair job of it with this stuff. If you
> want to convince me of anything, don't quote an editorial
> with out substantiation, otherwise, it's just an opinion.
> How do YOU differentiate between 'conspiracy' and a bad case
> of 'paranoia'?
> 'Doc

1296. Re: The Downward Spiral!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dal5u$ve0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114039

In article <38F8CB04.4B831CBA@pacbell.net>,
Brent Walton <kf6fgb@pacbell.net> wrote:

> Why is it when someone gets on their soap box, people call him a
> supremacist, nut case, babbling idiot, etc.

Well, first of all you have to differentiate among whom you are talking about. In the case of the author of the piece, David J. Smith, he is a supremacist, nut case, babbling idiot, etc. It has been well documented. He has been publishing this nonsense for years.

In the case of the poster, lloyd davies, he is a supremacist, nut case, babbling idiot, etc. That has also been well documented. He has been spamming the newsgroups with this nonsense for some time.

Come to think of it, as regards these two, you don't have to differentiate much at all, except one of them does have writing skills.

> I think "Brother Lloyd" posted some good points.... I don't think this
> was the forum for them... but, none the less, provoking thoughts.

Plain old spam. He hasn't posted anything with a positive contribution since he's been here. Check in some other of today's posts about how he claims to be a "fallen angel" while at the same time posting this rubbish.

Just a troll, nothing more. And not a very good one, either.

LRod

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1297. need adr for de jevu site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: luecknik@world-net.net
Message-ID: <38f8d1f1.9339190@news.world-net.net>
Source record: 114040

I thought the new ham test pool started TOMORROW!. It didn't-- I just flunked it by 2 questions. Anyway, I had the de jevu site in my favorites folder, but in my high state of excitement, I erased it. Need someone to email me the address, please. Thanks. james

1298. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dalrc$4b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114041

In article <8d8t10$5sh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>
> In article <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
> on: 14 Apr 2000 00:00:00 GMT
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Lloyd) wrote:
>
> > Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once.
>
> So what you are saying is, "it's okay for you (lloyd) to mouth off and
> make comments about other people's posts, but it's not okay for anyone
> else to make comments about yours." Is that it? Well, don't hold your
> breath. You are about to become my hobby.
>
> > What in the hell have i ever done to piss you off?
>
> Wow, where to start!?!
>
> Well, for openers there's your spamming with conspiracy theory, new
> world order, militia, rapture, and other nonsensical trash on this
> newsgroup. It's offensive in its message, it's inappropriate in this
> venue, and you don't even do the courtesy of citing the source of the
> material.
>
> Then there's your proselytizing about so-called Christian beliefs and
> ideals while at the same time spewing your agenda of hate and
> anti-semitism.
>
> Of course, we can't forget your post in January where you said you
were
> done with all that because you didn't want people making fun of you,
but
> within twenty minutes you were back at it.
>
> How about your "south will rise again" crap that you posted last
summer?
> Those of us who believe in America find that offensive, particularly
> from someone born and raised in the north.
>
> Then we have your "I know what's going on" posts such as "I know for a
> fact he's (WB2OTK) getting a NAL." Which, of course, never happened.
> We've "marked your words" so many times you've practically overtaken
RG8

> stair in unfulfilled prophecies.
>
> You consistently, without fail, pick losers to deify and celebrate.
> Contrary to what you may think, it doesn't take someone with some
> intelligence more than a week (less if one feels like dredging
through a
> lot of Deja files) to figure out who the stand-up folks are and who
the
> losers are in this newsgroup.
>
> You pretend to be some sort of player, some experienced guru, some
> knoweledgable veteran of life, and you can't even walk the walk. You
can
> hardly put two sentences together without mangling the words
> (congratulations; you almost did it above except for
capitalizing "I").
>
> That's all stuff that's offensive and maddening to the great majority
of
> normal people who make up most of the population. Hey, don't take my
> word for it; don't forget you were voted the "Number One Idjit" in Big
> Guy One's Idjit List Poll by members of this newsgroup (you probably
> thought it was a compliment when he changed it to "Rocket Scientist
> List").
>
> Now here's the personal stuff:
>
> On at least three different ocassions I set aside my dislike for you
and
> what you espouse, and offered you some kind words and sound advice on
> how to deal with certain situations and to explain why you get some of
> the responses you do.
>
> For that effort, I received zero, nada, zip, goose egg, zilch response
> from you. No thanks, no "kiss my ass," no by-your-leave. No
> acknowledgement that you would implement changes, discard suggestions,
> reconsider positions, nothing.
>
> When I asked you to document some claim you made, you harshly told me
> you didn't need to tell me anything, and that at a time when you
didn't
> even know me, and at the same time as you were attempting to badger
> someone else into publishing details of their personal life that were
> clearly none of your or our business.
>
> You told me you were "going to expose me for the fool that I am on the
> newsgroup" when you had neither the resources nor the evidence nor an
> eligible candidate for any such thing.
>
> You accused me of poor internet behavior, and when I pointed out the

> error in your assertion, you failed to acknowledge your shortcoming or
> even respond in any way.
>
> But, you haven't pissed me off. You don't have the resources to do
that.
> All you've done is provide a cornucopia of opportunity to tweak you,
> bait you, expose you, manipulate you, and generally hold you up to the
> contempt you have earned in the year I've seen your act.
>
> It's easy, it's fun, it beats playing shuffleboard as I relax in the
> Florida sun basking in retirement. I don't think you realize how
> overmatched you are. So just keep posting your juvenile troll spam,
and
> be prepared to be skewered each time within a few hours. Unless you
want
> to make some changes. The choice is yours.
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
It will be another week before you hear from Lllllllloyd....Why? He
misplaced his Webster.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1299. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F8D3F9.58391B29@icss.net>
Source record: 114042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Brian wrote
> >There are still people who go to the trouble to learn the material.
>
> True, and then there are the engineers who already know it.
>
> >There are still people who try to memorize it all.
>
> Which is the only resort for the layman, if he doesn't want to spend a year
> or more *learning* the material.

Are you saying that the material might too difficult for the non-engineer or
that it might not be relevant to an amateur license?

> >The material is far more complex than any exam
> >you ever took in amateur radio.
>
> I agree. But it is still a *meaningless test* if I can
> pass the test without learning the material...

Probably about as meaningless as the exams you took to get your license.

1300. Re: >>>>>>Riley, Fxxk's Up Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dam5f$f2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114043

In article <8d9nbiim1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
> Well folks, he screwed up yet again. What's this, six times? If he
were
> in the private sector,he would already have lost his job. Most be nice
> to hide behind the government. Can you say, Waco, Ruby Ridge? I bet,
> you can!
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
In all fairness Riley didn't mess up. The monitoring station that made
the report to him did. Read the original letter to Dean.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1301. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8damkc$10q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114044

In article <8dab1p$l1h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
> get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
> No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo
Lima" :-)
>
May I be one of the first to offer my congratulations. Give me a call
on 14.275 during the day, and 3.901 in the evenings. All of us in the
Goodfellows will welcome you to the fraternity.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Before you buy.

1302. Welcome to HF !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dan9i$1kr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114045

Welcome to the ham radio fraternity. And congrats on your recent
upgrade to HF. But remember...keep active on VHF/UHF or uncle will
sell them off.

Enjoy your new pridledges and don't worry about the idjits that are bad
mouthing you.

Dan/W4NTI
Ham 39 years.
Extra class 25.

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1303. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sfhnvasaivv147@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sorry Lair, I'd join you but I canceled my membership and sent in my badge. I'll wear a band of electrians around my arm. It wasn't old age that put'er down, it was a silly notion that quantity is somehow better than quality and laziness should be valued over ambition. So-long dear friend, you'll be missed.

Rabii Fiscus

yodoc@aol.comqfuspam (Larry Roll K3LT) wrote:

>Ladies and Gentlemen:
>
>Today is April 15, 2000. Today, the Amateur Radio Service, as we knew
>it and loved it, has officially died. While the no-coders who will
>soon be holding their Welfare General and Welfare Extra-class licenses
>dance on the grave of our beloved Amateur Radio Service, I hereby
>implore you to show it the proper respect it deserves.
>
>As of Midnight UTC on this date, I will be officially observing 24
>hours of radio silence on the HF bands. I will also display a black
>strip of electrician's tape across the call sign on my ARRL callsign
>badge from now until Field Day. I urge all "real amateurs" who
>disagree with the "Restructuring" to do the same.
>
>Rest in Peace, Ham Radio. You were a good and faithful friend!
>
>73 de Larry, K3LT
>
>Lawrence J. Roll, K3LT | FISTS nr. 2008; CC nr. 703
>k3lt@ka3bdr.#cde.de.usa.noam |
>http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?K3LT (302) 678-4841
> | ARRL OBS - DE
>

1304. TS-520 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Susan <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
Message-ID: <sfho2uk8ivv90@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114047

Hello everyone. I own a Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver, and it has a tube-type final for it's transmitter. It's receive is solid state. My question is if I change bands (say from 10 meters to 15, 20, 40, etc.) do I have to re-tune the transmitter? I recently upgraded from Tech Plus to General, and want this info before I start transmitting with my new privileges. Also, do I need an antenna tuner if I use a G5RV Dipole antenna?
Thanks
Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG

1305. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38f8e13e.23150443@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114048

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 21:23:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>May I be one of the first to offer my congratulations. Give me a call
>on 14.275 during the day, and 3.901 in the evenings. All of us in the
>Goodfellows will welcome you to the fraternity.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>

Dan is just recruting more rejects for his merry band of idiots. The
new welfare hams will go nicely with you bunch of losers.

1306. Re: A Disturbing e mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8danrc$a2j$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114049

I certainly have nothing against John trying to put David on the right road to Damascus. In fact I applaud anyone who can distance David from his preoccupation with homosexuality and lesbianism and truly hope neither is a predilection or an occupation although to David they are obsessions. In person I found John to be a gentleman, his wife a lady and if they'd stop back again, both would be welcome. John has never insulted me or demeaned me in any way and when I was odds with him a few years ago it was because he had lost sight of whom was sincere and whom was rotten on .313 and went overboard trying to appease the rotten. I mean like that song, "Oh Herbie" wasn't exactly telling the truth about the lousy felon who was directly responsible for getting the whole mess started. But getting back to John vis a vis David, I don't believe anything can help the latter. Of course Fred Roll had the chance having met him in person however Fred took the high road whatever the hell that means. It must mean something to John who gave a three day sermon on that great adage which came from the mouth of Jan Harding in a sober moment. Oops, I mean a sombering moment.My apologies. The only real hope we hams have concerning David is to hope he restests twice more. The first one will downgrade him to Novice and the second to Vanished.

In article <20000413235044.11102.00001337@ng-fn1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> Guys guys guys ... this is Brother John we are talking about here. Brother
> John, like Radiosigs, is a good spirited individual. Brother John brings good
> insights to the ham bands just like Radiosigs brings good insights to this
n/g.
>
> Now let's lay this aside before it gets outa hand. Don't want either of these
> fine individuals to be offended in any way.
>
> I don't get on 313, but I listen there a lot. I sure miss the religious
> repartee' between Brother John and KC1ZQ. Radiosigs, see if you can get these
> 2 talking some more. It would be nice to hear them "go at it" in their
> gentlemanly demeanor again.

1307. Re: >>>>>>Riley, xxxx's xx Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38F8E2F9.36CA5361@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 114050

Dan/W4NTI wrote:

> In all fairness Riley didn't mess up. The monitoring station that made
> the report to him did. Read the original letter to Dean.
>

In any organization, Dan, responsibility for what happens within
that organization rests with the top man. An innocent person
was publicly branded a "jammer" before the whole world.
Mr. Hollingsworth is responsible for that error.

I don't say Mr. Hollingsworth should "lose his job" because
he failed to check a report from his subordinates.
Tossing a good man who's correct 99.9% of the time
because he's human and fallible is foolish.
If he and the many others who rushed to judgment in this matter
learn some extra patience and discretion, that's good enough---
except for this:

Tell me- Where does AC5IU go to get his good name back?

Think about it- Next time, it could be any one of us.

73 Dave S.

1308. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415174700.10360.00001758@ng-bj1.aol.com>
Source record: 114051

Congratulations??? For WHAT? Being able to hold his hand out long enuff to get a HANDOUT???

Kï¿½MB

1309. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dao61euf1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114052

Thank you very much for the kudos and I have a feeling you're Douglas Gerry,
NR5T. Right?

In article <swYJ4.19302$q67.572742@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Radio
Porky" <granola@nel.com> wrote:

>
> Binky Balls <Catch Me.@edu.com> wrote in message
> news:38f80da0$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com...
>
>> Doc, in all respect please stop deluding yourself that you were the main
>> calling card on .313. Your calling card was pulled when Riley sent you his
>> greetings. You were not "popular", Doc. You were more like "caustic".....
>
> Your welcome to your opinion. I for one would rather listen
> to the wit-a-cisims and "woids" of AF2Y for a month of Sunday's
> over hearing just another 5 Minutes of that anti-Semite asshole
> and Ernst Zundel loving, Holocaust Revisionist espousing slimeball
> felon - down in the U.S.V.I. comming thru the radio speaker...
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>> -----= Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News =-----
>> http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
>> -----== Over 80,000 Newsgroups - 16 Different Servers! =-----
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1310. HF Nets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Susan <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
Message-ID: <sfhosr55ivv149@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114053

I am new to HF, and would like to find some nets on HF to check in to. I have hears some (maritime mobile, swap, UFO, etc) but am not sure when they meet or how often. Thanks
Adam
chip1@theramp.net

1311. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8daoc5$32u$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114054

When I did a trace on Binky I came up with
UUNET Technologies, Inc. (NETBLK-UUNET63) UUNET63 63.64.0.0 -
63.99.255.255
MicroVillage, LLC (NETBLK-UU-63-75-240) UU-63-75-240
63.75.240.0 - 63.75.255.255
It's interesting but what the hell does it all mean?

In article <8d9u1i$73k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> 63.75.243.100

1312. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415180843.11116.00001812@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114055

Thanx for the notice that others have reached out to him . He claims nobody ever tried to help him and I hold him in disdain. Convenient memory kicking in.
This much I know of personally:
One guy sent him a set of code practice tapes.
2 guys invited him to hang out at a hamfest.
1 guy invited him home after the hamfest.
1 guy lent him an antenna analyzer to adjust his ham-sticks.
5 guys invited him to hang out at a hamfest, then join them for supper that evening.

The thanks shown to this group? Things said in confidence were noised abroad in minute detail. Later comments were made regarding "those nasty Jews", when a member of the group who befriended him happens to be Jewish.

And now I get preached at about forgiveness, and my church is no good. Maybe so. Maybe I should find a church that promotes double standards and hypocrisy and back stabbing people who try to be your friends.

He's forgiven, no problem. But he shouldn't be sad that there is no more trust. He worked hard and deliberately to destroy that trust. We extended a red carpet. He tracked mud on it. So if there is no trust now, I wonder who is to blame.

We trusted him before. Now he's mad that we don't trust him. Sorry. Maybe this will teach him a valuable lesson. When someone is nice to you .. be nice to them. Or else risk losing a friendship you might want later. Is it rocket science?

Thanks again, Dan. Radiosigs .. what do you think?

1313. Re: TS-520 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Coredump <coredump@noxspam.enteract.com>
Message-ID: <9jqhfsohj4v7dcf6tlbpedeffkniqm04s0@4ax.com>
Source record: 114056

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 16:35:24 -0500, "Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:

>Hello everyone. I own a Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver, and it has a
>tube-type final for it's transmitter. It's receive is solid state. My
>question is if I change bands (say from 10 meters to 15, 20, 40, etc.) do I
>have to re-tune the transmitter?

Yes

> I recently upgraded from Tech Plus to
>General, and want this info before I start transmitting with my new
>privileges. Also, do I need an antenna tuner if I use a G5RV Dipole antenna?

--
coredump@NOSPAM.enteract.com
http://www.enteract.com/~coredump
Trying to make a buck on the Information Superhighway

1314. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F8EA6D.434B29A3@icss.net>
Source record: 114057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

> Sorry Lair, I'd join you but I canceled my membership and sent in my
> badge. I'll wear a band of electrians around my arm. It wasn't old age
> that put'er down, it was a silly notion that quantity is somehow better
> than quality and laziness should be valued over ambition. So-long dear
> friend, you'll be missed.
>
> Rabii Fiscus

Sayonara

1315. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415182854.00590.00003838@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 114058

In article <20000415115425.15259.00001594@ng-cn1.aol.com>, nomonkeys@aol.com (No Monkeys) writes:

>Oh, great. More blacks and hispanics are just what we need to drive the final >nails into ham radio's coffin. You HAVE to be kidding! Do you REALLY want the >airwaves to become the RF equivalent of Haiti?

Hey, "No Monkeys"...can you repost the bit you did several months ago about "goin to da white suburbs and steelin cahhs" and "havin some mo dat frihhd shickunn?"

Funnest damn thing I'd read on this newsgroup in a long time!

1316. Re: HF Nets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John 1952 <john1952@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dasbg$74m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114059

In article <sfhosr55ivv149@corp.supernews.com>,
"Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:
> I am new to HF, and would like to find some nets on HF to check in
to. I
> have hears some (maritime mobile, swap, UFO, etc) but am not sure
when they
> meet or how often. Thanks
> Adam
> chip1@theramp.net
>
Try
http://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/nets2you.html

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1317. WTB: UNIDEN HR 2510 RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eagle One <zbr@edmail.com>
Message-ID: <3b6K4.1596$bZ5.97285@news1.primary.net>
Source record: 114060
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I want to buy Uniden HR 2510 10 meter radios. New or used. Please include your asking price on first e-mail. Sent to: radiobuyer@hotmail.com

1318. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415183807.03477.00001283@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 114061
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Subject: Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.
>From: vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL)
>Date: 04/15/2000 4:32 PM Central Daylight Time

>Sorry Lair, I'd join you but I canceled my membership and sent in my badge. I'll wear a band of electrians around my arm. It wasn't old age that put'er down, it was a silly notion that quantity is somehow better than quality and laziness should be valued over ambition. So-long dear friend, you'll be missed.<

Well, Folks, I have had to suffer through two REAL funerals in the last 12 months...this "phantom" one I will pass attending.

No, I didn't want to the the Code test changed as drastically as it was, but the biggest change was in the written nad the number of test questions in total. THERE is where Amateur Radio will suffer...in the lack of technical infrastructure.

Until the tests are reinforced and we restore some credibility to what was once a respected and even revered program, THERE will be the weak link of Amateur Radio. I don't care if there's only ONE class of license, if it has no credibility as a true determination of technical knowledge or skill, it's a paper tiger.

73

Steve Robeson, K4YZ

1319. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8darl5ebc1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was
>much easier.

Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
prepare for one's exam.

Jeff KH6O+

1320. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8das9b$ev0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114063

Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:
>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.

Yesterday you would have been a bootlegger.

Jeff KH6O+

1321. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8das4q$et6$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>J. Duffy Beischel wrote

>>Without the ARRL there would be no amateur radio

>In the whole world? Pretty powerful organization...

You can read all about it in DeSoto's "200 Meters and Down."

Jeff KH6O+

1322. Re: >>>>>>Riley, xxxx's xx Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dasqvfhv1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114065

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>In any organization, Dan, responsibility for what happens within
>that organization rests with the top man.

That would be Kennard, not Hollingsworth.

>Tell me- Where does AC5IU go to get his good name back?

CW.

73, Jeff KH6O+

1323. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8daslmffq1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

yodoc@aol.comqfuspam (Larry Roll K3LT) wrote:
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>it and loved it, has officially died. While the no-coders who will
>soon be holding their Welfare General and Welfare Extra-class licenses
>dance on the grave of our beloved Amateur Radio Service, I hereby
>implore you to show it the proper respect it deserves.

30m doesn't sound any different...

73, Jeff KH6O+

1324. Re: >>>>>>Riley, xxxx's xx Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000415191250.00129.00001554@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 114067

Sounds to me like one of two things happened. 1) The monitoring facility couldn't tell the difference between a tape and the real thing., or 2) AC5IU convinced Riley on the phone that it was a tape, which it may very well have been.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

1325. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dav6d$9tt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114068

How's that old saying go......Fool me once shame on you, Fool me twice shame on me.

That about covers it.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Before you buy.

1326. Re: TS-520 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8davf8$a7e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114069

In article <sfho2uk8ivv90@corp.supernews.com>,
"Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:
> Hello everyone. I own a Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver, and it has a
> tube-type final for it's transmitter. It's receive is solid state. My
> question is if I change bands (say from 10 meters to 15, 20, 40,
etc.) do I
> have to re-tune the transmitter? I recently upgraded from Tech Plus to
> General, and want this info before I start transmitting with my new
> privileges. Also, do I need an antenna tuner if I use a G5RV Dipole
antenna?
> Thanks
> Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
>
>
Yes you will need to retune it.

If the G5RV is actually working properly the SWR should be reasonable
on all the bands, with the exception of the WARC ones(which your rig
wont work anyway).

If you don't know, or are not sure, how to tune it up I'll be glad to
help. I have had one of those rigs before and still have a 530.

Congrats on ur upgrade and have fun!

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1327. Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38f90012.31044132@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 114070

Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.

1328. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <sfi2cim5ivv183@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

folks who want to proctor amateur radio examinations have to meet certain criteria (spelled out in the rules).

most of the exam coordinators issue badges for those meeting the requirements.

Dave <cubit@prodigy.net> wrote in message news:8d33oj$f9s$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com...
>
> What is a VE badge?
>
>

1329. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F90C2C.2488D2E4@icss.net>
Source record: 114072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
> >I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was
> >much easier.
>
> Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
> The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
> prepare for one's exam.
>
> Jeff KH6O+

Show me the statement in the Y2K ARRL license manual where the Handbook is to be avoided.

1330. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <flkdsjaf@sdkjfhsfsdkjf.fal.pp>
Message-ID: <8s2ifsoqka1ka7jnahl8auudpsre974i4m@4ax.com>
Source record: 114073

On 14 Apr 2000 13:41:53 -0500, Michael Borowiec
<8d7oph$10nd$1@Mars.mcs.net> wrote:

>In article <8d7k88$p7e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>
>>This ought to be fun as many hams can't keep their spurious signals out
>>of a TV 2 blocks away, since most are running antiquated tube type CRAP.
>>
>Uhhh... what universe are you from?
>- Mike, WA9CQ

You must be new, please use kill files in your news reader to skip
over the lunatic fringe in these rec.radio.* news groups. It makes
it a much more enjoyable experience.

--

Kevin
http://nworegon.htmlplanet.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL
and Ham Radio topics and links.

1331. Re: infos about FT847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38F913BB.56B8AA03@sccoast.net>
Source record: 114074

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> You go to make a big mistake, unless you don't care about HF anymore.

About the only person who would be dissatisfied with this rig on HF is the dedicated HF contester, and that person would probably be buying a much more expensive unit. The radio performs just fine on HF.

> The 847 has no SWR meter, a cheesier tuning knob, not as good dsp, needs
> IF filters to do any better, has no tuner, and the two worst parts:
>
> Poorer receiver performance as per ARRL and also a noisy T/R relay.

I would prefer a separate VSWR meter. The tuning knob feels just fine to me (a matter of personal preference). No complaints about the DSP. Yes, IF filters can improve performance, but the radio does just fine without them. Nothing wrong with a separate tuner if you need one (many radios come like that).

And finally, I was not aware of poor receiver performance or a noisy T/R relay. Both seem just fine on my radio.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

1332. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <18d66562.da38ec95@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 114075

What's more fun and rewarding that earning a ham ticket the
hardest and most humanly awkward way possible?

Realizing that there are people alive out there like you who
are having a permanent aneurysm!

Nyuck, nyuck, nyuck...!

PS: I don't need to upgrade!

Let the ng know which is your face, and which is your ass, and
maybe someone will oblige you on your request. Count _me_ out
though, I am strictly limited to the opposite sex. But I wish
the _best_ of luck in the responses you receive...:)

In article <38f90012.31044132@news.mindspring.com>, (John) wrote:
>Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the
government
>to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals
enjoy
>what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.
>
>

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1333. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <56A13309A7AD5070.7FE4FCD919B76F12.3D99E463EB05326B@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114076

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 23:54:06 GMT, (John) wrote:

>Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government
>to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy
>what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.

Poor John.

His elitist world just collapsed around him and he can't deal
with the loss.

Funny how some of us with pre-restructuring Extras feel
threatened by the presence of other hams who didn't have to go through
the same hazing ritual (20WPM cw) that we had to undergo, while others
of us (hopefully, the majority) welcome the new additions to our
numbers, isn't it?

From the perspective of a pre-restructuring Extra who _agrees_
with the changes that took place today--welcome to the Extra class (or
General class, of course)! I, for one, look forward to meeting you on
the air in the future!

73, Rick -- ke8hh

--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@arrl.net
adamsr@voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1334. Re: BEST HF TUNER??-HELP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8db955$24s$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114077

Please refrain from shouting so loudly!!

-------->>> THIS IS SHOUTING <----

-------->>> This is not shouting <--------

copy?

Thanx

Trish
--
Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
....
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu:11371/pks/lookup?op=vindex&search=0xEDECB44F>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

KC8LVJ <rjc100@attglobal.net> wrote in message
news:38F61FDB.65D1@attglobal.net...
> CAN YOU RECCOMEND A GREAT/BETTER TUNER?
>
> I AM CURRENTLY USING A MFJ-949E TUNER FOR HF AND HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY
> IN CONSISTANTLY GETTING MY MUTIBAND(40-10 METER) DIPOLE TUNED.
> IT TUNES WELL ON ALL BANDS AT TIMES AND AT TIMES I CAN NOT GET IT TO
> TUNE AT ALL.
>
> I CHECKED ALL OTHER CONNECTIONS AND AREAS AND THEY ARE IN CORRECT ORDER.
> EVEN MFJ THINKS THEIR MAY BE A PROBLEM WITH THE TUNER. (ONLY 3 MONTHS
> OLD).
> IS THERE A BETTER TUNER THAT I CAN DEPEND ON TO BE CONSISTANT IN USE???
> T H A N K S

1335. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F92A3C.37A5@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114078

MailfrmPA wrote:
>
> Congratulations??? For WHAT? Being able to hold his hand out long enuff to get
> a HANDOUT???
>
> Kï¿½MB
Sour Grape troll, found only under better bridges everywhere.

On behalf of Amateur Radio, welcome, sorry, we have our share of
misfits who think code is personal, but not everyone is like
this, some even have manners, others think insults make them elite.
Martin N5PZJ

1336. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F92B81.4080@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114079

John wrote:
>
> On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 21:23:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >May I be one of the first to offer my congratulations. Give me a call
> >on 14.275 during the day, and 3.901 in the evenings. All of us in the
> >Goodfellows will welcome you to the fraternity.
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
> >
> >--
> >"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> >
> Dan is just recruting more rejects for his merry band of idiots. The
> new welfare hams will go nicely with you bunch of losers.
Rather be with Dan's Band of Merry Ladies and Gentlemen than your sour
grape attitude, a troll of genuine bridge life, Oh John of nothing,
Sorry, I must apoligize again for people who have no manners. Welcome
to Amateur Radio HF and
don't neglect VHF/UHF, we must occupy or lose it all.
73 de Martin N5PZJ

1337. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F92E9E.BDE774BA@IEEE.org>
Source record: 114080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
> The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
> prepare for one's exam.

Read between the lines, Jeff. The LMs said, "If our answers sometimes seem to the initiated to be naive or incomplete, rest assured that they are sufficient for the purpose." Translation: Rote-memorize everything in the license manual and you will pass the exam. Because of the existing political climate at the time, the ARRL couldn't afford such an utterance but their meaning was crystal clear to anyone with an IQ higher than his/her age. How old are you, Jeff?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1338. Re: TS-520 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary C. Lewis" <gclewis@penn.com>
Message-ID: <38F94A18.7B57@penn.com>
Source record: 114081

Yes you will have to re-tune not just with band changes but also when you move up or down about 15 kc's or so, just a tweak. That G5RV is not a true multiband antenna most people think it is. You should look into using a multi-band homebrew. One coax feeds all 5 bands. The formula is pretty straight foreward it's in the antenna book.
As to your second post about "Nets". There are many, it depends on what you want to do. There are traffic nets that cover all of the US and some 3rd party countries. They can always use new people especially around the holidays.
Listen around and see what your interests are. There is a lot to be had in the Amateur Radio Service. You will meet people from all walks of life from all over the world. There are contest run from all over the world, they help with your operational skills plus they can be a good time. I run qrp when I contest, 3 1/2 watts output. The best contact I ever made qrp was running 750mw with an HW-7 to a ZL for 20 minutes. You know how hard that can be. I own an "amp" but never needed it. Good wire as high as you can get it is all you really need.
The 520 you have is a good radio. It will serve you well for years, I don't much care for the CW filter however. It should have been designed so it could "in or "out" not in all the time. It makes it hard to hear the weak ones.
Got to go. Have a "Dixie-Sixty" that needs to be worked on. Want to alter the audio a bit. Hey for the age of the set it is still in good shape, just don't care for that damned clamp tube.

1339. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eI20tY1p$GA.303@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 114082
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote
>Are you saying that the material might too difficult for the non-engineer

If a person really knew the material on the Extra test, he should be able to find employment as (at least) and electronics technician. In most trade schools like DeVry, it takes from 1 to 2 years to bring a layman up to that level.

I'm saying that the average guy, who just want's to be a ham, would rather spend the week memorizing the test, than 2 years at DeVry...

1340. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uH6FvY1p$GA.361@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 114083
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote
>You can read all about it in DeSoto's "200 Meters and Down."

Does it say that there would be no ham radio anywhere in the world today if it were not for the ARRL??

1341. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred1@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d8u77$71v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <sf82c4274nk23@corp.supernews.com>,
vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL) wrote:
>
> I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
>
> KB7ADL
>
Did you simply mail the credential back to the VEC or did you
include a letter specifically requesting that you be disaccredited?
Simply returning the credential may not do that. If you really want
to make sure you are disaccredited, mail your license back to
Gettysburg with a letter requesting that your amateur license be
cancelled. Once you can confirm that your amateur license has been
cancelled, you can relax because you are no longer qualified to serve
as VE and the VEC's accreditation will be moot.

....Fred1

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1342. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000415022219.08082.00000332@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114085

>It ain't gonna work, pal. You made some memories that are NOT going to die.
>Now run along and make kissy-kissy with your heroes. Get off the fence. And
>look elsewhere for backs to stab.

I guess people like you like to hold grudeges and not want to forgive and
forget and try to help a fallen Christian. Guess that says books about the
kind of Church you attend?

>Bottom line .. nobody likes a 2-faced back stabber. "Netters" don't like
>them.
> "Jammers" don't like them. "Friendlies" don't like them. Canadians don't
>like them. Tennessee boys don't like them. And above all ... "those nasty
>Jews", aka "that Florida personage" don't like them. Get it?
>
>
>

He that is w/o sin, cast the first stone

maybe i made some mistakes, would it make a difference? i guess people like
you are look down others.

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1343. AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Binky Balls <"Catch Me."@edu.com>
Message-ID: <38f80da0$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 114086

Poor Doc. Ya gotta laugh up your sleeve at him....
Doc tried to foist himself as a cross between Groucho Marx and Walter Winchell...comedy and parody at its poorest.
Unfortunately, the only Marx brother that Doc seemed to best emulate was Carl Marx.
Doc, in all respect please stop deluding yourself that you were the main calling card on .313. Your calling card was pulled when Riley sent you his greetings. You were not "popular", Doc. You were more like "caustic".....

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1344. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000415023626.08082.00000335@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114087

There is an old saying an old pastor friend told me, "What ever dog you feed the most, that's the one who will be the strongest"

meaning, that if you and LW would learn to forgive some of my mistakes and put them behind and quit being so damn hateful to me, maybe i would be a more reserved on here. You are to blame as well as me in this situation. maybe if you were more encouraging and instead of critical, maybe i would not have so hateful. Understand that, I , take repsonsibilty for my posts, your's and LW's disdain for me is the very opposite of what you 2 try to uphold. I have tried to be cival w/ you 2. Is there a probelm w/ having certain beliefs? I dont go around and make people think the way i do.

This is too bad for both of us. I on the first, have made a complete fool on here, but then people like you have done nothing to help me. Noone has ever wanted to try to help me, and none has offered ammends if i would try to "see the light" but then there are some folks, who operate the opposite of Christ, when he spoke about grudges and helping his neighbor when he is down. I admit to my mistakes and take repondsibity for them.

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1345. New HamRadio RealAudioFiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pa5wx <pa5wx@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <HvVJ4.4619$Re3.106668@news.rdc1.ov.nl.home.com>
Source record: 114088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet

New Hamradio RealAudioFiles from 6 Metre contacts

Look at my homepage

Http://www.qsl.net/pa5wx

73 Andre PA5WX

1346. Re: infos about FT847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steveNOstSPAM@m1cyb.freeserve.co.uk.invalid>
Message-ID: <0d57ecd0.4724d6db@usw-ex0105-037.remarq.com>
Source record: 114089

BEATS THE CRAP OUT OF IT ON 2M AND 70CMS THOUGH!

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1347. Re: Reg.MFJ power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F82D24.55B4C9F1@oio.net>
Source record: 114090

Greg,
Don't know anything about the MFJ power supplies, and
wouldn't bother with the Kenwood PS either (over priced).
CAll W5YUO and ask about his power supplies, probably the
best PS and deal around.
'Doc

1348. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Time--2--Go@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10284-38F84772-2@storefull-135.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 114091

LRod!! Are you Doc's long lost twin brother?????

Isaac

1349. Re: HTX-202 speaker/mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415071855.00842.00001460@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 114092

>I transferred the spkr/mic to another HTX-202 and it doesn't key that
>one either, so apparently it's a problem within the spkr/mic.

If replacing it, I recommend an Icom product.

QRM

1350. Re: Wall Street blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Porky <granola@nel.com>
Message-ID: <rwYJ4.19300$q67.572742@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114093

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8d819ifis1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net...

> Due to the enormous beating Wall Street took today, 4/14/00, as a
religious
> Jewish ham I'd like to announce that all Shabbos(Sabbath) services
scheduled
> for tomorrow morning will be extended one hour.

Hey Doc, look on the bright side! It happened on the eve of
the same weekend that the IRS gave us all a weekend extension
to get our 1040 Forms in the mail! Oh, bless their little hearts.

Irb

ps: I'll tell Greenspan you said "Hello" when I see him later this morning.

1351. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Porky <granola@nel.com>
Message-ID: <swYJ4.19302$q67.572742@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114094

Binky Balls <Catch Me.@edu.com> wrote in message
news:38f80da0$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com...

> Doc, in all respect please stop deluding yourself that you were the main
> calling card on .313. Your calling card was pulled when Riley sent you his
> greetings. You were not "popular", Doc. You were more like "caustic".....

Your welcome to your opinion. I for one would rather listen
to the wit-a-cisims and "woids" of AF2Y for a month of Sunday's
over hearing just another 5 Minutes of that anti-Semite asshole
and Ernst Zundel loving, Holocaust Revisionist espousing slimeball
felon - down in the U.S.V.I. comming thru the radio speaker...

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> -----= Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News =-----
> http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
> -----== Over 80,000 Newsgroups - 16 Different Servers! =-----
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1352. Re: Wall Street blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d9mej$vf3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114095

In article <8d819ifis1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Due to the enormous beating Wall Street took today, 4/14/00, as a
religious
> Jewish ham I'd like to announce that all Shabbos(Sabbath) services
scheduled
> for tomorrow morning will be extended one hour.
>>>>>> Doc, is this true? We were going an hour early!

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1353. >>>>>>W4FQF since 1952<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d9mrk$s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114096

Dead in 0000, we all hope!

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1354. >>>>>>Riley, Fxxk's Up Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d9nbiim1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114097

Well folks, he screwed up yet again. What's this, six times? If he were in the private sector,he would already have lost his job. Most be nice to hide behind the government. Can you say, Waco, Ruby Ridge? I bet, you can!

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1355. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F85DAC.D7D2D2AA@icss.net>
Source record: 114098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Brian wrote in
> >Aaaron (I guess),can you look at me with a straight face
> >and say that the material is easier than it was in 1963?
>
> I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was
> much easier. Today's memorization of a large amount of very technical
> questions is definitely not easy. But what does easy or hard have to do
> with the *quality* of a test? If the purpose of a test is to examine the
> applicant to see if he knows the test material, then today's tests do
> not do that. If the purpose of the test is just to be *hard* and require
> a lot of *effort* at memorization to pass, then it is no better
> than the Morse test...

There are still people who go to the trouble to learn the material. There are still people who try to memorize it all. The material is far more complex than any exam you ever took in amateur radio.

1356. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F86169.CEC4A643@nashville.com>
Source record: 114099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

LRod wrote an insulting message to which I respond...
>
Up yours.

1357. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <8d9mvq$esc@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 114100
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 2000 - ILLINOIS
last updated March 27, 2000

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, John Wass KA9QJX, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

APRIL 2000

Apr 2 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm Rd. & Manchester Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2.

Apr 7-8 (Fri, Sat.): Milwaukee, IL - AES Superfest at AES Milwaukee store, 5710 W. Good Hope Rd. 2PM-7PM. (Fri.), 8:30AM-4PM (Sat.) 35 manufacturers. Free Admission, manufacturers reps, flea market, forums, as well as store specials and closeouts. Also Radio Recyclers next to AES. For further info call Ray at (414) 358-4088, email at raykhk9w@aol.com or check out the Web site at http://www.aes/jam.com

Apr 9 (Sun) - Stoughton, WI - Madison Swapfest. Mandt Commumity Center, Stoughton Junior Fair Grounds, Stoughton WI. Doors open at 8AM. Tickets $5. talk-in on 147.15 repeater. Info: write to (SASE) MARA, Box 8890, Madison, WI 53708-8890. Swapfest Info Line (608) 245-8890 24 hrs/day. http://www.qsl.net/mara

Apr 15 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Apr 16 (Sun): Orland Park, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & Lagrange Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2.

Apr 29 (Sat): Stickney, IL - DuPage ARC. Hawthorne Race Course, 3500 S. Cicero Ave. Admission $6. Talk-in 145.25 repeater. http://www.w9dup.org, Info: Ed Weinstein, WD9AYR, 7511 Walnut Avenue, Woodridge, IL 60517. Phone: 630-985-9256. Email: DARCHamfest@aol.com,

Apr 30 (Sun): Arthur, IL - Moultrie ARK. Info: Ralph Zancha, WC9V, PO Box 55, Lovington, IL 61937. Phone: 217-873-5287. Email: rzancha@one-eleven.net

Apr 30 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

Apr 30 (Sun): Galva, IL - W9YPS Hamfest, Area Amateur Radio Operators club. Galva National Guard Armory. Morgan Rd. Admission $5. Info: Phil IMes, WD9IRE, kewphil@cin.net or Bill Anderson WA9BA, bill@inw.net

MAY 2000

May 6 (Sat) - Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee RC Hamfest, Circle B Recreation Center (St. Hwy 60 and Ozaukee Cty I) Admission $4. VEC Exams 9AM-Noon. Info: AA9HR (262)377-2137 (6PM-8PM), email aa9hr@execpc.com or write O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, 1702 Holly Lane, Grafton, WI 53024

May 7 (Sun) - Sandwich, IL - DeKalb Hamfest; Sandwich Fairgrounds (intersection of Suydam and Gletty roads). 8AM - 1PM, admission - $6.00, 2 indoor buildings. No VEC testing. Talk-in on 146.730/- or 146.520. Info: W9ICU at (815)895-3219, email W9ICU@tbcnet.com. http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm

May 13 (Sat): Manitowoc, WI - Lakeshore Hamfest, Mancorad RC. Manitowoc County Expo Center, intersection of HWYS 42-15 and I-43 on County R. Starts 8AM. VEC exams at Silver Lake College, Hwy 151 West (regestration closes at 9 AM). Admission $5. Talk-in 146.61/-. Info: Red (920)684-3733 or Fred (920)682-9264. Mancorad Radio Club, P.O. Box 204, Manitowoc, WI 54221-0204.

May 19-21 (Fri-Sun): Dayton, Ohio - Dayton Hamvention; Hara Arena. Admission $22 (advance - $16) for three days; talk-in on 146.94/- , 146.91/-. Biggest hamfest in USA. Info: call (937)276-6934 or write Hamvention, Box 964, Dayton, OH 45401-0964. Email: info@hamvention.org or see web page http://www.hamvention.org

May 20 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

May 21 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm Rd. & Manchester Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2.

May 28 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College

Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JUNE 2000

Jun 4 (Sun): Princeton - IL Starved Rock RC. Bureau County Fairgrounds. Exit 56 from I-80. Admission $7 (ouch!) at gate. Talk-in 146.955, -600, PL103.5 Hz. info: AL Erbrederis, tel. 1-815-498-9675, 262 Easy St., Somanauk IL.60552. ERB.N9PIB@juno.com. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks. E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 11 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. http://cyberconnect.com/orion/smcc.html. Info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Avenue, Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. Tel: 630-963-4922 or 708-442-4961 . Email: wa9rij@mc.net

Jun 24 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jun 25 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JULY 2000

Jul 8 (Sat): Oak Creek, WI - South Milwaukee ARC. American Legion Post 434, 9327 South Shepard Ave. Admission $5. Talk-in 146.52 MHz. Info, call (414)762-3235.

Jul 9 (Sun): Peotone, IL - Kankakee Area Radio Society, Will County Fairgrounds. I-57 to Peotone exist 327 (East). Free parking. Talk-in 146.94 MHz. http://www.w9az.com. Admission $5. Info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. Tel: 815-939-7548. Email: k9nr@juno.com

Jul 15 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jul 23 (Sun): Sugar Grove, IL - Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. Admission $5. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html Info: Maurice Schietecatte, W9CEO, 813 Cindy Lane, Sandwich, IL 60548. Tel: 815-786-2860. Email: w9ceo@arrl.net (good, small to midsized hamfest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 2000

Aug 12 (Sat): Quincy, IL - Western Illinois ARC. http://www.qsl.net/w9awe. Info: Jim Funk, N9JF, PO Box 3132, Quincy, IL 62305-3132. Tel: 217-336-4191 . Email: jfunk@adams.net

Aug 13 (Sun): Peotone, IL - 66th Annual Hamfesters Hamfest. Will County Fairgrounds. 45 mintues from Downtown Chicago, take I-57 to Peotone Exut 327 (East). 35 acres of free parking. 14,200 square feet of exhibits open at 8 AM. Flea market open at 6 AM to 3 PM. No additional charge for flea market space. Rain or shine -six covered pavilions for Flea Market. Tickets are $4.00 in advance with double stub, $5.00 at gate with single stub. Children under 12 free. Advance ticket sales and information: SASE and check by July 25th, Christine Mack, PO Box 2161, Oak Park, IL 60303. tel. 708-358-1786, email: christine1@mediaone.net. Talk in on 146.52 simplex and 146.64-(107.2) Stars Repeater

Aug 19 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Aug 27 (Sun): Danville, IL - Vermilion County ARA. Info: Gary Denison, KA9SKS, 14704 East 2750 North Road, Danville, IL 61834-5610. Tel: 217-759-7389 . Email: gdenison@danville.net

Aug 27 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

SEPTEMBER 2000

Sep 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Sep 16 & 17 (Sat & Sun): Peoria, IL - Peoria Area ARC. Info: Ron Morgan, KB9NW, or John Coker, N9FAM, both c/o: PO Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel: (309)692-3378. Email kb9nw@juno.com or n9fam@juno.com. http://www.peoriasuperfest.com

Sep 23 & 24 (Sat & Sun): Grayslake, IL - Chicago FM Club Radio Expo. Lake County Fairgrounds. http://www.chicagofmclub.org. Admission $8, good both days. Info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Avenue, Norridge, IL 60706. Tel: 708-457-0966, Email: mbrost@cin.net (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

Sep 24 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College

Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

OCTOBER 2000

Oct 14 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Oct 22 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

NOVEMBER 2000

Nov 5 (Sun): Davenport, IA - Davenport Radio Club. Iowa National Guard Hanger, Mt. Joy Airport. Talk-in 146.88 MHz repeater. http://www.gwltd.com/hamfest

Nov 18 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Nov 18, 19 (Sat, Sun): Ft. Wayne, IN Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo. Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society. 2000 Indiana ARRL State Convention. Allen County War Memorial Coliseum Exposition Center. Hours 9 AM - 4 PM EST Sat, 9 AM - 3 PM EST Sun. Admission $5 plus $2 parking. http://www.acarts.com

Nov 26 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

DECEMBER 2000

Dec 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are held by Micro Media, Inc. Shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County

Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL.
Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on
the mailing list or get more information, call (708)974-
3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer
expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30
AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies,
games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors,
diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables,
expansion boards, services, etc. Lake County Fairgrounds,
Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall
Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet. For a show map, exhibitor
info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at
http://www.ccxpo.com.

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http://www.megsinet.com/~parnass

1358. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9q7m$371$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38F86169.CEC4A643@nashville.com>,
Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:
> LRod wrote an insulting message to which I respond...

Sorry you took it that way. It was written to be funny. It had all the elements of humor: irony, pun, play on words, metaphor... I laughed my butt off every time I reread it. Didn't you even like the part about French comic geniuses?

> Up yours.

Sorry, I don't go that way.

LRod

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1359. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Flanagan <markf@cshore.com>
Message-ID: <sfgqc9tpivv44@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d88cs$gd7$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
> So you see, the problem with ham radio is the "Three P's"
>
> 1. The Prices
> 2. The People on air
> 3. The People who then point out the above (otherwise known as telling
> the truth, as others did toward me, when I was first licensed)
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

We need more expensive radios, that will fix ham radio!

--
Mark Flanagan, K1MKF
k1mkf@qsl.net
http://www.qsl.net/k1mkf/

1360. Re: Icom 706 Tuner Simulator updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Emory J. Haines" <ejhaines@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8d9q7l$696$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 114103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thanks very much, very good info and pictures.... 73 Emory

Greg <rfsystem@texas.net> wrote in message
news:I%iJ4.797$oL4.17855@news2.nokia.com...
> Here are our updated circuits for building a tuner simulator to gain
control
> of the tune function on the Icom 706. Sure comes in handy for use on a
> manual tuner or other non-Icom tuners. Enjoy all!
>
> Greg/N5SKE
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>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Tuner%20Simulator_new.jpg
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-1.jpg
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-2.jpg
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-3.jpg
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1361. Re: Icom 706 Tuner Simulator updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Emory J. Haines" <ejhaines@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8d9qdn$7gm$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 114104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Do you know if the same kind of info is available on the Autoshift mod for the 706 and 706MKII,
for auto repeator splits for FM use? thanks again...73

Greg <rfsystem@texas.net> wrote in message
news:I%iJ4.797$oL4.17855@news2.nokia.com...
> Here are our updated circuits for building a tuner simulator to gain control
> of the tune function on the Icom 706. Sure comes in handy for use on a
> manual tuner or other non-Icom tuners. Enjoy all!
>
> Greg/N5SKE
>
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Tuner%20Simulator_new.jpg
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-1.jpg
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-2.jpg
>
> http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-3.jpg
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1362. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sfgrhik9ivv21@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 114105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Without the ARRL there would be no amateur radio and the informed know that it's more than a magazine. With the buying and selling of spectrum, without the ARRL who would defend the amateur bands. I'll answer - no one. If you don't want to join fine, the rest of the ARRL members will keep supporting you and your hobby.

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess guns, are we still a free people?"

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy to get the Clintons

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<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d7mcf$rm5$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
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> You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep
> sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL
> is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to
> not renew their subscription... er, "membership":
>
> NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
> of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
> equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
> second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
> issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
> weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
> Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
> the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
> Majerus.
>
> Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
> Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
> ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
> ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
> NQ1R.
>
> Leading the discussions were Gordon West,

> WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
> Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.
>
> Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
> better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
> "As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
> said.
>
> Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life
> support.
>
> The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion,
> not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to
> sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the
> advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit
> indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.
>
> Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you
> >>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...
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>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
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1363. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 58)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000415095327.26197.00001626@ng-bg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114106

The 58th episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled " Into thin air... "
is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
Check out the archive too... to see the rest.
And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

"The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb"
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
A comic strip about radio scanning.
Special monthly episodes can be seen
in Popular Communications magazine !

1364. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9tgi$6gf$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114107

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d8jdg$rt4
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <hv9ffsor0llbs667sh2b7m2218f9pcohgu@4ax.com>,
> John <> wrote:
> > How about all the stuff he did that he didn't get caught for? You
just
> > worry about 3.901 and your merry band of crybabies and don't worry
> > about AC5IU.
> >
> Oh you mean like the Memphis Morons that jammed for years on 3.901?
Or
> how about the dipshits that jammed the Intercon/Marinetime nets for
> years? Or how about your buddies that sit on a certain frequency and
> put on their halo's. Id recommend, John, you grab your marbles and
> leave while you can.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

"You just cain't fix stupid," Dan.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1365. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9tl9$6pj$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114108

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8d8odj$13k$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> I LISTEN A LOT ON 313 AND I NEVER HERD ANY TAPES OF THE GOOF BUT I
HAVE
> HERD HIM BUT IN TO A LOT OF QSO'S . PEOPLE UNKEY AND THERE HE IS IN
> THERE FACE TELLING THEM HOW WRONG THEY ARE HE THINKS HE KNOWS EVERY
> THING. THERES NO DOUGHT THAT HE LIED HIS WAY OUT OF THIS BUT HE WILL
> SCREW UP AGIN AND NEXT TIME POP GOS THE WEESEL.

You need to follow you OWN advice, stupid, like the other day you
erroneously
told W4FQF I received a "warning letter" on the air, making sure you
left out the fact that another ham received one also.
There is no mention of "warning notice" on the letter, so stick to car
mechanics, at least it's something you know about, you dumbass.

==========Begin Letter===============

March 29, 2000

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Steven A. Tunder
72643 Glasgow Road
Freeport, OH 43973
Licensee of N8WGM

Roger L. Wiseman
610 Glen Haven Avenue
Glendale, WV 26038-1302
Licensee of KC8JBO

Dear Messrs. Tunder and Wiseman:

The Commission has been made aware of an ongoing personal dispute
between you, and there have been allegations of interference or jamming
on the Twenty-Meter Band.

The purpose of this letter is to caution you both to review Section
97.1 of the Amateur Radio Service Rules, and to make certain that
whatever disputes that may exist are not carried over to Amateur Radio
frequencies.

Please call me at 717-338-2502 if you have any questions about this
matter.

Sincerely,

W. Riley Hollingsworth
Special Counsel, Amateur Radio
Enforcement Bureau
==========End Letter==========

Go back to pretending that you were dead, meat-head.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1366. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9tpe$715$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114109

LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d8t10
$5sh$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
> In article <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
> on: 14 Apr 2000 00:00:00 GMT
> n0vfp@aol.com (Lloyd) wrote:
>
> > Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once.
>
> So what you are saying is, "it's okay for you (lloyd) to mouth off and
> make comments about other people's posts, but it's not okay for anyone
> else to make comments about yours." Is that it? Well, don't hold your
> breath. You are about to become my hobby.

LOL!!!!!

> > What in the hell have i ever done to piss you off?
>
> Wow, where to start!?!
>
> Well, for openers there's your spamming with conspiracy theory, new
> world order, militia, rapture, and other nonsensical trash on this
> newsgroup. It's offensive in its message, it's inappropriate in this
> venue, and you don't even do the courtesy of citing the source of the
> material.
>
> Then there's your proselytizing about so-called Christian beliefs and
> ideals while at the same time spewing your agenda of hate and
> anti-semitism.
>
> Of course, we can't forget your post in January where you said you
were
> done with all that because you didn't want people making fun of you,
but
> within twenty minutes you were back at it.
>
> How about your "south will rise again" crap that you posted last
summer?
> Those of us who believe in America find that offensive, particularly
> from someone born and raised in the north.
>
> Then we have your "I know what's going on" posts such as "I know for a
> fact he's (WB2OTK) getting a NAL." Which, of course, never happened.
> We've "marked your words" so many times you've practically overtaken
RG8

> stair in unfulfilled prophecies.
>
> You consistently, without fail, pick losers to deify and celebrate.
> Contrary to what you may think, it doesn't take someone with some
> intelligence more than a week (less if one feels like dredging
through a
> lot of Deja files) to figure out who the stand-up folks are and who
the
> losers are in this newsgroup.
>
> You pretend to be some sort of player, some experienced guru, some
> knoweledgable veteran of life, and you can't even walk the walk. You
can
> hardly put two sentences together without mangling the words
> (congratulations; you almost did it above except for
capitalizing "I").
>
> That's all stuff that's offensive and maddening to the great majority
of
> normal people who make up most of the population. Hey, don't take my
> word for it; don't forget you were voted the "Number One Idjit" in Big
> Guy One's Idjit List Poll by members of this newsgroup (you probably
> thought it was a compliment when he changed it to "Rocket Scientist
> List").
>
> Now here's the personal stuff:
>
> On at least three different ocassions I set aside my dislike for you
and
> what you espouse, and offered you some kind words and sound advice on
> how to deal with certain situations and to explain why you get some of
> the responses you do.
>
> For that effort, I received zero, nada, zip, goose egg, zilch response
> from you. No thanks, no "kiss my ass," no by-your-leave. No
> acknowledgement that you would implement changes, discard suggestions,
> reconsider positions, nothing.
>
> When I asked you to document some claim you made, you harshly told me
> you didn't need to tell me anything, and that at a time when you
didn't
> even know me, and at the same time as you were attempting to badger
> someone else into publishing details of their personal life that were
> clearly none of your or our business.
>
> You told me you were "going to expose me for the fool that I am on the
> newsgroup" when you had neither the resources nor the evidence nor an
> eligible candidate for any such thing.
>
> You accused me of poor internet behavior, and when I pointed out the

> error in your assertion, you failed to acknowledge your shortcoming or
> even respond in any way.
>
> But, you haven't pissed me off. You don't have the resources to do
that.
> All you've done is provide a cornucopia of opportunity to tweak you,
> bait you, expose you, manipulate you, and generally hold you up to the
> contempt you have earned in the year I've seen your act.
>
> It's easy, it's fun, it beats playing shuffleboard as I relax in the
> Florida sun basking in retirement. I don't think you realize how
> overmatched you are. So just keep posting your juvenile troll spam,
and
> be prepared to be skewered each time within a few hours. Unless you
want
> to make some changes. The choice is yours.
>
> LRod

Lloyd's a credit to his profession of villiage idiot.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1367. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9ttn$736$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114110

Isaac Shift <Time--2--Go@webtv.net> wrote in message news:10284-38F84772-2@storefull-135.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> LRod!! Are you Doc's long lost twin brother?????
>
> Isaac

Issac, are you Forrest Gump's long lost father?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1368. Re: >>>>>>Riley, Fxxk's Up Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d9sq6rjb1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114111

Uuuuuh ohhhhhh!

In article <8d9nbiim1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rich7@my-deja.com wrote:

> Well folks, he screwed up yet again. What's this, six times? If he were
> in the private sector,he would already have lost his job. Most be nice
> to hide behind the government. Can you say, Waco, Ruby Ridge? I bet,
> you can!
>
>
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1369. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9u1i$73k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114112

From: "Binky Balls" <Catch Me.@edu.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: AF2Y Comedy
Date: Sat, 15 Apr 2000 01:32:22 -0500
Lines: 10
X-Priority: 3
X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express 5.00.2919.6600
X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft MimeOLE V5.00.2919.6600
NNTP-Posting-Host: 63.75.243.100
Message-ID: <38f80da0$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com>
X-Trace: 15 Apr 2000 01:35:12 -0500, 63.75.243.100
X-Comments: This message was posted through Newsfeeds.com
X-Comments2: IMPORTANT: Newsfeeds.com does not condone, nor support,
spam or any illegal or copyrighted postings.
X-Comments3: IMPORTANT: Under NO circumstances will postings containing
illegal or copyrighted material through this service be tolerated!!
X-Report: Please report illegal or inappropriate use to
<abuse@newsfeeds.com>
X-Abuse-Info: Please be sure to forward a copy of ALL headers,
INCLUDING the body (DO NOT SEND ATTACHMENTS)
Organization: Newsfeeds.com http://www.newsfeeds.com 73,000+ UNCENSORED
Newsgroups.
Path: news!den-news-02.qwest.net!qwest!news.conectiv.net!
news.eecis.udel.edu!netnews.com!newsfeed.berkeley.edu!
awabi.library.ucla.edu!216.65.16.3!news-out.nibble.net!news-
in.nibble.net!feed.newsfeeds.com!newsfeeds.com!news5.newsfeeds.com!
newsfeeds.com!63.75.243.100
Xref: news rec.radio.amateur.misc:14583

Hostname: client.ppp.southbend.in.microvillage.net
IP Address: 63.75.243.100

Binky Balls <Catch Me.@edu.com> wrote in message news:38f80da0
$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com...
> Poor Doc. Ya gotta laugh up your sleeve at him....
> Doc tried to foist himself as a cross between Groucho Marx and Walter
> Winchell...comedy and parody at its poorest.
> Unfortunately, the only Marx brother that Doc seemed to best emulate
was
> Carl Marx.
> Doc, in all respect please stop deluding yourself that you were the
main
> calling card on .313. Your calling card was pulled when Riley sent
you his

> greetings. You were not "popular", Doc. You were more
like "caustic".....

So *YOU*say. Others' mileage may differ.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1370. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9u63$7ci$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114113

Radio Porky <granola@nel.com> wrote in message news:swYJ4.19302
$q67.572742@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Binky Balls <Catch Me.@edu.com> wrote in message
> news:38f80da0$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com...
>
> > Doc, in all respect please stop deluding yourself that you were the
main
> > calling card on .313. Your calling card was pulled when Riley sent
you his
> > greetings. You were not "popular", Doc. You were more
like "caustic".....
>
> Your welcome to your opinion. I for one would rather listen
> to the wit-a-cisims and "woids" of AF2Y for a month of Sunday's
> over hearing just another 5 Minutes of that anti-Semite asshole
> and Ernst Zundel loving, Holocaust Revisionist espousing slimeball
> felon - down in the U.S.V.I. comming thru the radio speaker...

Yeah, really! There's only so much revisionist rhetoric one can take.

--
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1371. Re: >>>>>>Riley, Fxxk's Up Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d9u9v$7de$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114114

In article <8d9sq6rjb1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Uuuuuh ohhhhhh!

Supposedly prospective lawyers are trained to think logically, I wonder
what happened?

> ----------
> In article <8d9nbiim1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > Well folks, he screwed up yet again. What's this, six times? If he
were
> > in the private sector,he would already have lost his job. Most be
nice
> > to hide behind the government. Can you say, Waco, Ruby Ridge? I bet,
> > you can!
> >
> >
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>

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1372. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8d9ta0$cc1$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114115

LRod you write like a champ,congrats, but keep in mind that you skewered a soon-to-be Extra but then again maybe he'll wait for them to lower the code requirements to one word a minute?

In article <8d8t10$5sh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

>
>
> In article <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
> on: 14 Apr 2000 00:00:00 GMT
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Lloyd) wrote:
>
>> Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once.
>
> So what you are saying is, "it's okay for you (lloyd) to mouth off and
> make comments about other people's posts, but it's not okay for anyone
> else to make comments about yours." Is that it? Well, don't hold your
> breath. You are about to become my hobby.
>
>> What in the hell have i ever done to piss you off?
>
> Wow, where to start!?!
>
> Well, for openers there's your spamming with conspiracy theory, new
> world order, militia, rapture, and other nonsensical trash on this
> newsgroup. It's offensive in its message, it's inappropriate in this
> venue, and you don't even do the courtesy of citing the source of the
> material.
>
> Then there's your proselytizing about so-called Christian beliefs and
> ideals while at the same time spewing your agenda of hate and
> anti-semitism.
AND SO FORTH AND SO ON.....

1373. Re: >>>>>>Riley, Fxxk's Up Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d9vqc$8v9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114116

In article <8d9nbiim1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
> Well folks, he screwed up yet again. What's this, six times? If he
were
> in the private sector,he would already have lost his job. Most be nice
> to hide behind the government. Can you say, Waco, Ruby Ridge? I bet,
> you can!
>
WELL WHEN YOU HAVE A HARD TIME WITH THE TRUTH HE HAS THE RIGHT JOB FOR
HIMSELF. HE DOESENT NEED TO BE IN THE JUSTICE SYSTEM. THIS IS THE
KINDA THING THATS MAKES PEOPLE NOT TRUST THE GOVERMENT.

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1374. The Downward Sprial!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000415103507.26813.00000893@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 114117

Dear Newswatch Magazine Listeners/Readers:

There has been a dramatic rise among the general population concerning the abuse of presidential and congressional power to deliver America into an all-powerful world government under the United Nations.

Many citizens are now becoming aware that a Marxist organization founded in 1919 and incorporated in 1921 have now taken over ALL key positions of power in the United States Federal Government. That organization is called the Council on Foreign Relations. Former President George Bush belonged to it and was on its Board of Directors in 1978-79. He resigned to run for Vice-President. He was also a member of Globalist David Rockefeller's Trilateral Commission. He also resigned from its Board of Directors to run for Vice-President. George Bush also was a member of Yale Universities Skull and Bones, which is also working through infiltration into corridors of power for world government. His son, Governor George W. Bush, is also a Bonesman.

Current President Bill Clinton is still a member of BOTH the Council on Foreign Relations and the Trilateral Commission. Most Cabinet members of any significance for the last 50 years have been members of the Council on Foreign Relations. This is WHY our government - on the federal level - continues its downward spiral toward Socialism/Communism and Corporate Globalism WITHOUT WE, THE PEOPLE'S CONSENT.

The Constitution of the United States derives its power FROM the consent of the governed. The Socialist/Communist that have taken over Washington, DC, NEVER ask for nor do they want CONSENT for their treasonous activities.

Example: W. Cleon Skousen, former Assistant to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, discovered 45 objectives the Communists were striving to achieve to overthrow America for world government. When you understand these objectives, then you will comprehend WHY the militia began to rise to protect the country from tyranny [because of the Ruby Ridge, WACO, and Oklahoma City episodes], WHY The Republic of Texas movement started for Texas to become an independent nation, WHY Arizona has drafted legislation to secede from the Union if Martial Law is called or the Federal Government begins to confiscate guns in violation of the 2nd Amendment, and WHY the Southern Party has risen to take the South back into one political camp to preserve their Southern "Bible Belt" heritage!

Out of the 45 objectives listed in the Congressional Record, I will mention only a few:

11) Promote the United Nations as the only hope for mankind. If its charter is rewritten, demand that it be set up as a one-world-government with its own independent armed forces. [Guess who would control the armed forces? By agreement between Russia and the U.S. Secretary of State, it would ALWAYS be a

Communist - which has held true to this moment. No wonder Senator Jesse Helms from North Carolina went to the Security Council on January 20, 2000, and basically said back off or the U.S. will withdraw.]

12) Resist any attempt to outlaw the Communist party.

13) Do away with loyalty oaths.

14) Capture one OR both political parties. President Bush was a Republican while President Clinton is a Democrat.

15) Use technical decisions of the courts to WEAKEN basic American institutions by claiming their activities violate civil rights.

16) Get control of schools. Use them to foster socialism and current Communist propaganda. Get control of teacher's associations - such as the National Educational Association [NEA].

17) Infiltrate the press and gain control of ALL major means of communication - such as radio, TV, and motion pictures. Use these agencies to destroy the morals of the nation.

18) Continue discrediting American, especially Southern "Bible Belt," culture, by degrading ALL forms of artistic expression - nude movies, books, perverted art, etc.

19) Eliminate all laws governing obscenity by calling them "censorship" and a violation of free speech and free press.

20) BREAK DOWN cultural standards of morality by promoting pornography in books, magazines, motion pictures, and TV.

21) Present homosexuality, degeneracy, and promiscuity as "healthy, natural, normal."

22) Infiltrate the churches and replace REVEALED BIBLICAL RELIGION WITH "SOCIAL" RELIGION. DISCREDIT THE BIBLE and emphasize the need for intellectual maturity which does not need a "religious crutch."

23) Eliminate prayer or ANY phase of religious expressions from the schools.

24) DISCREDIT THE AMERICAN CONSTITUTION BY CALLING IT INADEQUATE - OUT OF STEP.

25) Discredit the American founding fathers.

26) Belittle all forms of American culture and DISCOURAGE the teaching of American history to eliminate knowledge of our God given heritage.

27) Support ALL socialist movement to give CENTRALIZED CONTROL over any part of the culture - education, social agencies such as housing, welfare programs, mental health clinics, the Federal Government in Washington, DC.

28) Infiltrate and gain control of big business. Create a monopoly in the market place for favored businesses they control.

29) Discredit the family as an institution. Encourage promiscuity and easy divorce to break down society.

Now do we begin to understand WHAT has happened to our culture in the last 50 years? No wonder the spotlight has been placed on the corruption of our federal representatives and senators who are selling our birthright inheritance down the socialistic path into oblivion!

Sincerely,

David J. Smith

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1375. Re: >>>>>>W4FQF since 1952<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <14a1eb9a.af253187@usw-ex0105-037.remarq.com>
Source record: 114118

Now...Now.....musn't be so jealous!

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1376. Re: ARRL Hires Another Cronie (I'm loving this...)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Bo%J4.3588$GP3.32959@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 114119

Guess I just have to ask why do you care? What axe do you have to grind against the ARRL? How about I send you my QST free a couple of days after I read it, would that do it for you?

Gerd, W2ISB

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8d86i7efo1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Where to begin, where to begin.
>
> Contester cronie. They already have him lined up to join YCCC I'm told.
>
> Retiree who doesn't know when to quit. Sold a radio business ? Think of
> the connections there, friends. Must be a few units short of a picnic at
> SSA.
>
> By the way, when ARRL uses phrases like "history making DXpedition" or
> "noted DXer" as they do here, I derive such joy. It just proves the fact
> that they're so out of touch with the real world, they need to note each
> other and write their own history. Kind of like feminists and
> homosexuals...
>
> DXer. Yowser. Isn't this the organization that still worships Don
> Miller, convicted attempted murderer, while telling the FCC on hams who
> use BAD OR CONTROVERSIAL WORDS on 20 meters ? Why yes it is. A book by
> K1 Zootsuited Moron said what a great guy he is and it had a forward by
> K1 Zooming Zero (not the Toyota made one). Guess it's official, then.
> Of course, our friend N7NG isn't in jail, but there's hope for a Don if
> the parole board gives the nod.
>
> +++++++++++++++
> Wayne Mills, N7NG, to Join ARRL HQ Staff
>
> NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 14, 2000--ARRL Executive Vice President David
> Sumner, K1ZZ, has announced that noted DXer Wayne Mills, N7NG, will join
> the Headquarters staff as Membership Services Manager, effective May 2.
> He succeeds Bill Kennamer, K5NX, who retired from the League last month.
>
> First licensed in 1953 at age 10, Mills has served as the Rocky Mountain
> Division DX Advisory Committee representative since 1996 and as chairman
> of the ARRL DXAC since March 1997. He also served on the DXCC 2000
> Committee. He is best known for his operating on DXpeditions over the
> past 15 years, most recently from the Chesterfield Islands TX0DX
> DXpedition.
>
> Mills holds BSEE and MSEE degrees from the University of California-

> Davis and just sold his two-way radio communication sales and service
> business in Jackson, Wyoming.
>
>
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1377. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F8839D.6948@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
> >
> > ...here in Cajun Land...
>
> So, how y'all is?? ;-)
>
> Jon NU4JJ
All kinds of Wonderful!!!
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1378. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38F8851A.5F26@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 114121

Qrm2000 wrote:
>
> >
> >Instead of pushing for hams, terminally cheap as it is, to get in free,
> >why is the ARRL once again rushing forward to cater to existing hams ? I
> >thought the whole thing of this restructuring that they fought so hard
> >to guide (sheah) was to get new hams ?
> >
>
> Missed the part about the tie-in publicity, didn't you?
>
> >most are running antiquated tube type CRAP.
> >
>
> I'm sure you're a real joy to your family and friends. Not a negative bone in
> your body!
>
> QRM
QRM, his family must be proud of him.

1379. Re: The Downward Sprial!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38F87CBE.4135@some.net>
Source record: 114122

Brother Lloyd wrote:
>
> Dear Newswatch Magazine Listeners/Readers:
>
> There has been a dramatic rise among the general population concerning the
> abuse of presidential and congressional power to deliver America into an
> all-powerful world government under the United Nations.

<blah, blah, blah, deleted>

Your really have too much time on your hands, you should find a good
hobby to occupy yourself.

1380. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415115425.15259.00001594@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114123

mf_luder sez:

>
>Then why aren't half the tickets or more going to schools, colleges, or
>technical schools ? Why, especially, aren't those people in the cities
>(black and hispanic) being approached to increase the numbers of these
>groups in ham radio ?
>
>

Oh, great. More blacks and hispanics are just what we need to drive the final nails into ham radio's coffin. You HAVE to be kidding! Do you REALLY want the airwaves to become the RF equivalent of Haiti?

1381. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven G. Bradley" <sbradley@southern.edu>
Message-ID: <38F89AE1.95D4D348@southern.edu>
Source record: 114124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

What happened to cause him to decide to no longer be a VE?

w7wjm@arrl.nospam.net wrote:

> Good! Hopefully this will be the end of this thread!
>
> In a previous article, <vlfiscus@mcn.net> writes:
> >
> >I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
> >
> >KB7ADL
> >
> >
> >In article <h5FI4.6786$q67.194621@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Mike
> >Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
> >>Hey, let's keep this alive!!!
> >>
> >>It's only 4 days now and counting...
> >>
> >>Will the original poster please post proof of his turning in his
> >>VE badge?
> >>
> >>Mike
>
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And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all
creation". Mark 16:15

1382. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8da8rpidj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114125

In article <20000415023626.08082.00000335@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> There is an old saying an old pastor friend told me, "What ever dog
you feed
> the most, that's the one who will be the strongest"
>
> meaning, that if you and LW would learn to forgive some of my
mistakes and
> put them behind and quit being so damn hateful to me, maybe i would
be a more
> reserved on here. You are to blame as well as me in this situation.
maybe if
> you were more encouraging and instead of critical, maybe i would not
have so
> hateful. Understand that, I , take repsonsibilty for my posts,
your's and
> LW's disdain for me is the very opposite of what you 2 try to
uphold. I have
> tried to be cival w/ you 2. Is there a probelm w/ having certain
beliefs? I
> dont go around and make people think the way i do.
>
> This is too bad for both of us. I on the first, have made a complete
fool on
> here, but then people like you have done nothing to help me. Noone
has ever
> wanted to try to help me, and none has offered ammends if i would try
to "see
> the light" but then there are some folks, who operate the opposite
of Christ,
> when he spoke about grudges and helping his neighbor when he is
down. I admit
> to my mistakes and take repondsibity for them.
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Oh bullshit Lloyd....Doc made overtures, Lrod made overtures, I made
overtures. You were just too damn stupid to see it. As for me, I
consider you a piece of crap floating on the ocean of life. Soon to be
sucked down or to simply decompose. Bye loser.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1383. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8da903imm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114126

In article <20000415022219.08082.00000332@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> >It ain't gonna work, pal. You made some memories that are NOT going
to die.
> >Now run along and make kissy-kissy with your heroes. Get off the
fence. And
> >look elsewhere for backs to stab.
>
> I guess people like you like to hold grudeges and not want to forgive
and
> forget and try to help a fallen Christian. Guess that says books
about the
> kind of Church you attend?
>
> >Bottom line .. nobody likes a 2-faced back stabber. "Netters" don't
like
> >them.
> > "Jammers" don't like them. "Friendlies" don't like them.
Canadians don't
> >like them. Tennessee boys don't like them. And above
all ... "those nasty
> >Jews", aka "that Florida personage" don't like them. Get it?
> >
> >
> >
>
> He that is w/o sin, cast the first stone
>
> maybe i made some mistakes, would it make a difference? i guess
people like
> you are look down others.
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Lllllloyd your so screwed up you have to look up to see down.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1384. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F8A46E.E3565A51@nashville.com>
Source record: 114127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

eLRod wrote:
>
> It was written to be funny. It had all the elements of humor: irony, pun, play on words,
> metaphor...

And an insulting description began it all.

Back to your french textbook, elrod.

1385. Re: The Downward Sprial!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8da8e5$dn5$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114128

Is there any way to stop this schmuck from posting his idols' lunatic white extremist newsletters. And what's a sprial?

In article <20000415103507.26813.00000893@ng-cg1.aol.com>, n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

> Dear Newswatch Magazine Listeners/Readers:
>
> There has been a dramatic rise among the general population concerning the
> abuse of presidential and congressional power to deliver America into an
> all-powerful world government under the United Nations.
>
> Many citizens are now becoming aware that a Marxist organization founded in
> 1919 and incorporated in 1921 have now taken over ALL key positions of power in
> the United States Federal Government. That organization is called the Council
> on Foreign Relations. Former President George Bush belonged to it and was on
> its Board of Directors in 1978-79. He resigned to run for Vice-President. He
> was also a member of Globalist David Rockefeller's Trilateral Commission. He
> also resigned from its Board of Directors to run for Vice-President. George
> Bush also was a member of Yale Universities Skull and Bones, which is also
> working through infiltration into corridors of power for world government. His
> son, Governor George W. Bush, is also a Bonesman.
>
> Current President Bill Clinton is still a member of BOTH the Council on Foreign
> Relations and the Trilateral Commission. Most Cabinet members of any
> significance for the last 50 years have been members of the Council on Foreign
> Relations. This is WHY our government - on the federal level - continues its
> downward spiral toward Socialism/Communism and Corporate Globalism WITHOUT WE,
> THE PEOPLE'S CONSENT.
>
> The Constitution of the United States derives its power FROM the consent of the
> governed. The Socialist/Communist that have taken over Washington, DC, NEVER
> ask for nor do they want CONSENT for their treasonous activities.
>
> Example: W. Cleon Skousen, former Assistant to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover,
> discovered 45 objectives the Communists were striving to achieve to overthrow
> America for world government. When you understand these objectives, then you
> will comprehend WHY the militia began to rise to protect the country from
> tyranny [because of the Ruby Ridge, WACO, and Oklahoma City episodes], WHY The
> Republic of Texas movement started for Texas to become an independent nation,
> WHY Arizona has drafted legislation to secede from the Union if Martial Law is

> called or the Federal Government begins to confiscate guns in violation of the
> 2nd Amendment, and WHY the Southern Party has risen to take the South back
into
> one political camp to preserve their Southern "Bible Belt" heritage!
>
> Out of the 45 objectives listed in the Congressional Record, I will mention
> only a few:
>
> 11) Promote the United Nations as the only hope for mankind. If its charter is
> rewritten, demand that it be set up as a one-world-government with its own
> independent armed forces. [Guess who would control the armed forces? By
> agreement between Russia and the U.S. Secretary of State, it would ALWAYS be a
> Communist - which has held true to this moment. No wonder Senator Jesse Helms
> from North Carolina went to the Security Council on January 20, 2000, and
> basically said back off or the U.S. will withdraw.]
>
> 12) Resist any attempt to outlaw the Communist party.
>
> 13) Do away with loyalty oaths.
>
> 14) Capture one OR both political parties. President Bush was a Republican
> while President Clinton is a Democrat.
>
> 15) Use technical decisions of the courts to WEAKEN basic American
institutions
> by claiming their activities violate civil rights.
>
> 16) Get control of schools. Use them to foster socialism and current Communist
> propaganda. Get control of teacher's associations - such as the National
> Educational Association [NEA].
>
> 17) Infiltrate the press and gain control of ALL major means of communication
-
> such as radio, TV, and motion pictures. Use these agencies to destroy the
> morals of the nation.
>
> 18) Continue discrediting American, especially Southern "Bible Belt," culture,
> by degrading ALL forms of artistic expression - nude movies, books, perverted
> art, etc.
>
> 19) Eliminate all laws governing obscenity by calling them "censorship" and a
> violation of free speech and free press.
>
> 20) BREAK DOWN cultural standards of morality by promoting pornography in
> books, magazines, motion pictures, and TV.
>
> 21) Present homosexuality, degeneracy, and promiscuity as "healthy, natural,
> normal."
>
> 22) Infiltrate the churches and replace REVEALED BIBLICAL RELIGION WITH

> "SOCIAL" RELIGION. DISCREDIT THE BIBLE and emphasize the need for intellectual
> maturity which does not need a "religious crutch."
>
> 23) Eliminate prayer or ANY phase of religious expressions from the schools.
>
> 24) DISCREDIT THE AMERICAN CONSTITUTION BY CALLING IT INADEQUATE - OUT OF
STEP.
>
> 25) Discredit the American founding fathers.
>
> 26) Belittle all forms of American culture and DISCOURAGE the teaching of
> American history to eliminate knowledge of our God given heritage.
>
> 27) Support ALL socialist movement to give CENTRALIZED CONTROL over any part
of
> the culture - education, social agencies such as housing, welfare programs,
> mental health clinics, the Federal Government in Washington, DC.
>
> 28) Infiltrate and gain control of big business. Create a monopoly in the
> market place for favored businesses they control.
>
> 29) Discredit the family as an institution. Encourage promiscuity and easy
> divorce to break down society.
>
> Now do we begin to understand WHAT has happened to our culture in the last 50
> years? No wonder the spotlight has been placed on the corruption of our
federal
> representatives and senators who are selling our birthright inheritance down
> the socialistic path into oblivion!
>
> Sincerely,
>
> David J. Smith
>
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> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1386. Re: The Downward Sprial!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F8A6DA.C065FF13@oio.net>
Source record: 114129

"Brother" Lloyd,
Do you really want to sound like a 'nut-case'? I hope
so, your doing a fair job of it with this stuff. If you
want to convince me of anything, don't quote an editorial
with out substantiation, otherwise, it's just an opinion.
How do YOU differentiate between 'conspiracy' and a bad case
of 'paranoia'?
'Doc

1387. WTB: HW101 power Transformer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net>
Message-ID: <LP1K4.1290$nN2.13650@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 114130

Hi Looking for the transformer out of the Heath hw101 or a replacement power transformer for my Marauder HX-10.
I can be reached at (530) 589-4483 or badco@jps.net

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http://www.jps.net/badco/
http://www.jps.net/badco/Orowpmc/

1388. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uCo2PPwp$GA.230@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

J. Duffy Beischel wrote
>Without the ARRL there would be no amateur radio

In the whole world? Pretty powerful organization...

>With the buying and selling of spectrum, without
>the ARRL who would defend the amateur bands.

Who would write the world's most popular software
without Microsoft? Answer: someone else.

ARRL has pretty much of a monopoly. Other organizations have tried to compete over the years, but just couldn't make it. If ARRL were to somehow suddenly disappear, I'm sure there would be others rushing in to fill the vacuum...

1389. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uKt0VPwp$GA.230@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 114132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote
>There are still people who go to the trouble to learn the material.

True, and then there are the engineers who already know it.

>There are still people who try to memorize it all.

Which is the only resort for the layman, if he doesn't want to spend a year
or more *learning* the material.

>The material is far more complex than any exam
>you ever took in amateur radio.

I agree. But it is still a *meaningless test* if I can
pass the test without learning the material...

1390. I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8dab1p$l1h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 114133

This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.

No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

1391. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: xsylvanjunkALLx@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <8d8c7kkrb1@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 114162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

J Peitsch (jpeitsch@concentric.net) on 14 Apr 2000 17:28:15 EDT wrote:
>Who really cares!

Exactly the point...

sdb
--
Watch out for munged e-mail address.
User should be sylvan and host is cyberhighway.net.
Do NOT send me unsolicited commercial e-mail (UCE)!

1392. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d8ela$n0a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38f7add5.6211500@news.interactive.net>,
billsohl@interactive.net wrote:
> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 18:00:57 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> >You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep
> >sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL
> >is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to
> >not renew their subscription... er, "membership":
> >
> >NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
> > of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
> > equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
> > second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
> > issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
> > weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
> > Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
> > the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
> > Majerus.
> >
> > Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
> > Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
> > ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
> > ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
> > NQ1R.
> >
> > Leading the discussions were Gordon West,
> > WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
> > Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.
> >
> > Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
> > better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
> > "As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
> > said.
> >
> >Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life
> >support.
> >
> >The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion,
> >not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to
> >sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the
> >advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit
> >indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.
> >
> >Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you

> >>>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...
>
> Go read the anti-trust act and then tell us about
> the illegalities (i.e. lack of any that is).
>
> ROTFLMAO
>
> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK

I hope you didn't injure your brain, Attorney Sohl.

"every contract, combination in the form of trust or
otherwise, or conspiracy, in restraint
of trade or commerce among the
several States, or with foreign
nations."

A meeting of a "non profit" publishing house, which sends countless, annoying proposals to the FCC, ever aimed at increasing the number of amateurs.

A group joined by foreign manufacturers, who without policies aimed at lowering standards to try to get new hams, can threaten not to adevertise.

A group of foreign manufacturers who drove all but one company out of business, that exist in two different countries, have two different economies and wage systems, yet arrive at nearly identical prices for all radios small, medium and large with the one remaining US company.

A group of 4 or 5 companies that, no matter what the initial features, have identical entry level radio prices, once apples are compared to apples.

And all this occurs under the supervision of one of two major chain stores.

If you retort that's competition, you'll have failed. That occurs without group meetings of iron triangles.

And your dual PhD in Economics and Legal Philosophy is from where ?
Universite du ROTFLMAO ?

Sorry, the ARRL CEU pogram, I forgot.

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1393. Re: infos about FT847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d8ftd$o7f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114164

In article <MPG.13610d7ecc9297a498969c@news.supernews.com>,
F4TUG <f4tug-63@ifrance.com> wrote:
> i go to sell my TS870 and buy a FT847 ,
> is there a mail-list or a web site where i can found any infos or tips
> about the 847 ?
>
> merci, thanks, danke,...
>

You go to make a big mistake, unless you don't care about HF anymore.
The 847 has no SWR meter, a cheesier tuning knob, not as good dsp, needs
IF filters to do any better, has no tuner, and the two worst parts:

Poorer receiver performance as per ARRL and also a noisy T/R relay.

[Enter Chip Margelli threatening to "forward this to counsel" like the
last time]

http://www.en.com/users/rayd/ft-847/wwwboard/wwwboard.html

Of course, he is a patron of the alternative lifestyle, according to his
other pages, so if that sort of thing bothers you, don't bother going.

Ironically, he's also a bit of a Nazi when it comes to free speech,
letting people know he doesn't want anything negative about radios on
there.

Do as I say not as I do (not that I'd want to).

Like so many amateurs.

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1394. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000414213426.02932.00000363@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 114165

Not even close. God is not mocked. In this case, even Brother John is not mocked.

Good dialect, though. Add in a little bogus tongues-speaking and you could do a real number on Robert Tilton. And you could even post his toll free number for all the donors to call in a generous pledge to keep the yacht in tip-top shape.

Meantime, be nice to Brother John. He has good friends in high places. And I don't refer to Mr. Hollingsworth.

1395. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8d8ge2$251@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 114166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) (w1rfi@arrl.net) wrote:
: LRod wrote:

: >Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
: >you FAILED to meet the requirements

: And presumably after April 15, he will be granted a General ticket because
: he will succeed at meeting the requirements.

"Time heals all." ;-))

: 73, Ed Hare, W1RFI
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

1396. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d8jdg$rt4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114167

In article <hv9ffsor0llbs667sh2b7m2218f9pcohgu@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 18:08:55 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >Just wondering where are all the apolgies due Dean Brown, AC5IU?
> >Remember, this is the guy that was "supposidly" nailed by the FCC for
> >jamming, and not using his call. And all you two bit hypocrits on
here
> >that were jumping for joy. Show you are a man. You remember how
dont
> >you?
> >
> How about all the stuff he did that he didn't get caught for? You just
> worry about 3.901 and your merry band of crybabies and don't worry
> about AC5IU.
>
Oh you mean like the Memphis Morons that jammed for years on 3.901? Or
how about the dipshits that jammed the Intercon/Marinetime nets for
years? Or how about your buddies that sit on a certain frequency and
put on their halo's. Id recommend, John, you grab your marbles and
leave while you can.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Before you buy.

1397. HTX-202 speaker/mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9ejs@frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <8d8je6$rt9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114168

All of sudden my HTX-202 speaker/mic doesn't key the HTX-202. It was working great before that. I've checked continuity from the tip of the mic plug up through the PTT switch, on over to the mic itself, and it looks o.k.
I transferred the spkr/mic to another HTX-202 and it doesn't key that one either, so apparently it's a problem within the spkr/mic. Can some one please help?

73 George, N9EJS

P.S.: The internal mic in the HTX-202 itself works o.k.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1398. Clean Air Cars & Contest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: greenguy4152@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000414221957.17267.00001970@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 114169

****
Cleaner and Greener Cars at
http://www.earthday.net/action/greencar.stm
****
Dear Friends:

The signs of auto pollution are everywhere -- we all know that the Los Angeles skyline looks like a bad case of ring-around-the-collar. Even worse, more of America is following LA's dubious lead. Houston just surpassed Los Angeles as the smoggiest place in the U.S.

Not only is smog ugly, it's got some nasty side affects as well. All those noxious chemicals are destroying our:

*Air
*Water
*Health

AND emptying our wallets every time we stop for a fill up.

We deserve to live in a world where we can see what's on the horizon! It seems the automakers are having a hard time seeing the future of auto technology through all that smog.

The technology exists TODAY to produce cars that can help clean up our environment, and save us cash at the pump, but they won't produce them unless we ask for them!

So visit Earth Day Network today, and give American automakers a new direction. Tell them to produce cleaner, greener cars for the future of our environment.

Send your FREE postcard today for the environment!

http://www.earthday.net/action/greencar.stm

Please help this campaign by forwarding this message to anyone you know: friends, family, colleagues -- concerned about environmental issues. Don't forget your mom, your dad, your brothers and sisters, your college buddies, your coworkers, and your favorite car buff! Thanks!

While you're at it, enter to win a Toyota Prius - a clean, green car. Enter at
http://www.earthday.net/freebies/earthsmartcar.asp

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This email message is brought to you by Earth Day Network,
http://www.earthday.net. Please post this message in any
appropriate Internet forums.
****
http://www.earthday.net/action/greencar.stm
****

1399. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000414222411.23745.00001686@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 114170

>
>Instead of pushing for hams, terminally cheap as it is, to get in free,
>why is the ARRL once again rushing forward to cater to existing hams ? I
>thought the whole thing of this restructuring that they fought so hard
>to guide (sheah) was to get new hams ?
>

Missed the part about the tie-in publicity, didn't you?

>most are running antiquated tube type CRAP.
>

I'm sure you're a real joy to your family and friends. Not a negative bone in your body!

QRM

1400. Re: CB RAMBO IS BACK!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000414222559.23745.00001688@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 114171

Dream on.

1401. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8d8odj$13k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114172

In article <8d7mrb$s8t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>
> Just wondering where are all the apolgies due Dean Brown, AC5IU?
> Remember, this is the guy that was "supposidly" nailed by the FCC for
> jamming, and not using his call. And all you two bit hypocrits on
here
> that were jumping for joy. Show you are a man. You remember how dont
> you?
I LISTEN A LOT ON 313 AND I NEVER HERD ANY TAPES OF THE GOOF BUT I HAVE
HERD HIM BUT IN TO A LOT OF QSO'S . PEOPLE UNKEY AND THERE HE IS IN
THERE FACE TELLING THEM HOW WRONG THEY ARE HE THINKS HE KNOWS EVERY
THING. THERES NO DOUGHT THAT HE LIED HIS WAY OUT OF THIS BUT HE WILL
SCREW UP AGIN AND NEXT TIME POP GOS THE WEESEL..> FCC Amateur Radio
Enforcement Log
> Apr 10, 2000
>
> ALBUQUERQUE, NM [UPDATE]: The FCC wrote Amateur Extra licensee Dean M.
> Brown,
> AC5IU, on April 4, 2000, advising him that it was rescinding a Warning
> Notice
> sent March 14 concerning operation on the 20-meter band. The FCC told
> the ARRL
> that additional evidence indicates that the licensee was not at fault
> for the
> alleged interference. The licensee was advised to disregard the
Notice.
>
> author: webmaster@arrl.org
> Copyright © 2000, American Radio Relay League, Inc. All Rights
> Reserved.
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> _____
>
> Dan/W4NTI
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

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1402. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8d8nhp$av6@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 114173
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA (Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org) wrote:
: James Rosenthal wrote:
: > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) (w1rfi@arrl.net) wrote:
: >
: > : And presumably after April 15, he will be granted a General ticket because
: > : he will succeed at meeting the requirements.
: >
: > "Time heals all." ;-))

: I thought "Time wounds all heels".

Or "heels get wounded in their time".
: --
: 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

1403. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000414234404.19058.00001502@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 114174

N0VFP wrote:
>I, enjoyed a dose of "moan, faggot,
>moan" and "blah-blah-blah" and so forth.

Right .. this explains why the sig file is full of Liberty Net links .. because you like W9ART and K5BLB and KK7HO and WA9KJI and the late K5ZU. Makes perfect sense to me. (Not.)

It ain't gonna work, pal. You made some memories that are NOT going to die. Now run along and make kissy-kissy with your heroes. Get off the fence. And look elsewhere for backs to stab.

And to finish bustin' the bubble, I can predict that if the "netters" should make your acquaintance, they won't waste a lot of time on you either.

Bottom line .. nobody likes a 2-faced back stabber. "Netters" don't like them. "Jammers" don't like them. "Friendlies" don't like them. Canadians don't like them. Tennessee boys don't like them. And above all ... "those nasty Jews", aka "that Florida personage" don't like them. Get it?

1404. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000415001619.11118.00001616@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 114175

Davies, i think you need some help. One minute you suck up to the netters, the next minute your sucking up to the friendlies. I think both sides have your number now. Things on 3950 (and this NG) for the most part, are much better, and have settled down. Do not troll, instigate, flame, or suck up. It just won't work.
Your bigotry, anti-semitism and hatred uglied this NG for quite awhile. I hope your finished.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

1405. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f7e8b0.2947389@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 19:36:25 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Brian wrote in
>>Aaaron (I guess),can you look at me with a straight face
>>and say that the material is easier than it was in 1963?
>
>I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was
>much easier. Today's memorization of a large amount of very technical
>questions is definitely not easy. But what does easy or hard have to do
>with the *quality* of a test? If the purpose of a test is to examine the
>applicant to see if he knows the test material, then today's tests do
>not do that. If the purpose of the test is just to be *hard* and require
>a lot of *effort* at memorization to pass, then it is no better
>than the Morse test...

Well said.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

PS - 3 minutes till 5 wpm only

1406. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f7e9ad.3199508@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 00:55:11 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>In article <38f7add5.6211500@news.interactive.net>,
> billsohl@interactive.net wrote:
>> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 18:00:57 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>> >You figure out the title. We all said it. And the idiots still keep
>> >sending their 34 dollars in like addicts in a crack house. But now ARRL
>> >is bold enough to admit it publicly, since most hams are too stupid to
>> >not renew their subscription... er, "membership":
>> >
>> >NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 12, 2000--Representatives
>> > of the ARRL recently joined Amateur Radio
>> > equipment manufacturers and publishers for the
>> > second year in a row to share ideas and discuss
>> > issues facing the ham radio industry. The session last
>> > weekend, was organized by Amateur Electronic
>> > Supply Manager Ray Grenier, K9KHW, and held at
>> > the Wisconsin hunting lodge of AES owner Phil
>> > Majerus.
>> >
>> > Attending on behalf of the ARRL were ARRL
>> > Executive Vice President Dave Sumner, K1ZZ;
>> > ARRL Advertising Manager John Bee, N1GNV, and
>> > ARRL Marketing Coordinator Bob Inderbitzen,
>> > NQ1R.
>> >
>> > Leading the discussions were Gordon West,
>> > WB6NOA, of the Gordon West Radio School, and
>> > Bob Heil, K9EID, of Heil Sound Limited.
>> >
>> > Sumner said much of the talk centered on ways to
>> > better support local efforts to attract new amateurs.
>> > "As all politics is local, so is the case here," Sumner
>> > said.
>> >
>> >Politics ? You couldn't exist in the real world if you were on life
>> >support.
>> >
>> >The high prices of ham radios are the result of this sort of collusion,
>> >not the result of high costs of design and production, as ARRL tries to
>> >sell us. Collusion between manufacturers, ARRL as the keeper of the
>> >advertising journal and vendors. Collusion which is the real, albeit
>> >indirect, reason the hobby will die from a lack of new hams.

>> >
>> >Lower the IQ bar not the cost. If you were to lower the cost, you
>> >>>would<< end up with more hams (maybe)...
>>
>> Go read the anti-trust act and then tell us about
>> the illegalities (i.e. lack of any that is).
>>
>> ROTFLMAO
>>
>> Cheers,
>> Bill K2UNK
>
>I hope you didn't injure your brain, Attorney Sohl.
>
>"every contract, combination in the form of trust or
>otherwise, or conspiracy, in restraint
>of trade or commerce among the
>several States, or with foreign
>nations."

So who was there? Kenwood, ICOM, YASEU,
Ten-TEC, etc? Oh, not the manufacturers at all.
Well how about the distributors besides AES?

>A meeting of a "non profit" publishing house, which sends countless,
>annoying proposals to the FCC, ever aimed at increasing the number of
>amateurs.

So tell us. Exactly what went on there that
violates the law? You have the agenda?
The minutes, a tape recording?

>A group joined by foreign manufacturers, who without policies aimed at
>lowering standards to try to get new hams, can threaten not to
>adevertise.

Speculating some more I see.

>A group of foreign manufacturers who drove all but one company out of
>business, that exist in two different countries, have two different
>economies and wage systems, yet arrive at nearly identical prices for
>all radios small, medium and large with the one remaining US company.

Still speculating I see.

>A group of 4 or 5 companies that, no matter what the initial features,
>have identical entry level radio prices, once apples are compared to
>apples.

More speculation.

>And all this occurs under the supervision of one of two major chain
>stores.

Still more.

>If you retort that's competition, you'll have failed. That occurs
>without group meetings of iron triangles.

When did group meetings get banned?

>And your dual PhD in Economics and Legal Philosophy is from where ?
>Universite du ROTFLMAO ?

Well your "speculation" is just that, speculation.
Last I heard, the feds still required evidence of
Sherman Act violations, not speculation and
spin based on "oh my, they shouldn't ever be
talking to each other".

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1407. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38f7eb71.3652203@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 114178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 21:13:25 -0500, "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>Right up front, I am no where near educated enough to make reasonable
>assumptions on either side of this... But, if any of what mf_luder(?) is
>saying is remotely near the truth, my reaction is "what have we here?"
>73 de W5TIT - Kim

What we have is the equivalent of reporting
found in the National Enquirer or Star.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1408. Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8d8qmr$628$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Archive-name: radio/personal-intro

This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb, rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH6O, jeffreyh@hawaii.edu, or Paul Schleck, K3FU, pschleck@novia.net.

This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.

History
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Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio. The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.

Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process, developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one hierarchy.

The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net, and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.

Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists that don't have newsgroups.

The Current Groups
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It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them, and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing, don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.

The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any amateur radio-related message that's not more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.

The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.

The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups, especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions. There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there. To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're out of luck.

The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules, regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.

The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens' Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams and CBers - and very few topics are.

The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the

group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the group is rec.radio.info-moderator@primenet.com. Inquires and other adminis-trivia should be directed to rec.radio.info-request@primenet.com. For more information about rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are regularly posted to that newsgroup.

The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications. Each of these subgroups has its own charter and FAQ; please refer to the archives to find these documents.

Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions on how to use the mail server.

All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way, change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.

Mailing Lists

In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio, and discussion is focused on just those areas. PLEASE BE SURE TO SAVE THE WELCOME MESSAGE YOU RECEIVE AFTER SUBSCRIBING -- IT WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFO REGARDING UNSUBSCRIBING!

The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio. To join, send an email to cq-contesting-request@contesting.com.

The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to dx-request@unbc.edu.

There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.

The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.

The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write: subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire index.

The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military, and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to: listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors

For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology, there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to: majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write: subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>

The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.

We now have a list devoted to amateur radio history. To subscribe, send an email to: ham-radio-history-subscribe@egroups.com - leave the body of the message blank.

Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the complete index.

For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see the excellent web site http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves; that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list. Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the person maintaining the mailing list.

A Few Words on Crossposting
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Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's

headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers of this article.

One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please cross-post as appropriate.

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Jeffrey Herman, KH6O, and your friendly rec.radio.amateur working-group
jeffreyh@hawaii.edu

1409. Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d8t10$5sh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114180

In article <20000414153229.26818.00000558@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
on: 14 Apr 2000 00:00:00 GMT
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Lloyd) wrote:

> Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once.

So what you are saying is, "it's okay for you (lloyd) to mouth off and make comments about other people's posts, but it's not okay for anyone else to make comments about yours." Is that it? Well, don't hold your breath. You are about to become my hobby.

> What in the hell have i ever done to piss you off?

Wow, where to start!?!

Well, for openers there's your spamming with conspiracy theory, new world order, militia, rapture, and other nonsensical trash on this newsgroup. It's offensive in its message, it's inappropriate in this venue, and you don't even do the courtesy of citing the source of the material.

Then there's your proselytizing about so-called Christian beliefs and ideals while at the same time spewing your agenda of hate and anti-semitism.

Of course, we can't forget your post in January where you said you were done with all that because you didn't want people making fun of you, but within twenty minutes you were back at it.

How about your "south will rise again" crap that you posted last summer? Those of us who believe in America find that offensive, particularly from someone born and raised in the north.

Then we have your "I know what's going on" posts such as "I know for a fact he's (WB2OTK) getting a NAL." Which, of course, never happened. We've "marked your words" so many times you've practically overtaken RG8 stair in unfulfilled prophecies.

You consistently, without fail, pick losers to deify and celebrate. Contrary to what you may think, it doesn't take someone with some intelligence more than a week (less if one feels like dredging through a lot of Deja files) to figure out who the stand-up folks are and who the losers are in this newsgroup.

You pretend to be some sort of player, some experienced guru, some knoweledgable veteran of life, and you can't even walk the walk. You can hardly put two sentences together without mangling the words (congratulations; you almost did it above except for capitalizing "I").

That's all stuff that's offensive and maddening to the great majority of normal people who make up most of the population. Hey, don't take my word for it; don't forget you were voted the "Number One Idjit" in Big Guy One's Idjit List Poll by members of this newsgroup (you probably thought it was a compliment when he changed it to "Rocket Scientist List").

Now here's the personal stuff:

On at least three different ocassions I set aside my dislike for you and what you espouse, and offered you some kind words and sound advice on how to deal with certain situations and to explain why you get some of the responses you do.

For that effort, I received zero, nada, zip, goose egg, zilch response from you. No thanks, no "kiss my ass," no by-your-leave. No acknowledgement that you would implement changes, discard suggestions, reconsider positions, nothing.

When I asked you to document some claim you made, you harshly told me you didn't need to tell me anything, and that at a time when you didn't even know me, and at the same time as you were attempting to badger someone else into publishing details of their personal life that were clearly none of your or our business.

You told me you were "going to expose me for the fool that I am on the newsgroup" when you had neither the resources nor the evidence nor an eligible candidate for any such thing.

You accused me of poor internet behavior, and when I pointed out the error in your assertion, you failed to acknowledge your shortcoming or even respond in any way.

But, you haven't pissed me off. You don't have the resources to do that. All you've done is provide a cornucopia of opportunity to tweak you, bait you, expose you, manipulate you, and generally hold you up to the contempt you have earned in the year I've seen your act.

It's easy, it's fun, it beats playing shuffleboard as I relax in the Florida sun basking in retirement. I don't think you realize how overmatched you are. So just keep posting your juvenile troll spam, and be prepared to be skewered each time within a few hours. Unless you want to make some changes. The choice is yours.

LRod

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1410. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415003611.19058.00001507@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 114181

>One minute you suck up to the netters, the
>next minute you're sucking up to the friendlies.

Sucking by any other name ..

>I think both sides have your
>number now.

Good call. Love 'em or hate 'em, I think the "netters" are men of integrity and single-mindedness toward their beliefs. Oil and water ain't gonna mix.

Patsies, stool pigeons and the like are of limited usefulness, and ultimately expendible. And, according to the movies, they are always replaced; never recycled.

>Your bigotry, anti-semitism and hatred uglied this NG for quite awhile

No end of that in sight. Today, he misses Arky Bob. Tomorrow he will want to rid the earth of "those nasty Jews".

>I hope you're finished.

When he is no longer useful as a source. Till then .. relax and enjoy.

1411. Amateur Radio Stamp Pins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: PoodlesFly <poodlesfly@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d8t43$5st$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114182

Brand new Amateur Radio Stamp Pins available at www.poodlesfly.com
Take a look!

Sandy N7RQ

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Sandy
AL Gal #0
DORK #0

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1412. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8d8u0m$6p2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article
<E3C6BA73478D89BA.603083215E0F9979.E0EE8B0D8ECC5878@lp.airnews.net>,
"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:

> Right up front,

Well,.....nah.

> I am no where near educated enough to make reasonable assumptions on
> either side of this...

Don't worry, neither is mf_loser. About every 90 days mr. negativity
pops up here and starts spouting his anti-ARRL, anti-contester, anti-ham
radio trolls. If you ignore him, like any troll, he will slither back
under his very unhappy rock and hibernate for a while. Don't believe me?
Do a search and try to find a single positive post by this bozo.

> But, if any of what mf_luder(?) is saying is remotely near the truth,

Don't worry, it isn't. Urban legends are propagated the same way.

LRod

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1413. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FA0364.BCED1ED4@oio.net>
Source record: 113884

Hey Doc!
You can say approximately the same thing for
fishing, hunting, golf, chess, or any other hobby.
Not exactly sure where Mr.Hollingsworth fits in,
but maybe he can be the Game Warden, caddy, timer,
or referee.
All of which does not mean I disagree.
Paul

1414. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8dd0i6tel1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113885

In article <38F9EE2A.591EF810@home.com>,
Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com> wrote:
>Proper ID would have been whiskey alpha two india sierra echo temporary
>alpha echo. Sorry that:
>a: he didn't get it right--the information was included on the back of
>the CSCE he just got--all he had to do was read.
>b: He is proud of screwing up.
c: He was joking in the posting. I said that I *didn't* ID as WA2ISE/EL
on the air.
>
>Just points out that there is going to be a serious need for Elmering in
>the coming months. These guys don't know that they are ignorant.
>
Yes, we newbies will need Elmering. Please tell us when we make mistakes
so we can learn proper methods of operating.
>>
>> In article <8dab1p$l1h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com says...
>> >
>> >This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>> >get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>> >
>> >No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)
^^^^^^

1415. Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FA0623.9855C351@icss.net>
Source record: 113886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) wrote:

> Poor brainless Brian. Trys harder like Avis, but never quite succeeds.
> Insists he the GUISEPPI from Pinnochio, pulling the strings. Wouldn't
> take the hint to do a little research, so I guess I get the last and best
> smack upside his tiny brainstem
>
> Try this Brain... Pinnocchio's father/maker was GEPPETTO not GUSIEPPI

> All this time I thought he was playing at being this stupid. Guess I was
> wrong, he really isn't playing, he is this stupid.
>
> Nice try though. Going through all this to insult someone and not even
> getting it right.
>
> Oh well. Seems Dave is on 6 meters, below 50.2 and all I hear are NoCode
> JA's trying to work him from F-Land. Here Brian out there screaming his
> last 2 on 10 to a W6 Beacon...wow, can't get any better than this
>
> Oh yes, in the file, additionally are
>
> Vince and mf luder. All perfect companions to one who hasn't got things
> quite right. Look for GUISEPPE Burke coming to a Bellevue near you
>
> all for now. back to the dx already in progress
> --
> Carpe Diem!!!!

Good luck, my little wooden headed boy. And don't keep telling lies or your nose will grow longer and longer. Also, when you play with the braying jackasses, don't turn in to one yourself (hi hi). If you ever decide to become a Real Boy, please look me up and perhaps I can carve a brain for you.

When does the spamming stop?

1416. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FA063E.6196286@oio.net>
Source record: 113887

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by allowing
> day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised nothing
> nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime.
***Rather, it increased ticket sales. No change in in baseball.
> The 3 pointer in
> basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult to score
> from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes IMPROVED OUR
> QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you equate the
> outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are
> getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general
***Got a problem 'swallowing that!
> how can
> opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those who
> ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to REDUCE
> the number on it for the good of the country. <-- isn't that 'quaint'?
> The idea is not to make it
> easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job incentives to
> get people OFF the dole.
*** "get people of the 'Bob'" <- politically correct.
> What the FCC and ARRL did was to make welfare
> fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the handouts to
> equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting, self
> serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take pride in
> our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was not a
> willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month, ENDS.
> AF2Y
>

1417. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Mikel <KE6DJE@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <38f9fb92.0@news.sac.bfp.net>
Source record: 113888

Well, I for one did wait for the restructuring of the licensees at the suggestion of the entire VE team in my local area. I don't take offense to being called a "welfare general" I just take pity on a poor soul that feels he has to blast the rest of us and not have the balls to post his name or call. I sign mine willingly.

Wayne Mikel KE6DJE (Welfare General to be)

John wrote in message <38f90012.31044132@news.mindspring.com>...
>Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government
>to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy
>what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.

1418. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wex w2ilp <w2ilp@juno.com>
Message-ID: <8dd3gm$g2f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38F94447.2147A35E@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> Bob Wex w2ilp wrote:
> > The motivation of
> > any human to do more than required (especially for advancement in a
non-
> > profit hobby) can only be driven by self pride.
>
> Which, from an evolutionary standpoint, probably includes a death
wish.
> Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man,
that
> expends more energy than required to perform a task. Do you know of
any
> cats who give a mouse a headstart? How about Purple Martins who give a
> mosquito a second chance?

Hi Cecil -
Domesticated animals do not need to hunt their natural enemies to survive because they are fed by their owners. Thus pet house cats can be taught to live in peace with pet mice. In a similar manner civilized men (and women) can live in peace without resorting to clubbing each other over the head in order to achieve the control formerly required for survival.
Dogs will fetch, cats will attack strings, monkies will play...all using energy for no real purpose other than to exercise their bodies in preparation for uses that might no longer be necessary for their survival...but are amusing to the humans who observe them...and encourage such behavior.
Hobbies, like fox hunting, are remnants of the past for those who don't need to hunt for food in order to survive in the 21st century. Like the pet pussy-cats, we have all become somewhat domesticated, although we still can harbor some of our ancestral primative urges, which are no longer needed for our survival.
Yep we are supposed to be civilized now-a-days but there will always be some of us who cling to the primative urges of our primative ancestors and follow relatively unnecessary hobbies like outdoor barbequing, living in tents, using out-houses, gun collecting...and ham radio.
As for death wishes... I admit that they can exist in some people...but most people seem to be programmed for survival at all costs. If everyone who had a "death wish" did himself in, we would not be here today to discuss anything.

Hams need MORE license classes,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Inbread Logical Pussy?)

If a cat sits on a hot stove, she will
not sit on a hot stove again. In fact,
she will not sit on a stove again.
--Benjamin Franklin--

If a ham touches a hot wire, he will
learn not to touch a hot wire again...
BUT he can't be a real ham if he is
afraid to touch any wires!
--w2ilp--

You can not get the feeling that
you can get from contacting 220
volts at 400 Hertz by reading
about it in a text book. Somehow
your reflexes will draw you away..
even if you don't know Ohm's Law.
--w2ilp--

Edison wanted to use DC for power
distributing. Westinghouse wanted
AC. Edison said that AC would be
unsafe. Both considered AC to be
a good choice for the first
electric chair.
--w2ilp--

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1419. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wex w2ilp <w2ilp@juno.com>
Message-ID: <8dd4j6$h2h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38F9B622.2CA82A24@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> Aaron Jones wrote:
> >
> > W6RCecilA wrote
> > >Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man,
that
> > >expends more energy than required to perform a task.
> >
> > Dogs that make several revolutions before finally lying down?
>
> Theory is, that energy is expended for the purpose of making
> a bed in the grass.

Hi Cecil -
The physical rituals of animals can be tactical. Cats never take
the shortest direct path to a destination when they stalk because their
prey and their enemies must be fooled by their unexpected approach.
They also circle their beds before retiring. They also circle their
litter boxes when time permits.

Then why do dogs bark at a full moon? Do they sense something that we
can't understand or it it just a hobby with them...like hams who are
expecting to bounce their signals off the moon?

Why do cats wag their tails when they are angry and dogs wag their
tails when they are happy? What would people do if they had tails?
Some might use them to send signals if they didn't have an ISP.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

73, Bob Wex w2ilp (Intelligent Living Primates?)

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1420. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: alice@kramden.moon
Message-ID: <BIoK4.17$a3.97@news1.iquest.net>
Source record: 113891

The "echo lima" was a reference to "extra light" few crissake! Did ya notice the ":-)"? It's a joke. Remember what those are? We used to have them way back before restructuring happened. There seems to be an even more serious need for re-implanting the sense of humor into certain grumps.

In article <38F9EE2A.591EF810@home.com>, gdanaher@home.com was of the opinion...
>
>Proper ID would have been whiskey alpha two india sierra echo temporary
>alpha echo. Sorry that:
>a: he didn't get it right--the information was included on the back of
>the CSCE he just got--all he had to do was read.
>b: He is proud of screwing up.
>
>Just points out that there is going to be a serious need for Elmering in
>the coming months. These guys don't know that they are ignorant.
>
>

1421. Jesus's Vision for Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Widow@wol.be
Message-ID: <33SNFTDM36632.9477314815@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 113892

Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
and every frequency shall proclaim Jesus as Lord!
For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, for I was travelling on the
Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
did shine from within it! On his right stood
Hiram Maxim, holding the Holy Handbook, and
on his left stood Marconi and Morse, Protectors of
the Faith of old. And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
"John, my good and faithful servent, know ye my
servent Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
preaching in my name. And where thou dost encounter
the heathen, rise ye up, and call upon my servent Riley,
and he shall call down the holy Fire from Heaven, and
they shall be consumed. Now go forth!"
So Almight GOD has called me to my duty, and
I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
them from our holy bands, that you may be
seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.

Amen and Amen.

Brother John, KC3AU

(This ministry can only continue with your kind donations.
Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)

1422. Re: FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000416165918.25770.00002136@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 113893

<< I saw the movie FREQUENCY on April 15th. I enjoyed it a lot. It uses ham radio in a very positive way. It is PG13 rated so it will be more accessible to children. If you like it, promote it.

Read my review at the RARA web site
http://www.ggw.org/rara/FREQUENCY.htm

Peter Fournia
W2SKY >>

I saw it too. Many entertaining moments, clever plot. Hams will get a chuckle over...

* Dennis Quaid's vintage Heathkit (SB-104?). Works with no coax plugged into the SO-239 jack
* Rig powers ON or OFF by itself
* Rig randomly switches from PTT to VOX
* A character's comments re ham radio: "amazing that people still use this old stuff!"
* The "CB" QSL cards in the foreground of Quaid's shack
* The triband beam on the roof that never rotates
* The blazing "aurora" seen over NY skies circa1969
* Wife doesn't mind that Quaid is hamming all day and night
*No TVI complaints from neighbors

Joe, W1GFH

1423. Re: Jesus's Vision for Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000416170919.08684.00001553@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 113894

First time was cute. This time boring.

1424. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <38fa2eba@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 113895

A Ham wrote:

> I see this as the beginning of
> the "10-4 good buddy" days ...

Lumpy adds:

Isn't it possible that those CB'ers that
some put down will upgrade their skills
as well as their license. Hopefully as
all of us have...:-)

73 - Lumpy ab0gd

ex KEQ3268, back in those days!

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http://www.digitalcartography.com

1425. Re: Brian's Rules for illegal DX operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ddb0f$82s$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.
Summary:
Expires:
References: <20000412130831.08677.00001250@ng-cj1.aol.com> <8dban8lpt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<38F94447.2147A35E@IEEE.org> <uN1ZWT2p$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Sender:
Followup-To:
Distribution:
Organization: University of Hawaii
Keywords:
Cc:

In article <uN1ZWT2p$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>,
Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>W6RCecilA wrote
>>Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man, that
>>expends more energy than required to perform a task.
>
>Dogs that make several revolutions before finally lying down?
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy
Subject: Re: KF2TI Rules for illegal DX operations
Summary:
Expires:
References: <38E0ADC8.1A2B2DBD@shecora.com>
<MPG.136219c0af6432e79898e5@news.interactive.net> <38F86644.7A08
<38F9D000.F05BF4B9@icss.net>
Sender:
Followup-To:
Distribution:
Organization: University of Hawaii
Keywords:

Cc:

On rec.radio.amateur.dx Brian wrote:
>Welp my little wooden headed Pinnochio, now that I know the no-code JAs
>are limited to domestic contacts only, I'll avoid them.

I wonder why the JARL web site doesn't mention that restriction
on their 4th Class licensees? Maximum of ten watts, phone only,
frequency restrictions, but no mention of domestic contacts only.
73, Jeff KH6O+

1426. Re: Jesus's Vision for Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000416173257.25420.00000601@nso-cl.aol.com>
Source record: 113897

In article <33SNFTDM36632.9477314815@anonymous.poster>, Widow@wol.be (Anonymous remailer) writes:

>Amen and Amen.
>
>Brother John, KC3AU

Brother John, if you're gonna post this witty satire, how about a real Email address for you? Too much to ask? ;)))

73,
Rick N9GSU

1427. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <38fa33e4@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 113898

First af2y wrote:
[Some stuph re restructuring including]

> ...I see no tangible benefit to ham radio per se
> insofar as bettering, refining, upgrading and
> making it more acceptable to and appreciated
> by the public at large. I see nothing which
> will help establish a clearer perception of it
> and a definite distinction recognized by the
> public between it and CB...

Then ke8hh wrote:
[Some most EXCELLENT stuph on the counter
snipped for brevity]

Now ab0gd adds:

Bravo ke8hh. Nice volley.

Perhaps some of the anti-new-ham's in the world could
perceive of the new hams as a reource to help
the rest of us.

Those who suggest that 'CB types' are just a bunch of
donut eating, butt crack showin', orange vest wearin',
cop wanna be's haven't been to any of the ham fests
I've been at.

Does 40wpm burn more calories than 5wpm?...;-)

Lumpy ab0gd

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http://www.digitalcartography.com

1428. Re: Brian's Rules for illegal DX operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1364009b6cad52cd9898f4@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8ddb0f$82s$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy
> Subject: Re: KF2TI Rules for illegal DX operations
> Summary:
> Expires:
> References: <38E0ADC8.1A2B2DBD@shecora.com>
<MPG.136219c0af6432e79898e5@news.interactive.net> <38F86644.7A08
<38F9D000.F05BF4B9@icss.net>
> Sender:
> Followup-To:
> Distribution:
> Organization: University of Hawaii
> Keywords:
> Cc:
>
> On rec.radio.amateur.dx Brian wrote:
> >Welp my little wooden headed Pinnochio, now that I know the no-code JAs
> >are limited to domestic contacts only, I'll avoid them.
>
> I wonder why the JARL web site doesn't mention that restriction
> on their 4th Class licensees? Maximum of ten watts, phone only,
> frequency restrictions, but no mention of domestic contacts only.
> 73, Jeff KH6O+

the English version does not, but then again, it hasn't been updated
since 1996 and there have been changes to the license classes

Next time you talk to a JA who has knowledge, ask his/her. The rules
were updated in late 1996/early 1997. It has to do with the fact that
having no code, they are not in compliance with the various treaties.

It was a hot topic at last years DX dinner at Dayton, which several
members of the JARL attended. It is from them that the information was
gathered. It is common knowledge amongst the Japanese that Class 4
licenses are essentially their form of CB.

Several years ago it was addressed in the JARL newsletter

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Carpe Diem!!!!

1429. Wanted VX10 programming software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gm4plm@emn.org.uk
Message-ID: <38fa371c.1645473934@news.freenetname.co.uk>
Source record: 113900

Can anyone help with programming software for a Yaesu VX10 handheld
for 70cms???

Have the connection cable but ADMS does not read it correctly

Any ideas??

Need this URGENTLY!!!!

73 Simon GM4PLM
The contents of this message represent the personal opinion of the
author and are not representative of the RSGB or DUBUS unless otherwise stated.
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| Simon Lewis GM4PLM Editor - European Microwave News |
| Radio Society of Great Britain Microwave Column Editor |
| DUBUS Microwave Europe Column Editor |
| European Microwave News - Supporting Microwave Radio Across Europe |
| EMN Homepage - www.emn.org.uk Email gm4plm@emn.org.uk |
| RSGB Microwave Column Homepage - www.emn.org.uk/mwcol.htm |
| RSGB Microwave Column Email uwave.radcom@rsgb.org.uk |
| DUBUS Microwave Europe Column Homepage - www.emn.org.uk/dubus.htm |
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1430. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ddcqf$9t3$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113901

John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote:
>"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>: Jeffrey Herman wrote

>: >You can read all about it in DeSoto's "200 Meters and Down."

>: Does it say that there would be no ham radio anywhere in the world today if
>: it were not for the ARRL??

>No, it means that Jeff has a book. Jeff has been quoting from his book
>for quite some time now. Jeff believes that if it is written therein,
>then it is axiomatically true.

That's the first time I've mentioned DeSoto's book. I usually quote
from early issues of QST. They're all available on CD now.

That book was written by someone who had lived through that era and
had first-hand access to all available records. You yourself can
peruse the early issues of QST to read the press releases regarding
the minute-by-minute accounts of what took place at each of the
international conferences. You can also go to a research library
containing government documents and read the minutes from each
and every international radio conference. Our U.H. library contains
such a government depository. A goldmine for the amateur historian.

>Whatever you do, don't tell him about the other books that are out
>there. You don't want to upset him.

Please, tell me any other titles you might know of on amateur radio
history. I'm only aware of about a half dozen books devoted exclusively
to amateur history. Dozens of other book on general radio history don't
don't contain specific details pertaining to amateurs.

Awaiting your list of books,
Jeff KH6O+

1431. Re: Jesus's Vision for Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <!@invalid>
Message-ID: <sfked55aivv179@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113902

On 16 Apr 2000 21:32:57 GMT, SBCmusic
<20000416173257.25420.00000601@nso-cl.aol.com> wrote:

>In article <33SNFTDM36632.9477314815@anonymous.poster>, Widow@wol.be (Anonymous
>remailer) writes:
>
>>Amen and Amen.
>>
>>Brother John, KC3AU
>
>
>Brother John, if you're gonna post this witty satire, how about a real Email
>address for you? Too much to ask? ;)))
>
>73,
>Rick N9GSU

Why should he have an email Address? God, Jesus, Holy Spirit, Joseph and all
the rest of the saints don't have a frigging email address!

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Kevin
http://nworegon.htmlplanet.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL
and Ham Radio topics and links.

1432. New license structure & effects

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <sWqK4.163684$_G1.1280173@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 113903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Follow this web site to better understand the current license structure & affects.

http://www.parg.org/faq1.html

1433. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dde48$b5f$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>>>Jeff wrote:

>>>>Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
>>>>exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.

>Yes, you copied it out of one of my other posts.

Nope. Your posts usually consist of at most one line of original
comment; I don't recall reading anything like that in any of your
articles (and your latest posts to .dx are not even being read).
That "also" sentence is mine; second time I've said it in the
last two weeks (first time was in the LM thread). If you also wrote
it, it's possible we both came to the same conclusion simultaneously
after reading through the LM thread for the past few weeks.

Jeff

1434. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38FA3D88.5ABA54DC@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113905

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I see restructuring doing this:

And I see "radiosigs's," or AF2Y's, _ENDLESS_ attacks on restructuring as...

1. An attempt to get attention for AF2Y.
2. An attempt to belittle others to make AF2Y feel superior.
3. An attempt to ignore the ligitimate arguments of others.
4. An attempt to avoid any ligitimate discussion on this subject.
5. An attempt to spread discontent in the ham radio community.

You've posted many threads on this subject, AF2Y. And, whenever the argument in any one of those threads goes against you, you avoid those arguments by posting still other threads.

For example, the issues you raise in this thread have already been addressed in other threads you've posted (and posted to). And myself, and many others, have already responded to those issues. But, instead of accepting those responses (which you did not agree with), here you are posting still another thread with the exact same issues.

In other words, you have no desire for an honest debate to a logical conclusion. Instead, you seek satisfaction by fanning the flames of discontent with endless tirads.

I hope others in the ham radio community will eventually wise up and ignore your endless garbage. That is certainly what I intend to do.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

1435. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FA03BA.184B6173@oio.net>
Source record: 113906

Laura,
Yes it has, but someone beat you to it.
'Doc

1436. Re: FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FA041E.9163F76A@oio.net>
Source record: 113907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

BD,
I had plenty to say. I said it. Maybe you just
didn't 'read' it?
'Doc

1437. Re: Steve's Rules for illegal DX Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FA3D7C.F03CCF67@icss.net>
Source record: 113908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) wrote:

> Several years ago it was addressed in the JARL newsletter
>
> --
> Carpe Diem!!!!

Now go visit the F-land site and get back to us on the 50.200 problem, my little wooden headed boy.

1438. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FA3ED6.F48F7B8E@icss.net>
Source record: 113909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >>>Jeff wrote:
>
> >>>>Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
> >>>>exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.
>
> >Yes, you copied it out of one of my other posts.
>
> Nope. Your posts usually consist of at most one line of original
> comment;

Yes, and that was my comment. I said that these old timers who go on and on about the new folks not knowing a damn thing and see the current exams as easy have 30 years of reading QST and experience to base that judgement on. Of course, when they were new...

> I don't recall reading anything like that in any of your
> articles

Your loss.

> (and your latest posts to .dx are not even being read).

Not so much of a loss. I'm just making my little Pinnochio dance for us.

> That "also" sentence is mine; second time I've said it in the
> last two weeks (first time was in the LM thread). If you also wrote
> it, it's possible we both came to the same conclusion simultaneously
> after reading through the LM thread for the past few weeks.

Maybe, but you seem to be ever at the ready to disattribute relatively simultaneous discovery and invention in the old land line telegraphy history.

> Jeff

1439. Re: >>>>>>Riley, xxxx's xx Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25510-38FA3B97-83@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113910

W4CSC, no, federal court isn't first. Before doing that, you have to exhaust the other remedies:

1. Communicate directly with Riley by telephone or letter.

2. Ask for a public retraction.

3. Bring the appropriate agency action(s).

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1440. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ddfmn$cr6$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote

>>I've always thought that radio history should be required reading in
>>order to get a license.

>It probably makes more sense to *learn* ham history than *memorize* ham
>electronics theory to get a license, BUT, to predict what might have
>happened if there were no ARRL is simply guesswork and deserves no place on
>any ham test...

There is no guesswork or speculation about it. Another instance:
Due to the ARRL's lobbying work in Congress demanding that amateurs
be allowed back on the air after WWI, House Joint Resolution
Number 217 was passed ordering the "Secretary of the Navy to remove
the restrictions on the use and operation of amateur radio stations
throughout the United States..." Without that joint resolution,
the Navy would have remained in control of the RF spectrum.
See pages 27 and 28 in "Fifty Years of ARRL."

Jeff KH6O

1441. PRAISE JESUS ON HAM RADIO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Widow@wol.be
Message-ID: <ME80P2VS36633.0457407407@anonymous.poster>
Source record: 113912

Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
and every frequency shall proclaim Jesus as Lord!
For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, for I was travelling on the
Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
did shine from within it! On his right stood Saint
Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook, and
on his left stood Marconi and Morse, Protectors of
the Faith of old. And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
"John, my good and faithful servent, know ye my
servent Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
preaching in my name. And where thou dost encounter
the heathen, rise ye up, and call upon my servent Riley,
and he shall call down the holy Fire from Heaven, and
they shall be consumed. Now go forth!"
So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
them from our holy bands, that you may be
seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.

In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,

Amen and Amen.

Brother John, KC3AU

(This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)

1442. Re: 5 WPM Repeater ID speed on VHF & UHF Repeaters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38fa44d0.205994245@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 113913
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 15:19:57 -0400, "Mark Flanagan" <markf@cshore.com>
wrote:

>I don't think I've heard "welfare recipients" and Ham radio mentioned in the
>same breath before. Do you include medicare and social security recipients
>in that pool of low lifes as well? Seein that they are all government
>handouts that are being supported by the working middle class.

Then I can only assume you have not been reading this NG very
long. It is a common assewrtion of amoug some ProCoders
>
>Mark Flanagan, K1MKF
>k1mkf@qsl.net
>http://www.qsl.net/k1mkf/
>John Jones <jjones@radio.org.com.net> wrote in message
>news:8d4qbfckv2@slb3.atl.mindspring.net...
>>
>>
>> The ham bands are the only things that will be eat'en up, by CBer's,
>> pirates, Bootleggers, welfare recipients, and other low-life.
>>
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>
>

1443. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38fa471c.206582075@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 113914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 21:44:02 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote
>> 2) where was it written that this was a family oriented hobby?
>
>It's just common sense to most decent people that when you are in the
>company of strangers of all ages profanity and decency should prevail. You
>should act as if you were in the presence of a family when on the air,
>because you might be. Do you remember the old Heathkit catalogs with the
>cover showing a family operating the station?

If comon sense were a rule then the language round would be
better so your logic falis Indeed I say nothing on the air I would say
in frnot of others but as a point of fact what I would say infront of
a child is likely deferent than you
>
>But of course it's probably not written anywhere. Do we have to codify
>decency? Here is a better question: where is it written that hams should be
>cordial to each other when on the air? Yet most hams are, no written
>regulations required...

Gee but far from all if the stories I hear of On air bahavoir
are even close to true
>
>
>
>
>

1444. Re: Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ddjfuls1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38FA0623.9855C351@icss.net>,
burke1@icss.net wrote:

> Good luck, my little wooden headed boy. And don't keep telling lies
> or your nose will grow longer and longer. Also, when you play with
> the braying jackasses, don't turn in to one yourself (hi hi). If you
> ever decide to become a Real Boy, please look me up and perhaps I can
> carve a brain for you.

Translation: Owwww, I've been spanked into a blithering blob.

> When does the spamming stop?

Translation: I can't take any more spanking.

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1445. Re: PRAISE JESUS ON HAM RADIO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000416194937.05050.00001828@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 113916

Go after "Prophet" Stair. And D.J. Smith. And most of all Robert Tilton. And leave Brother John alone.

1446. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark and Annette <gege@planetsos.com>
Message-ID: <sfkns4h6ivv40@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113917

Ham radio will prosper because of all the new users..... After reading all these posts about ham radio being ruined because more people are going to enjoy this hobby, I still have not seen any proof as to how the new licensees are going to hurt the hobby. Just because they may not be able to.. or maybe because they choose not to learn some dits and dahs at speed that is acceptable to a few... Does that mean they dont have anything to offer Ham radio??? Ham radio will be around a lot longer than those few who can do code at 20+ wpm..... This stupid argument will pass and we will all enjoy the hobby... Those who are giving up their AARL memberships and whatever else they are giving up are hurting themselves because the new members will pick up the slack. Maybe the oldies will then owe us newbies..... :)

Mark
KC0HND
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:38FA063E.6196286@oio.net...
>
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by
allowing
> > day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised
nothing
> > nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime.
> ***Rather, it increased ticket sales. No change in in baseball.
> > The 3 pointer in
> > basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult to
score
> > from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes IMPROVED
OUR
> > QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you equate
the
> > outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are
> > getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general
> ***Got a problem 'swallowing that!
> > how can
> > opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those who
> > ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to
REDUCE
> > the number on it for the good of the country. <-- isn't that 'quaint'?
> > The idea is not to make it
> > easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job incentives
to

> > get people OFF the dole.
> *** "get people of the 'Bob'" <- politically correct.
> > What the FCC and ARRL did was to make welfare
> > fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the handouts
to
> > equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting, self
> > serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take
pride in
> > our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was not
a
> > willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month, ENDS.
> > AF2Y
> >
>

1447. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <O75#T3Aq$GA.229@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote
>There is no guesswork or speculation about it.
>[that there would be no ham radio in the world]
>[today if there had been no ARRL]

Can you also tell us *without guesswork or speculation*
that there would be no telephones in the world today without Bell?

1448. Earmics for Motorcycles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Wilson <jwilson@cc.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <38FA76CC.91D4EBD9@cc.gatech.edu>
Source record: 113919

Hi,

I just recently got into amateur radio. I currently own a Kenwood TH-22AT handheld 2 meter. A friend of mine and I are trying to rig our Kenwood's up so that we can use them to talk to each other on motorcycle road trips.

We tried buying the Kenwood headset with VOX but that worked horribly. All kinds of wind noise even though we have full face helmets and wind shields.

I've heard that earmics work great for noisy conditions, but I'm having trouble finding suppliers. Anyone know where I can get a decent quality earmic with PTT suitable for mounting on a motorcycle handlebar? So far I've found Cavcom (www.cavcominc.com). They're apparently one of the best earmic companies but their cheapest system costs like $600. Ouch! Plus the PTT does not look suitable for mounting on a motorcycle. So I'm looking for something a bit cheaper.

I'm also interested in any other products that are suited to motorcycle riding (throat mics, etc.).

Thanks,
Jeff Wilson
KG4FHM

1449. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <r0ukfs007e6lbtl21eevpa5hhpgifi3qi2@4ax.com>
Source record: 113920

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 01:32:48 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

>In article <38f9d9b9.253489392@news.mindspring.com>,
> (John) wrote:
>> On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 14:47:52 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>>
>> >WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
>> >DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT. KB8JBO
>> >HAS HAD SO MANY LETTERS HE MIGHT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE. WHAT DO YOU
>THINK?
>> >
>> >
>> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> >Before you buy.
>>
>> Knock off the caps you dumb bastard.
>AS LONG AS YOU DONT LIKE IT ILL KEEP DOING IT FUCK OFF!!

Mike, you really are a loser. No wonder no one likes you. Your
"friends" on radio laugh behind your back. You are truly someone to
feel sorry for. Prick.

1450. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <aSuK4.2475$yN2.7636@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8ddfmn$cr6$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>
> There is no guesswork or speculation about it. Another instance:
> Due to the ARRL's lobbying work in Congress demanding that amateurs
> be allowed back on the air after WWI, House Joint Resolution
> Number 217 was passed ordering the "Secretary of the Navy to remove
> the restrictions on the use and operation of amateur radio stations
> throughout the United States..." Without that joint resolution,
> the Navy would have remained in control of the RF spectrum.
> See pages 27 and 28 in "Fifty Years of ARRL."
>
> Jeff KH6O

This is but one piece of a part of our history we have yet to come to grips with: the reality is that we came a whole lot closer to marching in straight lines and saluting Fearless Leader in the name of anti-Bolshevism than anyone cares to admit.

Dick BK

1451. JRC-JST245 transceiver MODS for MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Henderson <keith@nospam.vartel.com.com>
Message-ID: <8dduqeqtn1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113922
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,pnet.rec.radio.amateur.talk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

I am looking for the procedures to extend the transmit range
of the JRC-JST245 transceiver. I would like to use it on the
MARS frequencies. Any help will be appreciated.

Thanks Alfred, KT4VP
Reply to kt4vp@arrl.net

1452. Re: Someone with Kenwood TM-261A Please Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Walker <mbwalker@netonecon.net>
Message-ID: <KGvK4.36066$f67.463869@newscene.newscene.com>
Source record: 113923
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

CaseyBrown wrote in message <8dcg9llql1@news3.infoave.net>...
> I am hoping someone can help me with this problem. I am trying to
program
>the alphanumeric memory names into this radio. I have followed the manuals
>instructions exactly and the radio will not do what it is supposed to. This
>is the way I have been doing it, as the manual says:
>
>1. Put radio in memory recall mode
>2. Select desired channel
>3. Switch OFF power
>4. Hold MN button and Power button simultaneously to turn back ON

Now press the [REV] button and the first digit should be blinking.

Martin KC8CFP
www.users.netonecom.net/~mbwalker

1453. Re: Jesus's Vision for Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FA7CBB.19E17C30@oio.net>
Source record: 113924

SBCmusic wrote:
>
> In article <33SNFTDM36632.9477314815@anonymous.poster>, Widow@wol.be (Anonymous
> remailer) writes:
>
> >Amen and Amen.
> >
> >Brother John, KC3AU
>
> Brother John, if you're gonna post this witty satire, how about a real Email
> address for you? Too much to ask? ;)))
>
> 73,
> Rick N9GSU
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What makes you think it's KC3AU to start with?
'Doc

1454. Re: PRAISE JESUS ON HAM RADIO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FA7D22.FB6CD9D6@oio.net>
Source record: 113925

This wasn't all that amusing to start with. A 'replay'
of the same thing is even less amusing.
'Doc

Anonymous remailer wrote:
>
> Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
> Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
> to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
> and every frequency shall proclaim Jesus as Lord!
> For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
> Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, for I was travelling on the
> Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
> glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
> blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
> and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
> did shine from within it! On his right stood Saint
> Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook, and
> on his left stood Marconi and Morse, Protectors of
> the Faith of old. And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
> "John, my good and faithful servent, know ye my
> servent Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
> Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
> preaching in my name. And where thou dost encounter
> the heathen, rise ye up, and call upon my servent Riley,
> and he shall call down the holy Fire from Heaven, and
> they shall be consumed. Now go forth!"
> So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
> I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
> I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
> OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
> them from our holy bands, that you may be
> seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.
>
> In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,
>
> Amen and Amen.
>
> Brother John, KC3AU
>
> (This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
> Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)

1455. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Clark <g4mpq@diver34.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8dgu8p$v0a$1@newsg2.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 113926

The guy from Clifton NJ and others of his ilk killed it off...

SBCmusic <sbcmusic@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000415200903.13314.00000471@ng-fs1.aol.com...
> If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the
future,
> it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or anything
of
> that sort, it will simply be the people.
>
> I've been around the block a time or two, in several different venues, and
have
> as of yet to see a hobby (or a career for that matter) where the old
timers
> were more hateful towards newcomers, simply because they didn't do it
"their"
> way.
>
> Folks, your way, my way, anyone's way isn't always the RIGHT way! And,
just
> because someone didn't follow YOUR path to success, doesn't mean their
path
> wasn't just as meaningful for them.
>
> Many of these newcomers have knowledge that many of US (yes, I'm
including
> myself) oldtimers don't have, and may never have. The president of our
local
> club is (well, was) a no code tech, and could run circles around the
majority
> of us general and above licensees as far as not only technical knowledge,
but
> as far as operating procedure. He has also been a master at publicity for
the
> club, and has brought our club into the attention of our county, city, and
> state goverments like we've never seen.....even though he was a no code
> tech. His efforts have taken a club that was dying and revived new life
into
> it.
>
> My message for the new upgraders.....WELCOME!! (from most of us,
anyway) I
> personally, and most of my friends, will give you any and all help we can.
> Just remember, this hobby is what YOU make it!!!

>
> And, to the oldtimers, the same advice applies. The hobby is what you
make it.
> Make it a miserable hobby, you'll have a miserable time. Make it a great
> hobby, you'll have a great time!!
>
> 73 de N9GSU, Rick Garrett, Muncie, Indiana

1456. Re: Ham poll of changing interests (it isn't the exams)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <HniK4.1849$QX1.86166@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 113934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in message
news:u0LCOOop$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03...
> If you will read my post again you will see that I said that *most* hams
are
> cordial to each other in their everyday QSOs. I would even give the
opinion
> that 99% of regular ham contacts are cordial. That's certainly better than
> the general public, and vastly superior to rrap...

They are so cordial, they are boring.

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will see:

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5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

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1457. Cq contest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <skiK4.1847$QX1.86185@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 113935

There was once a medical student specializing in pathology who truly wanted to excel in his studies. Without fail, he would daily visit the school's path lab following his classes to do extra work. One evening he uncovered a cadaver only to notice a cork plugging it's rectum. Curious, he removed the cork only to hear, "CQ contest , I just can't wait to call CQ contest ..." Startled, he replaced the cork.

Curiosity soon got the best of him and he once again removed the cork. Again he heard the tune, "CQ contest , I just can't wait to call CQ contest ..." He could stand it no more. He replaced the cork, covered the cadaver and raced upstairs to his professor's office. He persuaded the man to Accompany him back to the lab. Once there, the student again uncovered the cadaver and displayed the corked rectum.

The professor looked unfazed. When the student removed the cork, the same soundemanated, "CQ contest , I just..." The professor looked bored and started to walk away. The student was aghast at this
casual response. He said to the professor, "Don't you find this amazing?" The professor replied, "Not really, almost any asshole can call "CQ Contest"

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http://burt.electricport.com

1458. Re: ARRL values lazy hams more than Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <BtiK4.1852$QX1.85818@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 113936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

"Mark Flanagan" <markf@cshore.com> wrote in message
news:sfgqc9tpivv44@corp.supernews.com...
>
> <mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8d88cs$gd7$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> >
> > So you see, the problem with ham radio is the "Three P's"
> >
> > 1. The Prices

Screw off, the prices of ham equipment are MUCH lower than when I came in in
1959 adjusted for inflation.

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will see:

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1459. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dcdpkpfe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113937

In article <20000416022135.19303.00000539@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

> hey, at least Issac can be proud of hi father. his did not die in
> prison

"Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once."

Sound familiar?

LRod

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1460. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dce0sphj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113938

In article
<C4438A471E883484.1486765B5E23C812.F90F46815F5F5D0C@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:
> On 16 Apr 2000 00:09:03 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:
>
> >If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the
future,
> >it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or
anything of
> >that sort, it will simply be the people.
> >
> One doesn't have to look any further than this newsgroup to see what's
> killing ham radio......road rage.....
>
> It's our own fault, you know. VE's are not REQUIRED to test every
> mental case who walks through the door.....
>
> Larry W4CSC
>
> >>>>>>>>>>> What killed Ham Radio, is called the computer.<<<<<<<<<

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1461. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F9B622.2CA82A24@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote
> >Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man, that
> >expends more energy than required to perform a task.
>
> Dogs that make several revolutions before finally lying down?

Theory is, that energy is expended for the purpose of making
a bed in the grass.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1462. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38F9B4E0.C50EAA87@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >of the existing political climate at the time, the ARRL couldn't
> >afford such an utterance but their meaning was crystal clear to
> >anyone with an IQ higher than his/her age. How old are you, Jeff?
>
> Cecil, your replies are usually written in a gentlemanly manner.
> Please don't be mean-spirited like Len Anderson.

Sorry, it was a rough day spent mostly in the hospital.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1463. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene the Anti-Contester <eliangohome@fidel.com>
Message-ID: <aEiK4.22807$q67.685229@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113941

<John> wrote in message news:38f90012.31044132@news.mindspring.com...
> Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government
> to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy
> what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.

Ham Radio "Troll-O-Meter" Indicates a 5.5 reading.

1464. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene the Anti-Contester <eliangohome@fidel.com>
Message-ID: <cEiK4.22808$q67.685229@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113942

KK4TL <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000415215539.19058.00001679@ng-fw1.aol.com...
> http://www.alamanceind.com/
>
> Good link

No. It's a link to a page full of racist diatribes.
Page is probably run by the same A-H's that hang out
at 3.950 on Saturday nite.

1465. internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laura Page <hlpage@lorax.mv.com>
Message-ID: <38F9B9E5.F589D075@lorax.mv.com>
Source record: 113943

It's been 20 years since I looked at HAM radio, but I am looking again
to see if it has evolved far enough to serve as a high speed internet
connection.

Could someone enlighten me on this?

Thanks,
Laura Page

1466. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38F9B97B.BE3FF8F4@nashville.com>
Source record: 113944

ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
>
> Poor John.
>
> His elitist world just collapsed around him and he can't deal
> with the loss.

Do you really think this guy/gal/it is really a ham?

Aren't trolls sexless??

Jon NU4JJ

1467. AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dcfbo$78r$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113945

I seek INTELLIGENT replies only. If you're a half wit or no wit, go respond to someone else because this posting is serious-no Groucho or Winchell.

I see restructuring doing this:
1. Inflating numbers to impress the ITU
2. Easing the FCC's clerical and statistical work
3. Acting as a "cash cow" for the ARRL
4. Acting as a "cash cow" for ham equipment retailers
5. Creating considerably more work for Riley Hollingsworth necessitating a substantial raise which if not given will put him squarely back into law instead of policing

I see no tangible benefit to ham radio per se insofar as bettering, refining, upgrading and making it more acceptable to and appreciated by the public at large. I see nothing which will help establish a clearer perception of it and a definite distinction recognized by the public between it and CB.

If I'm wrong, tell me about it.
AF2Y

1468. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dcfgn$ps2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113946

There is one highly important word in your entire posting. "G I V E."

In article <38f90012.31044132@news.mindspring.com>, (John) wrote:

> Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government
> to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy
> what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.

1469. Someone with Kenwood TM-261A Please Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: CaseyBrown <cnb001@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <8dcg9llql1@news3.infoave.net>
Source record: 113947
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am hoping someone can help me with this problem. I am trying to program the alphanumeric memory names into this radio. I have followed the manuals instructions exactly and the radio will not do what it is supposed to. This is the way I have been doing it, as the manual says:

1. Put radio in memory recall mode
2. Select desired channel
3. Switch OFF power
4. Hold MN button and Power button simultaneously to turn back ON

At this point the radio is supposed to display a blinking digit in the first numeric position, and there are instructions to program this position and advance to the next one, but instead, the radio powers up to regular memory mode and displays only the frequency and channel # as it did before turning power off. I have a valid frequency programmed here, so that is not the problem. It's just that MN+Power On does not give me the blank display for alphanumeric programming - just shows me the frequency just as if I had Powered on without pressing the MN button. I have tried this many times - I know I'm pressing the correct buttons in the correct sequence.

Do I have a faulty MN button, or has it been somehow deactivated? I cannot figure out what is the problem here. I'm in Memory recall mode with a frequency programmed into that position. What am I doing wrong?

I would be much appreciative of any help.

Casey Brown
KF4BSC

1470. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F9C5A8.47DAC701@icss.net>
Source record: 113948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >Thats not what Ed said.
>
> There is no "Ed" in any of the above. I responded to Aaron, and
> you replied to me.

So Ed no longe exists because he's not in your thread?

>>Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'

> >>exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.
>
> >Now that is very true.
>
> We finally agreed on something.

Yes, you copied it out of one of my other posts.

1471. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F9C721.4578F924@icss.net>
Source record: 113949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> In article <8dbrudifi1@news.hawaii.edu>,
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
> > I've always thought that radio history should be required reading in
> > order to get a license.
> >
> > Jeff KH6O+

Fine, but must we live it?

1472. Re: FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dcib4$743$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

I saw "Erin Brockovich" and loved it. It didn't use ham radio at all but rather Julia Roberts's endowments in an excellent film, a true story, about chromium poisoning of an entire community in California. I believe it's R rated so kids keep away and most of the scatterbrains on this board who wouldn't understand it anyway. I liked it so I'm promoting it.

In article <38F94B69.FA1B9299@frontiernet.net>, Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net> wrote:

> I saw the movie FREQUENCY on April 15th. I enjoyed it a lot. It uses
> ham radio in a very positive way. It is PG13 rated so it will be more
> accessible to children. If you like it, promote it.
>
> Read my review at the RARA web site
> http://www.ggw.org/rara/FREQUENCY.htm
>
> Peter Fournia
> W2SKY
>

1473. KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dcjql$vc5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113951

WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT. KB8JBO
HAS HAD SO MANY LETTERS HE MIGHT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE. WHAT DO YOU THINK?

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Before you buy.

1474. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000416103906.18641.00004076@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 113952

I see this as the beginning of the "10-4 good buddy" days

I for one am glad to see the code dropped to 5wpm. i'm having a ball laughing at all these gas-bag hams like doc bitching and moaning about the new requirements. It would be like a 16-yr old getting his drivers license and was made to learn a stick shift, when automatics are the rule of today. His dad would say, "I had to learn to drive a 48' Ford w/ a stick, you should too." Same in ham radio, just because YOU had to learn that stupid 13 or 20wpm dosent mean WE have to. CW is old crap, and it should be banned from the ham bands.

All right LRod, Doc, JBO, NTI, take your flames away......

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1475. Re: KF2TI Rules for illegal DX operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.13639c9423ace0209898ef@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <38F9D000.F05BF4B9@icss.net>, burke1@icss.net says...
> Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) wrote:
>
> > In article <38F9C535.DEBF9A68@icss.net>, burke1@icss.net says...
> > > Dave Heil wrote:
> >
> > > > As long as I'm operating within MY regulations here and I
> > > > hear a fellow calling me using an amateur callsign, I'll work him.
> > >
> > > Even if you know he doesn't have an authorization on the frequency he's calling you on?
> > > Shame on you.
> >
> > kinda like you working JA's outside his operating privileges..shame on
> > you
>
> Welp my little wooden headed Pinnochio, now that I know the no-code JAs are limited to domestic
> contacts only, I'll avoid them. Its called learning,

obvious not GUISEPPI

> which causes a change in behavior.

SO what, you go from a local ahole to a world class ahole. Congrats on
the upgrade, and you didn't even need cw. Accomplished that all on your
own GUISEPPI

> Unfortunately I haven't carved you a little wooden brain yet so we cannot expect you to learn
> nor change behavior. You'll just have to live with being stupid and ignorant, my little wooden
> headed boy.

Good one GUISEPPE.
--
Carpe Diem!!!!

1476. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0e70f49e.14277780@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>
Source record: 113954

Doc is just trolling so that he can try to boost his overgrown
ego. Wonder is he has set things right with Riley yet? One more
letter and he is history. I am counting the days because he
cannot help but commit a foul on the ham bands. I might even make
a trip from So. Cal. to join the festivities when it happens.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

1477. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38f9d9b9.253489392@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113955

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 14:47:52 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

>WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
>DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT. KB8JBO
>HAS HAD SO MANY LETTERS HE MIGHT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE. WHAT DO YOU THINK?
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

Knock off the caps you dumb bastard.

1478. Re: Baja 2m Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <38F9DA11.833E0E88@home.com>
Source record: 113956

How about looking in the ARRL Repeater Directory.

Don't forget to apply for your temporary license a few months in
advance. Costs about $75. No, it isn't Canada. There is no reciprocal
licensing with Mexico.

Gary
AB5RM

Jim Weir wrote:
>
> Anybody know what the standard 2m simplex frequency is in Baja? 146.52? Any
> suggestions on where to look?
>
> Jim
> Jim Weir, VP Eng. RST Eng. WX6RST
> A&P, CFI, and other good alphabet soup

1479. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38fada14.253579780@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113957

On 16 Apr 2000 14:39:06 GMT, n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd)
wrote:

>I see this as the beginning of the "10-4 good buddy" days
>
>I for one am glad to see the code dropped to 5wpm. i'm having a ball laughing
>at all these gas-bag hams like doc bitching and moaning about the new
>requirements. It would be like a 16-yr old getting his drivers license and was
>made to learn a stick shift, when automatics are the rule of today. His dad
>would say, "I had to learn to drive a 48' Ford w/ a stick, you should too."
>Same in ham radio, just because YOU had to learn that stupid 13 or 20wpm
>dosent mean WE have to. CW is old crap, and it should be banned from the ham
>bands.
>
>All right LRod, Doc, JBO, NTI, take your flames away......
>
>
>LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841

You're just pissed because you couldn't pass the code or the theory.
Idiot.

1480. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sox@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000416112634.15272.00001970@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 113958

Hey Doc, do you really think that letting a bunch of techs onto general freqs is going to degrade those freqs? I mean, just listen; to 14.313 for an afternoon and pick up on all the religious defaming, personal hatred, vendettas, bad operating habits, overdriven signals, and on and on. Man ! If you think it can get any worse than that freq, then you must have a really wild imagination. I talked to several new generals yesterday and they seemed to be very gentelmanly to me. We must remember one thing and never forget that "everything changes, and absolutely nothing stays the same". 73 w9Sox

1481. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <38F9DC6C.14022B77@home.com>
Source record: 113959

I just want to know what the Echo-Lima was at the end of the call. Would work better if he identified as /ae.
Gary
AB5RM

Robert Casey wrote:
>
> This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
> get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
> No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

1482. WTB:Kenwood MC-50 or MC-60 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <hydro@fx2.com>
Message-ID: <uXkK4.1449$yN2.6028@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113960

Hi.......
Looking for a MC-50 or MC-60 mic stand . Will buy complete mic if thats
what you have. Can be in any condition ....

Thanks John

1483. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Smith@amac.org
Message-ID: <8dcle9$1vrb@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 113961

And, is there any particular reason that we should care?

In article <8dab1p$l1h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com says...
>
>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
>No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

1484. Re: BEST HF TUNER??-HELP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Woodhull <aswNS@helios.hampshire.edu>
Message-ID: <38f9e783.0@news>
Source record: 113962

On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 12:28:27 -0700 KC8LVJ <rjc100@attglobal.net> wrote
in rec.radio.amateur.misc:

: I AM CURRENTLY USING A MFJ-949E TUNER FOR HF AND HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY
: IN CONSISTANTLY GETTING MY MUTIBAND(40-10 METER) DIPOLE TUNED.
: IT TUNES WELL ON ALL BANDS AT TIMES AND AT TIMES I CAN NOT GET IT TO
: TUNE AT ALL.

I have used several of these tuners and found the basic design quite satisfactory. However the second one I purchased had some bad solder joints in it. I finally went through it with a soldering iron, touching up every joint, and in the end it worked fine. It's a pretty easy job, since all the wire is pretty heavy -- not like touching connections on a miniaturized digital device.

I had similar problems with an MFJ Antenna Bridge, and the solution was the same. I purchased both of these units more than 5 years ago, and MFJ's quality control may have improved since then. But, at the time I concluded (and may have written here) that MFJ products should be approached like Heathkits assembled by people with unknown skills: trust the design but be wary of the quality control during assembly.

Now, as to determining whether the problem is your tuner or your antenna: wires and connectors that have been out in the weather for a while can develop lots of problems that may mainfest themselves inconsistently, depending upon current and recent weather conditions. One of the nice features of the MFJ tuner is the built in dummy load. I suggest you try matching your transmitter to the dummy load a number of times on all bands and see if the settings are consistent. Any inconsistency surely indicates a problem within the MFJ unit and should be all the grounds you need to justify a return under warranty or a quick run through it with a soldering iron. If you find it matches consistently with the dummy load you won't have proved the tuner is without fault, but this indicates a closer look at your antenna or tests with an alternate antenna could be useful.

73, Al N1AW
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+----------------------------------+
| Albert S. Woodhull |
| Hampshire College, Amherst, MA |
| awoodhull@hampshire.edu |
| http://minix1.hampshire.edu/asw/ |
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94.3% of all statistics are made up on the spot

1485. Discussion list for NVIS antennas/deployment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8dcon6$p72$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113963

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For info there is an internet e-mail
discussion list for the topic of
Near Vertical Incedence Skywave
located at:

http://www.onelist.com/community/nvis

Trish
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Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
.....................................
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu:11371/pks/lookup?op=vindex&search=0xEDECB44F>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!
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1486. military radio discussion list online:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8dcornido1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113964

For those interested in collecting, restoring,
and especially, operating military communications
equipment, see:

http://www.onelist.com/community/armyradios>

Further information on this topic can also be
found in the armyradios area of the tactical-link.com
website at: http://www.tactical-link.com

Trish
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Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
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My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu:11371/pks/lookup?op=vindex&search=0xEDECB44F>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

1487. winlink info:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8dcp03jcu1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113965

Yes, do a browser search for " Winlink " .. winlink stations
require special software on your pc in order to automatically
upload/download messages from winlink stations to and from
your own mobile/portable/marine station.. this is an internet
based service..

Trish
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Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
.....
My Public Key is available at:
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Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

Laura Page <hlpage@lorax.mv.com> wrote in message
news:38F9B9E5.F589D075@lorax.mv.com...
> It's been 20 years since I looked at HAM radio, but I am looking again
> to see if it has evolved far enough to serve as a high speed internet
> connection.
>
> Could someone enlighten me on this?
>
> Thanks,
> Laura Page
>
>

1488. Are you interested in using ALE in the amateur service??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8dcp3c$64k$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113966

If so, please email me if you are on the U.S. West Coast..
Another station and I have been doing some testing of
ALE protocol in the HF amateur radio bands..

Trish
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Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
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My Public Key is available at:
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Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

1489. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dcp74$o8p$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113967

Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by allowing day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised nothing nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime. The 3 pointer in basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult to score from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes IMPROVED OUR QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you equate the outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general, how can opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those who ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to REDUCE the number on it for the good of the country. The idea is not to make it easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job incentives to get people OFF the dole. What the FCC and ARRL did was to make welfare fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the handouts to equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting, self serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take pride in our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was not a willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month, ENDS.
AF2Y

In article <8dbuhjamk1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Radio Oger
<radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:

> Amen.
> I could sure tell you some stories of my experience. Same old
> story... Different actors.
>
> Radio Oger
>
> In article <sfii2qg5ivv86@corp.supernews.com>,
> "Mark and Annette" <gege@planetsos.com> wrote:
>> I would bet that all the people who are complaining about license
>> restructuring are the same people who thought that the 3point shot in
>> basketball would ruin the game, that installing running water and
>> electricity into homes was luxury we didnt need, that color TV was a
> bad
>> thing, that installing lights at Wrigley field would destroy baseball
> in
>> Chicago, etc. Change is inevitable. Why cant the oldtime HAMS
> welcome the
>> new HAMS and be glad for us?? When I was trying to decide if this was
>> something I would really be intersted in, I posted questions on the
>> newsgroups and i received many reponses such as....Get your ticket
> then come

>> back and talk to us..... Buy the NOW YOU ARE TALKING book followed
>> by,...(you probably wont be able to understand it), HAM radio
> requires a
>> license and until you get one dont waste our time. Finally one HAM,
> not an
>> oldtimer, offered some help and I was on my way. Now that I have my
> ticket,
>> I am embarassed by the way the new HAMS are treated by some on the
> list.
>> Anyway, Congratulations to all who upgraded and to all who are new to
> the
>> hobby.
>>
>> Mark
>> KC0HND
>>
>>
>
> --
> Radio Oger
> Giving a straight answer every time.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1490. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8cpa@arrl.net
Message-ID: <38f9e8f3.8880021@netnews.att.net>
Source record: 113968

On 15 Apr 2000 15:54:25 GMT, nomonkeys@aol.com (No Monkeys) wrote:

>mf_luder sez:
>
>>
>>Then why aren't half the tickets or more going to schools, colleges, or
>>technical schools ? Why, especially, aren't those people in the cities
>>(black and hispanic) being approached to increase the numbers of these
>>groups in ham radio ?
>>
>>
>
>Oh, great. More blacks and hispanics are just what we need to drive the final
>nails into ham radio's coffin. You HAVE to be kidding! Do you REALLY want the
>airwaves to become the RF equivalent of Haiti?
>

hehe... we got enough of that on the local 2 meter repeaters here in
Michigan!

73

>

Chuck K8CPA
Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
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MailTo:k8cpa@arrl.net
ICQ: 17045539
Firetalk:237969
AOL IM: RadioMan29
Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
(Download at http://www.firetalk.com)

1491. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8cpa@arrl.net
Message-ID: <38f9e965.8994784@netnews.att.net>
Source record: 113969

I dunno who you are, Slimball, but you got alot of Nads to say things
like that about my Lord in a public newsgroup, maybe some Brothers in
the Lord should find you, and put you out of your misery.

Idiot!

On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 15:59:38 -0400 (EDT), "Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com>
wrote:

>Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
>
>1) Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
>to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
>and every frequency shall proclaim Jeeesus as Lord!
>
>2) For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
>Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, I was traveling on the
>Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
>glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
>blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
>and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
>did shine from within it!
>
>3) On his right stood Saint Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook,
>and on his left stood Marconi and Morse,
>Protectors of the Faith of old.
>
>4) And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
>"John, my good and faithful servant, know ye my
>servant Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
>Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
>preaching in my name.
>
>5) And where thou dost encounter the heathen, rise ye up,
>and call upon my servant Riley, and he shall call down
>the holy Fire from Heaven, and they shall be consumed."
>
>6) So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
>I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
>I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
>OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
>them from our holy bands, that you may be
>seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.
>
>In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,

>
>Amen and Amen.
>
>Brother John KC3AU
>
>(This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
> Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)
>--
>Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
>http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
>
>
>

Chuck K8CPA
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MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com or
MailTo:k8cpa@arrl.net
ICQ: 17045539
Firetalk:237969
AOL IM: RadioMan29
Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
(Download at http://www.firetalk.com)

1492. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <E77D690AA1226E24.F23D9F964F1EC659.F6002EF7B463C626@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113970

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 09:32:10 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>I seek INTELLIGENT replies only. If you're a half wit or no wit, go respond
>to someone else because this posting is serious-no Groucho or Winchell.

Ok, serious replies:

>I see restructuring doing this:
>1. Inflating numbers to impress the ITU

The USA is the leading influence in the ITU already--it
doesn't need to "impress" them with anything.

>2. Easing the FCC's clerical and statistical work

Two problems:

1. With the level of computerization involved, there would be
no discernable difference in this area. That is, the same personal
data (name, address, etc.) needs to be entered and a given license
level must be noted. From that point, the processing, sorting, etc.,
would be completely automatic.

2. Theoretically, this _could_ reduce the amount of paperwork
by either: (i) reducing the processing time needed for medical waivers
on code (which represent only a very small percentage of all
applications) or; (ii) reduce the number of times a file must
(potentially) be upgraded by reducing the number of classes of license
any given individual could ultimately advance to. Both of these end
results, however, could _more_ easily be achieved by having simply
changed the license term from 10 years to 12 years (which would NOT
have resulted in very much debate or complaint from existing hams or
organizations). In addition, the cost of processing all the comments
filed, as well as the costs of preparing for the restructuring changes
themselves would have caused _far_ more work than the changes saved.

>3. Acting as a "cash cow" for the ARRL

Complete straw dog. This represents prejudice against the
arrl, not any real commentary on the license restructuring. The FCC
did _not_ implement a rules change to make money for a private
organization.

>4. Acting as a "cash cow" for ham equipment retailers

Same complaint as above. For someone who asked for Intelligent
replies to what you stated was a serious post, you are remarkably

willing to post disingenuous concerns and destractors void of any
validity or appropriateness to the issue.

>5. Creating considerably more work for Riley Hollingsworth necessitating a
>substantial raise which if not given will put him squarely back into law
>instead of policing

In (2) above you claimed this was a way of cutting clerical
costs for the FCC--now you claim it is a way of increasing the salary
of an FCC official (which, btw, is impossible on this basis--he is a
civil service employee, which means his salary is set by his grade
level--the only way he can increase it [other than cost-of-living and
seniority increases, which every civil service employee receives] is
to be promoted--which is largely based on seniority as well).

>I see no tangible benefit to ham radio per se insofar as bettering,
>refining, upgrading and making it more acceptable to and appreciated by the
>public at large.

And others _do_ see such a benefit--and a potential for growth
that will benefit the ARS as a whole.

> I see nothing which will help establish a clearer
>perception of it and a definite distinction recognized by the public
>between it and CB.

Was that a stated intent of the restructuring? No where I read
was this stated as a purpose. There _is_ however a pretty clear
distinction between the two services. To become a legal CB user, you
need only visit any Radio Shack (or comparable) store, purchase a
radio and mag mount antenna, set the antenna on your roof, connect the
radio to your battery and the antenna, and begin transmitting. At that
point you have just as much legal right to communicate as does a user
who is an expert in radio theory, federal communication law, and
spends his free time working with REACT. To legally enter Ham radio by
the easiest path, however, requires that you (1) study enough morse
code to pass a 5WPM test on reception; (2) study radio theory,
communications regulations, operating procedures, and electronics to
the extent necessary to pass a written test on the subjects. Only
after you have successfully completed this sequence can you legally
install a radio in your home or car, connect it to an antenna and
(observing far more rules than are required of a CB operator) transmit
signals on within whatever sub-set of the Amateur spectrum you have
demonstrated sufficient knowledge to be granted operating privileges.
There's not a lot of similarity there--if the public don't perceive
those distinctions, don't blame the FCC or the arrl, blame the local
hams and clubs for not publicizing that difference by maintaining a
presence at local events. It isn't the responsibility of the FCC to
gain public respect for our hobby--it's our own responsibility as
hams.

>If I'm wrong, tell me about it.

Ok, you're wrong, and I've told you about it.

Stop blaming the FCC and the arrl for change--that's as useless as blaming the economy for changes in your work place. Instead, do something _productive_: put serious pressure on VECs to produce more challenging tests with vastly increased numbers of questions in the pools (preferably ones with well designed questions written in a manner designed to preclude or reduce memorization). It isn't the speed of a ham's code that makes him or her a "good ham." It's the amount of knowledge and operating skills s/he brings to the hobby. Increase the difficulty of the more advanced tests (while keeping the Technician class test fairly basic--although not "memorizable" to encourage people to "try out" the hobby)) and you'll produce that result without any NEED for out dated high speed code testing. Whether a person enjoys cw (and thus develops his/her skills and speed) or never uses it has no effect at all on that person's contributions to ham radio--whether or not s/he understands the principles does.

Ok, it's _your_ turn to take an Intelligent (versus opinionated or unreasonably prejudiced) look at the problem and respond from common sense and logic instead of emotion.

73, Rick (ke8hh)

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ke8hh@arrl.net
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Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1493. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <F9C154E7404D396C.A32F45D9AD8E8C6C.9C3C87A7286C0F60@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113971

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 09:02:29 -0400, Laura Page <hlpage@lorax.mv.com>
wrote:

>It's been 20 years since I looked at HAM radio, but I am looking again
>to see if it has evolved far enough to serve as a high speed internet
>connection.
>
>Could someone enlighten me on this?
>
>Thanks,
>Laura Page
>
Time to go "back to sleep" for another 10 years or so, sorry.
Current systems are _far_ too slow to permit use as a viable internet
connection. On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF.
Unless your idea of "high speed access" is based on early 1980s modems
(and unless you are satisfied with text based communications using
packet communications techniques) you won't find ham radio
particularly well suited for your use.

On the other hand, ham _does_ integrate well with computers
now. Given the current generation of hardware/software a good rig and
an Internet connected computer can give you such features as complete
computer control of your rig, automatic logging (and on-line log
lookup), sound card transmission/reception of cw, rtty, sstv, fax,
etc., dx-packet information, email via packet bbs, and a _lot_ more
besides. Your best bet for Internet access is a T1, a cable modem or
an isdn line--the solid physical connection (particularly with fiber
optic connections); ham radio will (by the very nature of propagation)
never be able to equal hardwired speeds or features.

Hope it helps,

73, Rick (ke8hh)

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1494. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <38F9EE2A.591EF810@home.com>
Source record: 113972

Proper ID would have been whiskey alpha two india sierra echo temporary
alpha echo. Sorry that:
a: he didn't get it right--the information was included on the back of
the CSCE he just got--all he had to do was read.
b: He is proud of screwing up.

Just points out that there is going to be a serious need for Elmering in
the coming months. These guys don't know that they are ignorant.

Bill_Smith@amac.org wrote:
>
> And, is there any particular reason that we should care?
>
> In article <8dab1p$l1h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com says...
> >
> >This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
> >get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
> >
> >No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

1495. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <D0A6619E2B9427D8.DCB758D016599639.AF6C6F7CF348FB29@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113973

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 08:00:43 -0500, Jon Johnson
<Jon.Johnson@nashville.com> wrote:

>ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
>>
>> Poor John.
>>
>> His elitist world just collapsed around him and he can't deal
>> with the loss.
>
>Do you really think this guy/gal/it is really a ham?
>
>Aren't trolls sexless??

Naw!

Just impotent.

73, Rick (ke8hh)

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1496. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <38F9EF48.28EF6E4C@home.com>
Source record: 113974

Yep, another good Christian preaching the Lord's work. Believe like me or I'll kill you?? Kind of like the bank robber who was arrested wearing a What Would Jesus Do? tee shirt. This is a public place. People can say things you disagree with. Use the delete key and get over it. I don't agree with alot of things either, but I don't threaten murder.

Gary
AB5RM

Chuck K8CPA wrote:
>
> I dunno who you are, Slimball, but you got alot of Nads to say things
> like that about my Lord in a public newsgroup, maybe some Brothers in
> the Lord should find you, and put you out of your misery.
>
> Idiot!
>
>

1497. Welcome aboard.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sox@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000416125312.10422.00000699@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 113975

Ok, so now your going to be one or the other with this new structuring on the ham bands. You'll either be a real old, ugly and real fast cw operator, (cause that's the way it used to be to get a ticket), or, your going to be a young handsom or pretty,(yl) that is kind of slow at operating cw. Big deal ! You can always ger faster if you find out that you dig cw. I'de rather be the latter. Anyway, I couldn't care less what you are. I'm an old handsom ham that can do cw at a high rate of speed. Big deal, huh? Welcome aboard. w9Sox

1498. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dcsi3$8kd$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113976

In article <20000416103906.18641.00004076@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> I see this as the beginning of the "10-4 good buddy" days
>
> I for one am glad to see the code dropped to 5wpm. i'm having a ball
laughing
> at all these gas-bag hams like doc bitching and moaning about the new
> requirements. It would be like a 16-yr old getting his drivers
license and was
> made to learn a stick shift, when automatics are the rule of today.
His dad
> would say, "I had to learn to drive a 48' Ford w/ a stick, you
should too."
> Same in ham radio, just because YOU had to learn that stupid 13 or
20wpm
> dosent mean WE have to. CW is old crap, and it should be banned from
the ham
> bands.
>
> All right LRod, Doc, JBO, NTI, take your flames away......
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Actually I agree with most of what you said. However it does not need
to be banned. A lot of folks still us and enjoy it. I see no reason
in making it a "filter" to getting a HF license.

And if you bothered to read any of my posts on this subject you would
have known I would not flame you on those statements. Its the rest of
your statements that I find stupid. And you know what they say....Ya
just cain't fix stupid.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1499. Re: KF2TI Rules for illegal DX operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38F9F8CD.DDD6ADE9@icss.net>
Source record: 113977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) wrote:

> In article <38F9D000.F05BF4B9@icss.net>, burke1@icss.net says...
> > Steve - KF2TI (Landing, NJ) wrote:
> >
> > > In article <38F9C535.DEBF9A68@icss.net>, burke1@icss.net says...
> > > > Dave Heil wrote:
> > >
> > > > > As long as I'm operating within MY regulations here and I
> > > > > hear a fellow calling me using an amateur callsign, I'll work him.
> > > >
> > > > Even if you know he doesn't have an authorization on the frequency he's calling you on?
> > > > Shame on you.
> > >
> > > kinda like you working JA's outside his operating privileges..shame on
> > > you
> >
> > Welp my little wooden headed Pinnochio, now that I know the no-code JAs are limited to domestic
> > contacts only, I'll avoid them. Its called learning, which causes a change in behavior.
>
> SO what, you go from a local ahole to a world class ahole. Congrats on
> the upgrade, and you didn't even need cw. Accomplished that all on your
> own GUISEPPI

Shrill, shriller, shrillest. We're still waiting a change in -your- behavior, my little brainless
wooden headed boy.

> > Unfortunately I haven't carved you a little wooden brain yet so we cannot expect you to learn
> > nor change behavior. You'll just have to live with being stupid and ignorant, my little wooden
> > headed boy.
>
> Good one GUISEPPE.

Yes, and maybe I'll carve you a brain for your birthday, my poor little Pinnochio. One day you may
be a Real Boy. Too easy.

1500. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dcuu2$b3s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113978

In article <8dcsi3$8kd$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000416103906.18641.00004076@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

> > All right LRod, Doc, JBO, NTI, take your flames away......

> And if you bothered to read any of my posts on this subject you would
> have known I would not flame you on those statements. Its the rest of
> your statements that I find stupid. And you know what they say....Ya
> just cain't fix stupid.
>
> Dan/W4NTI

Actually, Dan, I read that line as "okay you guys, I give. Please stop spanking me." It follows what is a surprisingly rational and readable, if not accurate, post... for him.

He has yet to respond to me directly, but it's easy to see that he's reading my posts. Maybe he'll get a clue one of these days.

We'll see. But I'll keep tweaking him until he does.

LRod

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1501. 1st rules of engagment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1363cbe3f10a982d9898f2@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Poor brainless Brian. Trys harder like Avis, but never quite succeeds. Insists he the GUISEPPI from Pinnochio, pulling the strings. Wouldn't take the hint to do a little research, so I guess I get the last and best smack upside his tiny brainstem

Try this Brain... Pinnocchio's father/maker was GEPPETTO not GUSIEPPI

All this time I thought he was playing at being this stupid. Guess I was wrong, he really isn't playing, he is this stupid.

Nice try though. Going through all this to insult someone and not even getting it right.

Oh well. Seems Dave is on 6 meters, below 50.2 and all I hear are NoCode JA's trying to work him from F-Land. Here Brian out there screaming his last 2 on 10 to a W6 Beacon...wow, can't get any better than this

Oh yes, in the file, additionally are

Vince and mf luder. All perfect companions to one who hasn't got things quite right. Look for GUISEPPE Burke coming to a Bellevue near you

all for now. back to the dx already in progress
--
Carpe Diem!!!!

1502. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <OsnK4.7297$wM3.73379@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 113980

Beautiful job Rick. Gerd, W2ISB

> Rick Adams
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>
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> Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1503. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8dd08e$33c$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113981

In article <38F9DC6C.14022B77@home.com>,
Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com> wrote:
>I just want to know what the Echo-Lima was at the end of the call. Would
>work better if he identified as /ae.
>Gary
>AB5RM
>
It was a joke, son. Echo Lima = Extra Lite. :-) I have been IDing
as WA2ISE/AE and never actually used Echo Lima in my ID on the air.
Didn't you see the :-) in my first post?
>
>Robert Casey wrote:
>>
>> This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>> get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>>
>> No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

1504. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OxuqjC9p$GA.260@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>Please offer an example of any species on this earth, besides man, that
>expends more energy than required to perform a task.

Cats who play with their mice before eating?

1505. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eevIjC9p$GA.260@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote
>I've always thought that radio history should be required reading in
>order to get a license.

It probably makes more sense to *learn* ham history than *memorize* ham electronics theory to get a license, BUT, to predict what might have happened if there were no ARRL is simply guesswork and deserves no place on any ham test...

1506. What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415200903.13314.00000471@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 113996

If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the future, it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or anything of that sort, it will simply be the people.

I've been around the block a time or two, in several different venues, and have as of yet to see a hobby (or a career for that matter) where the old timers were more hateful towards newcomers, simply because they didn't do it "their" way.

Folks, your way, my way, anyone's way isn't always the RIGHT way! And, just because someone didn't follow YOUR path to success, doesn't mean their path wasn't just as meaningful for them.

Many of these newcomers have knowledge that many of US (yes, I'm including myself) oldtimers don't have, and may never have. The president of our local club is (well, was) a no code tech, and could run circles around the majority of us general and above licensees as far as not only technical knowledge, but as far as operating procedure. He has also been a master at publicity for the club, and has brought our club into the attention of our county, city, and state goverments like we've never seen.....even though he was a no code tech. His efforts have taken a club that was dying and revived new life into it.

My message for the new upgraders.....WELCOME!! (from most of us, anyway) I personally, and most of my friends, will give you any and all help we can. Just remember, this hobby is what YOU make it!!!

And, to the oldtimers, the same advice applies. The hobby is what you make it. Make it a miserable hobby, you'll have a miserable time. Make it a great hobby, you'll have a great time!!

73 de N9GSU, Rick Garrett, Muncie, Indiana

1507. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415202109.17955.00001577@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 113997

Coming from someone who didn't sign a name or callsign, you can see how much credibility this poster has!!!!

Welcome, y'all,

N9GSU Rick Garrett, Muncie, Indiana

1508. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415204554.19058.00001666@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 113998

Where is NR5T lately? Haven't heard him in YEARS.

1509. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415210159.19058.00001673@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 113999

Well said, Rick. I hope the re-structured newcomers bring some good talents and skills to the table.

In order for ham radio to survive and grow, we somehow need new technologies applied. The "rig of the month club" being offered by YaeComWood has not provided the impetus toward growth and improvement. So we have the same groups hanging out on the same frequencies talking about the same topics. For years.

As far as the "newcomers" .. does anyone remember the mid to late seventies, when the bulk of the newcomers were .. God forbid .. CB-ers?

Ok so they passed the 13 word test. But they brought us their "slang", etc. And all of it seems to have mellowed out over the years, and it wasn't the end of the world.

So it will be with the new-newcomers. Give it time, and they will blend in. And I doubt that the code - or lack thereof - will be a hindrance to their skills as operators, conversationalists, or bench technicians.

1510. Re: The Downward Spiral!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415210934.19058.00001676@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 114000

LRod

I wouldn't call DJ Smith a supremacist, but the rest of your description fits. And he has been at it for years. I first discovered him while living in SC back in 1987. That was the year Smith had the Masons and Shriners over-throwing the US government.

Well, 13 years have come and gone. And the White House is still safely in the hands of the Felon in Chief. And the Shriners are still having parties. And the Masons are still having barbecue suppers.

Come to think of it, maybe we'd be better off if the Shriners *had* taken over already. We wouldn't have Komrade Klinton's escapades to go in our history books. And I doubt that the Shriners would have burned the babies at Waco.

This sounds promising .. someone call the Shriners .. we have a suggestion ! ! !

1511. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8db5mmgkp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114001

In article <20000415204554.19058.00001666@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
> Where is NR5T lately? Haven't heard him in YEARS.
>
He basically got sick and tired of the BS on 313/300. He is now
playing "real radio" and playing on 10fm and other places.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1512. Re: KC8JBO and N8WGM makes the Rain Report, AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000415212244.00122.00001516@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 114002

>We trusted him before. Now he's mad that we don't trust him. Sorry. Maybe
>this will teach him a valuable lesson. When someone is nice to you .. be
>nice
>to them. Or else risk losing a friendship you might want later. Is it
>rocket
>science?
>
>Thanks again, Dan. Radiosigs .. what do you think?
>
When you betray your allies/friends - you stand alone.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

1513. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415215043.10476.00001924@ng-bk1.aol.com>
Source record: 114003
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

SBCmusic wrote:
>If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) >amateur radio dies in the future,
>it's cause will not be the restructuring, >incentive licensing, or anything of
>that sort, it will simply be the people.
>I've been around the block a time or two, >in several different venues, and
>have
>as of yet to see a hobby (or a career for >that matter) where the old timers
>were more hateful towards newcomers, >simply because they didn't do it "their"
>way.

Bovine scat.
I got licensed in the early 80s as a Tech+.
Most of the members of the local club were much older, largely AT&T
engineers - and all were very helpful.
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

1514. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415215539.19058.00001679@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 114004

http://www.alamanceind.com/

Good link

1515. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000415220410.13969.00001681@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 114005

Yet, all you have to do is read this newsgroup and find my point proven. Mind you, I'm not saying ALL old timers are like that, and if I implied that, it wasn't my intent.....

1516. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8db931$k68$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114006

Any ham that has taken advantage of any licensing incentives
since the birth of amateur radio is, by definition here, not
a RealHAM(TM).

If you are not a RealHAM(TM), leave the hobby, and let the spectrum
go to something useful. Like a 24 hour 'government cheese' channel,
or...

In article <20000415174700.10360.00001758@ng-bj1.aol.com>,
mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA) wrote:
> Congratulations??? For WHAT? Being able to hold his hand out long
enuff to get
> a HANDOUT???
>
> K&#65533;MB
>

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.\\

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1517. Re: TS-520 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38F917B2.6FFD@some.net>
Source record: 114007

Susan wrote:
>
> Hello everyone. I own a Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver, and it has a
> tube-type final for it's transmitter. It's receive is solid state. My
> question is if I change bands (say from 10 meters to 15, 20, 40, etc.) do I
> have to re-tune the transmitter? I recently upgraded from Tech Plus to
> General, and want this info before I start transmitting with my new
> privileges. Also, do I need an antenna tuner if I use a G5RV Dipole antenna?
> Thanks
> Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG

Yes you will have to returne when changing bands and should touch up the
tuning when changing the frequency very much within a band.

1518. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wex w2ilp <w2ilp@juno.com>
Message-ID: <8dban8lpt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <YsEJ4.13$R5.3728@news.ntplx.net>,
"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
> LRod wrote:
>
> >Here's your problem: you were *denied* a General class ticket because
> >you FAILED to meet the requirements
>
> And presumably after April 15, he will be granted a General ticket
because
> he will succeed at meeting the requirements.
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
Hi Ed...
Anything that humans do is subject to their own conceptions of
difficulty and their own conceptions of acheviement. The motivation of
any human to do more than required (especially for advancement in a non-
profit hobby) can only be driven by self pride. We build up pictures
in our minds over the years based on the walls and barriers that we
feel are worthy of climbing or eliminating by our own toil, efforts and
sacrifices. Anyone who participates in a complex hobby must sacrifice
TIME. Spare time (if there is any) can be spent in many enjoyable ways.
It is our own choice to make for ourselves. We may give up either
because it is too difficult or because it is TOO EASY for us.

WE must ask the question..."WHAT SHOULD THE REQUIREMENTS BE?"...
What should they be to keep the most avid Hams active and valuable and
capable of meeting not just "the requirements" but the basis and
purpose of the hobby. "The requirements" should be easy for the tyro
but very difficult for the expert. We can ill afford to frustrate
either the beginner by diffioculty or the guru by over-simplification.

When "the requirements" change there can be a big let down not only for
those who feel that they had worked harder in the past but for those
who feel ashamed of what is happening in the present. The pride of
achievement is lost because a big part of the challenge is gone. This
can lead to having many of the most accomplished Hams leave the hobby
out of utter disgust simply because it is no longer the hobby that they
once conceived it to be.

We can not blame those who will be taking advantage of the new
simplified requirements. We can only blame those who proposed and
encouraged "the requirements". Perhaps the Morse code war was

uppermost in their minds and they forgot about the perpetuation of the technical dumbing down. It is a sad shame. (:-(

Hams need MORE license classes and more walls to climb...not just this three step simplification!

73,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Insure License Potential)

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1519. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8db96n128a4@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114009

In article <8das9b$ev0$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:
>>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
>Yesterday you would have been a bootlegger.
>
>Jeff KH6O+

Yes, Jeff, yesterday he would have been a bootlegger.

...and 140 years ago, you would have went to a federal prison if you were caught aiding and abetting a runaway slave.

So what the hell is your point?

Tom - N8ECW

1520. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dbbim$1pu$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:

>>>I think the test was probably *easier* in 1963, because the material was
>>>much easier.

>>Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
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the '63 Handbook; the material was *not* "much easier" then. The 16-
page LM was to be supplemented with the 400+ page Handbook. Today's
LM is self-contained.

Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.

Jeff KH6O+

1521. Re: CW testing under the new regs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <92439EC8BC9897D3.B6FE66D08ED419F5.F34C53FDF9DD27C9@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114011

I heard a glimpse of the test in Charleston, SC, this morning. It was
a Farnsworth scheme, here. It is actually up to the individual VEs.
The code sounded like 13wpm spaced to 5. Only ONE young boy was
taking the test, today. The rest of the THRONG was upgrading, mostly
from tests given since Jan 1, 2K.

Larry W4CSC

On Sun, 05 Mar 2000 13:51:40 -0500, Jack Sienkiewicz
<jackn2mpu@monmouth.com> wrote:

>Anybody know what the CW test will be like under the new regs? Will a
>straight speed of 5 wpm be used, or will a Farnsworth scheme be used,
>where the characters are sent at a faster speed, but with the spacing of
>a faster speed? None of the mags have mentioned anything about this part
>of it.
>--
>JackN2MPU
>Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO and CPRail and D&H in N
>Proud NRA member

1522. Re: >>>>>>Riley, xxxx's xx Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dbejl$pu5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114012

In article <38F8E2F9.36CA5361@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>
> > In all fairness Riley didn't mess up. The monitoring station that
made
> > the report to him did. Read the original letter to Dean.
> >
>
> In any organization, Dan, responsibility for what happens within
> that organization rests with the top man. An innocent person
> was publicly branded a "jammer" before the whole world.
> Mr. Hollingsworth is responsible for that error.
>
> I don't say Mr. Hollingsworth should "lose his job" because
> he failed to check a report from his subordinates.
> Tossing a good man who's correct 99.9% of the time
> because he's human and fallible is foolish.
> If he and the many others who rushed to judgment in this matter
> learn some extra patience and discretion, that's good enough---
> except for this:
>
> Tell me- Where does AC5IU go to get his good name back?
HE NEVER HAD A GOOD NAME HE IS A GOOF
> Think about it- Next time, it could be any one of us.
>
> 73 Dave S.
>

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1523. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dbf43qaa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114013

In article <8d9tl9$6pj$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> <nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message
> news:8d8odj$13k$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > I LISTEN A LOT ON 313 AND I NEVER HERD ANY TAPES OF THE GOOF BUT I
> HAVE
> > HERD HIM BUT IN TO A LOT OF QSO'S . PEOPLE UNKEY AND THERE HE IS IN
> > THERE FACE TELLING THEM HOW WRONG THEY ARE HE THINKS HE KNOWS EVERY
> > THING. THERES NO DOUGHT THAT HE LIED HIS WAY OUT OF THIS BUT HE WILL
> > SCREW UP AGIN AND NEXT TIME POP GOS THE WEESEL.
>
> You need to follow you OWN advice, stupid, like the other day you
> erroneously
> told W4FQF I received a "warning letter" on the air, making sure you
> left out the fact that another ham received one also.
> There is no mention of "warning notice" on the letter, so stick to car
> mechanics, at least it's something you know about, you dumbass.
ILL TELL YOU WHAT DUMBASS I HERD YOU ON 313 THREATEN W4FQF TO WHIP HIS
ASS HE IS A OLD MAN. NOW IM 44 YEARS OLD WHY DONT YOU COME TO MICHIGAN
AND WHIP MINE BRING YOUR WIFE AND ILL GIVE HER SOMETHING YOU CANT COME
JUMP IN THE FIRE DUMBASS LETS SEE HOW BAD YOUR ARE NOW. THE CAR FIXER
> ==========Begin Letter===============
>
> March 29, 2000
>
> CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
>
> Mr. Steven A. Tunder
> 72643 Glasgow Road
> Freeport, OH 43973
> Licensee of N8WGM
>
> Roger L. Wiseman
> 610 Glen Haven Avenue
> Glendale, WV 26038-1302
> Licensee of KC8JBO
>
> Dear Messrs. Tunder and Wiseman:
>
> The Commission has been made aware of an ongoing personal dispute
> between you, and there have been allegations of interference or
jamming
> on the Twenty-Meter Band.
>

> The purpose of this letter is to caution you both to review Section
> 97.1 of the Amateur Radio Service Rules, and to make certain that
> whatever disputes that may exist are not carried over to Amateur Radio
> frequencies.
>
> Please call me at 717-338-2502 if you have any questions about this
> matter.
>
> Sincerely,
>
> W. Riley Hollingsworth
> Special Counsel, Amateur Radio
> Enforcement Bureau
> ==========End Letter==================
>
> Go back to pretending that you were dead, meat-head.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
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1524. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dbg6f$rg3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114014

In article <d3qffssqic7pcim0oftkv59jtptr4ghrol@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 03:41:40 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> >I LISTEN A LOT ON 313 AND I NEVER HERD ANY TAPES OF THE GOOF BUT I
HAVE
> >HERD HIM BUT IN TO A LOT OF QSO'S . PEOPLE UNKEY AND THERE HE IS IN
> >THERE FACE TELLING THEM HOW WRONG THEY ARE HE THINKS HE KNOWS EVERY
> >THING. THERES NO DOUGHT THAT HE LIED HIS WAY OUT OF THIS BUT HE WILL
> >SCREW UP AGIN AND NEXT TIME POP GOS THE WEESEL..> FCC Amateur Radio
>
> At least he doesn't type in upper case. What a dumbshit you are,
Mike. I DID IT TO PISSOFF A GOOF LIKE YOU HAHAHAHAHA F+++ off

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1525. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <C4438A471E883484.1486765B5E23C812.F90F46815F5F5D0C@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114015

On 16 Apr 2000 00:09:03 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:

>If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the future,
>it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or anything of
>that sort, it will simply be the people.
>
One doesn't have to look any further than this newsgroup to see what's
killing ham radio......road rage.....

It's our own fault, you know. VE's are not REQUIRED to test every
mental case who walks through the door.....

Larry W4CSC

1526. Re: >>>>>>Riley, xxxx's xx Again!<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <B8B9B7D4CEB926F8.8FCF9BB4A712F567.C08EE187E66E5BDE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114016

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 16:45:29 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Tell me- Where does AC5IU go to get his good name back?

I believe the correct term is "Federal Court".....with the finest
attorney he can buy, is a good idea.
>
>Think about it- Next time, it could be any one of us.
>
>73 Dave S.

1527. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <246C761EC06F4244.9531B5B51F66DD15.8B80D8D0960BD078@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114017

On 15 Apr 2000 18:05:45 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
>No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

Congratulations, Robert. Zip up your Nomex flamesuit before firing up
the HF rig and WELCOME TO HELL!....(C;

I got mine from the Jan test in Charleston, SC, this morning, too.
Upgrade was only from Advanced, though. No biggie deal....it should
have been automatic as the Extra test was WAY easier.....(c;

73, Larry W4CSC/AE

1528. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8D0EA9FA7A68588A.6C36BE34404EE310.C67BEB6BD1B2F6E1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 114018

On Sat, 15 Apr 2000 13:59:41 -0500, John <> wrote:

>On 15 Apr 2000 18:05:45 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
>
>>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>>
>>No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)
>
>Congrats, you're now half a ham. Too bad you didn't have the guts to
>do it when you had to get 20 wpm code.

How stupid can any one individual be. Makes you wonder if ham radio
will survive at all. Tell us, mr smartass, what have YOU done for ham
radio, besides sit there and bitch, in the last 20 years?

Larry W4CSC

1529. NEWSLINE CAUSES SLEEP..!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: xyz@privacy.net
Message-ID: <38f94481.6923705@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 114019

Yawn......NEWSLINE....(Snoozeline) is still at it with the same
boring rhetoric... It's almost time for the 'begging' for money again,
so Bill can pay for his TOYS.!!!!

1530. WTB Used Commercial VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Little <ve6ci@telusplanet.net>
Message-ID: <38F949A3.74824AED@telusplanet.net>
Source record: 114020

I am looking for approximately 20 nice, fairly new vhf radios, vertex, motorola whatever , about 20-40 channels. Must be programmable.

Please email direct ve6ci@rac.ca

1531. FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <38F94B69.FA1B9299@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 114021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

I saw the movie FREQUENCY on April 15th. I enjoyed it a lot. It uses ham radio in a very positive way. It is PG13 rated so it will be more accessible to children. If you like it, promote it.

Read my review at the RARA web site
http://www.ggw.org/rara/FREQUENCY.htm

Peter Fournia
W2SKY

1532. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000416022135.19303.00000539@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 114022

hey, at least Issac can be proud of hi father. his did not die in prison

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1533. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brendan K Callahan <god@pcpartner.net>
Message-ID: <8dbms9$ko8$1@ins21.netins.net>
Source record: 114023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Heck, might as well stick my 2watts in:
<shrug> so you're giving up your VE badge--guess what? I'm going to
get mine, and yes, I got an extra under the (omigosh) *new* rules.
Heaven forbid we *ever* change anything--why, we could still be using
horses to get around!

The new rules? Don't really care one way or the other--might just
have taken a few months longer to get my Extra, yet ppl with that
attitude, seem to want to scorn me as "not really an Extra"--wait
until I fire 30wpm CW at you by the end of the summer. Sure, and
some of you could fire it back too :) But I bet some "real" Extras
might not :)

And I've gotten one person already licensed (KC&#65533;HLL), and am working
with two others, and they will have a license by midsummer with luck.
I'm going to go to the school here at some point and time, and try
to get a club going there, as hams in Grinnell, IA are few (3 active,
for the most part, 2 PT). I'm going to try and get involved with the
weather net in Johnson IA. Isn't this what being a "real" amateur is
about? Furthing the hobby? Generating good will with the public?
Putting forth that "Extra" effort? Why hold so much animosity?
Before you turn your license in, why don't you listen for me on 10m?
See waht kind of op I am?

Want to know what the value of my license is to me? It took me 10
years, before I got licensed--CW held me back for years, and then the
internet distracted me (and a couple hundred thousand others who
might have gone into the hobby). But I perservered, and passed my 5
wpm--and immeadiately started working on 23 & 30 wpm.

Would there have been another ham, had I not gotten a license, to
call on a repeater for an ambulance and a tow truck for the couple
who had an accident on I-35 when I was travelling to Kansas City a
few weeks ago? No one else was stopping to help, even though the
mini-van was in a ditch, and obviously damaged beyond repair. <sigh>
The new rules, are the rules, whether we like them or not--adapting
to them is what requires character, not a fast code speed.

- --

*Brendan K Callahan K&#65533;EES/AE god@netins.net
*
* Chaos, Panic, Disorder

* (Looks like my work here is done)

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1534. Re: FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38F96526.F6E1EE16@oio.net>
Source record: 114024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

Peter,
Better yet, if you liked the movie, and if someone asks you about it, then promote it? If there doesn't seem to be much interest about the movie, maybe you shouldn't 'promote' it. May be people, even if they liked the movie, get tired of hearing about it?
'Doc

1535. NEW WEB PAGE RADIO PERSO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "francis.castelain" <francis.castelain@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <8dbp6g$d7f$1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 114025

http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f5usv/

73's Francis from FRANCE

F5USV

1536. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dbqu8hcm1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114026

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:

>>>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>>>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.

>>Yesterday you would have been a bootlegger.

>Yes, Jeff, yesterday he would have been a bootlegger.

Amazing, huh?

Jeff KH6O+

1537. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dbqqf$hb9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>of the existing political climate at the time, the ARRL couldn't
>afford such an utterance but their meaning was crystal clear to
>anyone with an IQ higher than his/her age. How old are you, Jeff?

Cecil, your replies are usually written in a gentlemanly manner.
Please don't be mean-spirited like Len Anderson.
73, Jeff KH6O+

1538. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dbsdgirn1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114028
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>>> "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:

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>>>>The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
>>>>prepare for one's exam.

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>>>be avoided.

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>>an idea of the body of knowledge an amateur could know by perusing
>>the '63 Handbook; the material was *not* "much easier" then. The 16-
>>page LM was to be supplemented with the 400+ page Handbook. Today's
>>LM is self-contained.

>Thats not what Ed said.

There is no "Ed" in any of the above. I responded to Aaron, and
you replied to me.

>The 16 page manual contained everything you needed to
>know to PASS the EXAM,

The reason it was 16 pages in length was that one was supposed to
use the 400+ page Handbook as a text in order to LEARN the material.

>>Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
>>exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.

>Now that is very true.

We finally agreed on something.

Jeff KH6O+

1539. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dbrudifi1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 114029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote

>>You can read all about it in DeSoto's "200 Meters and Down."

>Does it say that there would be no ham radio anywhere in the world today if
>it were not for the ARRL??

In so many words, yes. During the early international radio conferences, ARRL reps were always invited to be members of the U.S. delegation. (ARRL officers had served in high-level military communication positions during WWI, and the League had successfully mobilized 4000 hams to serve as military radio operators and instructors, so the League was held in VERY high regard by our government.) Of those countries attending the conferences, none, except the U.S., wanted amateur radio -- none wanted their citizens to have access to the air waves. As I said above, you can read all about it in DeSoto's book. You can read how the U.S. delegation was able to wheel and deal in order to get worldwide frequencies set aside for citizens to use.

I've always thought that radio history should be required reading in order to get a license.

Jeff KH6O+

1540. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dbuhjamk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114030

Amen.
I could sure tell you some stories of my experience. Same old
story... Different actors.

Radio Oger

In article <sfii2qg5ivv86@corp.supernews.com>,
"Mark and Annette" <gege@planetsos.com> wrote:
> I would bet that all the people who are complaining about license
> restructuring are the same people who thought that the 3point shot in
> basketball would ruin the game, that installing running water and
> electricity into homes was luxury we didnt need, that color TV was a
bad
> thing, that installing lights at Wrigley field would destroy baseball
in
> Chicago, etc. Change is inevitable. Why cant the oldtime HAMS
welcome the
> new HAMS and be glad for us?? When I was trying to decide if this was
> something I would really be intersted in, I posted questions on the
> newsgroups and i received many reponses such as....Get your ticket
then come
> back and talk to us..... Buy the NOW YOU ARE TALKING book followed
> by,...(you probably wont be able to understand it), HAM radio
requires a
> license and until you get one dont waste our time. Finally one HAM,
not an
> oldtimer, offered some help and I was on my way. Now that I have my
ticket,
> I am embarassed by the way the new HAMS are treated by some on the
list.
> Anyway, Congratulations to all who upgraded and to all who are new to
the
> hobby.
>
> Mark
> KC0HND
>
>

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1541. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdaddyking <bigdaddyking@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dc2tfenq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 114031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8dbrudifi1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
SNIP!
Of those countries attending the
> conferences, none, except the U.S., wanted amateur radio -- none
wanted
> their citizens to have access to the air waves. As I said above, you
can
> read all about it in DeSoto's book. You can read how the U.S.
delegation
>SNIP!!
>
> I've always thought that radio history should be required reading in
> order to get a license.
>
> Jeff KH6O+

>>>Of course you would,that didn't even have to be posted!I never would
have expected anything else..

Probably also:

Some questions about the history of the development of autos should be
included on the test for a drivers liscense.:
"In what year was the first Cadillac introduced?"

Before you get your high school diploma,you should be tested on the
history of the school:
"What year was the gymansium added?"

When you go get a building permit for your home remodeling,you should
have to take a test on the history of bricks and mortar:
"Where was the first known building made of clay bricks found?"

Do you understand Jeff?

Jeff,I think you've been a teacher/administator way too long.....!

73,BDK
BTW,are you admin,or an instructor?

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1542. Re: What to buy, is there going to be new equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberal Republican <"Monarchy is heinous">, "'Cos the queen has an anus"
Message-ID: <955882241.13132.0.nnrp-02.9e98250c@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 114032
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:33mffssl431ccqbh4j0r653cah72kjffhf@4ax.com...
> Rumor has it that Motorola is returning to the ham
> market.

The name "Motorola" has an interesting etymology. It is
1930's (40's?) style speak for a manufacturer of car
radios.

1543. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dc7bp010je@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 114033

In article <8dbqu8hcm1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>>Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:
>
>>>>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
>>>>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
>
>>>Yesterday you would have been a bootlegger.
>
>>Yes, Jeff, yesterday he would have been a bootlegger.
>
>Amazing, huh?
>
>Jeff KH6O+

You didn't answer my question.

Tom - N8ECW

1544. Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Susan <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
Message-ID: <sfmiltjq78n173@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113784
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have heard of several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea which is better than the other. My rig operates 10, 15, 20, 40, and 80 meters, SSB and CW. I want an antenna for all 5 bands. I am looking to spend no more than $100, as I still need a tuner. Any information on this would be greatly appreciated.

73
Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
chip1@theramp.net

1545. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FB4A02.35D3007C@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
> >The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
> >prepare for one's exam.
>
> I did not own an Handbook in 1963. All of my studying was from the 16-pages
> of General Class license manual. I did a combination of real learning,
> memorization and sheer luck, recognizing the correct answers on the exam
> when I saw them.
>
> If there was a "golden era" of ham radio when the FCC exams really proved
> that hams knew all the material covered by the scope of their exams, it was
> not in 1963.

Nor was it in the early 50s when I passed the general exam at 14. I
also did not own a Handbook in 1951/52. I learned virtually everything
I know about ham radio *after* I passed the general exam (thus obtaining
all ham frequency privileges) and, 49 years later, I'm still learning.

What the heck is wrong with that?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1546. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfjuf$6hr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113786
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <sfmiltjq78n173@corp.supernews.com>,
"Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:
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> several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea
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> more than $100, as I still need a tuner. Any information on this
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> 73
> Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
> chip1@theramp.net
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>
Why buy when you can build?

1. Instal a 120 foot horizontal wire. Feed in center with 450 ohm ladder line. Or 300 ohm TV wire,if using only low power. Buy/build a tuner that works on balanced line. All bands, no sweat. Cheap.

2. Build a "fan dipole". Make 3 seperate dipoles, for 75/40/20 meters. Feed with standard 50 ohm coax. Spread the three elements apart and work without a tuner by adjusting the various lengths. This antenna will work on 75,40,20 as a fundamental 1/2 wave antenna. And on 15 and 10 as a harmonic antenna.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1547. Thoughts on restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dfjvu$6i7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113787

One problem we are having with all of these discussions is that we are confusing two different points of view, the FCC's view of the ARS as a "service," and our view of the ARS as a "hobby," or, for some of us, an elite club.

The FCC licenses operators and stations in the Amateur Radio Service to meet THEIR needs, not ours. The requirement for CW was never to make ham radio a closed society for a small elite, but to encourage licensees to develop the skills that the government wanted promoted for emergencies and times of war.

Remember the three reasons that the FCC licenses hams:
1. To recognize the value of emergency communications
2. To advance the radio art
3. To improve communication and technical skills

The only reason that CW was so important to the FCC in years gone by was because it was arguably the best, sometimes the only, dependable way to get emergency communications through in bad conditions or with minimum of power. The narrow bandwidth needed to punch through a signal and the ability to comprehend CW in noisy conditions made CW indispensible. This is not true anymore, however. In recent years, digital and satellite communication modes have replaced CW as the chosen emergency technologies in just about every commercial and military radio service. Therefore the FCC has no more need to maintain a pool of skilled CW operators. The FCC acknowledges this truth by dropping CW requirements. They would have even dispensed with the 5wpm requirement for the new General and Extra if international treaty didn't require CW proficiency for operating in the HF bands. I expect even that to go away in the next year or two. From the 'service' point of view, CW has lost its place.

There are many of us in the "hobby" of amateur radio who see CW in a different light. For many, CW is a tie to the traditions of our predecessors, a fun way to operate (kind of like becoming a skilled horseman in this age of cars), a badge of accomplishment, and an emblem of hard work and dedication to the hobby. Many of these people have real qualms about removing the requirement, sensing that something important is in danger of being lost.

There are others, however, who have a less-than-healthy attitude about this issue. For some, perhaps with less-than-optimal ego strength, the license and the status it confers, is a very big part of their identity. It is important to them to feel that they are part of an elite. Like the characters in the Wizard Of Oz, who needed the external confirmation of a diploma to feel smart, a medal to feel

brave, or a heart to feel loving, the magic talismans of the General, Advanced, and Amateur Extra licenses reassure them that they are, indeed, superior people. Unlike someone with a healthy and secure self-identity, they are terribly threatened when the only assurance of their superiority is "diluted" by changing or "lowering" the requirements. The biggest complaint they make is their fear that inferior people will suddenly be admitted to their private club and somehow pollute it - and their only form of self-validation.

Rest assured, even after Restructuring, developing 20wpm or better is still a wonderful accomplishment. It will still be respected and it will still be just as much fun to operate. You can always go down to the CW portions of the bands, safely away from the 5wpm'ers (who will mostly be operating phone, anyway) and hang out with the other hams who appreciate the value of CW skills. And if you hear a new "welfare" licensed General or Extra down in CW land working to improve his or her halting code speed, jump in and help with patience and kindness - at least they are going in the right direction.

BTW, I'm in my second incarnation as a Ham. I just got relicensed last month after a 20-year layoff -- Yes, I'm now a 'welfare' General as I didn't get my speed quite back up to 13 before time ran out on the old regs (though I'm still targeting 20wpm just for personal satisfaction). When I originally passed 13wpm 30 years ago, I had to actually copy accurately (no silly multiple-choice questions) and send cleanly - with a straight key, no less - to pass that puppy.

Amusingly, my old Elmer liked to complain that the appliance-operator Extras of recent years with their fill-in-the-blanks or multiple-choice code tests without even having to send at all (let alone sending with a real Navy straight key instead of these namby-pamby electronic dual-paddle iambic B mode keyers) aren't Real Hams, anyway <g>.

73 de John / K2INY

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1548. Re: Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfou6$c4p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113788

In article <20000417131805.18648.00004817@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

> LRod's problem is that he likes to intervene in every NG!

See here's where your difficulty is, here's why you are so overmatched,
and here's why you should try to find a way to quietly slip off the
internet and save yourself further embarrassment:

I have only posted in 5 newsgroups; r.r.a.m., alt.tv.nypd-blue,
rec.woodworking, rec.food.equipment, and alt.fan.john.mackey. Ever.

Now Deja news shows another dozen or so posts, but as it says on the
deja page, "numbers may be slightly skewed by cross-postings." I have
never intentionally posted to more than one newsgroup and I always try
to edit the "forum" field when replying to keep from crossposting. Some
messages get crossposted anyway.

Since you have so much time on your hands, you will find by going to the
posts of mine that show as being posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.policy,
rec.radio.swap,
rec.radio.shortwave,
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
rec.radio.amateur.antenna,
alt.radio.family,
alt.radio.scanner,
alt.radio.parg,
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,
alt.discrimination,
alt.ham-radio.hf,
rec.radio.amateur.dx,
that they all are messages that appear in r.r.a.m., and thus are
crossposts.

With the possible exception of the two scanner groups, I have never even
been to any of the listed newsgroups. In fact, I couldn't even name 5
newsgroups other than the ones I've mentioned that I've been to.

So, your statement that "he likes to intervene in every NG!" in addition
to being absurd on its face, is quite simply a lie.

Your track record so far includes spamming with off topic material
plagiarized from discredited, lunatic fringe, hand wringers; hailing the
idiots of the newsgroup; "predicting" the outcome of events 100%
unsuccessfully; trolling for sympathy; attacking other users with
insults that you know not to be true, proving the value of your "college

education" with virtually every illiterate post; well, the list is impressive.

It's all there in Deja; take a look. You don't fare well in the comparison.

By the way, look up "intervene" and "interject." You might learn something.

Now, shall we discuss your hyprocisy in criticising my commentary while feeling no compunction about providing your own?

LRod

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1549. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dfo2k$oa5$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
>I see no evidence at all that the hams of today care any differently about
>ham radio than the hams of 1963. I see no evidence that they have less
>intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more. I studied those 16 pages
>to get all amateur privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of
>study guide to get the same thing.

Didn't your '63 study guide instruct you to use the Handbook as
a text? Was the '63 Handbook composed of at least 400 pages?

>I was 13 years old when I was licensed. I didn't build a darn thing to get

There were/are always exceptions. QST et al wouldn't have filled their
issues with construction projects if no one was building anything.

73, Jeff KH6O

1550. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <2925C8F52D0884FA.B3B8CD1E69F41055.CC3E1530054BEBEA@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113790

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 12:20:23 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by allowing
>day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised nothing
>nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime. The 3 pointer in
>basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult to score
>from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes IMPROVED OUR
>QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you equate the
>outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are
>getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general, how can
>opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those who
>ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to REDUCE
>the number on it for the good of the country. The idea is not to make it
>easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job incentives to
>get people OFF the dole. What the FCC and ARRL did was to make welfare
>fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the handouts to
>equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting, self
>serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take pride in
>our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was not a
>willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month, ENDS.
>AF2Y

What the FCC did was to recognize that the code test had
outlived its usefulness and are is no more needed than are
lamplighters in our cities.

It's too bad that those who feel cw is the _only_ test worth
considering don't have enough vision (or interest in ham radio) to
recognize that what was once a needed skill has now been replaced by
more modern technology and reduced to having value to special interest
groups only. If you--and the other old-timers who can't seem to let go
of your fixation on code testing--would spend 1/2 as much time helping
new hams to learn about the hobby as you do knocking them and
pretending you are better than them because you have an outdated
skill, you might actually contribute something to the hobby instead of
driving away new hams with your insults and offensive comments.

You--and others--fought to keep your outdated tests--and you
lost. Learn to be a graceful loser and get over it!

Rick

--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@arrl.net
adamsr@voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1551. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb2101@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8zqqhf$XY48$2@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113791

On Mon 17 Apr 2000 18:08:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

: "Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:
: > Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have heard of
: > several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea ...

: Why buy when you can build?
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: 1. Instal a 120 foot horizontal wire. Feed in center with 450 ohm
: ladder line. Or 300 ohm TV wire,if using only low power. Buy/build a
: tuner that works on balanced line. All bands, no sweat. Cheap.

There is a problem with this kind of antenna now that the signal level regulations are going into effect. If you believe what is included in the ARRL web pages, open wire feeds can result in electromagnetic field levels which exceed the allowed levels that all hams are supposed to verify they've met, starting this year on all license renewal applications and on all license change applications. Somewhere on the ARRL web pages, you are told not to use open wire transmission lines any more.

Yet more government regulation about a topic no one has any hard scientific evidence about ...

: 2. Build a "fan dipole". Make 3 seperate dipoles, for 75/40/20

Number two is apparently the better choice. Susan won't irradiate her neighbor's kids too much when she's on the air and the EPA will be happy. :-\

1552. Re: Warning:long, opinionated post ahead! =)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rufis T. Lickabone" <watermelon@blacksambo.com>
Message-ID: <g0KK4.58928$q67.816360@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113792

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8dfacb$r4m$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> EXCELLENT !!!! Sounds like this guy has a handle on reality and what
> ham radio is really about.
>
> Dan/W4NTI

I second the motion Dan!

This guy, whomever he is, should
be one of the main speakers at
the Dayton Banquet. He's obviously
got more of a handle on reality and
certanly would not boooore half the
attendees to sleep with the same old
"fine-business-old-man" party line
bullkrap that one hears every freakin
year. (part of the reason I now pass on attendin the
Official ARRL mutual-admiration-and-ass-kissing-fest
banquet each Year since 1993. Program reminds me more and
more of re-aligning the deck chairs on the Titanic each
year....)

1553. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfrs8$fj1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113793

In article <8zqqhf$XY48$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
> On Mon 17 Apr 2000 18:08:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> neighbor's kids too much when she's on the air and the EPA will be
> happy. :-\
>
Good point about the rf coming off of the ladder line. I did a run
with the on-line calculator with my station. My antenna's are about 25
foot over my head. (yeah I know). And with 800 watts the formula's say
Im ok.

The ladder line is still a good option. Perhaps placing the 4 to 1
balun outside, then run coax into the ATU would keep the "rf out of

everything".

And the coax deal should also be ammended based on the "rf polution theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point. That should keep the "skin effect" radiation to a minimum. Right?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1554. On-Line HAM RADIO HISTORY, a must read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfs6j$g52$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113794

For all of those with a less than up to date knowledge of how we got hee from there I recommend you go to the following site. It is excellent.

www.hrshowcase.com/wayback/wayback.html

Dan/W4NTI

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1555. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <et8kmhKq$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>I don't blame you for wanting to discount any discussion of 1963. But I
>will do so anyway, not accepting your unilateral ruling. The same person
>who could memorize all 1000+ questions today could have memorized all 16
>pages in 1963.

I don't have a 1963 manual (yet), but let me throw the words of your own organization (ARRL) at you from my 1949 license manual. After reading this, contemplate what you think your organization would have said about today's tests as viewed in 1949...

"The questions and answers in this booklet are designed to give you all the knowledge you need to answer correctly the actual examination questions. But it should be emphasized that the questions we list here are not the actual questions in the license examination, nor do they correspond question for question to similar examination items. What they are, however, are carefully prepared items designed to insure that you have the necessary knowledge to cope with the actual test queries."
[skip some]
"There may be several questions in the exact exam revolving around one simple discussion in this manual, but when you understand the subject you can readily check off the answers to any number of questions on it."

BTW, in the amateur radio regulations portion of the 1949 license manual, there are no questions or answers at all. They simply reprint 11 pages of excerpts from the Communications Act of 1934, leaving you to study and learn them. Refreshing...

1556. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eYM3nhKq$GA.233@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113796
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Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>But can you say that everyone who passed their tests
>in the 1990s, the 1980s, the 1970s, the 1960s or the 1950s really knew the
>material they were tested for?

Ed, Is it possible to discuss *today's faulty exam* without bringing up the past? And without people thinking that I'm somehow putting down the applicants who take our modern tests when I say the *tests* are defective? Do you agree that a written test should be designed so that the applicants passing it know most of the material it tests for? If you do then you must agree that the modern ham test certainly flunks this criteria...

>Are you really offering that
>it is easier to rote memorize the Ohm's law questions...

No. But it is easier to memorize the majority of the test than to learn it. If a person really knows the material tested for in getting the Extra Class License, he should be employable as an electronics technician. (In the 50s and 60s an Extra or 1st Phone often got you in the door.) How is it possible to pass the test after one weeks worth of study (or less), when it takes a trade school a year or more to get a person to that level...

1557. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <e#CRnhKq$GA.206@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>Why would people want to get a
>ham license, except for the [electronics] learning experience that goes
with it?

Ask Kim. She and many others I know use ham radio for communications alone. In recent years I have been exclusively a CW ragchewer. I have a bought key, rig and antenna. I haven't done any real electronics in years. I am a communicator. Different strokes Ed...

> why are they choosing ham radio over CB, FRS and...

Because ham radio for all its warts, still is a great place to be, and offers the social benefits of meeting other friendly people.

>[why are they choosing ham radio over] the Internet?

Many aren't. This is where the youth are. This is where I would have been if there had been an Internet in the 50s...

1558. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FB7085.443306DE@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> "There may be several questions in the exact exam revolving around one
> simple discussion in this manual, but when you understand the subject you
> can readily check off the answers to any number of questions on it."

They also said, "If our answers sometimes seem to the initiated to be
naive or incomplete, rest assured that they are sufficient for the
purpose. ... In other words, the purpose of this manual is ... to
equip him with the knowledge he must have to pass the examination."

That seems pretty clear. All one needs to know to pass the exam is
in the ARRL License Manual.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1559. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FB72CF.63CCFD3E@IEEE.org>
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Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
> >I see no evidence at all that the hams of today care any differently about
> >ham radio than the hams of 1963. I see no evidence that they have less
> >intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more. I studied those 16 pages
> >to get all amateur privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of
> >study guide to get the same thing.
>
> Didn't your '63 study guide instruct you to use the Handbook as
> a text?

As a matter of fact, they didn't, at least not in the '57 License
Manual. They stated in four different places that everything one needs
to know to pass the exam is in the License Manual. The very last sentence
suggests studying the Handbook, but they certainly imply it is not necessary.
And I am living proof that it wasn't necessary. The Handbook later cost me
seven hours of wages. The license manual only cost one.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1560. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dfuj4irc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113800

In article <8dcfbo$78r$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I seek INTELLIGENT replies only. If you're a half wit or no wit, go
respond
> to someone else because this posting is serious-no Groucho or
Winchell.
>
> I see restructuring doing this:
> 1. Inflating numbers to impress the ITU
> 2. Easing the FCC's clerical and statistical work
> 3. Acting as a "cash cow" for the ARRL
> 4. Acting as a "cash cow" for ham equipment retailers
> 5. Creating considerably more work for Riley Hollingsworth
necessitating a
> substantial raise which if not given will put him squarely back into
law
> instead of policing
>
> I see no tangible benefit to ham radio per se insofar as bettering,
> refining, upgrading and making it more acceptable to and appreciated
by the
> public at large. I see nothing which will help establish a clearer
> perception of it and a definite distinction recognized by the public
> between it and CB.
>
> If I'm wrong, tell me about it.
> AF2Y
> Well Doc vnbut rtijpmgfh eoriyug yuot ty kghoen jhu qwiroo tre.
Seughi nfhtyr khhjf! Yoiuyiojkleh, hgyt.

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1561. Re: Warning:long, opinionated post ahead! =)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dg0sqlgg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113801

In article <8dedoorqj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> First off, if your new to the hobby, welcome!
>
> What's going to happen is what's going to happen, and
> opinions are just that. Unfortunately, some folks feel
> they must be childishly adamant if you don't think just
> like them,and join in their narrowmindedness.
>
> When the consumer VCR hit the market, the movie industry
> went ape-sh*t. Whooped and hollered about how this was the
> death knell to the motion picture industry.
>
> NOT! Both the movie and VCR industry are both bigger than
> imagined. Consumers benefitted by the competition and most
> movie houses are nicer than ever. Look at past history, and
> you will find unnecessary hysteria over many things that brought
> change.
>
> HAM radio is dynamic. Blind rigidity can lead to demise.
> CW is passe in today's world, but that is not to say it is
> worthless, and it should be kept alive. Any basic tool that is
> beautifully simplistic and highly functional should never be
> discarded. This holds for CW, IMHO.
>
> Since there is such an outcry for keeping CW alive, I don't
> believe it will die off. But what the HAM community AS A WHOLE
> needs to consider is that communications have undergone some
> mindblowing changes in a very short time frame. Such effects will
> affect the amateur service, and by lowering the code speed
requirement,
> the expectation is more minds will join the hobby.
>
> What truly sucks here is that there is a consensus that these new
> minds will all be low-class, uneducated welfare recipients. I doubt
it,
> and my words here are going on public record.
>
> Funny thing is, all the doomsayers words are logged and archived the
> same as mine here, and there won't be any way to recall them.
>
> If I say I am a no-code, I get categorized very rapidly.
> If I say I am anti-code, it is a magnitude worse.
> If I say I am pro-code, I am just as one-sided as the two above.

>
> Code, no-code, or CW-proficient, I avoid HF because I have better
> expenditures of my time. Sure, go ahead, get all bent out of shape
> over this statement, but remember while you're going ballistic over
it,
> _YOU_ make HF what it is, not me. I don't use it.
>
> I, for one, flat out REFUSE to spend time on CW because there is so
> much more to learn about that is more attractive to me. (that's the
cue
> for all the closed-minded, "be just like me" types who just can't
exist
> knowing that another human doesn't think and act JUST LIKE THEM, to
> belch forth with a dizzying barrage of futile, misguided hatred.)
>
> It's amazing. Anyone in a newsgroup writes anything even remotely
> indifferent about CW, and they are hit with seemingly endless
projectile
> vomiting by others, and some of those others spell and communicate
like
> some retarded, six-year old bastard street kid.
>
> CW to me (and there's a whole bunch of other HAMs who will fit this
> description) is a NOVELTY. Like restoring an old radio. Nothing to be
> looked DOWN on...rather it should be APPRECIATED. BUT, it is a
diversion
> from current and emerging technologies that just so happen to catch my
> interest FIRST.
>
> I welcome new, fresh insight into a somewhat stale realm. I bet the
> new minds are going to come up with some pretty innovative and very
> exciting ideas. Telecommunications and networking technologies are
> very adaptable to HAM radio, as well as very powerful. Conversely,
> HAM radio can be a testbed and proving ground for proof of concept
> for new methods, modes, and technologies.
>
> Let the games begin, and if you've got nothing positive to add, then
> stay out of the way. The rest of us choose to enjoy and appreciate the
> opportunities we have, while were here to do so.
>
> Laterz.
>
> --
> .\\
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> Well all I can say is dfhr njkkrn mkdg mnfhr, nfyur. G tiuyit nbfg
ewqpf nfht mmbnfjr lioiq!! H itydj, nfgtr?

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1562. Free downloads from LPWS full retail!

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Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: G8ASO <g8asoNOg8SPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <124cc09f.db1a04a5@usw-ex0104-087.remarq.com>
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1563. Re: Thoughts on restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dg0bb$ri9$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113803

Man oh man you write beautifully. What a pleasure to read your comments with which I don't necessarily agree but at least you write sense instead of gobblygook.
AF2Y

In article <8dfjvu$6i7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

> One problem we are having with all of these discussions is that we are
> confusing two different points of view, the FCC's view of the ARS as
> a "service," and our view of the ARS as a "hobby," or, for some of us,
> an elite club

1564. Fcc license lookup web page, check your upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise <wa2ise@netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8dg1nk$m8c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113804

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1565. Re: God and Riley Save Ham Radio

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Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8406-38FB7EBA-21@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113805

66fines,

Absolutely correct. The First Amendment and Part 97, in fact, do not confine our speech. A ham for nearly 50 years, I've talked everything on ham radio from sex and law to politics and Watergate to Star Wars, etc.

Understand, Riley is doing what Abe Lincoln did during the Civil War, when he temporarily shelved the Constitution. Both erred in favor of winning the conflict. In our case, our hobby//service and frequencies are at stake.

Thus, Riley's doing a high wire act. If he allows disputes, degradation is ordained. If he doesn't, he is arguably supported by exercising his regulatory authority. Then, if someone wants to prove they've been deprived of Constitutional rights, they can do so. If and when they succeed, the need for this kind of policing might have passed.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1566. Will pitbull ever quit hiding? Probably not.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg2a5mtl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113806

The inbred PitbullBOY has been hiding and running his mouth. Batting average ..0.
He said he was going to post my credit history, no show on that. He said he was going to pay me a visit, no show, nada, nothing. He plays childish games in the mail and has been reported to law enforcement. He pretends that he would make himself known to me at Dayton...with his given track record, the cowardly blowhard would follow his inate pussy ways and be nowhere to be seen.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1567. Re: W4FQF = American Hero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8407-38FB803E-5@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113807

N0VFP, Lloyd,

To my mind, you're taking "puffing" to new levels of hyperbole.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1568. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FB8796.7BDC72FF@icss.net>
Source record: 113808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
> >exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.
>
> Yes, indeed.
>
> Are not some also basing the "ease" of *today's* exams on the knowledge
> they've acquired over the past 40 years, too?

Not only that, but after being hams for 40 years, the tests look pretty
easy to some of these guys.

1569. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg2ge$n76$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113809

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> whined in message
news:8df9rnqgu1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <r0ukfs007e6lbtl21eevpa5hhpgifi3qi2@4ax.com>,
> John <> wrote:
> > Mike, you really are a loser. No wonder no one likes you. Your
> > "friends" on radio laugh behind your back. You are truly someone to
> > feel sorry for. Prick.
> YOUR WIFE LIKES THAT PRICK

From what I hear, your wife looks elsewhere for hers, she says there's
only so much allowable shrinkage.
Oh, and did K_B_8JBO get a warning letter? If not, you'd better tender
an apology, stupid. I guess the anger management classes didn't work
out, huh Fatso?

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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1570. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg2jm$n7k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113810

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> dragged his knuckles along the ground and
grunted in message news:8dfal6rfl1@nnrp1.deja.com...
<snip>
>...IF YOU LISTEN NOW THE NICE OPPS ARE LEFT RUNNING GOOD SIGNALS
>THESE ARE THE REAL HAMS.

And that excudes YOU by default, doesn't it?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1571. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg2nfngk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113811

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:8dfbfj$47
$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> Dwight, I fervently hope that you do ignore my posts since your
retorts
> demonstrate your inability to comprehend them thereby making you look
like a
> constantly bigger putz than the reply before.

Maybe he's related to the Minnesota inbred pithbowl.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1572. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg2tq$ni6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113812

> > Well Doc vnbut rtijpmgfh eoriyug yuot ty kghoen jhu qwiroo tre.
> Seughi nfhtyr khhjf! Yoiuyiojkleh, hgyt.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>
Re above from David Tolossi, the incredible shrinking brain.

This is your brain, this is your brain on drugs.

Need any further proof guys and gals?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1573. Re: W4FQF = American Hero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg311$nk0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113813

In article <8407-38FB803E-5@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:
> N0VFP, Lloyd,
>
> To my mind, you're taking "puffing" to new levels of hyperbole.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

The boy has no independant thought.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1574. Re: Warning:long, opinionated post ahead! =)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg34onrv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113814

In article <8dg0sqlgg1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8dedoorqj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,

> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> > Well all I can say is dfhr njkkrn mkdg mnfhr, nfyur. G tiuyit nbfg
> ewqpf nfht mmbnfjr lioiq!! H itydj, nfgtr?
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
David,

I'm sorry I captured Matthew the last time I did a search and recon on
your AO. I'll bring him back, I promise.

This is your brain, this is your brain in drugs.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1575. Re; Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg3bu$o5t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113815

Cheeta's Brother Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.com>, who's been a TECHNICIAN class
for 7 YEARS whined in message news:20000417131805.18648.00004817@ng-
cg1.aol.com...
> >Some idiot wrote:
> >LRod Hubbard, you're a terrible translator. Did you write the
JFK, "I'm a
> >jelly roll" speech?

"Ich bin ein Berliner" does literally translate to that, but that was
not the intent.
Kennedy was trying to convey that he understood what was going on in
Berlin politically at that time, and that he felt like he too, was a
citizen of that fine city.

> LRod's problem is that he likes to intervene in every NG!

Kind of like YOU do, huh, Lllllllllllllllllloyd the mongolioid?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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1576. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dg3kuofs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113816

In article <8dbf43qaa1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

> ILL TELL YOU WHAT DUMBASS I HERD YOU ON 313 THREATEN W4FQF TO WHIP HIS
> ASS HE IS A OLD MAN. NOW IM 44 YEARS OLD WHY DONT YOU COME TO MICHIGAN
> AND WHIP MINE

Then he's old enough to know better than to run down somebody and their
family on the air.

>BRING YOUR WIFE AND ILL GIVE HER SOMETHING YOU CANT

350 pounds of lard?

COME
> JUMP IN THE FIRE DUMBASS LETS SEE HOW BAD YOUR ARE NOW. THE CAR FIXER

<Peals of derisive laughter>
You're too easy, dumbass.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1577. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger_K_ Southard"@amar.org
Message-ID: <8dg12q$1kpf@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 113817

While Rick and others are correct in that the FCC recognized "that the code test had outlived its usefulness", what those of Rick's ilk fail to also acknowledge is that the FCC, at the same time, made the written exams less rigorous. Therefore, the overall effect was to lower the standards of not just entry, but also advancement.

While I cannot argue that lowering entry standards had some merit, why then was it also necessary to remove all of the challenge? At one time, the Extra license carried NO ADDITIONAL privileges. It was simply for "bragging rights" as some call it. What was so wrong with that? Those of you who wish to take a simple exam and "chatter" have been accommodated at the expense of those who seek challenges. The FCC could easily have accommodated the "chatterers" without injuring those who seek challenges in life. Unfortunately, those who seek so called "bragging rights" will find other outlets for their energies. Perhaps that's what Rick wants, and if so, so be it.

Or, so it seems to me.

Rog.

In article <2925C8F52D0884FA.B3B8CD1E69F41055.CC3E1530054BEBEA@lp.airnews.net>, ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net says...
>
>On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 12:20:23 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com" ><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>>Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by allowing >>day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised nothing >>nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime. The 3 pointer in >>basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult to score >>from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes IMPROVED OUR >>QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you equate the >>outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are >>getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general, how can >>opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those who >>ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to REDUCE >>the number on it for the good of the country. The idea is not to make it >>easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job incentives to >>get people OFF the dole. What the FCC and ARRL did was to make welfare >>fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the handouts to >>equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting, self >>serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take pride in >>our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was not a >>willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month, ENDS. >>AF2Y

>
> What the FCC did was to recognize that the code test had
>outlived its usefulness and are is no more needed than are
>lamplighters in our cities.
>
> It's too bad that those who feel cw is the _only_ test worth
>considering don't have enough vision (or interest in ham radio) to
>recognize that what was once a needed skill has now been replaced by
>more modern technology and reduced to having value to special interest
>groups only. If you--and the other old-timers who can't seem to let go
>of your fixation on code testing--would spend 1/2 as much time helping
>new hams to learn about the hobby as you do knocking them and
>pretending you are better than them because you have an outdated
>skill, you might actually contribute something to the hobby instead of
>driving away new hams with your insults and offensive comments.
>
> You--and others--fought to keep your outdated tests--and you
>lost. Learn to be a graceful loser and get over it!
>
> Rick
>
>--
>
>Rick Adams
>ke8hh@arrl.net
>adamsr@voyager.net
>Department of Social Sciences
>Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
>"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
>will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
>Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1578. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fb9857.7237690@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 13:05:31 -0700, "Aaron Jones"
<nomail@nomail.com> wrote:

>Ed Hare wrote:
>>Are you really offering that
>>it is easier to rote memorize the Ohm's law questions...
>
>No. But it is easier to memorize the majority of the test than to learn it.
>If a person really knows the material tested for in getting the Extra Class
>License, he should be employable as an electronics technician. (In the 50s
>and 60s an Extra or 1st Phone often got you in the door.) How is it possible
>to pass the test after one weeks worth of study (or less), when it takes a
>trade school a year or more to get a person to that level...

The analogy doesn't fit anymore. Being employable in
electronics today requires FAR more knowledge than
40 years ago. Remember, the most complex electronics
most people had to deal with were TVs then. The typical
home radio was a basic 5 tube AC/DC set. The stuff
was trivially simple. Indeed, most repairs involved the
easy identification of a bad tube or a burnt resistor
which was often spotted by visible inspection.

Most of those "entry" type tech jobs did use and only
need the simple knowledge and skills (soldering)
that many hams had or learned back then. That
just ain't so anymore. Actually, I could argue that
the frnt line repairs today require LESS knowledge
because the repairable stuff has self diagnostics that
pinpoints the bad circuit pack, etc. Most anything
else that sells for under $300 is considered not
worth repairing because it is better to buy new.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

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1579. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fb9a1d.7691594@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 17 Apr 2000 19:18:44 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
>>I see no evidence at all that the hams of today care any differently about
>>ham radio than the hams of 1963. I see no evidence that they have less
>>intiative -- to the contrary; they may have more. I studied those 16 pages
>>to get all amateur privleges; hams today have to study over 1200 pages of
>>study guide to get the same thing.
>
>Didn't your '63 study guide instruct you to use the Handbook as
>a text? Was the '63 Handbook composed of at least 400 pages?

BUT it said you did NOT need to use the Handbook.
Any such reference was to further one's interest in
learning MORE than was required to pass the test.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1580. Re: Three ARRL Publications Reviewed: Part the First

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Lemken <plemken@gmx.de>
Message-ID: <8dg845$7oa8m$2@fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 113820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>Don't waste your shelf space on this one guys and, well, more guys...

Spare us the review of the rest of the books you bought and didn't
understand. There is too much wasted bandwisth here already.

And get yourself an identity, a callsign and a name. Rarely are nameless
Bozos like you fun or full of insight.

Peter Lemken
DF5JT
Berlin

1581. Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000417195535.23349.00000674@nso-cq.aol.com>
Source record: 113821

OK, in light of the recent CW/No code and restructuring debate, I'm looking for some facts......not opinions, but facts.

Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the speed of CW, or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?

Again, I'm not looking for opinion. I'm looking for facts that can be backed up with solid, concrete, scientific, evidence.

Thanks,
Rick N9GSU

1582. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <>
Message-ID: <s0bnfso9pv2rbb3ubrt9sg2aqqk9nqesdl@4ax.com>
Source record: 113822

On 17 Apr 2000 23:55:35 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:

>OK, in light of the recent CW/No code and restructuring debate, I'm looking for
>some facts......not opinions, but facts.
>
>Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the speed of CW,
>or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?
>
>Again, I'm not looking for opinion. I'm looking for facts that can be backed
>up with solid, concrete, scientific, evidence.
>
>Thanks,
>Rick N9GSU

Hit the road, Troll.

1583. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eTU#9YNq$GA.236@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I suppose we could approach this from another angle.

Aaron's theorem of the modern faulty ham test:

1. If Cecil and Ed (and the rest) were able to pass the test in
the 50s and 60s, without knowing the material...

2. And we agree that any test that allows applicants to pass without
knowing the material is faulty (or broken)...

3. Then the 50s and 60s ham tests were in fact broken...

4. And Ed says if the test is broke now, it was broke then...

5. We can logically say that the modern ham test is in fact *broken*...

1584. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uN5UBZNq$GA.236@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>The analogy doesn't fit anymore. Being employable in
>electronics today requires FAR more knowledge than
>40 years ago.

Well now, I've been trying to point that out to several on the newsgroup. I agree things were much simpler in the 50s, both in industry and the hobby. But as many have also pointed out, the current Extra test is much harder technically than the Extra test of the 50s, so things should balance out.

How long would you estimate it would take for a layperson to really *learn* the electronics to pass the Extra? A week or a year? I rest my case...

1585. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OXuiDZNq$GA.236@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>They also said, "If our answers sometimes seem to the initiated to be
>naive or incomplete, rest assured that they are sufficient for the
>purpose.

My 1949 ARRL license manual does indeed have that quote.

>In other words, the purpose of this manual is ... to
>equip him with the knowledge he must have to pass the examination."

Not exactly. There is more. Here is the paragraph directly
below your quote (in my manual):

"In other words, the purpose of this manual is not to give the student the actual questions he will meet but to equip him with the knowledge he must have to pass the examination. In order to familiarize himself with the underlying principles, we also suggest a study of The Radio Amateur's Handbook, particularly those chapters dealing with elementary electrical and radio principles, basic transmitter, radio-frequency, audio-frequency and power-supply circuits, frequency measuring and monitoring equipment, and radio-telephony."

In other words, ARRL didn't give you the exact questions (or answers). I imagine most hams at the time at ARRL (and in the general population) would have thought to give the exact questions and answers would be unthinkable. ARRL leaves little doubt that their philosophy at the time was to *learn* the material to pass the test...

1586. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <errRCsNq$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lee Roberts wrote
>[Ham radio is] Friendly? Pleease!
>After reading the crap in this newsgroup?

I was talking about the *real* ham radio, where you go on the air. There are some trouble spots but I stand by my opinion that 99% of the over the air contacts are cordial and friendly. And that is probably as good or better than any other hobby where you meet complete strangers on a regular basis...

I have not figured out why many Usenet hams resort to name calling, abuse and threats. Of all the Usenet groups I frequent, these are the worst by far. However some weird people like me enjoy the place. Go figure.

So take advantage of the new regulations, get a ham ticket, and enjoy real ham radio...

1587. Re: KDK FM-2030 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Loyd C. Headrick" <kf4ugt@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <4PPK4.3142$uy1.11268@news2.atl>
Source record: 113827
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try http://www.packetradio.com

Loyd
"Tomas - NW7US" <nw7us@hfradio.removethispart.org> wrote in message
news:GCfF4.63619$AT6.69248@dfw-read.news.verio.net...
> Hello,
>
> a fellow Ham is in need of the Mic pin out -- which pin is for what
function? He'd like to connect a mic, as well as a TNC, and does not have
this information.
>
> If you have the mic pin-out information, and perhaps TNC connection
information, would you please email this to me? (Change the email address
by removing the right part). I'll forward this info to him (N7ZJJ). We
appreciate any help you might be able to offer.
>
> (remember to change my email address when replying direct)
>
> 73 de NW7US, Tomas
>
> --
> : http://accessnow.com -- Brinnon, Washington : 122.93W : 47.67N :
> : HOME: http://hfradio.org and http://cw.hfradio.org :
> : - :
> : World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : CW/SSB DX Hound :
> : 10x56526 : FISTS 7055 : Code Warrior #60 : FISTS NW Member #57 :
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> azimuth maps, swap and shop, books, check propagation, read dx
> news, and more. All at http://hfradio.org/ - SWL/HAM/Live!

1588. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FBDBC3.96D233C@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> In other words, ARRL didn't give you the exact questions (or answers).

That certainly depends upon what you mean by "exact". The
questions were, of course, not word-for-word but all the
exact key words were there and the answers to the questions
were *exact*. What good would non-exact answers be? The point
is that the ARRL only *suggested* that the Handbook be used
as a reference and only in the last sentence after stating
that all one needed to know was contained in the license
manual. Additional references were NOT needed to pass the
exam. If the system is broke today, it was broke when I
took my first exam in 1951.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1589. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FBDC67.3E0121F8@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lee Roberts wrote:
> Friendly? Pleease! After reading the crap in this newsgroup? I tried apologizing
> to one individual and he took another shot at me!

The shot was, "When did you lose your sense of humor?" :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1590. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FBDE11.89FE3BD9@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> 5. We can logically say that the modern ham test is in fact *broken*...

Yet almost all the people complaining about the tests
being broken, in fact, took broken tests to get their
ham license. So where's the harm? If it's always been
broke, does it even need fixin'?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1591. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8406-38FBDDA2-34@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113831

nd8vmike,

You asked for opinions. The issue: Whether a letter which directs one to stop airing personal differences is a warning.

Here's what I think: It is a distinction without a difference. So, why scan it?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1592. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <Oy$ZDLPq$GA.265@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>So where's the harm? If it's always been
>broke, does it even need fixin'?

No harm. Just a dishonest evaluation of the test. I'm simply trying to get hams here to admit that the current test is a sham. If the layman can pass the test by memorization alone after studying for a weekend, he simply does not know the material. It does nothing to show the qualification of the applicant in the subjects tested.

Everybody always seems to want to compare the test to the past, or to give reasons why it can't be fixed. But those are separate subjects. The simple fact is that this is supposed to be a technical hobby, but the test we give to determine those qualifications is a pretend test. We all know people that have passed the Extra and know little about electronics. It's our dirty little secret that nobody wants to admit or talk about it...our joke of a ham technical (snicker) test...

1593. FA: Pro-2006 Scanner with Opto456 Lite & Programmit Interfaces!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr_SLUG <nospam.stalker@lvcm.com>
Message-ID: <sfnuu8ck7l5119@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113833

This is my scanner Im auctioning off.....it has the Opto456Lite board and a EXTERNAL Programmit interface, and includes the LATEST Probe software!

.....Bid now (Low reserve!)

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=311677599

Thanks for your time!
Scott

1594. Naval Intelligence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ddqhn$80l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113834

The following appeared in the Spring 1997 Dingy Cruising association bulletin:

#1 "Please divert your course 15 degrees to the North to avoid a collision."
#2 "Recommend you divert YOUR course to the South to avoid a collision."

#1 "This is the Captain of a US Navy ship. I say again divert YOUR course."
#2 "No, I say again , you divert YOUR course"

#1"THIS IS THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER ENTERPRISE. WE ARE A LARGE WARSHIP OF THE US NAVY. DIVERT YOUR COURSE NOW."
#2 "This is a lighthouse. your call."

A BIG GOOD BUDDY BAND STYLE

"TU UR 599 73 QRZ ?" to my PVRC spies who forwarded this.

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1595. mf_loser spam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ddrm5$97e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113835

In article <8ddqhn$80l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

A: off topic (no amateur radio)
B: old news (at least 1997 by his own date)
C: well documented urban legend (several places; try
http://www.urbanlegends.com)
D: poorly crafted ("dingy" [sic]. it's dinghy)
E: just more negativity ("naval intelligence")

LRod

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1596. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dds0f$9hm$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113836

In article <38f9fb92.0@news.sac.bfp.net>,
"Wayne Mikel" <KE6DJE@arrl.net> wrote:
> Well, I for one did wait for the restructuring of the licensees at the
> suggestion of the entire VE team in my local area. I don't take
offense to
> being called a "welfare general" I just take pity on a poor soul that
feels
> he has to blast the rest of us and not have the balls to post his
name or
> call. I sign mine willingly.
>
> Wayne Mikel KE6DJE (Welfare General to be)
>
> John wrote in message <38f90012.31044132@news.mindspring.com>...
> >Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government
> >to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy
> >what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.
>
>
Don't worry about it. John has not the balls to use his call, if he
has one. So just consider it for what it is .... nothing. From me,
if thats worth anything to you, I welcome you to the HF ranks.

Dan/W4NTI

(not a vanity call)
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1597. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8de0t9ena1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113837

In article <8dcjql$vc5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
> DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT. KB8JBO
> HAS HAD SO MANY LETTERS HE MIGHT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE. WHAT DO YOU
THINK?

You need to quit ingesting the transmission fluid, STUPID.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1598. Re: Here's the answer for n0vfp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8de1tr$fk7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113838

In article <8dcdpkpfe1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000416022135.19303.00000539@ng-md1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
>
> > hey, at least Issac can be proud of hi father. his did not die in
> > prison
>
> "Would you learn to keep your stupid comments to yourself for once."
>
> Sound familiar?
>
> LRod

He's just admitting his father died in prison. Besides, he can't help
himself with stupid comments.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1599. Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8de26n$7jg$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113839

Hey, we new /AG and /AE's don't want to spoil the HF bands. We will
make newbie mistakes, so please educate us when we do.

1600. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <HqwK4.59839$W5.555977@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113840

I think he meant UHF not HF
--
EDDY

_____
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8ddkp6$1u2$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
| In article
|
<F9C154E7404D396C.A32F45D9AD8E8C6C.9C3C87A7286C0F60@lp.airnews.net>,
| ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
|
| > On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF.
|
| Please cite any amateur HF frequency where 2400 bauds is
permissible.
| Please cite any amateur HF frequency below 28 MHz where more than
300
| bauds is permissible.
|
| (47CFR97.305, 47CFR97.307 will get you started)
|
| LRod
|
|
| Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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1601. Thanx To All!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sJwK4.59964$W5.556709@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113841

I just wrote my examination for the Basic Qualification.
And well... I PASSED!

Soon to be VE6 RUM...I hope.
Thanx for all the help!
--
EDDY

1602. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8decsaqmt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113842

In article <HqwK4.59839$W5.555977@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
"EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:

> I think he meant UHF not HF

Except he said, " On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is it on
HF."

If your assertion were true, the second, "UHF", number would be equal to
or larger than the first. No, what he wrote is what he meant, and it's
just plain wrong.

LRod

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1603. Warning:long, opinionated post ahead! =)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8dedoorqj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113843

First off, if your new to the hobby, welcome!

What's going to happen is what's going to happen, and
opinions are just that. Unfortunately, some folks feel
they must be childishly adamant if you don't think just
like them,and join in their narrowmindedness.

When the consumer VCR hit the market, the movie industry
went ape-sh*t. Whooped and hollered about how this was the
death knell to the motion picture industry.

NOT! Both the movie and VCR industry are both bigger than
imagined. Consumers benefitted by the competition and most
movie houses are nicer than ever. Look at past history, and
you will find unnecessary hysteria over many things that brought
change.

HAM radio is dynamic. Blind rigidity can lead to demise.
CW is passe in today's world, but that is not to say it is
worthless, and it should be kept alive. Any basic tool that is
beautifully simplistic and highly functional should never be
discarded. This holds for CW, IMHO.

Since there is such an outcry for keeping CW alive, I don't
believe it will die off. But what the HAM community AS A WHOLE
needs to consider is that communications have undergone some
mindblowing changes in a very short time frame. Such effects will
affect the amateur service, and by lowering the code speed requirement,
the expectation is more minds will join the hobby.

What truly sucks here is that there is a consensus that these new
minds will all be low-class, uneducated welfare recipients. I doubt it,
and my words here are going on public record.

Funny thing is, all the doomsayers words are logged and archived the
same as mine here, and there won't be any way to recall them.

If I say I am a no-code, I get categorized very rapidly.
If I say I am anti-code, it is a magnitude worse.
If I say I am pro-code, I am just as one-sided as the two above.

Code, no-code, or CW-proficient, I avoid HF because I have better
expenditures of my time. Sure, go ahead, get all bent out of shape
over this statement, but remember while you're going ballistic over it,
YOU make HF what it is, not me. I don't use it.

I, for one, flat out REFUSE to spend time on CW because there is so much more to learn about that is more attractive to me. (that's the cue for all the closed-minded, "be just like me" types who just can't exist knowing that another human doesn't think and act JUST LIKE THEM, to belch forth with a dizzying barrage of futile, misguided hatred.)

It's amazing. Anyone in a newsgroup writes anything even remotely indifferent about CW, and they are hit with seemingly endless projectile vomiting by others, and some of those others spell and communicate like some retarded, six-year old bastard street kid.

CW to me (and there's a whole bunch of other HAMs who will fit this description) is a NOVELTY. Like restoring an old radio. Nothing to be looked DOWN on...rather it should be APPRECIATED. BUT, it is a diversion from current and emerging technologies that just so happen to catch my interest FIRST.

I welcome new, fresh insight into a somewhat stale realm. I bet the new minds are going to come up with some pretty innovative and very exciting ideas. Telecommunications and networking technologies are very adaptable to HAM radio, as well as very powerful. Conversely, HAM radio can be a testbed and proving ground for proof of concept for new methods, modes, and technologies.

Let the games begin, and if you've got nothing positive to add, then stay out of the way. The rest of us choose to enjoy and appreciate the opportunities we have, while were here to do so.

Laterz.

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1604. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FAAA7B.D042E24E@oio.net>
Source record: 113844

0kay

1605. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FACB69.2E712C1F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113845

Chuck K8CPA wrote:
>
> I dunno who you are, Slimball,...
> maybe some Brothers in
> the Lord should find you, and put you out of your misery.

Goodness... This is a christian attitude?
I guess ham radio isn't the only thing that's changed.
D.S.

1606. Re: Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FAD6DA.563125FA@icss.net>
Source record: 113846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

LRod wrote:

> In article <38FA0623.9855C351@icss.net>,
> burke1@icss.net wrote:
>
> > Good luck, my little wooden headed boy. And don't keep telling lies
> > or your nose will grow longer and longer. Also, when you play with
> > the braying jackasses, don't turn in to one yourself (hi hi). If you
> > ever decide to become a Real Boy, please look me up and perhaps I can
> > carve a brain for you.
>
> Translation: Owwww, I've been spanked into a blithering blob.
>
> > When does the spamming stop?
>
> Translation: I can't take any more spanking.
>
> LRod

LRod Hubbard, you're a terrible translator. Did you write the JFK, "I'm a jelly roll" speech?

1607. WTB: 220mHz band Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000417052715.00257.00000228@ng-da1.aol.com>
Source record: 113847

Im looking to buy a mint or near mint condition 220mHz band transverter that will be fully functional with an Icom751a (if it needs an hf rig) or an Icom271 (if it needs a 2m radio). Anyone looking to sell one or any recommendations, info or suppliers is most certainly appreciated.

Thanks and 73
de Tom KB2FIK
Tbone107@aol.com
Bloomfield, New Jersey

1608. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: spoookeey@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000417062055.16443.00001287@ng-cv1.aol.com>
Source record: 113848

HAM RADIO IS HAM RADIO AND THE CODE (MY 9 YEAR OLD GRANDDAUGHTER HAS 10 WPM DOWN PAT) IS PART OF IT. ANYBODY CAN ORDER PIZZA ON 2 METERS AND I'VE HEARD IT DONE. SEEMS MOST PEOPLE HAVE 3 HOURS A DAY TO WASTE WATCHING "SITCOMS" AND STUPID COP PROGRAMS ON TV BUT FIND MORSE DIFICULT. PRIORITIES, OM! LOTS OF "EXTRAS" TODAY AREN'T NEARLY AS KNOWLEDGEABLE AS NOVICES OF YESTERDAY. IT'S BECOME NOTHING MORE THAN CB AND THOSE WHO SPEND THE MOST MONEY ON SOME OF THE CRAP OUT THERE FOR SALE (AMPLIFIERS, FOR INSTANCE) THINK THEY'RE IT. HAH!!!!!

1609. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: spoookeey@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000417063001.16443.00001288@ng-cv1.aol.com>
Source record: 113849

WHAT IS SO IMPORTANT ABOUT BEING AN "EXTRA" ??? I'M A GENERAL AND I CAN EASILY GO 35/40 WPM. FOR A FEW EXTRA "PRIVLEDGES" I SAY EITHER LEARN TO SEND AT 30 OR STAY WHERE YOU ARE. BETTER YET GO TO A DRUGSTORE AND GET YOURSELF A CB. WON'T HAVE TO LEARN ANYTHING AND YOU CAN HAVE MORE TIME FOR THE BOOB TUBE. YOU HAVE TO WORK FOR WHAT YOU WANT!!!!! EARN IT OR GO WITHOUT IT. IT'S BECOMING A DAMN GHETTO OUT THERE!

1610. Re: Jesus's Vision for Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: spoookeey@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000417063929.16443.00001290@ng-cv1.aol.com>
Source record: 113850

I AM SENDING A DONATION OF 2 MILLION DOLLARS SO THAT YOU MAY CONTINUE WITH YOUR GOOD WORK. IT IS SORELY NEEDED!

1611. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <thing74@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <jFDK4.36245$y4.1321604@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113851

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dcjql$vc5$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
> DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT.

You should talk pal.
All the shit you did on 14315 an 328
QRMing KP4 and Miami stations using
disgusting racist dscription of Puerto
Rico ham Op's.

Manuel - KP4

1612. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8df1kt$9vu$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113852

Sorry but I don't buy it. N0VFP never wrote it. He can't put three words together without erroring or is it earring or messing things up. Someone of higher intelligence wrote this for Lloyd-like a third grader at Athens Elementary.

In article <20000416103906.18641.00004076@ng-cg1.aol.com>, n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

> I see this as the beginning of the "10-4 good buddy" days
>
> I for one am glad to see the code dropped to 5wpm. i'm having a ball laughing
> at all these gas-bag hams like doc bitching and moaning about the new
> requirements. It would be like a 16-yr old getting his drivers license and
was
> made to learn a stick shift, when automatics are the rule of today. His dad
> would say, "I had to learn to drive a 48' Ford w/ a stick, you should too."
> Same in ham radio, just because YOU had to learn that stupid 13 or 20wpm
> dosent mean WE have to. CW is old crap, and it should be banned from the ham
> bands.
>
> All right LRod, Doc, JBO, NTI, take your flames away......
>
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1613. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FB26DB.6E454D7D@ahole.com>
Source record: 113853

Excellent christian ideals. If you don't like what someone is
saying get rid of them. Wow what a christian.......

Chuck K8CPA wrote:
>
> I dunno who you are, Slimball, but you got alot of Nads to say things
> like that about my Lord in a public newsgroup, maybe some Brothers in
> the Lord should find you, and put you out of your misery.
>
> Idiot!
>
> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 15:59:38 -0400 (EDT), "Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
> >
> >1) Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
> >to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
> >and every frequency shall proclaim Jeeesus as Lord!
> >
> >2) For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
> >Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, I was traveling on the
> >Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
> >glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
> >blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
> >and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
> >did shine from within it!
> >
> >3) On his right stood Saint Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook,
> >and on his left stood Marconi and Morse,
> >Protectors of the Faith of old.
> >
> >4) And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
> >"John, my good and faithful servant, know ye my
> >servant Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
> >Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
> >preaching in my name.
> >
> >5) And where thou dost encounter the heathen, rise ye up,
> >and call upon my servant Riley, and he shall call down
> >the holy Fire from Heaven, and they shall be consumed."
> >
> >6) So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
> >I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,

> >I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
> >OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
> >them from our holy bands, that you may be
> >seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.
> >
> >In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,
> >
> >Amen and Amen.
> >
> >Brother John KC3AU
> >
> >(This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
> > Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)
> >--
> >Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
> >http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
> >
> >
> >
>
> Chuck K8CPA
> Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
> E-mail:MailTo:k8cpa@qsl.net or
> MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com or
> MailTo:k8cpa@arrl.net
> ICQ: 17045539
> Firetalk:237969
> AOL IM: RadioMan29
> Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
> (Download at http://www.firetalk.com)
>
>

1614. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FB2795.75187DE6@ahole.com>
Source record: 113854

No the guy is giving his grid square location. All the lids on 6
meters do that so naturally you'll hear it on 20....

Gary Danaher wrote:
>
> Proper ID would have been whiskey alpha two india sierra echo temporary
> alpha echo. Sorry that:
> a: he didn't get it right--the information was included on the back of
> the CSCE he just got--all he had to do was read.
> b: He is proud of screwing up.
>
> Just points out that there is going to be a serious need for Elmering in
> the coming months. These guys don't know that they are ignorant.
>
> Bill_Smith@amac.org wrote:
> >
> > And, is there any particular reason that we should care?
> >
> > In article <8dab1p$l1h$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com says...
> > >
> > >This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
> > >get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
> > >
> > >No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)

1615. Re: JRC-JST245 transceiver MODS for MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FB2AAB.AB7828FF@ahole.com>
Source record: 113855
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,pnet.rec.radio.amateur.talk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

Do you have authorization to use it on the MARS frequencies? If so
all you need ot do is contact the manufacture and send them you MARS
license and they will send you the mod...

Keith Henderson wrote:
>
> I am looking for the procedures to extend the transmit range
> of the JRC-JST245 transceiver. I would like to use it on the
> MARS frequencies. Any help will be appreciated.
>
> Thanks Alfred, KT4VP
> Reply to kt4vp@arrl.net

1616. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8df60q$m7p$1@ssauraab-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 113856

Part of me has a slight negative about the human nature part of this restructuring. It seems as if a lot of the upgrades are completely ego driven. It is the motivation behind the upgrade that bothered me, where people didn't need the upgrade, aren't even going to use HF, but did it because they knew they could say they were an Extra and nobody would know the difference. Why else would many wait 10, 20 or more years, time during which they could have easily practiced the code, and now finally upgrade? All of our testing sessions were like a greedy stampede for free concert tickets.

People keep forgetting that the whole REASON the Extra class carried a certain status is because it was more difficult and few wanted to make the comittment to learn the code at that speed. It has no status now and is no different than a Tech Plus license. Perhaps we are moving towards just one, or maybe two license classes. That would make more sense to me now.

Of course, there are plenty of Extra Pluses who also upgraded just out of ego. They didn't need that little 25kc on each band, they wanted bragging rights. I guess I did too and felt like I worked hard for an award that provided a certain status and it was taken away. But I certainly wasn't bitter about it, and I can't see how some idiots are so rude to people who have taken advantage of something put before them. The more, the merrier in my opinion. Perhaps some of the new blood will bring an intelligence and class missing from much of the band now. If they take advantage of anything, I hope it is to actually USE HF and enjoy it.

So I welcome all new Extras and have been tuning the band to see if I hear any excited voices getting their first chance to talk beyond their local repeaters.

Fred
N4IXL

1617. Re: FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8df60s$m7p$2@ssauraab-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 113857

What a complete ass. I notice he spent the time to read your post and even reply to it just to whine. Since it is so hard to get people to follow the rule of ignoring trolls, who only do this sort of thing as long as we have an audience, I wonder if we can just compile a list of their names, call signs, and email addresses and post them in a monthly faq to make it easier for people to ignore them or filter their mail?

I was also wondering if there is a moderated list? If not, I think there would be a lot of people who would appreciate one and would move over there. Then we would just block these idiots.

Fred
N4IXL

1618. Re: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8df6g8mda1@ssauraab-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 113858

Possibly all the above, by why is that necessarily bad for ham radio? We need to keep this hobby open, interesing, and available for public service. If we sell more radios, there will be more developments and cheaper prices. If we have more people in the hobby, we will have more people to talk to, some of which who are under the retirement age. We might also be able to drown out the noise from some of the really lunatic fringe and replace it with people who care about HAM radio.

Fred
N4IXL

1619. WTB: Azden PCS-7200/7300/7800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <8df6q5$2urj$1@news.enteract.com>
Source record: 113859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi! I'd like to purchase one each of the following Azden radios:

PCS-7800 or PCS-7800H 10M Xcvr
PCS-7200 or PCS-7200H 220 MHz Xcvr
PCS-7300 or PCS-7300H 440 MHz Xcvr

The radios must be a cosmetic 8 or better, and 100% functional. They must be complete with manual, power cord, mic, and mounting bracket.

Please drop me a note with your offers.

Thanks,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

1620. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8df8jr$p41$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113860

In article <jFDK4.36245$y4.1321604@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Walter Gesundheit" <thing74@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> <nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dcjql$vc5
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
> > DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT.
>
> You should talk pal.
> All the shit you did on 14315 an 328
> QRMing KP4 and Miami stations using
> disgusting racist dscription of Puerto
> Rico ham Op's.
>
> Manuel - KP4

You are correct, Manuel. ND8V has said some of the most vile things
over the air.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1621. WTB: GE MVP Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Little <keithl@folk.federated.com>
Message-ID: <38FB2109.9B7B216E@folk.federated.com>
Source record: 113861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Want to Buy: GE MVP Radios -- VHF or UHF

Please send configuration, condition, asking price, etc. I'm in the St. Louis area...

Keith Little
KC0CPN

1622. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <2nFK4.36450$y4.1329887@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113862
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Poor Baby!!!!!

dana <dana@randomc.com> wrote in message
news:Pine.GSO.4.10.10004141918210.25318-100000@cluster2...
> I am ready to give the hobby a bad name in a hot minute. They just
gave
> all the bands away, and i am verry mad about it.
>
> On Wed, 12 Apr 2000, K5DRB wrote:
>
> > Date: Wed, 12 Apr 2000 23:22:28 -0500
> > From: K5DRB <k5drb@cei.net>
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner, rec.radio.amateur.misc,
> > rec.radio.amateur.policy, rec.radio.amateur.space,
> > rec.radio.shortwave
> > Subject: Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.... It's Gone.
> >
> > I tell you this Vincent is a disgrace to the Amateur Radio hobby.
Why don't
> > you do us all a favor and give up your callsign as well. Then you
can go
> > back to the 11 meter group. Real Amateur radio operators don't want
dumb
> > butts like you giving our hobby a bad name.
> >
> >
> > Donald
> >
> > K5DRB (AND PROUD OF IT !!!!!)
> > Keith Wood wrote in message <38F4CC5E.E515678@bctv.com>...
> > >
> > >
> > >"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
> > >>
> > >> I sent my badge in today, I hope the VEC gets it by the 15th.
> > >>
> > >> KB7ADL
> > >
> > >Cool! Thank you!
> > >
> > >Usually when people have tantrums they don't fulfill their
promises.
> >

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> >
> >
>

1623. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8df9rnqgu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113863

In article <r0ukfs007e6lbtl21eevpa5hhpgifi3qi2@4ax.com>,
John <> wrote:
> On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 01:32:48 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> >In article <38f9d9b9.253489392@news.mindspring.com>,
> > (John) wrote:
> >> On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 14:47:52 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> >>
> >> >WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
> >> >DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT.
KB8JBO
> >> >HAS HAD SO MANY LETTERS HE MIGHT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE. WHAT DO YOU
> >THINK?
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> >> >Before you buy.
> >>
> >> Knock off the caps you dumb bastard.
> >AS LONG AS YOU DONT LIKE IT ILL KEEP DOING IT FUCK OFF!!
>
> Mike, you really are a loser. No wonder no one likes you. Your
> "friends" on radio laugh behind your back. You are truly someone to
> feel sorry for. Prick.
YOUR WIFE LIKES THAT PRICK

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1624. Re: Warning:long, opinionated post ahead! =)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfacb$r4m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113864

In article <8dedoorqj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> First off, if your new to the hobby, welcome!
>
> What's going to happen is what's going to happen, and
> opinions are just that. Unfortunately, some folks feel
> they must be childishly adamant if you don't think just
> like them,and join in their narrowmindedness.
>
> When the consumer VCR hit the market, the movie industry
> went ape-sh*t. Whooped and hollered about how this was the
> death knell to the motion picture industry.
>
> NOT! Both the movie and VCR industry are both bigger than
> imagined. Consumers benefitted by the competition and most
> movie houses are nicer than ever. Look at past history, and
> you will find unnecessary hysteria over many things that brought
> change.
>
> HAM radio is dynamic. Blind rigidity can lead to demise.
> CW is passe in today's world, but that is not to say it is
> worthless, and it should be kept alive. Any basic tool that is
> beautifully simplistic and highly functional should never be
> discarded. This holds for CW, IMHO.
>
> Since there is such an outcry for keeping CW alive, I don't
> believe it will die off. But what the HAM community AS A WHOLE
> needs to consider is that communications have undergone some
> mindblowing changes in a very short time frame. Such effects will
> affect the amateur service, and by lowering the code speed
requirement,
> the expectation is more minds will join the hobby.
>
> What truly sucks here is that there is a consensus that these new
> minds will all be low-class, uneducated welfare recipients. I doubt
it,
> and my words here are going on public record.
>
> Funny thing is, all the doomsayers words are logged and archived the
> same as mine here, and there won't be any way to recall them.
>
> If I say I am a no-code, I get categorized very rapidly.
> If I say I am anti-code, it is a magnitude worse.
> If I say I am pro-code, I am just as one-sided as the two above.

>
> Code, no-code, or CW-proficient, I avoid HF because I have better
> expenditures of my time. Sure, go ahead, get all bent out of shape
> over this statement, but remember while you're going ballistic over
it,
> _YOU_ make HF what it is, not me. I don't use it.
>
> I, for one, flat out REFUSE to spend time on CW because there is so
> much more to learn about that is more attractive to me. (that's the
cue
> for all the closed-minded, "be just like me" types who just can't
exist
> knowing that another human doesn't think and act JUST LIKE THEM, to
> belch forth with a dizzying barrage of futile, misguided hatred.)
>
> It's amazing. Anyone in a newsgroup writes anything even remotely
> indifferent about CW, and they are hit with seemingly endless
projectile
> vomiting by others, and some of those others spell and communicate
like
> some retarded, six-year old bastard street kid.
>
> CW to me (and there's a whole bunch of other HAMs who will fit this
> description) is a NOVELTY. Like restoring an old radio. Nothing to be
> looked DOWN on...rather it should be APPRECIATED. BUT, it is a
diversion
> from current and emerging technologies that just so happen to catch my
> interest FIRST.
>
> I welcome new, fresh insight into a somewhat stale realm. I bet the
> new minds are going to come up with some pretty innovative and very
> exciting ideas. Telecommunications and networking technologies are
> very adaptable to HAM radio, as well as very powerful. Conversely,
> HAM radio can be a testbed and proving ground for proof of concept
> for new methods, modes, and technologies.
>
> Let the games begin, and if you've got nothing positive to add, then
> stay out of the way. The rest of us choose to enjoy and appreciate the
> opportunities we have, while were here to do so.
>
> Laterz.
>
> --
> .\\
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>
EXCELLENT !!!! Sounds like this guy has a handle on reality and what
ham radio is really about.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1625. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dfal6rfl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113865

In article <jFDK4.36245$y4.1321604@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Walter Gesundheit" <thing74@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> <nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dcjql$vc5
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
> > DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT.
>
> You should talk pal.
> All the shit you did on 14315 an 328
> QRMing KP4 and Miami stations using
> disgusting racist dscription of Puerto
> Rico ham Op's.
>
> Manuel - KP4
TURNS OUT THAT THE PUERTO RICO VES WERE NOT ON THE UP AND UP IS YOUR
TICKET REAL OR BOUGHT HOW MANY REAL TICKETS ARE THERE ON THAT ISLAND IF
YOU LISTEN TO THE WAY THEY RUN THERE RADIOS W I D E
SIGNALS TURNS OUT THEY DIDENT EVEN HAVE A REAL TICKET.AND YOU DEFEND
THEM .. SICK BUT WITH ALL THE WORK I DID MOST OF THE COCK ROACHES ARE
GONE...IF YOU LISTEN NOW THE NICE OPPS ARE LEFT RUNNING GOOD SIGNALS
THESE ARE THE REAL HAMS.

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1626. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <38FB2856.4D39@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 113866

Spoookeey wrote:
>
> WHAT IS SO IMPORTANT ABOUT BEING AN "EXTRA" ??? I'M A GENERAL AND I CAN
> EASILY GO 35/40 WPM. FOR A FEW EXTRA "PRIVLEDGES" I SAY EITHER LEARN TO SEND AT
> 30 OR STAY WHERE YOU ARE. BETTER YET GO TO A DRUGSTORE AND GET YOURSELF A CB.
> WON'T HAVE TO LEARN ANYTHING AND YOU CAN HAVE MORE TIME FOR THE BOOB TUBE. YOU
> HAVE TO WORK FOR WHAT YOU WANT!!!!! EARN IT OR GO WITHOUT IT. IT'S BECOMING A
> DAMN GHETTO OUT THERE!
Yo, Spookeeey, get outta caps. Your as bad if not worse than those
you protest. Live and Let Live, 5 wpm and restructuring is done,
Live Long and Prosper 73 de Martin N5PZJ, Advanced Orphan looking
to adopt an Extra License.

1627. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfaul$rk1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113867

In article <8de26n$7jg$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> Hey, we new /AG and /AE's don't want to spoil the HF bands. We will
> make newbie mistakes, so please educate us when we do.
>
I am reasonable confident that the majority of "old hams" will do just
that.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1628. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8df9qp$p1p$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113868

Mr. Hollingsworth can take care of himself. I'm interested in the viability of the hobby/service he oversees while actually he's tangential to the issues at large and the reason I mentioned him in my posted inquiry was because there is no way that the tremendous influx into HF by jerks who couldn't make it any other way than by the welfare route will not create friction, arguments and the interference which he's worked to reduce. It will not happen overnight but still bet on it.

In article <38FA0364.BCED1ED4@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> Hey Doc!
> You can say approximately the same thing for
> fishing, hunting, golf, chess, or any other hobby.
> Not exactly sure where Mr.Hollingsworth fits in,
> but maybe he can be the Game Warden, caddy, timer,
> or referee.
> All of which does not mean I disagree.
> Paul

1629. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8df9umvsv1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113869

This is a well thought out intelligent and excellently written reply which I appreciate. You're okay Rick.

In article <E77D690AA1226E24.F23D9F964F1EC659.F6002EF7B463C626@lp.airnews.net>, ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:

> On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 09:32:10 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>>I seek INTELLIGENT replies only. If you're a half wit or no wit, go respond
>>to someone else because this posting is serious-no Groucho or Winchell.
>

1630. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dfbggsaq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113870

In article <8df60q$m7p$1@ssauraab-i-1.production.compuserve.com>,
"Fred" <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote:
> Part of me has a slight negative about the human nature part of this
> restructuring. It seems as if a lot of the upgrades are completely
ego
> driven. It is the motivation behind the upgrade that bothered me,
where
> people didn't need the upgrade, aren't even going to use HF, but did
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> because they knew they could say they were an Extra and nobody would
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> which they could have easily practiced the code, and now finally
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hear
> any excited voices getting their first chance to talk beyond their
local
> repeaters.
>
> Fred
> N4IXL
>
>
Fred,

That is why it was (is) called incentive licensing...hi. Folks are losing site of the fact that amateur radio is constantly changing. I've been at it 39 years and I have seen some MAJOR changes.

When I got my Extra it was because I wanted my frequencies back that were "stolen" in November of 68. That was when my General ticket lost over half of its value. Was I pissed? Sure was. But I got over it. Just like all these crabbing, moaning folks will.

Im also looking forward to the "new guys". Our challange is now to help them along, and allow them to join this fine fraternity with a minimum of hassle and pain.

Dan/W4NTI

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1631. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dfb81$2kf$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113871

Lumpy,
The majority of the HF invasion by the dopes will not be from CB since those jackasses are as happy as pigs in mud. I'm talking about the dingdongs who had to stay on UHF and VHF thanks to either laziness, stupidity or both. The REAL hams who are so liberal about GIVING away licenses are that way because they have not felt the impact. They will however be the first to howl when realization sets in and the bands become intolerable, insufferable and nearly unusable. Just wait.

In article <38fa2eba@news.peakpeak.com>, "Lumpy" <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote:

> A Ham wrote:
>
>> I see this as the beginning of
>> the "10-4 good buddy" days ...
>
> Lumpy adds:
>
> Isn't it possible that those CB'ers that
> some put down will upgrade their skills
> as well as their license. Hopefully as
> all of us have...:-)
>
> 73 - Lumpy ab0gd
>
> ex KEQ3268, back in those days!
>
>
> --
> http://www.digitalcartography.com
>
>

1632. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dfbfj$47$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113872

Dwight, I fervently hope that you do ignore my posts since your retorts demonstrate your inability to comprehend them thereby making you look like a constantly bigger putz than the reply before.

In article <38FA3D88.5ABA54DC@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

>
> In other words, you have no desire for an honest debate to a logical
> conclusion. Instead, you seek satisfaction by fanning the flames of
> discontent with endless tirads.
>
> I hope others in the ham radio community will eventually wise up and
> ignore your endless garbage. That is certainly what I intend to do.
>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

1633. Re: WTB: 220mHz band Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FAE594.E4FD9616@oio.net>
Source record: 113873

Tbone107,
Try this. Not used, but the only transverter I've
seen for sale in a while.

www.tentec.com

Think it was under 'Kits'??
'Doc

1634. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1pGK4.56$R5.7350@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

>Ed, can you look at me with a straight face and say that everyone passing
>the Extra Class exam really knows the material he was tested for?

Of coures not, Aaron. But can you say that everyone who passed their tests in the 1990s, the 1980s, the 1970s, the 1960s or the 1950s really knew the material they were tested for? If it is "broken," it has been broken for a very very long time...

> Can you even say that you can't pass the test by memorization alone...

Can it be? Perhaps. I suppose that there are some who can rote memorize over 1,000 questions with no understanding. Are you really offering that it is easier to rote memorize the Ohm's law questions, to pick one example, (as in the answer to the 10-ohm question is 3 A) than it is to memorize one algebraic formula and apply grammar-school math?

I have taught the RF safety parts of a few local classes. Standing in front of the room, I got the sense that most of the class (not all of the class) really wanted to learn what I was teaching. Why would people want to get a ham license, except for the learning experience that goes with it? Those who want to a "communications" activity that comes with no requirements have several options to choose from -- why are they choosing ham radio over CB, FRS and the internet? Why do most hams studying for their tests buy real study guides, with text that explains why the right answers are the right answers, instead of just downloading the question pools and memorizing away? The same thing that drew you and me to ham radio is what is drawing most people today.

>(Please don't fall back on how it was in 1963. Let's discuss how it really
>is today.)

I don't blame you for wanting to discount any discussion of 1963. But I will do so anyway, not accepting your unilateral ruling. The same person who could memorize all 1000+ questions today could have memorized all 16 pages in 1963. There are more correct answers to the questions today than there were sentences in the 1963 study guide.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1635. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <TrGK4.57$R5.7145@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
>The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
>prepare for one's exam.

I did not own an Handbook in 1963. All of my studying was from the 16-pages of General Class license manual. I did a combination of real learning, memorization and sheer luck, recognizing the correct answers on the exam when I saw them.

If there was a "golden era" of ham radio when the FCC exams really proved that hams knew all the material covered by the scope of their exams, it was not in 1963.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1636. Will KC8JBO be at Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_mama_boy@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8dfe5gvma1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113876

Hey LARDASS, it's only a SHORT DRIVE from Glendale, WV to
Dayton for the Hamfest. After you get done with the Lambda guys, why
don't you meet 'Da BULL????

Bring the 'ole GOAT along.....I'm sure she would LOVE to meet me
again, hohohoho!!!!!!!!!!!!

SICK 'ole GOATS #1 fan,

BULL

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1637. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <38FB21BE.17A4@some.net>
Source record: 113877

>
> In article <8cea54$66m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com
> (Robert Casey) wrote:

> > Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> > signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

It is the 12 year-old-mentality that prevails on the cb band. To find
the IQ of a cber, take their age, divide it in half and that is the
approximate IQ level. They really seem to like the one that makes a
farting noise when they unkey. Real class.

1638. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <qGGK4.22$L5.319@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:TrGK4.57$R5.7145@news.ntplx.net...
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
> >The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
> >prepare for one's exam.
>
>
> I did not own an Handbook in 1963. All of my studying was from the
16-pages
> of General Class license manual. I did a combination of real learning,
> memorization and sheer luck, recognizing the correct answers on the exam
> when I saw them.
>
> If there was a "golden era" of ham radio when the FCC exams really proved
> that hams knew all the material covered by the scope of their exams, it
was
> not in 1963.
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI

And the Commercial Exams of the period were courses in Radio-Archeology as well. Remember the ads in the Correspondence School section of every magazine "Earn your FCC license!" right next to the detective schools -- "It's a thrill bringing a crook to Justice". That was a rote-memorization exercise if there ever was one.

Dick BK Extra and First Phone

1639. Re: Why CBers and freebanders use echo and such on their signals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lonnie <nospam@nospaam.com>
Message-ID: <38FB2BE0.ACF@nospaam.com>
Source record: 113879

Robert Casey wrote:
>
> Listened to the CB and "freeband" to see just how bad things are. Here
> in Silicon Valley there's a fair amount of illegal freebanding heard.
>
> Why do these freebanders use gimmicks like echo and beeps on their
> signals? Echo tends to ruin intelligability. At least on my reciever.

The hams used echo on their transmission years back so as to improve
intelligibility under marginal conditions---I guess too much echo is
detrimental. Kinda like Brillcreme---a little dab will do ya'

The beeps are used in commercial service, military and NGO so as to be
able to distinguish the end of a transmission to prevent doubling.

beep...

1640. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <rZGK4.59$R5.7373@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>Also, an error everyone is making is basing the ease of yesteryears'
>exams on the knowledge they've acquired the past 40 years.

Yes, indeed.

Are not some also basing the "ease" of *today's* exams on the knowledge
they've acquired over the past 40 years, too?

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

>
>Jeff KH6O+

1641. Help with Eimac chimney and tube part nos.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pacqrat <toomuchstuff@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <92HK4.58448$q67.803694@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113881
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a pair of brand new Eimac SK-416 chimneys FS. Not listed at Richardson or Eimac. What tube do they fit? I also have a good, smaller Eimac tube with the marking worn off. Only "8645" is still visible. Is this a 4-400 or what? I can't find that number listed anywhere. Both are FS. Chimneys $50/pr. toomuchstuff@pobox.com

1642. PCB prototypes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tusunov@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dfha0$396$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113882

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1643. Re: Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000417131805.18648.00004817@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 113883

>LRod Hubbard, you're a terrible translator. Did you write the JFK, "I'm a
>jelly roll" speech?

LRod's problem is that he likes to intervene in every NG!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1644. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ddkp6$1u2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113927

In article
<F9C154E7404D396C.A32F45D9AD8E8C6C.9C3C87A7286C0F60@lp.airnews.net>,
ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:

> On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF.

Please cite any amateur HF frequency where 2400 bauds is permissible.
Please cite any amateur HF frequency below 28 MHz where more than 300
bauds is permissible.

(47CFR97.305, 47CFR97.307 will get you started)

LRod

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1645. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ddn9s$4lv$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113928

In article <8dce0sphj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article
> <C4438A471E883484.1486765B5E23C812.F90F46815F5F5D0C@lp.airnews.net>,
> W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:
> > On 16 Apr 2000 00:09:03 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:
> >
> > >If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the
> future,
> > >it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or
> anything of
> > >that sort, it will simply be the people.
> > >
> > One doesn't have to look any further than this newsgroup to see what's
> > killing ham radio......road rage.....
> >
> > It's our own fault, you know. VE's are not REQUIRED to test every
> > mental case who walks through the door.....
> >
> > Larry W4CSC
> >
> > >>>>>>>>>>> What killed Ham Radio, is called the computer.<<<<<<<<<

Let's not forget over priced (not high priced) radios with the electro-
mechanical integrity of a fiber rich piece of dung.

Old buzzards with ultra clean mouths (until they want to bitch out some
guy on "slopbucket")

Oh, yeah, and Dave Sumner's super-ego which whispers in his ear every
night, "Upon this crock thou will build a great church, Dave, for thou
can doeth no wrong unto them. Thou dost have a mind on the par of Pee
Wee Herman and that is all thou ham peers doth respond to."

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1646. Three ARRL Publications Reviewed: Part the First

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ddotq$68m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Well, as some of you might have gathered, I recently read [juveniles insert "Duh-huh, you can read ? Duh-huh Duh-huh HI HI" here] three great ARRL publications, which I made the mistake of buying outright.

DXing on the Edge, the Bore of 160 meters- 100 some odd over priced (small size) pages with a CD of Jeff Briggs playing DJ for the ages on an aluminum alloy wafer coated in plastic.

The best thing in it was the snapshot of K1ZM's multi million dollar "summer home" on a private island in Massachusetts. And that was ont the damned cover. I wonder if he'll stop off at ARRL in between and make some SSA Units ? I'm sure he needs the 800 bucks a month...

One word- BORING. It comes wrapped AND LET THAT BE YOUR FIRST WARNING. NEVER BUY A BOOK THAT'S WRAPPED UNLESS IT'S THE TORAH, KORAN OR BIBLE AND YOU KNOW WHAT'S IN IT ALREADY.

What university did this guy go to ? Was he never taught not to engage in endless chronolgy of his subject ? God help me to find even a shred of interpretation of the meaning of any of the events depicted, like the play-by-play of every jerk who ever got a 160 meter DXCC.

Although one must give W1BB credit for doing it with 100 watts. Maybe the 2000-era DX monkeys could learn from his mistakes... er... success.

K1ZM is nothing if not a self centered, egotistical author. Imagine the fine art of including yourself in the chapter on the most memorable contacts of "great" 160 m operators.

I'd think Marconi would like to call that. Or even Armstrong of Sarnoff. They'd be unbiased. Not an author writing of himself.

I wonder if K1ZM thinks a Phi Beta Kappa key is a Greek tool to send CW, since he appears to be not too much of this world...

Further, K1ZM's "sharing of the tips and techniques" of 160 success that ARRL trumpets is limited to some common sense knowledge about DXing in general you can find on contesting.com (I paid 28 bucks to read "Listen, Listen, Listen" ?). Oh yes, and four highly technical antenna desgins you won't find anywhere else: four square, inverted L, phased verticals and that technical monster- the ground plane or vertical.

As for his discussion of receive antennas, it was one big ass ad for ICE matching transformers (run by a comrade in arms of Zero Musing). Find better descriptions in US Army field manuals.. and for pennies on the dollar.

Don't waste your shelf space on this one guys and, well, more guys...

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1647. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38fa60ba.213141720@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 113930

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 19:46:31 -0500, "Mark and Annette"
<gege@planetsos.com> wrote:

>Ham radio will prosper because of all the new users..... After reading all
>these posts about ham radio being ruined because more people are going to
>enjoy this hobby, I still have not seen any proof as to how the new
>licensees are going to hurt the hobby. Just because they may not be able
>to.. or maybe because they choose not to learn some dits and dahs at speed
>that is acceptable to a few... Does that mean they dont have anything to
>offer Ham radio??? Ham radio will be around a lot longer than those few who
>can do code at 20+ wpm..... This stupid argument will pass and we will all
>enjoy the hobby... Those who are giving up their AARL memberships and
>whatever else they are giving up are hurting themselves because the new
>members will pick up the slack. Maybe the oldies will then owe us
>newbies..... :)
>
>Mark
>KC0HND

I hope you are right in saying it will pass but frankly the
scorn of the creation of the NoCode tech 10 years ago hasn't. OTH we
new comer will certainly enjoy the hobby

1648. Re: KB8JBO WARNING LETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ddpk0$739$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113931

In article <38f9d9b9.253489392@news.mindspring.com>,
(John) wrote:
> On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 14:47:52 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> >WHEN YOU GET A LETTER FROM THE FCC TELLING YOU NOT TO AIR PERSONAL
> >DIFFERENCS THAT SOUNDS LIKE A WARNING LETTER TO ME MABEY NOT. KB8JBO
> >HAS HAD SO MANY LETTERS HE MIGHT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE. WHAT DO YOU
THINK?
> >
> >
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>
> Knock off the caps you dumb bastard.
AS LONG AS YOU DONT LIKE IT ILL KEEP DOING IT FUCK OFF!!!

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1649. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ddplr$73h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113932

In article <38f9e8f3.8880021@netnews.att.net>,
k8cpa@arrl.net wrote:
> On 15 Apr 2000 15:54:25 GMT, nomonkeys@aol.com (No Monkeys) wrote:
>
> >mf_luder sez:
> >
> >>
> >>Then why aren't half the tickets or more going to schools, colleges, or
> >>technical schools ? Why, especially, aren't those people in the cities
> >>(black and hispanic) being approached to increase the numbers of these
> >>groups in ham radio ?
> >>
> >>
> >
> >Oh, great. More blacks and hispanics are just what we need to drive the final
> >nails into ham radio's coffin. You HAVE to be kidding! Do you REALLY want the
> >airwaves to become the RF equivalent of Haiti?
> >
>
> hehe... we got enough of that on the local 2 meter repeaters here in
> Michigan!
>
> 73
>
> >
>
> Chuck K8CPA
> Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
> E-mail:MailTo:k8cpa@qsl.net or
> MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com or
> MailTo:k8cpa@arrl.net
> ICQ: 17045539
> Firetalk:237969
> AOL IM: RadioMan29
> Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
> (Download at http://www.firetalk.com)

Lemme ax yez summin. If an I was ta ax yo momma if she wa da ho who don
gone stole my white man's beamer macheen, wool yo pull dat glock outta
yo pants wase ban and squeeze offn few o dem hollows pints, o yo cool
wid udder brudders ?

Man a man, all dis shuckkin an jivving in de hot street getting me
tirsty for some dat nice joozey wo malon, my wohd. I tank I is guna go
gemme somadat yo.

(of course, the sad truth is half the >white< people I have known from Georgia, Alabammy and South Carolina talk like that...)

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1650. Re: ARRL attempts to keep public away from movie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ddq9f$7mt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113933

In article <20000415115425.15259.00001594@ng-cn1.aol.com>,
nomonkeys@aol.com (No Monkeys) wrote:
> mf_luder sez:
>
> >
> >Then why aren't half the tickets or more going to schools, colleges, or
> >technical schools ? Why, especially, aren't those people in the cities
> >(black and hispanic) being approached to increase the numbers of these
> >groups in ham radio ?
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> >
>
> Oh, great. More blacks and hispanics are just what we need to drive the final
> nails into ham radio's coffin. You HAVE to be kidding! Do you REALLY want the
> airwaves to become the RF equivalent of Haiti?

I get your point and agree with it. A majority of the minority is
uncouth.

But who makes your food and washes your sheets and crapper when you're
in the hospital ?

Make sure you carry a "No black blood" card with you when you wrap your
car around a tree talking on the 2 meter CB and need a couple of units
of ARC's finest vintage. Course, if you don't like them, you could
always go every 6 months and preserve your own for the rest of your
life, but drive carefully until then and don't forget or you might have
an O-C fit.

Better yet, who is hiding behind that kitchen wall in McDonald's...

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1651. Re: God and Riley Save Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8divs3gtf1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113634

What ham fired on Fort Sumter?

In article <8406-38FB7EBA-21@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:

> 66fines,
>
> Absolutely correct. The First Amendment and Part 97, in fact, do not
> confine our speech. A ham for nearly 50 years, I've talked everything
> on ham radio from sex and law to politics and Watergate to Star Wars,
> etc.
>
> Understand, Riley is doing what Abe Lincoln did during the Civil War,
> when he temporarily shelved the Constitution. Both erred in favor of
> winning the conflict. In our case, our hobby//service and frequencies
> are at stake.
>
> Thus, Riley's doing a high wire act. If he allows disputes, degradation
> is ordained. If he doesn't, he is arguably supported by exercising his
> regulatory authority. Then, if someone wants to prove they've been
> deprived of Constitutional rights, they can do so. If and when they
> succeed, the need for this kind of policing might have passed.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

1652. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OD6kJmZq$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
> I have been saying for years that the
>ham written exams have been easy

This is not about easy or hard. It is about the *quality of the exam*.

>If someone wants to believe he/she is very
>technical because they passed a ham exam, what's the harm?

Your changing the subject again. We're talking of the *quality of the exam*,
not the people taking it...

>Seems the basic question you are asking is: Is there any room in
>amateur radio for non-engineers and non-scientists?

No Cecil, the subject is the *quality of the exam*.

>It appears to me the tests do exactly what they were designed to do

Would you agree that the main purpose of any written exam should be to
verify that the people taking it know most of the material that the exam
covers?

1653. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eo0PKmZq$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>Don't you know that you and I are
>describing how easy the tests were in the 50s and 60s so we can cover up
>the "sham?" :-)

As I have said many times, this is not about easy or hard. It is about the quality of the modern ham tests.

I guess I don't blame you for making fun of me Ed. It keeps you from having to discuss the truth about today's faulty ham testing...

1654. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj077kbs1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113637

Gary, leave Chuck alone. He thinks he's a Crusader. I think it all began at
the time of King Richard. Chuck's began in the era of Little Richard.

In article <38F9EF48.28EF6E4C@home.com>, Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
wrote:

> Yep, another good Christian preaching the Lord's work. Believe like me
> or I'll kill you?? Kind of like the bank robber who was arrested wearing
> a What Would Jesus Do? tee shirt. This is a public place. People can say
> things you disagree with. Use the delete key and get over it. I don't
> agree with alot of things either, but I don't threaten murder.
>
> Gary
> AB5RM
>
>
> Chuck K8CPA wrote:
>>
>> I dunno who you are, Slimball, but you got alot of Nads to say things
>> like that about my Lord in a public newsgroup, maybe some Brothers in
>> the Lord should find you, and put you out of your misery.
>>
>> Idiot!
>>
>>

1655. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj0a0kbs2@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113638

Is a Slimball a thin slimeball?

In article <38FB26DB.6E454D7D@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Excellent christian ideals. If you don't like what someone is
> saying get rid of them. Wow what a christian.......
>
> Chuck K8CPA wrote:
>>
>> I dunno who you are, Slimball, but you got alot of Nads to say things
>> like that about my Lord in a public newsgroup, maybe some Brothers in
>> the Lord should find you, and put you out of your misery.
>>
>> Idiot!
>>
>> On Fri, 14 Apr 2000 15:59:38 -0400 (EDT), "Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Ham Radio Brothers and Sisters in Christ:
>> >
>> >1) Let us give thanks unto God for the Salvation he has sent
>> >to Ham Radio! Soon the bands will ring with holiness
>> >and every frequency shall proclaim Jeeesus as Lord!
>> >
>> >2) For I have had a VISION while on the road to Dayton!
>> >Yea, verily, brothers and sisters, I was traveling on the
>> >Road to Dayton when suddenly, there was a great corona
>> >glow from my 20 meter mobile whip, and it did nearly
>> >blind me, and I did pull over and get out of the mobile,
>> >and I did look upon the corona, and The Son of God
>> >did shine from within it!
>> >
>> >3) On his right stood Saint Hiram, holding the Holy Handbook,
>> >and on his left stood Marconi and Morse,
>> >Protectors of the Faith of old.
>> >
>> >4) And the Lord spake unto me, saying:
>> >"John, my good and faithful servant, know ye my
>> >servant Riley? He is a powerful warrior in the faith.
>> >Seek ye him. Then go forth unto all the bands,
>> >preaching in my name.
>> >
>> >5) And where thou dost encounter the heathen, rise ye up,

>> >and call upon my servant Riley, and he shall call down
>> >the holy Fire from Heaven, and they shall be consumed."
>> >
>> >6) So Almighty GOD has called me to my duty, and
>> >I come to you brothers and sister, to join my,
>> >I mean our holy army, and go forth with our
>> >OO brethren and slay the unbelievers, and smite
>> >them from our holy bands, that you may be
>> >seen as holy in my, I mean His eyes.
>> >
>> >In the name of The Father, and Riley, and Me,
>> >
>> >Amen and Amen.
>> >
>> >Brother John KC3AU
>> >
>> >(This ministry can only continue with your kind support.
>> > Give as the spirit leads. Good in the callbook, Amen)
>> >--
>> >Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
>> >http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
>> >
>> >
>> >
>>
>> Chuck K8CPA
>> Web: http://www.qsl.net/~k8cpa
>> E-mail:MailTo:k8cpa@qsl.net or
>> MailTo: theradiodude@mail.com or
>> MailTo:k8cpa@arrl.net
>> ICQ: 17045539
>> Firetalk:237969
>> AOL IM: RadioMan29
>> Mplayer: RedeyeMan1972
>> (Download at http://www.firetalk.com)
>>
>>

1656. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj0c5kbs3@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113639

How many watts is the bulb?

In article <20000417233827.10361.00002032@ng-bj1.aol.com>,
compcnsult@aol.com (CompCnsult) wrote:

> I will pray that you all forgive each other and may the light of the Lord
shine
> on you all.
>
> W0CBF

1657. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj0ik$2t3$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113640

Christianity is the only religion that stresses one should live to die.
What's wrong with that "pitcher?"

In article <1871-38FC6333-4@storefull-115.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
ac5ez@webtv.net (K1zw) wrote:

> Believe my doctrine or die ! No wonder I am not a religious person.
> k1zw
>

1658. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj0pkueb1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113641

You're right because the existence of a diety will never be proven. It's all faith and it's more important to have faith in oneself than in the unproven. Religion belongs in three places:
1. In a house of worship
2. In one's own being
3. On this board
Amen!

In article <8dhqnm$k2d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> A diety has nothing to do with the ham bands, the only way we can
> starighten them out is among ourselves...in other words, it's up to us,
> the hams to make the bands better.

1659. Re: AF2Y: I seek replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj0rq$5pt$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113642

People now do you see why I asked for no replies from idiots?

In article <8dfuj4irc1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> In article <8dcfbo$78r$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> I seek INTELLIGENT replies only. If you're a half wit or no wit, go
> respond
>> to someone else because this posting is serious-no Groucho or
> Winchell.
>>
>> I see restructuring doing this:
>> 1. Inflating numbers to impress the ITU
>> 2. Easing the FCC's clerical and statistical work
>> 3. Acting as a "cash cow" for the ARRL
>> 4. Acting as a "cash cow" for ham equipment retailers
>> 5. Creating considerably more work for Riley Hollingsworth
> necessitating a
>> substantial raise which if not given will put him squarely back into
> law
>> instead of policing
>>
>> I see no tangible benefit to ham radio per se insofar as bettering,
>> refining, upgrading and making it more acceptable to and appreciated
> by the
>> public at large. I see nothing which will help establish a clearer
>> perception of it and a definite distinction recognized by the public
>> between it and CB.
>>
>> If I'm wrong, tell me about it.
>> AF2Y
>> Well Doc vnbut rtijpmgfh eoriyug yuot ty kghoen jhu qwiroo tre.
> Seughi nfhtyr khhjf! Yoiuyiojkleh, hgyt.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1660. Re: FREQUENCY..I saw it and loved it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj18r$9d1$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113643
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

They should have named it "FEEKENCY" after the deceased goofball KA4MUJ.

In article <2SlK4.7127$_H2.179785@news.swbell.net>, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com>
wrote:

> Why post if you've nothing to say?...
>
> "W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:38F96526.F6E1EE16@oio.net...
>>
>>
>> Peter,
>> Better yet, if you liked the movie, and if someone
>> asks you about it, then promote it? If there doesn't
>> seem to be much interest about the movie, maybe you
>> shouldn't 'promote' it. May be people, even if they
>> liked the movie, get tired of hearing about it?
>
>
>

1661. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj1d1$6l8$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113644

The evil midget joined a circus.

In article <20000415204554.19058.00001666@ng-fw1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> Where is NR5T lately? Haven't heard him in YEARS.

1662. Re: The Downward Spiral!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dj1q7$g48$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113645

Whatever happened to that WWCR screwball Irwin Schiff who used to convince the gullible that they need not pay income tax? And has anyone ever heard an extreme WWCR wacko named Alec or Alex Jones who is ready to start a firefight with the ATF, FBI and local police until there's a knock on his door when he runs and hides under the bed? Lloyd's heroes. Enough said.

In article <8dal5u$ve0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <38F8CB04.4B831CBA@pacbell.net>,
> Brent Walton <kf6fgb@pacbell.net> wrote:
>
>> Why is it when someone gets on their soap box, people call him a
>> supremacist, nut case, babbling idiot, etc.
>
> Well, first of all you have to differentiate among whom you are talking
> about. In the case of the author of the piece, David J. Smith, he is a
> supremacist, nut case, babbling idiot, etc. It has been well documented.
> He has been publishing this nonsense for years.
>
> In the case of the poster, lloyd davies, he is a supremacist, nut case,
> babbling idiot, etc. That has also been well documented. He has been
> spamming the newsgroups with this nonsense for some time.
>
> Come to think of it, as regards these two, you don't have to
> differentiate much at all, except one of them does have writing skills.
>
>> I think "Brother Lloyd" posted some good points.... I don't think this
>> was the forum for them... but, none the less, provoking thoughts.
>
> Plain old spam. He hasn't posted anything with a positive contribution
> since he's been here. Check in some other of today's posts about how he
> claims to be a "fallen angel" while at the same time posting this
> rubbish.
>
> Just a troll, nothing more. And not a very good one, either.
>
> LRod
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1663. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FD0B08.CFC5BE59@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> Would you agree that the main purpose of any written exam should be to
> verify that the people taking it know most of the material that the exam
> covers?

Not exactly, I would say the main purpose of a ham written exam should
be to ensure that the people passing the exam know what they *need to
know*. Before we can declare an exam faulty, we must ask ourselves,
do the test takers *need to know* the tested material? For instance,
I don't need to know the radiation pattern of two 1/4WL vertical
elements spaced 1/4WL apart and fed 90 degrees out of phase. If I
ever need to know that tidbit of knowledge, I know exactly where to
find the answer.

I will agree that the written exams have always been faulty in the
sense that nothing's perfect. Question is: Are they good enough?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1664. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb2101@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8zqqhf$XY52$2@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113647

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 22:48:42 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

: You guys crack me up. YOU assume that I didn't know anything, and that I
: didn't read anything about it. YOU couldn't be more incorrect, except
: insofar as this subject upon which you pontificate so eloquently yet so
: ignorantly.
:
: You cited the same page 3 times for answers to my challenges. Let's
: review.

[drivelsnip]

No, let's not. Your reading skills are clearly lacking and you now want
to bluster and make emotional statements after demonstrating your
ignorance.

"Discussion" terminated. Come back when you have something less
belligerent to say.

1665. Re: Kenwood TH-22a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sfq40cb9eoc135@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113648
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

sorry about that ...i have re posted it with the right link...but here it is
as well
http://www.radioinfo.co.nz/th22a/th22at.htm

Al, N2NKB <n2nkb@n2nkb@postoffice.worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:7W6L4.22646$fV.1190647@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
> The link was missing in your post.
> Al
>
> L.A. Computers wrote in message ...
> >aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it
for
> >an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to
> >work....but i think the battery may be dead...runs fine on org wall
> >adapter.....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case you dont
> >allready know...
> >
> >
> >
> >
>
>

1666. FT: Kenwood TH-22a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sfq3uk9eoc111@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113649
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it for an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to work....but i think the battery may be dead...runs fine on org wall adapter.....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case you dont allready know...

http://www.radioinfo.co.nz/th22a/th22at.htm

1667. FT: TH-22at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sfq4fhnkeoc24@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113650
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,kingston.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it for
an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to
work....battery has been checked,,,charged and working...runs fine on org
wall adapter as well .....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case
you dont
allready know...

http://www.radioinfo.co.nz/th22a/th22at.htm

1668. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <3z8L4.5488$r8.11633448@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 113651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What's so unusual about using amateur radio to talk back in time? Why, I monitored a QSO on 75 tonite in which none of the participants had had a new thought since approximately 1955. Talk about a time warp.

--

Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote in message <8di3imuhq1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>The following article is the first installment of a new monthly column
>that will be appearing on http:www.adi-radio.com.
>
>
> * * *
>
>What's the FREQUENCY, Kenneth?
>By Ken Collier, KO6UX
>
>On April 28, 2000 something amazing is going to happen, something that
>could have a profound effect on the future of amateur radio in the USA
>for years to come.
>

snipped

1669. Re: Need help getting started again after 40 years

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FD08F9.8865BB6B@oio.net>
Source record: 113652

Thor,
your cjoices for a radio and antenna sound fine, given
your limitations.
As far as the license, there have been a few changes.
The classes are now Technician, General, and Extra. The
Novice, and Advanced are gone, and so is the 13 and 20 wpm
code tests. All code tests are now 5wpm. Couldn't be any
easier and still be called a test. Welcome back.
'Doc

1670. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laura Page <hlpage@lorax.mv.com>
Message-ID: <38FD2F3A.21809204@lorax.mv.com>
Source record: 113653

ke8hh has got the idea. Let me clarify what I meant by 'high speed' data.
I was talking about today, out of the box, 384 kbits/second, and in two
years, 200 mbits/second.

1200 baud, 2400 baud, no, no no.

Can it be done?

> It's been 20 years since I looked at HAM radio, but I am looking again
> to see if it has evolved far enough to serve as a high speed internet
> connection.
>
> Could someone enlighten me on this?
>
> Thanks,
> Laura Page

1671. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FD329F.8F46AD9C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I assume Burp is talking about a "bone in" ham?

Of course, Burp is a de-boned ham.

1672. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#WVXaIcq$GA.236@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>I would say the main purpose of a ham written exam should
>be to ensure that the people passing the exam know what they *need to
>know*.

So when a ham exam is given to determine if an applicant is qualified to enter the hobby, the exam should only test for what the applicant "needs to know", not what he actually knows??

>Before we can declare an exam faulty, we must ask ourselves,
>do the test takers *need to know* the tested material?

If hams don't need to know advanced electronics to *enter* the hobby then why test for it? If they do need to know advanced electronics, why give a test that allows passing without learning it?

>I will agree that the written exams have always been faulty in the
>sense that nothing's perfect.

Well, at least I got you to use "exams" and "faulty" in the same sentence.

Why do you suppose the Bash books were considered cheating at the time? Hadn't the FCC heard of your "need to know" theory...

1673. Re: Mirage amplifier with an IC-701PS / IC-PS20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FD2C0A.478670B4@oio.net>
Source record: 113656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Chris,
I wouldn't worry about the 18v, which may seem high
to you. Remember, this is a nonregulated power supply,
the 'idle' voltage will be higher than 'normal'. The
voltage under load will be down around 13 volts give or
take a fraction or two. Normal behavior for Icom power
supplies.
'Doc

1674. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8djktfeur1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113657

Or how about "ZOK" !! :-)

Trish
--
Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
.....
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu:11371/pks/lookup?op=vindex&search=0xEDECB44F>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

Qrm2000 <qrm2000@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000419020600.03585.00000065@ng-ca1.aol.com...
> >
> >What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still
exist).
> >Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?
> >
>
> My favorite:
> ZUG. Translation, No....Negative
>
> [Only the military would replace a two letter word (no) with a three
letter
> operating signal!]
>
> ZUE is Yes....Affirmative
>
> ZBO "I have traffic of the following precedence"
>
> ZUT (bogus signal identifying members of a military radio operator
faternity)
>
> While sitting on a CW circuit in the Pacific, I heard the control station
ask
> for numerous repeats from one of the ship operators. The ship explained
his
> situation several different ways, but the shore station just didn't get
it.
> Finally, the ship transmitted a "z" signal and left the frequency. I
looked up

> the operating signal and found this definition:
> "I Cannot Transmit Pictures."
>
> QRM2000
>
>

1675. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FC960E.7063ABFB@ahole.com>
Source record: 113684

Why did you post only part of the message. So you didn't see your
self as a wrong answer? He was using latter line at the antenna
end. That is a balanced line. TWIST TWIST TWIST........

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>
> In article <38FC7082.7EA4DE55@ahole.com>,
> Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >
> >
> > > And the COAX deal should also be ammended based on the "rf polution
> > > theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point. That
> > > should keep the "skin effect" radiation to a minimum. Right?
> >
> > ???? skin effect on a balanced line?
> >
>
> > >
> >
> >
> See word COAX above.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1676. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FC968F.B01F87E4@ahole.com>
Source record: 113685

Roger, if you read the whole post you would have "read" that the
antenna was using latter line (balanced). He could us a 4 ot 1
balun and then use the coax to his rig. The feed point in the
message was mentioned as 400 ohm latter line.

KC8JBO wrote:
>
> In article <8dhrfckuk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <38FC7082.7EA4DE55@ahole.com>,
> > Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > > And the COAX deal should also be ammended based on the "rf
> polution
> > > > theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point. That
> > > > should keep the "skin effect" radiation to a minimum. Right?
> > >
> > > ???? skin effect on a balanced line?
> > >
> > See word COAX above.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
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> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
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> Not everybody can afford new glasses, Dan....lol!
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> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
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1677. fs (2) ft-50r's for $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8ewq@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418111954.21262.00000955@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 113686

I have 2 ft-50r's for sale. The first one is in mint cond, 9 out of 10. It comes with
5 watt battery, antenna, manual, charger, and case. The case has been on the radio since it was new. I have only used this radio in my house for receive purposes only, very very low tx time. The second one I have used a great deal. It comes with 5 watt battery, pl-259/sma adapter and thats it. The radio does not
want to tx. I think the tx button went bad or ? It powers up fine. I will take $200
for both radios. I will not seperate package.
Thanks
Tony

1678. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8di0he$r0d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113687
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8dfjuf$6hr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

> This antenna will work on 75,40,20 as a fundamental 1/2 wave antenna.
> And on 15 and 10 as a harmonic antenna.

I've never had any success on 10 with this kind of arrangement. The reason is the same reason it works on 15. The harmonic relationship has to be odd. 15 is the 3rd harmonic of 40. But there is no band of which 10 is an odd harmonic.

Also, in order to make it work on 15, you must be careful where it's cut for 40. High phone will put it well out of the 15 m band.

I have found that there is some interaction between the wires, and that a LOT of cut-and-try is required before all the bands (and the transmitter) are happy.

LRod

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1679. a kenwood ts-850 sat for 5 US $

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: 14MI63 <14mi63@caramail.com>
Message-ID: <8di06h$i7c$5@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 113688

Hi every body
i m doing a big tombola
You can win my kenwood TS- 850 SAT for only 5 US $
If you are interested to have a kenwood rig for only 5 US $
go to my site :
http://14mi63.virtualave.com
the transaction is securised and you a have 2 days for change your mind

It' s a good deal for you and for me ...
thank's to read this mail
for more information you can write me to : 14mi63@caramail.com

1680. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eUadD9Uq$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>One could say the same thing about a driver's exam.

Maybe, but you're changing the subject again. The subject is the ham exam.

>These types of [drivers] exams are absolute *minimum* entrance requirements

Agreed. And the drivers exams don't pretend to test for
advanced mechanical engineering...

>We've not had a very technical exam in ham radio for at least 50
>years.

So why do we pretend we have a very technical test?

>The entire complexion of ham radio would be changed if we
>suddenly initiated a highly technical exam.

That's why the charade will likely continue. Don't make any waves, heads in
the sand, ect... (And who said a highly technical exam is the only
solution?)

>It is not something to be done willy nilly.

I'm still waiting for you (and Ed) to admit that the current ham testing
scheme is a sham. That is the first step. Then we can talk about
changes to make the ham test real and honest...

1681. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <68C93CE7DD73134C.B0CC331DBBAE74B9.6F94E416979CB3F6@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113690

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 16:46:03 GMT, Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
wrote:

>Proper ID would have been whiskey alpha two india sierra echo temporary
>alpha echo. Sorry that:
>a: he didn't get it right--the information was included on the back of
>the CSCE he just got--all he had to do was read.

On the old forms it is.

On the new ones it's on the front--the back is blank.

I guess your advice is a "bit" dated, isn't it?

>b: He is proud of screwing up.

No, _he_ is proud of making an obvious joke. Based on the
above information _you_ are proud of screwing up!

>Just points out that there is going to be a serious need for Elmering in
>the coming months. These guys don't know that they are ignorant.

They know which side of the CSCE the printing is on--do you?

Rick

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1682. New: Interactive User Forums at HamTest.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ux@adi-radio.com
Message-ID: <8di3beuds1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

If you need help studying for your ham radio license or license upgrade, check out the new interactive forums at HamTest.com. You can ask questions about the testing procedure or get help with certain parts of the test that might be giving you trouble.

Just point your web browser to http://www.hamtest.com and click on the link to the NEW Interactive Forum.

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1683. What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ux@adi-radio.com
Message-ID: <8di3imuhq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The following article is the first installment of a new monthly column that will be appearing on http:www.adi-radio.com.

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What's the FREQUENCY, Kenneth?
By Ken Collier, KO6UX

On April 28, 2000 something amazing is going to happen, something that could have a profound effect on the future of amateur radio in the USA for years to come.

No, it isn't license restructuring. By April 28th the dust will have begun to settle on the license restructuring issue, leaving behind a simplified amateur radio license structure and the largest flurry of license upgrades in history. As exciting as the new license structure is, it is overshadowed by the potential ramifications of April 28th. That's because on April 28th, ham radio goes to the movies.

The new movie Frequency is a sci-fi action thriller starring Dennis Quaid, Jim Caviezel, and ham radio. It opens in most U.S. cities on Friday April 28th. By now many of you have begun to see commercials and trailers for the film.

The movie, itself, features ham radio in no small way. The basic plot involves ham radio signals reaching across time, as is evidenced in this excerpt from the official movie web site (www.frequencymovie.com):

"What if you had the chance to travel back in time and change just one event in your life? For John Sullivan (Jim Caviezel), there is no question. He would undo the events of October 12, 1969, when the out-of-control Bruxton fire took the life of his father, a heroic firefighter (Dennis Quaid). Now John may get exactly what he wished for . . . and much more than he bargained for. One day before the anniversary of his father's death, in the midst of the spectacular sky storm known as the aurora borealis, John Sullivan discovers in the house he inherited his father's old ham radio and begins to play with it. Through the electrical static, he finds himself talking to a man who claims to be a firefighter and who appears to be awaiting the World Series of 1969. Is John really talking to his own living father on the very same day, in the very same house, but exactly three decades ago?"

As an amateur radio operator, it is exciting to see our hobby so prominently featured in a major studio movie like Frequency, and I see it as an incredible opportunity. Without a doubt, Frequency is the

single most important thing to happen to amateur radio since single side band supplanted AM as our mode of choice. Frequency offers us, as amateurs, a unique opportunity to do something that we, as a group, are normally bad at: promote the #@$& out of amateur radio.

I am convinced that if amateur radio is to survive as a viable institution through the 21st century, that we are going to have to get the word out about what it is that we do. Think about it! If city governments and housing associations really understood the long distance emergency communications capabilities of ham radio, would restrictive antenna ordinances and covenants still hamstring hams? Or would communities instead be encouraging hams to erect towers and antennas for emergency communications use?

The problem is that few people outside of amateur radio have an accurate picture of what hams do, of what we are all about. Many people don't even know that ham radio exists, equating hams with dreaded Citizens' Band radio operators. Restrictive antenna covenants and declining number of new amateurs are both the direct result of people not knowing about the great hobby and service of amateur radio.

So, think of Frequency as a chance to educate the world about the fun side and the serious side of amateur radio. Whatever you do, don't just let the movie go by: DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT. Now is the time for your club to organize. Approach the local theater owner about the possibility of having a club table outside the theater during opening weekend. Pass out brochures on amateur radio. Do a HF or satellite demonstration showing off the long-distance capabilities of amateur radio.

As hams, many of us think of the exciting elements of ham radio as being commonplace. The average person doesn't. You can instill a sense of magic and wonder in people by showing them how it is possible to talk around the world without any wires connecting you to the person with whom you are speaking!

We at PREMIER Communications feel so strongly about the positive effect of Frequency that we have joined with the American Radio Relay League and several other companies within the amateur radio industry. Together, we are co-sponsoring an award for the amateur radio club that does the most spectacular job of promoting amateur radio in conjunction with Frequency. The winning club will receive a donation of a sensational amount of amateur radio equipment, including an ADI AR-147+ 2-meter mobile. The exact details of the contest will be announced by the ARRL shortly.

So get out there and do something to promote amateur radio. If everyone does their part, the impact - like the movie - can reach across time, helping to mold a positive future for the greatest hobby in existence.

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1684. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <E17EB2BD6E016351.1A3B8855B0F77636.EAA7B118C28617DF@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113693

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 06:22:37 -0700, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

>You're after abstract quantities and qualities. An abstraction
>can be debated until the cows come home. Regardless, a goodly
>part of the time spent obtaining a ham ticket used to be cw
>proficiency. That, per se, instilled a degree of commitment
>and dedication. Those WERE measurable qualities........KZ5B
>
It didn't _instill_ anything. It may have _demonstrated_ a
commitment to learning code, but it didn't _inspire_ it.

In practice, the code study was, far from inspirational,
actually an _impediment_ to upgrading for many very serious hams. Some
simply didn't have the skills to easily master code while others
simply didn't see enough value in the few extra KHz available to an
Extra class licensee to devote their time to studying a mode they had
no interest in using.

What is needed is not forced mastery of a skill which does
nothing to impart any actual technical knowledge or operating
skills--what is needed is a tougher series of written tests, so that
the time spent studying for them _does_ produce some tangible results.
And it isn't the fault of the FCC that we don't have those--it's the
fault of the VECs who design the tests and arbitrarily use far smaller
data bases (perhaps so they can more conveniently publish
"memorize-me" training manuals???) than are optimum. Increase the
difficulty of the General and Extra tests (while keeping the Tech test
fairly basic to encourage new hams) and you'll do a _lot_ more good
for the hobby than any code test ever did.

Rick, ke8hh

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1685. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <07D5ABD946BE1042.BB5CEAC6529A6268.67D9755989C3CEE5@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113694

On 17 Apr 2000 23:55:35 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:

>OK, in light of the recent CW/No code and restructuring debate, I'm looking for
>some facts......not opinions, but facts.
>
>Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the speed of CW,
>or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?
>
>Again, I'm not looking for opinion. I'm looking for facts that can be backed
>up with solid, concrete, scientific, evidence.

Ok--there is a negative correlation between the class of
license and participation in both the Liberty Net (and the jamming
activities associated with it) and the "discussions" on 14.313. The
lower the license class, the less the likelihood that a ham will
participate in those forums (i.e., Novices and Technicians do not
participate there, while a higher than average percentage of Advanceds
and Extras do). Because license class was (until last Saturday)
positively correlated to CW speed, you could safely argue that the
higher an individual's maximum code speed (up to 20 WPM, as no way of
testing the hypothesis beyond this speed existed), the greater the
probability that the individual would participate in behaviors which
violated either the letter or spirit of the regulations, or both. :-)

73, Rick--ke8hh

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1686. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <9E50566A05000992.ED4765CA1BAEEB77.F0371C548E6AF9E2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113695

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 00:46:04 GMT, "EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>From what I was told and seen just last night,
>9600 on vhf and 2400 on uhf.
>Not sure what your getting at, but on VHF, 9600 is considered fast.
>I think your reading what he said wrong, it wasn't a comparison
>between the two.
>The comparison was made to high speed internet and he was just
>stating the speeds on both.
>That's the way I read it.

Actually, the 2400 was a typo--it should have been 1200, but
for some reason I typed 2400 instead (can't imagine being back at a
1200b speed, I guess). 1200 is the max on HF while 9600 is the max on
VHF (it's higher on the uhf & microwave bands, of course). My
apologies for the error.

You are correct, on the other hand, when you point out that my
intent was to compare Internet speeds to ARS speeds. While 9600 is as
fast as most hams operate on the air (with exceptions in the very high
frequencies), 56,000 is as _slow_ as most Internet users operate (some
may still use 28,800 but it's becoming less common), and many of us
operate a much higher speeds (i.e., my current connection is 768K--a
"bit" faster than HF :-).

It will be a long time before ham radio offers the networking
capabilities of the Internet--and by the time it does, the Internet
will have increased its own speed to the point that full screen real
time NTSC quality video conferencing (with multiple participants) will
be the communications norm (about 10M baud minimum)--a speed necessary
bandwidth limitations will prevent all but the highest frequency
operators (who are line-of-sight limited) to achieve.

73, Rick--ke8hh

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1687. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8di73a$2pi$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113696

In article
<9E50566A05000992.ED4765CA1BAEEB77.F0371C548E6AF9E2@lp.airnews.net>,
ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:

> 1200 is the max on HF...

While technically correct, it is misleading to say so, since 10 meters
is the only band where it is correct. Since the vast majority of digital
work is done on HF bands other than 10 it seems disingenuous to fail to
mention that the limit is 300 for all the rest of the HF bands.

LRod

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1688. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <F3493D4752B746A9.5F2F880CB6C96F8E.8F490BB9ACE7C643@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113697

On 17 Apr 2000 14:52:26 -0700, Roger_K_ Southard@amar.org wrote:

>While Rick and others are correct in that the FCC recognized "that the code test
>had outlived its usefulness", what those of Rick's ilk fail to also acknowledge
>is that the FCC, at the same time, made the written exams less rigorous.
>Therefore, the overall effect was to lower the standards of not just entry, but
>also advancement.

On the contrary, the FCC didn't make the written exams more
_or_ less rigorous. The FCC has no direct influence on the content of
the tests at all.

If you want someone to blame for the lowered standards, blame
the VECs who are unwilling to expand the question pools to a large
enough number of choices that memorization is impossible and to
increase the level of difficulty of the questions to a point that
would insure real subject competence on the part of the testee.
Whether you view this as a laziness on the part of the VECs, or as a
commercial decision among VECs who are also test prep publishers and
know they can't sell successfully books with more than a certain
number of questions in them (costs and pricing would quickly change
the sales figures) is irrelevant. That the VECs are _solely_
responsible for the degradation in difficulty, however, is not.

>While I cannot argue that lowering entry standards had some merit, why then was
>it also necessary to remove all of the challenge?

Unless you consider higher speed code to be the _only_
challenge (which, clearly, is unreasonably biased), that hasn't
happened. It's _still_ easier to become a Tech than a General or a
General than an Extra. Only the Advanced class was eliminated among
the higher levels, and given the very little difference in privileges
between Advanced and Extra, and the fact that 4A was _traditionally_
viewed as a much harder test than 4B anyway, that elimination made
perfect sense.

>At one time, the Extra
>license carried NO ADDITIONAL privileges. It was simply for "bragging rights"
>as some call it. What was so wrong with that?

Everything!

It isn't the role of the FCC -- OR of amateur radio -- to give
you "bragging rights." That's what awards are for (which is more
impressive, the ability to copy 20WPM CW or a five-band, qrp, dxcc?)
and those still exist intact.

The role of the FCC is to provide standards for each class of
license, and insure that those standards are met. If you want to brag,
work all dxcc countries between 28.3 and 28.5 using phone and
operating at 100mw or less--we'll be impressed, trust me. :-)

>Those of you who wish to take a
>simple exam and "chatter" have been accommodated at the expense of those who
>seek challenges.

Translation: Those who don't want to spend time learning a
mode they will never use and which is out-of-date technically, have
been accommodated at the expense of those whose only standard of
self-worth is their code speed.

>The FCC could easily have accommodated the "chatterers"
>without injuring those who seek challenges in life.

They did. The cw portions of the HF bands remain intact--they
didn't expand phone privileges, they just allowed more people to
become active in HF.

>Unfortunately, those who
>seek so called "bragging rights" will find other outlets for their energies.
>Perhaps that's what Rick wants, and if so, so be it.

Excuse me?

YOU are the one who claimed that you lost your 'bragging
rights.' Are you now stating that because you can't brag about having
had to learn 20 WPM code in order to become an Extra, you will no
longer participate in Ham radio? If _that's_ your attitude, it will
certainly be a small loss for anyone.

Becoming a ham isn't about lording it over others who haven't
studied the same things you have--it's about being part of a hobby
that offers opportunities to a fulfill a wide range of different
interests. Sorry that you can't see that.

Rick, ke8hh

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1689. Add your own cruising related links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <bob@cruiser.co.za>
Message-ID: <956079095.406582@proxy.woodmead.lia.net>
Source record: 113698

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A website called "Cruiser Log" at http://www.cruiser.co.za will be of
interest to you. It lists Cruiser homepages/narratives, yacht positions,
free crewfinder, M/M radio nets, a message board and good marine links.
Enjoy it and pass the address on to others who may wish to make use of these
resources.

Happy sailing and fair winds.
Bob
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1690. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8di8uq$4u6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113699

In article <38FC960E.7063ABFB@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Why did you post only part of the message. So you didn't see your
> self as a wrong answer? He was using latter line at the antenna
> end. That is a balanced line. TWIST TWIST TWIST........
>
> Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> >
> > In article <38FC7082.7EA4DE55@ahole.com>,
> > Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > > And the COAX deal should also be ammended based on the "rf
polution
> > > > theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point.
That
> > > > should keep the "skin effect" radiation to a minimum. Right?
> > >
> > > ???? skin effect on a balanced line?
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> > >
> > >
> > See word COAX above.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
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> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
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If you would have actually read and understood my post you would have
seen it has TWO PARTS. First part was concerning the 120 foot flattop
with the 450 ladder line (note ladder, not latter). The second part
was about using COAXIAL CABLE.

The only error made was yours.

As for why did I only post part of the message. I assumed you could
remember what we were talking about. My mistake. And from someone
that does not even know how to spell LADDERLINE I believe I'll not
waste my time further with you.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1691. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FCA1C4.DE12DC35@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> So why do we pretend we have a very technical test?

"We" don't do that, Aaron. I have been saying for years that the ham written exams have been easy ever since I took my first one in 1951 and they are still easy. They are entrance exams, not graduation certificates. No ham can truthfully say he/she is a "very technical" individual simply because he/she passed any ham exam that has ever existed. Very technical hams did not become very technical merely by passing a ham exam.

I scored 100% on my recent Extra exam, not because I am very technical but because the exam was relatively technically superficial. I am not parading myself as being very technical because I aced the Extra exam. IMO, people who do that just don't have a handle on the real world.

It seems to me that hams, as a group, have a rather low opinion of themselves as human beings, and need some ego boost that they can obtain from ham radio. If someone wants to believe he/she is very technical because they passed a ham exam, what's the harm? If someone wants to believe that he/she is a superior ham because he/she can do 40wpm in Morse code, what is the harm?

> I'm still waiting for you (and Ed) to admit that the current ham testing
> scheme is a sham.

"sham - a trick that deludes"

Don't know about you, Aaron, but I have never been deluded by the "current ham testing scheme" so I cannot agree that it is a sham. If you admit to being tricked and deluded, how can you turn around and present yourself as knowing the truth?

It appears to me the tests do exactly what they were designed to do and that is provide a minimum entry level requirement. I recently satisfied the minimum entry level requirement for Extra.

Seems the basic question you are asking is: Is there any room in amateur radio for non-engineers and non-scientists? I think the answer is yes, there is room for everyone who meets the requirements.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1692. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FCA318.2FD37D3F@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote:
> The problem is that few people outside of amateur radio have an
> accurate picture of what hams do, of what we are all about.

And, of course, they will know all about it after seeing it
used to talk to someone back in the year 1969. :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1693. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8di9nu$5u2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113702
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8di0he$r0d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8dfjuf$6hr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> > This antenna will work on 75,40,20 as a fundamental 1/2 wave
antenna.
> > And on 15 and 10 as a harmonic antenna.
>
> I've never had any success on 10 with this kind of arrangement. The
> reason is the same reason it works on 15. The harmonic relationship
has
> to be odd. 15 is the 3rd harmonic of 40. But there is no band of which
> 10 is an odd harmonic.
>
> Also, in order to make it work on 15, you must be careful where it's
cut
> for 40. High phone will put it well out of the 15 m band.
>
> I have found that there is some interaction between the wires, and
that
> a LOT of cut-and-try is required before all the bands (and the
> transmitter) are happy.
>
> LRod
>
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>
Basically correct. If one cuts a 75 meter to 3.901 and uses it on the
7th harmonic it will resonate at 27.300 plus the end effects caused by
the wire being used as a harmonic radiator. A good starting point
(fudge factor) is from 3 to 5%. Thus hopefully putting it around
28.119 to 28.665. This of course depends on many unknown factors, such
as height above ground (real and otherwise). Objects nearby, etc. etc.

A good amount of playing may indeed be needed. This makes it a useful
learning tool. Or hang it and hope, and use a tuner if you don't want
to get it right.

All multi-band wires are a bit of a compromise. Sometimes they work
and sometimes they don't. But it is a lot of fun trying and LEARNING.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1694. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ft7x6t3.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 16:47:24 GMT, ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote:

>The following article is the first installment of a new monthly column
>that will be appearing on http:www.adi-radio.com.
>
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> * * *
>
>What s the FREQUENCY, Kenneth?
>By Ken Collier, KO6UX

>Ken Collier is the marketing director for PREMIER Communications, the
>maker of ADI radios and PRYME two-way radio accessories.

IIRC the quote should be "KENNETH, WHAT'S THE FREQUENCY" but I
xould be wrong. It's been a long time..... <ggg>

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

1695. Re: Free to a good home. QST back issues.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.O. Galloway" <tgallNOSPAM@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8di93g$q44$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 113704

Well, that was quick.
To all those reading this, they were gone within an hour or so.

T.O.

T.O. Galloway <tgall@erols.com> wrote in message
news:8dhmfi$oo0$1@bob.news.rcn.net...
> QST July 93 through Sep 99.
> I think they are all there.
>
> Moving and they've got to go. I'd rather give them away than trash them.
>
> Washington, D.C./Baltimore area.
>
> Reply to tgall@erols.com or call 703-569-6538 and leave message if
nobody's
> around.
>
> T.O. Galloway
> WB5SXC
>
>

1696. Re: fs (2) ft-50r's for $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8ewq@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418143637.20803.00002292@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 113705

the radios are sold....thanks

1697. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dibra$8cl$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113706

Rick, you are a voice of reason and sanity crying out in a maelstrom of idiocy.

As someone in the Social Sciences, you are no doubt aware that two of the strongest motivations of human beings are to form themselves into groups or cliques and, having done that, to then keep out everybody else, while convincing themselves that membership in their own particular clique confers some sort of superiority over those they won't admit. If all you can do is run faster than the next guy, then running fast becomes the sole determinant of superiority.

There is nothing in the new restructuring that takes away any accomplishment from those who have earned it. If you are worried about the fact that an Extra ticket no longer automatically indicates 20-wpm code proficiency, and you really need the validation that comes from the admiration of your lessers so much, take one of the ARRL Code Proficiency tests and get a pretty certificate to hang on your wall. Or, better yet, just get on the CW bands and show your abilities to the world.

Hell, if they started giving away Extra tickets in corn flakes boxes, each of us should understand that we are still who we always were and our accomplishments are still what they always were. Changing the requirements does not break your bones, nor does it pick your pocket. The damage you suffer is primarily in your own minds. If your merit as a ham is not self-evident in your on-air professionalism, operating skill, and public demeanor (dare I say 'class?'), then no amount of wallpaper will confer superiority on you. In the real world nobody cares what you got on your entrance exam - only what you do once you're in the door.

73 de pogo / k2iny

In article
<2925C8F52D0884FA.B3B8CD1E69F41055.CC3E1530054BEBEA@lp.airnews.net>,
ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
> On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 12:20:23 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> >Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by
allowing
> >day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised
nothing
> >nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime. The 3
pointer in
> >basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult

to score
> >from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes
IMPROVED OUR
> >QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you
equate the
> >outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are
> >getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general, how
can
> >opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those
who
> >ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to
REDUCE
> >the number on it for the good of the country. The idea is not to
make it
> >easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job
incentives to
> >get people OFF the dole. What the FCC and ARRL did was to make
welfare
> >fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the
handouts to
> >equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting,
self
> >serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take
pride in
> >our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was
not a
> >willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month,
ENDS.
> >AF2Y
>
> What the FCC did was to recognize that the code test had
> outlived its usefulness and are is no more needed than are
> lamplighters in our cities.
>
> It's too bad that those who feel cw is the _only_ test worth
> considering don't have enough vision (or interest in ham radio) to
> recognize that what was once a needed skill has now been replaced by
> more modern technology and reduced to having value to special interest
> groups only. If you--and the other old-timers who can't seem to let go
> of your fixation on code testing--would spend 1/2 as much time helping
> new hams to learn about the hobby as you do knocking them and
> pretending you are better than them because you have an outdated
> skill, you might actually contribute something to the hobby instead of
> driving away new hams with your insults and offensive comments.
>
> You--and others--fought to keep your outdated tests--and you
> lost. Learn to be a graceful loser and get over it!
>
> Rick
>

> --
>
> Rick Adams
> ke8hh@arrl.net
> adamsr@voyager.net
> Department of Social Sciences
> Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
> "... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
> will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
> Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"
>

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1698. FT: Kenwood TH-22a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sfpb6jq27l545@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113707
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it for an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to work....but i think the battery may be dead...runs fine on org wall adapter.....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case you dont allready know...

1699. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FC9828.196206A6@oio.net>
Source record: 113708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ken,
Do us all a favor, don't promote anything. That the
ARRL is pronoting it is bad enough.
Can't you just imagine the 'fall-out' from this movie?
Oh boy! Lots of 'new' people wanting into the hobby so
they too can 'dream' of doing courageous things! Thats
all we need. Then, when these 'new' people realize that
ham radio isn't exactly as depicted in the movie, maybe
after they've invested a few bucks in preparation and
equipment, can you imagine the nice, warm, 'fuzzy' "I've
been had" feeling they'll leave with? Thats all we need.
The people making movies probably know more about
how to promote them than we do. Why don't you let them
do it?
'Doc
PS - And no, thats not being pesimistic, it's being
realistic.

1700. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <08367a14.f7c40f38@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>
Source record: 113709

Love your pseudo logic. Following your analogy, if I'd had
mastery of some obscure language (read latin), I could have
been pope. 'Just felt that it cramped my style and I really
didn't want the job.

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1701. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: X@Y.Z.net
Message-ID: <slrn8fpfch.9jr.X@animas.frontier.net>
Source record: 113710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 12:15:20 -0500, W5LZ scribbled:
>...... Then, when these 'new' people realize that
>ham radio isn't exactly as depicted in the movie, maybe
>after they've invested a few bucks in preparation and
>equipment, can you imagine the nice, warm, 'fuzzy' "I've
>been had" feeling they'll leave with?

Ya - but... The folks at ebay will be happy.
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1702. Re: Earmics for Motorcycles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy John <jj@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <4A8A59F2BDCDD311BFC800508BA36AC801D06035@gecko.premiersi.com>
Source record: 113711

I purchased a horribly over-priced pair of in-ear (foam-like inserts)
'phones that I use at races (with my scanner). I have searched
unsuccessfully for several years to find a source, but they are excellent
for what you describe. I got them from the Frequency Fan Club - see
http://www.racescanners.com

These, along with one of those mission-control type mics (long skinny flex
tube, would be very suitable. I just have not found a source. Maybe
someone will read these and point us to a seller.

don

Jeff Wilson <jwilson@cc.gatech.edu> wrote in message
news:38FA76CC.91D4EBD9@cc.gatech.edu...
> Hi,
>
> I just recently got into amateur radio. I currently own a Kenwood
> TH-22AT handheld 2 meter. A friend of mine and I are trying to rig our
> Kenwood's up so that we can use them to talk to each other on motorcycle
> road trips.
>
> We tried buying the Kenwood headset with VOX but that worked horribly.
> All kinds of wind noise even though we have full face helmets and wind
> shields.
>
> I've heard that earmics work great for noisy conditions, but I'm having
> trouble finding suppliers. Anyone know where I can get a decent quality
> earmic with PTT suitable for mounting on a motorcycle handlebar? So far
> I've found Cavcom (www.cavcominc.com). They're apparently one of the
> best earmic companies but their cheapest system costs like $600. Ouch!
> Plus the PTT does not look suitable for mounting on a motorcycle. So
> I'm looking for something a bit cheaper.
>
> I'm also interested in any other products that are suited to motorcycle
> riding (throat mics, etc.).
>
> Thanks,
> Jeff Wilson
> KG4FHM

1703. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@arrl.org
Message-ID: <8dif8q$j05$1@news.netmar.com>
Source record: 113712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

In a previous article, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> writes:

>And, of course, they will know all about it after seeing it
>used to talk to someone back in the year 1969. :-)

I used it to talk to people back in 1969, and even earlier.
Didn't you?

dit dit

de Hans, K0HB

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1704. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dihit$f29$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113713

In article <20000417195535.23349.00000674@nso-cq.aol.com>,
sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:
> OK, in light of the recent CW/No code and restructuring debate, I'm
looking for
> some facts......not opinions, but facts.
>
> Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the
speed of CW,
> or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?
>
> Again, I'm not looking for opinion. I'm looking for facts that can
be backed
> up with solid, concrete, scientific, evidence.
>
> Thanks,
> Rick N9GSU
>
I can't correlate it with Amateur Radio Operators, but I can with military types. My knowledge of the Morse Code qualified me for an immediate 3 level (skipped radio school completely) in 1964 Air Force.

It also placed me into Ground Radio Operations where I saved a lot of American and ARVN lives when I was a Forward Air Controller radio operater in Nam. It also made me able to copy "enemy" cw transmissions and relay said info to Army S2. And it got me a nice cush TDY to Bangkok Thailand to play Morse intercept for a while.

And later in the Army it kept me from going back to Nam because Morse qualified O5C/H operaters were needed in Germany. I would say Morse code actually saved my life.

So I suppose it does make one a better Amateur Radio Operator. By making one more diversified and able to communicate under varied conditions.

Isn't that one of the reasons Amateur radio even exists?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1705. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <YB3L4.100$R5.9870@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote:

>The ARRL did NOT command one to study the Handbook. They

>merely mentioned it as a possibility.

Wait, do you mean that the ARRL can *command* things now? I don't know if I am comfortable with that, Cecil. Can we change it back to "suggest" or "recommend?"

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1706. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dii6ofoq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113715

Wolf, I think you missed the point here. CW mastery requires lots of sweat and time, but at the end, all you can do is send and receive dots and dashes faster. It doesn't teach you anything new about RF theory, radio wave propogation, antenna design, good operating practices, RF circuit design, FCC regulations, or any of the other subjects covered in the written tests.

It is a wonderful test of your dedication and determination, I grant you, but we could do that just as easily by making every prospective General and Extra train physically until he can run a up a steep hill a hundred times in a row loaded down with a pair of boat anchors. Actually, knowing the physiques common around the hamfests I go to, this might be a much more difficult hurdle than a mere 20-wpm <g>.

The other problem with code as a benchmark is that peoples' inborn ability to learn code would seem to vary wildly. Some find it relatively easy to learn and to quickly come up to significant speed, while others seem constitutionally unable to do it no matter how hard they try or how long they work at it. In the end, CW capability may be, like music capability, different in every person - something some people are literally born with. Some are potential prodigies - others are tone-deaf. In the end, book-learning may be far the fairer measure of a ham's abilities and determination.

Of course, if you are a lot better than most people at a single endeavor, it is human nature for you to embrace that endeavor as the one true measure of superiority <g>.

73 de pogo / K2INY

In article <08367a14.f7c40f38@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>,
wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
> Love your pseudo logic. Following your analogy, if I'd had
> mastery of some obscure language (read latin), I could have
> been pope. 'Just felt that it cramped my style and I really
> didn't want the job.
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1707. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <jF3L4.101$R5.9854@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote:

>Don't know about you, Aaron, but I have never been deluded by the

>"current ham testing scheme" so I cannot agree that it is a sham.

>If you admit to being tricked and deluded, how can you turn around
>and present yourself as knowing the truth?

Now, Cec', HE wasn't tricked and deluded; he is only concerned by all the others who might be tricked and deluded. Don't you know that you and I are describing how easy the tests were in the 50s and 60s so we can cover up the "sham?" :-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

>
>It appears to me the tests do exactly what they were designed to do
>and that is provide a minimum entry level requirement. I recently
>satisfied the minimum entry level requirement for Extra.
>
>Seems the basic question you are asking is: Is there any room in
>amateur radio for non-engineers and non-scientists? I think the
>answer is yes, there is room for everyone who meets the requirements.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1708. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <2I3L4.102$R5.9872@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lee Roberts wrote:

>Friendly? Pleease! After reading the crap in this newsgroup?

Fortunately, the conduct of those in this newsgroup who have decided that they can suspend the normal rules of politeness is not at all typical of ham radio in general. I have met some wonderful, giving people in ham radio -- enough to know that this is an avocation that is well worth the time I spend in it.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1709. Re: Re; Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8diigo$g3i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113718

In article <8dg3bu$o5t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>
> Cheeta's Brother Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.com>, who's been a TECHNICIAN class
> for 7 YEARS whined in message news:20000417131805.18648.00004817@ng-
> cg1.aol.com...
> > >Some idiot wrote:
> > >LRod Hubbard, you're a terrible translator. Did you write the
> JFK, "I'm a
> > >jelly roll" speech?
>
> "Ich bin ein Berliner" does literally translate to that, but that was
> not the intent.
> Kennedy was trying to convey that he understood what was going on in
> Berlin politically at that time, and that he felt like he too, was a
> citizen of that fine city.
>
> > LRod's problem is that he likes to intervene in every NG!
>
> Kind of like YOU do, huh, Lllllllllllllllllloyd the mongolioid?
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> HHHHEYYY RROOGGEERR!! HHHJJKUYHBH MKIJYY VGFVGFBN LO MNNJ LOPP BGH
KKJ FGKI NMJYE RQWQVGJP MJYVN JKUHJKK HGHJJKG KLLK!! <KLUHKIIV??

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1710. Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net
Message-ID: <wIM/4oJPMyuJ090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>
Source record: 113719

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Does anyone know of any on-line written exam testing sites where
I can test my studying to see if I'll pass the exams? I'd rather
see how I'm absorbing the material then reinvent the wheel myself.

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| Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
| Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ |
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1711. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger_K_ Southard"@amar.org
Message-ID: <8digm3$2sql@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 113720

Rick, buddy, calm down, your intolerance is showing. You won. Your hobby has
been dumbed down just as you wanted. It's now just like the public schools.
Sheesh, enjoy it. I still have plenty of challenges in my life, most of which
make me money. Go play all you want with the other kids.

Now, go take your medication and finish reading Algore's book. You'll feel
better.

In article <F3493D4752B746A9.5F2F880CB6C96F8E.8F490BB9ACE7C643@lp.airnews.net>,
ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net says...
>
>On 17 Apr 2000 14:52:26 -0700, Roger_K_ Southard@amar.org wrote:
>
>>While Rick and others are correct in that the FCC recognized "that the code test
>>had outlived its usefulness", what those of Rick's ilk fail to also acknowledge
>>is that the FCC, at the same time, made the written exams less rigorous.
>>Therefore, the overall effect was to lower the standards of not just entry, but
>>also advancement.
>
> On the contrary, the FCC didn't make the written exams more
>_or_ less rigorous. The FCC has no direct influence on the content of
>the tests at all.
>
> If you want someone to blame for the lowered standards, blame
>the VECs who are unwilling to expand the question pools to a large
>enough number of choices that memorization is impossible and to
>increase the level of difficulty of the questions to a point that
>would insure real subject competence on the part of the testee.
>Whether you view this as a laziness on the part of the VECs, or as a
>commercial decision among VECs who are also test prep publishers and
>know they can't sell successfully books with more than a certain
>number of questions in them (costs and pricing would quickly change
>the sales figures) is irrelevant. That the VECs are _solely_
>responsible for the degradation in difficulty, however, is not.
>
>>While I cannot argue that lowering entry standards had some merit, why then was
>>it also necessary to remove all of the challenge?
>
> Unless you consider higher speed code to be the _only_
>challenge (which, clearly, is unreasonably biased), that hasn't
>happened. It's _still_ easier to become a Tech than a General or a
>General than an Extra. Only the Advanced class was eliminated among
>the higher levels, and given the very little difference in privileges
>between Advanced and Extra, and the fact that 4A was _traditionally_
>viewed as a much harder test than 4B anyway, that elimination made

>perfect sense.
>
>>At one time, the Extra
>>license carried NO ADDITIONAL privileges. It was simply for "bragging rights"
>>as some call it. What was so wrong with that?
>
> Everything!
>
> It isn't the role of the FCC -- OR of amateur radio -- to give
>you "bragging rights." That's what awards are for (which is more
>impressive, the ability to copy 20WPM CW or a five-band, qrp, dxcc?)
>and those still exist intact.
>
> The role of the FCC is to provide standards for each class of
>license, and insure that those standards are met. If you want to brag,
>work all dxcc countries between 28.3 and 28.5 using phone and
>operating at 100mw or less--we'll be impressed, trust me. :-)
>
>>Those of you who wish to take a
>>simple exam and "chatter" have been accommodated at the expense of those who
>>seek challenges.
>
> Translation: Those who don't want to spend time learning a
>mode they will never use and which is out-of-date technically, have
>been accommodated at the expense of those whose only standard of
>self-worth is their code speed.
>
>>The FCC could easily have accommodated the "chatterers"
>>without injuring those who seek challenges in life.
>
> They did. The cw portions of the HF bands remain intact--they
>didn't expand phone privileges, they just allowed more people to
>become active in HF.
>
>>Unfortunately, those who
>>seek so called "bragging rights" will find other outlets for their energies.
>>Perhaps that's what Rick wants, and if so, so be it.
>
> Excuse me?
>
> YOU are the one who claimed that you lost your 'bragging
>rights.' Are you now stating that because you can't brag about having
>had to learn 20 WPM code in order to become an Extra, you will no
>longer participate in Ham radio? If _that's_ your attitude, it will
>certainly be a small loss for anyone.
>
> Becoming a ham isn't about lording it over others who haven't
>studied the same things you have--it's about being part of a hobby
>that offers opportunities to a fulfill a wide range of different
>interests. Sorry that you can't see that.

>
> Rick, ke8hh
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>
>Rick Adams
>ke8hh@arrl.net
>adamsr@voyager.net
>Department of Social Sciences
>Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
>"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
>will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
>Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1712. Re: Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dil60$j5u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113721

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In article <wIM/4oJPMyuJ090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>,
<mrhuey@wizvax.net> Ramsay D. Seielstad wrote:
> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>
> Does anyone know of any on-line written exam testing sites where
> I can test my studying to see if I'll pass the exams? I'd rather
> see how I'm absorbing the material then reinvent the wheel myself.
>
> - --
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> | Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org
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> | Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
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> | "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average,
everyday |
> | guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no
significant |
> | use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time ...
and |
> | trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views"
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> | To obtain my PGP Public Key: finger mrhuey@wizvax.net
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> =w7Vq
> -----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
> Ramsay, we all wonder if there will be or is a web site with the new exam. What an idea, if you hear of one POST IT because I would like to "check in".

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1713. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb2101@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8zqqhf$XY51$2@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113722

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 15:24:39 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

: In article <8zqqhf$XY48$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
: jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
:
: > If you believe what is included in the ARRL web pages, open wire feeds
: > can result in electromagnetic field levels which exceed the allowed
: > levels that all hams are supposed to verify they've met,
:
: Please cite the page where this is stated.

http://www.arrl.org/news/rfsafety/hbkrf.html

: > Somewhere on the ARRL web pages, you are told not to use open wire
: > transmission lines any more.
:
: Please cite the page where this is stated.

http://www.arrl.org/news/rfsafety/hbkrf.html

: > Yet more government regulation about a topic no one has any hard
: > scientific evidence about ...
:
: Thanks to your congress. They are the ones that mandated the change.
:
: > ...and the EPA will be happy. :-\
:
: EPA has nothing to do with it. It is an FCC requirement mandated by your
: congress.

It is a joint FCC/EPA effort, as discussed at
http://www.arrl.org/news/rfsafety/hbkrf.html.

The EPA has had a LOT to do with it. You ought to take the time out to
read about it some time, rather than "assuming an attitude" and asking
others to do your homework for you.

1714. CW and music

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418174524.25420.00000764@nso-cl.aol.com>
Source record: 113723

In article <8dii6ofoq1@nnrp1.deja.com>, pogopossum@my-deja.com writes:

> In the end, CW capability may be,
>like music capability, different in every person - something some
>people are literally born with.

This might be another good thread. I can attest that there is more of a connection between music and CW than meets the eye. :)))

I'm a musician, have been nearly all my life. So, what is cw to me? Rhythm, plain and simple. Learing CW was a snap for me. Please understand that I'm not bragging, it's just that, when I became a ham, I had been a musician for about 30 years, about 20 of that professionally, so I dealt with rhythm on a daily basis. Learning CW was simply learning another style of music. I had a very unfair advantage over the rest of those in my class.

And, I know that for a fact some people simply do NOT have that inborn rhythm. I've taught piano, guitar, violin, banjo, dulcimer, trumpet, trombone, and I can tell you one thing. If a person doesn't have some kind of inborn rhythm, he/she might be (perhaps) taught the mechanics of rhythm, but they will never be taught rhythm. (And there is a difference between the mechanics and the real thing)

Same, IMO, with CW. A person might be taught the mechanics of rhythm.......but without some sort of inborn rhythm, they'll never be able to acheive even a moderate level of success with it.

Just my opinion
Rick N9GSU

1715. Re: CW and music

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FCDA9A.239D25D8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113724

SBCmusic wrote:

> And, I know that for a fact some people simply do NOT have that inborn rhythm.
>...If a person doesn't have some kind of inborn rhythm,

and if they've got rhythm, who could ask for anything more? ;-P

1716. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dioo4$n9e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113725

In article <8zqqhf$XY51$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
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> On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 15:24:39 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> : In article <8zqqhf$XY48$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> : jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
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> : > Somewhere on the ARRL web pages, you are told not to use open wire
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> http://www.arrl.org/news/rfsafety/hbkrf.html
>
> : > ...and the EPA will be happy. :-\
> :
> : EPA has nothing to do with it. It is an FCC requirement mandated by
> : your congress.
>
> It is a joint FCC/EPA effort, as discussed at
> http://www.arrl.org/news/rfsafety/hbkrf.html.
>
> The EPA has had a LOT to do with it. You ought to take the time out
> to read about it some time, rather than "assuming an attitude" and
> asking others to do your homework for you.

You guys crack me up. YOU assume that I didn't know anything, and that I didn't read anything about it. YOU couldn't be more incorrect, except insofar as this subject upon which you pontificate so eloquently yet so ignorantly.

You cited the same page 3 times for answers to my challenges. Let's review.

You said that, "open wire feeds can result in electromagnetic field levels which exceed the allowed levels that all hams are supposed

to...[meet]." You attributed that statement to the ARRL webpage in your first generalization, and then cited the webpage above as the source. I invite you to actually read that page and tell me where such a statement exists or is even inferred.

You then stated that, "somewhere on the ARRL web pages, you are told not to use open wire transmission lines any more." Once again, when challenged, you cite the same page, where the ambiguous phrase, "Use good coaxial cable, not open-wire lines or end-fed antennas that come directly into the transmitter area," can be found.

In fact, that is the sole reference to open-wire feeder in the document, and in context refers to bringing the feedline into the shack (transmitter area), not as a blanket prohibition. And that being the only reference highlights the ignorance of your first statement.

Moreover, in the entire article, every discussion, every graph, every calculation, and every FCC requirement is concerned with antennas, not feedline of any kind.

As I said, it is an FCC requirement. EPA provided input as did FDA, IEEE, and ANSI, and several other initialled organizations, but to say it was an FCC/EPA program simply isn't true.

My statement that EPA had nothing to do with it is incorrect insofar as their being involved in studies, but it was not a joint effort anymore than it was a joint FCC/FDA effort. Read the R&O.

You might want to check YOUR attitude at the door in further discussions, and you might want to do a little more accurate and complete work when you do the resarch someone has "asked" you to do to support wild allegations and speculations irresponsibly made by you.

It's not for me. If you want to have any credibility in discussions, you can't speak from legendary knowledge. And you can't assume the other guy is ignorant. I'll give you fair warning, unless a topic is part of my day-to-day working knowledge, I always verify my information before I post on it. Sandbagging ignorance is one of my hobbies.

LRod

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1717. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <DFFCB7C3308FBE09.4C1A7A79F3FB8A53.C1D4D24AF6EC357B@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113726

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 14:52:22 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>>
>I see I should have been more clear. I should have said something
>like; "older hams on HF". I concede the point that a LOT of guys/gals
>have held the old Technician and are now upgrading. And you know
>something? I think that is great.
>
>Do you remember that the original Technician ticket was for
>the "experimenter". It later evolved into a entry level. Interesting
>how things change.. hi.
>
>Dan/W4NTI

I was referring to the original posts obvious tongue-in-cheek reference to having to elmer us new Gs and Es by some old codger who could brag he copies 20wpm. I took my Advanced in the Spring of 1973 from Angelo Ditty, Atlanta's FCC chief at the time. I finished the test a little early because I taught electronics at Sumter Area Technical College, at the time. Teaching electronics, I learned 800% more about it than I ever did sitting in a classroom as a student. Well, I couldn't just sit there and wait so I took my exam up to be graded......

The room was DEAD QUIET with everyone else scratching away on paper and head. Mr Ditty (sp?) put the answer key with all the holes in it over the paper (it was my first multiguess FCC test) and I only got THREE RIGHT! Hmm...not good. With a stern look at me, he was about to say something he'd regret, later, so I asked, "Why are you using the 'B' key over my 'A' test?" (or something to that effect). His answer was unintelligible but every eye in the place was now on ME! I had upset His Immenseness who would be grading their papers later....

Now the correct key was placed over my paper (who knows how many flunked from this mistake over the years). My next cold stare was followed by, "Where did you get the answers to the questions?", much to the amazement of his GS-3 clerk/typist sitting next to him. "Sir!", I replied with my astonished look, "I teach electronics in a college for a living. I have a 1st phone with Radar endorsement and I think this test is an INSULT (emphasized for effect in my speech) to my intellegence as a professional!" A simple, "You passed and got 'em all right!", was his reply. End of conversation.....

The assemblage started breathing on their own several seconds later as they ran short on oxygen. It was right out of an old movie where the slave Jews were waiting for the shots fired when one of them dared

look at the camp kommandant, directly. I left so they could resume their tests.

Larry W4CSC/AE newbie. 13wpm was fast enough for anyone.

1718. Re: Fcc license lookup web page, check your upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <A6DEA2B0ABC25880.40114C73058F53DF.E6DF88FF6D0FBAE4@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113727

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 08:58:57 -0700, Don Putnick
<dputnick@alumni.caltech.edu> wrote:

>
>> Thanks for the pointer. I'm E "eligible" having passed in Jan, but
>> the paper, of course, hasn't caught up with the assigned call.
>
>You wouldn't happen to have a vanity call, would you? The eligibility
>code refers to the reason you used to request your vanity call.

Yes, I got my W4CSC (for Charleston, South Carolina) in February. The
paperwork for the previously tested newbies WAS sent into VEC/FCC in
January. I simply didn't understand why having this data we had to
destroy another forest to send in the SAME data on Apr 15th. Seems
redundant, even for a government bureaucracy.

Larry
W4CSC/AE

1719. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <35ABFB7EE6218B52.7DB7C90D4EB13110.4857E3E69936A6FC@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 01:31:55 GMT, Lee Roberts <ki7rw@arrl.net> wrote:

>Aaron Jones wrote:
>
>> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>>
>> > why are they choosing ham radio over CB, FRS and...
>>
>> Because ham radio for all its warts, still is a great place to be, and
>> offers the social benefits of meeting other friendly people.
>
>Friendly? Pleease! After reading the crap in this newsgroup? I tried apologizing
>to one individual and he took another shot at me! Friendly? Dream on! There
>might be a few friendly people here but they're hard to see with all the flaming
>going on.
>
>
These newsgroups are populated by the same malcontents that plague
such illustrious frequencies as 14.313 and other such pits in our
hobby. For them, and that, I apologize to you. Ignoring such tiny
groups, referring to the whole, you'll find most hams to be even a
little 'TOO' friendly......(c;

Whatever you do, don't approach a ham's huge mobile installation and
say, "What's that?".....if you intend to get home before late in the
evening. Your education of his fantastic mobile communications
station even NASA and the military are no match for MUST be complete!
Try not to interrupt him when he's on a roll. Sometimes they get a
little testy (or is that testes?) if you balk at the complete tour or
suddenly look uninterested in something they've spent the last 30
years in R & D perfecting to the assemblage you see before you. I'm
sure you understand how important it all is to US....(c;

I was 11 when I got my Novice in 1957. A group of "old hams", long
silent keys now, took me and 3 of my friends under their wings and
treated us like favorite sons, their sons having long grown up.
Before my license came in, much to their relief because they could
actually OPERATE their own stations after we kids got stations of our
own, I could tune and load Hallicrafters kilowatt transmitters with
precision, come up on any DX station's exact frequency split on the
National NC-303 and have worked a new country for my "Elmer" he'd been
trying to work, himself, for months.....much to his dismay....hee hee.
They were certainly cooperative and friendly trying to get OUR
stations running with loans of equipment and antenna parties....just

to be rid of us for a while....(c;

Ham radio, today, suffers from the same psychological ills as the rest of the country. "Road rage", as you can tell on any band, is rampant. Humans are out of touch with themselves, overrun by technology they don't fully understand. Some feel a terrible sense, rightly, of losing what little control they had of their lives, to speak nothing of their equipment. Ham Radio in the 1950's, when I got mine, was very simple, tubes, simple oscillators, amplifiers, antennas, superhet receivers running off analog everything. It was quite easy to understand, repair yourself with cheap test equipment and a Weller 40w iron, tune and align with a minimum of test equipment. This is, of course, no longer true. I doubt 1% of us comprehend frequency synthesis, digital signal processing, switching amplifiers and power supplies, etc. So, as much as this cowboy independence of the past is romantic, we are NOT going to troubleshoot the 256-pin, 16-bit, microprocessor-controlled rigs to more than telling the LABORATORY equipped to fix it which FUNCTION we THINK is busted. I say we THINK because many times I've fixed my 45wpm, Extra-Class-Since-Hiram-Was-21 friends computerized rigs by simply rebooting the processor and starting over. It is a computer, you know....(c; This feeling of losing control over our destiny in EVERYTHING we own or touch promotes the general feeling of helplessness and the rage you see on the newsgroups and on the ham bands.

I'm 54 now and swimming DESPARATELY to keep myself from drowning in ignorance of new ideas, concepts, designs and engineering......but, I'm still AFLOAT, so I'm just glad to BE HERE AT THIS TIME!

Larry W4CSC/AE.....The BEST hams around here are NO CODE techs putting up repeater systems, climbing towers and linking TO THE BENEFIT OF ALL! God, thank them, will you?!!

1720. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418192333.25765.00002480@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 113729

<< John Sullivan discovers in the house he inherited
his father's old ham radio and begins to play with it. >>

Could be confusing to the general public who may think it's okay to get an old ham rig and play with it, sans license (as depicted in the movie).

Aside from that, the movie has many entertaining moments and a clever plot. Hams will get a chuckle over...

* Dennis Quaid's vintage Heathkit (SB-104?). Works with no coax plugged into the SO-239 jack
* Rig powers ON or OFF by itself
* Rig randomly switches from PTT to VOX
* A character's comments re ham radio: "amazing that people still use this old stuff!"
* "CB" QSL cards on wall of Quaid's shack
* Triband beam on the roof never rotates
* Technicolor "aurora" seen over NY skies circa1969 causes no panic
* Wife doesn't care that Quaid is hamming all day and night
* No TVI complaints from neighbors

Joe, W1GFH

1721. Kenwood TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Morgan <michaelmorgan1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <rj6L4.2$9t.228@green.intersurf.net>
Source record: 113730

My 440 has a problem I am not sure what to think. I just recently purchased it . And upon using it I have noticed instead of putting out 100W as rated it only puts out 20W on all bands on all modes. Any help would be appreciated. I verified the SWR meter is accurate to a external SWR meter.

Thanks

Michael Morgan
cmorgan@intersurf.com

1722. Re: Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <WE6L4.65034$W5.603160@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113731

What country are you from?
I wrote the US and Aus exams before writing the Canadian Basic.
on the US, I got 96%, 98% and 94%.
on the AUS, I got 92% and 96%
I passed all of these with out studying.
The Canadian exam I didn't do near as well, There was no comparison
between them and the CAN. It was down right HARD!
I would go as far as to say 5-10 times harder after studying for a
few days.

That why I ask what country you are from.

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EDDY

Ramsay D. Seielstad <mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net> wrote in message
news:wIM/4oJPMyuJ090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net...
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| Does anyone know of any on-line written exam testing sites where
| I can test my studying to see if I'll pass the exams? I'd rather
| see how I'm absorbing the material then reinvent the wheel myself.
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Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
| | Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
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| | "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average,
everyday |
| | guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no
significant |
| | use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time
... and |

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| | trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views"
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1723. Re: Kenwood TS-440S Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FCDBDD.580F29B3@oio.net>
Source record: 113732

Michael,
On the TS-440 thee is a small slide-switch located
inside(forgot which board) labeled 'tune'. When this
switch is in the 'tune' position, all output is reduced
to between 10 and 20 watts. Make sure this switch is
in the 'norm' or 'op' position for normal operations.
If that isn't the reason for your low output, then
I would have to think the radio has been 'diddle-sticked',
and needs to be 'gone-thru' by someone who knows what
they are doing.
I am assuming, (bad practice), that you are following
the manual as to operating settings of controls etc. IF
not, then you really need a manual.
'Doc

1724. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sfq04hf4e0172@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Go find yourself a pig and have at it.
--

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons

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"Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:oz5I4.22961$0f2.792455@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net...
> If you look at my page carefully you will find a comedy routine on the
> oxymoron, ham sex. If you are a more typical ham (boring) there are
> references to the best ham sites in the world.
> So whether you are a loser or winner, have a life or not, like dx or not
> there is a place for you on my site.
> Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You
> will see:
>
> 1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
> 2. Really interesting answering machine messages
> 3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
> 4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
> 5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
> 6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
> 7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
> 8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
> 9. An amazing card game that will shock others
> 10. Pictures of me and my family.
> 11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
> 12. See now the future of ham radio.
> 13. How to pass the A+ Certification
>
> Burt Fisher
> A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
> Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
> K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have
>
> burt@broadcast.net

> http://www.geocities.com/k1oik
> http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
> http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
> http://burt.electricport.com
>
>
>

1725. Re: WHERE ARE THE APOLOGIES FOR AC5IU ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dg8jd$u0b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113734

In article <8dg3kuofs1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8dbf43qaa1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > ILL TELL YOU WHAT DUMBASS I HERD YOU ON 313 THREATEN W4FQF TO WHIP
HIS
> > ASS HE IS A OLD MAN. NOW IM 44 YEARS OLD WHY DONT YOU COME TO
MICHIGAN
> > AND WHIP MINE
>
> Then he's old enough to know better than to run down somebody and
their
> family on the air.
>
> >BRING YOUR WIFE AND ILL GIVE HER SOMETHING YOU CANT
>
> 350 pounds of lard?
>
> COME
> > JUMP IN THE FIRE DUMBASS LETS SEE HOW BAD YOUR ARE NOW. THE CAR
FIXER
>
> <Peals of derisive laughter>
> You're too easy, dumbass.
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
YOUR A REAL BAD ASS BEHIND THAT KEYBOARD 1200 MILES AWAY FATASS WISE
MAN POLLY HAD YOUR NUMBER.

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Before you buy.

1726. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Buddha <garboy21@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <8dga9f$vt8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113735

In article <20000415200903.13314.00000471@ng-fs1.aol.com>,
sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:

> And, to the oldtimers, the same advice applies. The hobby is what you
make it.
> Make it a miserable hobby, you'll have a miserable time. Make it a
great
> hobby, you'll have a great time!!
>
> 73 de N9GSU, Rick Garrett, Muncie, Indiana

Well, yes and no. I think the 5 wpm code speed was inevitable given
that other countries had already adopted the slower requirement, but I
can tell you Ham radio was fast becoming a geriatric hobby.
Will slow code speeds bring more techs and engineers from a younger
generation? Well, I doubt it since in the sixties radio was still more
or less techno, but today.. computers and cellulars dominate younger
folks techno living rooms.

I can't imagine keeping the cw bands as they are when only a very
select few will choose to deploy cw.
But, I have a very simple 100 watt station and am quite sure on SSB
would be drowned out. In past few days I've worked, VU, VK6, ZP, OH,
UA0, JA6 .. and more.
The simpler the set up the more important cw becomes.
I can see a lot of folks saying, I's like to work ham radio, but my
income, family requirements etc. don't let me put up a 70 ft tower, 5
element telrex and 1kw amp.
I would then say, cw may be a choice that will let you have the fun
you want at a cost you can afford.

Well, I've been licensed 41 years this June and still enjoy hamming, but
find the simpler side is more enjoyable. Lots of people have gone QRP,
at a watt or so.. but so far 100 is as low as I'm willing to go given
the limited time I have to call DX.. and get a QSO.

73 Gary W1IT

--
Dee greater Dee Ignorance.. Dee Stronger the Dogmatism.
Scooy-Do

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1727. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <gfOK4.62195$W5.576960@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113736

From what I was told and seen just last night,
9600 on vhf and 2400 on uhf.
Not sure what your getting at, but on VHF, 9600 is considered fast.
I think your reading what he said wrong, it wasn't a comparison
between the two.
The comparison was made to high speed internet and he was just
stating the speeds on both.
That's the way I read it.
--
EDDY

LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8decsaqmt1@nnrp1.deja.com...
| In article <HqwK4.59839$W5.555977@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
| "EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
|
| > I think he meant UHF not HF
|
| Except he said, " On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is
it on
| HF."
|
| If your assertion were true, the second, "UHF", number would be
equal to
| or larger than the first. No, what he wrote is what he meant, and
it's
| just plain wrong.
|
| LRod
|
|
| Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
| Before you buy.

1728. Re: Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sledgehammer007@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dgcts$2jb$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113737

In article <8dfou6$c4p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000417131805.18648.00004817@ng-cg1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
>
> > LRod's problem is that he likes to intervene in every NG!
>
> See here's where your difficulty is, here's why you are so
overmatched,
> and here's why you should try to find a way to quietly slip off the
> internet and save yourself further embarrassment:
>
> Very well put, Lrod. I looked up stupid in my Websters, and they had
a picture of LLLLLLoyd. As Dan says, you can't fix stupid!!!! Give up
on LLLLoyd. It's hopeless.I have only posted in 5 newsgroups; r.r.a.m.,
alt.tv.nypd-blue,
> rec.woodworking, rec.food.equipment, and alt.fan.john.mackey. Ever.
>
> Now Deja news shows another dozen or so posts, but as it says on the
> deja page, "numbers may be slightly skewed by cross-postings." I have
> never intentionally posted to more than one newsgroup and I always try
> to edit the "forum" field when replying to keep from crossposting.
Some
> messages get crossposted anyway.
>
> Since you have so much time on your hands, you will find by going to
the
> posts of mine that show as being posted to:
> rec.radio.amateur.policy,
> rec.radio.swap,
> rec.radio.shortwave,
> rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
> rec.radio.amateur.antenna,
> alt.radio.family,
> alt.radio.scanner,
> alt.radio.parg,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment,
> alt.discrimination,
> alt.ham-radio.hf,
> rec.radio.amateur.dx,
> that they all are messages that appear in r.r.a.m., and thus are
> crossposts.
>
> With the possible exception of the two scanner groups, I have never

even
> been to any of the listed newsgroups. In fact, I couldn't even name 5
> newsgroups other than the ones I've mentioned that I've been to.
>
> So, your statement that "he likes to intervene in every NG!" in
addition
> to being absurd on its face, is quite simply a lie.
>
> Your track record so far includes spamming with off topic material
> plagiarized from discredited, lunatic fringe, hand wringers; hailing
the
> idiots of the newsgroup; "predicting" the outcome of events 100%
> unsuccessfully; trolling for sympathy; attacking other users with
> insults that you know not to be true, proving the value of your
"college
> education" with virtually every illiterate post; well, the list is
> impressive.
>
> It's all there in Deja; take a look. You don't fare well in the
> comparison.
>
> By the way, look up "intervene" and "interject." You might learn
> something.
>
> Now, shall we discuss your hyprocisy in criticising my commentary
while
> feeling no compunction about providing your own?
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

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1729. Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Roberts <ki7rw@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <38FBBAC6.897A6796@arrl.net>
Source record: 113738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>
> > why are they choosing ham radio over CB, FRS and...
>
> Because ham radio for all its warts, still is a great place to be, and
> offers the social benefits of meeting other friendly people.

Friendly? Pleease! After reading the crap in this newsgroup? I tried apologizing to one individual and he took another shot at me! Friendly? Dream on! There might be a few friendly people here but they're hard to see with all the flaming going on.

1730. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <38fbba35.76469271@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 113739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 01:31:55 GMT, Lee Roberts <ki7rw@arrl.net> wrote:

>Aaron Jones wrote:
>
>> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>>
>> > why are they choosing ham radio over CB, FRS and...
>>
>> Because ham radio for all its warts, still is a great place to be, and
>> offers the social benefits of meeting other friendly people.
>
>Friendly? Pleease! After reading the crap in this newsgroup? I tried apologizing
>to one individual and he took another shot at me! Friendly? Dream on! There
>might be a few friendly people here but they're hard to see with all the flaming
>going on.

Hams are better in person or on the air, but esp the OT's (not
entirelythe OT's but esp) are still grousing bout the loss of 11m to
CB as if it were the fault of the newcomers or some such nonsence
>
>

1731. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <0473184A3443B252.89F83817704E6426.1170412F0B70FE33@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 11:15:03 -0500, "Richard McCollum"
<rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote:

>
>"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in message
>news:TrGK4.57$R5.7145@news.ntplx.net...
>> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>
>> >Material much easier? I suggest you page through your '63 Handbook.
>> >The LMs always advised the reader to use the Handbook a text to help
>> >prepare for one's exam.
>>
>>
>> I did not own an Handbook in 1963. All of my studying was from the
>16-pages
>> of General Class license manual. I did a combination of real learning,
>> memorization and sheer luck, recognizing the correct answers on the exam
>> when I saw them.
>>
>> If there was a "golden era" of ham radio when the FCC exams really proved
>> that hams knew all the material covered by the scope of their exams, it
>was
>> not in 1963.
>>
>> 73,
>> Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
>And the Commercial Exams of the period were courses in Radio-Archeology as
>well. Remember the ads in the Correspondence School section of every
>magazine "Earn your FCC license!" right next to the detective schools --
>"It's a thrill bringing a crook to Justice". That was a rote-memorization
>exercise if there ever was one.
>
>Dick BK Extra and First Phone
>
>
Does this mean I'm never going to use the tickler coil technology they
taught me?....hee hee.

Larry W4CSC/AE

1732. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <79FA2703B6ADD786.FFE8DB876D5D5B6C.BFEB4E6E780DA3D3@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 11:46:59 -0400, "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)"
<w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:

>why are they choosing ham radio over CB,
>FRS and the internet?
>
>73,
>Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
If you and ARRL think "they" are choosing ham radio over the internet,
you've been reading much too much of your own propaganda. The
Comcast@home cable system in Charleston, SC, ALONE, adds 350 new users
per WEEK! That's just one of 82 ISPs serviing Charleston I know
about...Yeah, right.

Larry W4CSC

1733. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <957BCC49C71D75BA.40FB0A37DE0C5ACD.AF363FCC4B3FB052@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113742

On 17 Apr 2000 03:59:19 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>Hey, we new /AG and /AE's don't want to spoil the HF bands. We will
>make newbie mistakes, so please educate us when we do.

Yeah, that's right! I'm a new /AE and have only been on the air since
1957. I need LOTS of directions. I've been in Electronics since Navy
"A" school in 1964. I need LOTS of directions. I've had a 1st Phone
with Radar endorsement since 1967. I need LOTS of directions.....

I've been a ham longer than a lot of Extras have LIVED! I need lots
of directions. Until now, only FCC employees gave me my code and
UNPUBLISHED tests. I don't need lots of directions.....thanks.

Larry W4CSC alias half a dozen other calls.....(c;
God, you'd think every new General or Extra just crawled out of a
hole. How stupid......

I see by your WA2 you've been around, too, Bob....hee hee. Think
we'll just ruin ham radio with our new priviledges we had BEFORE ARRL
incentive licensing nonsense put them on a little pedestal to be awed?

1734. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <6F561CF0E0294676.979CD41BCFBCA2AD.061C2BACC21C505B@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113743

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 01:09:00 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
> Okay

I saw some of your other posts, W5LZ. How long have you been on HF,
just for info??

Larry W4CSC

1735. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <AE83DAD6824C9F3F.33167F357780109B.5BFD22B0823B4587@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113744

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 15:34:46 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <8de26n$7jg$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
>> Hey, we new /AG and /AE's don't want to spoil the HF bands. We will
>> make newbie mistakes, so please educate us when we do.
>>
>I am reasonable confident that the majority of "old hams" will do just
>that.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>

Hmm...that's going to be kinda hard, here. Most new AE's have been on ham radio around here since the 1960's I saw in that upgrade room filling out forms for the tests they took in January. If you put a requirement that they had to be on the air for 20 years before they could be an Extra, it wouldn't have made any difference to any of them!

Larry W4CSC

1736. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dgl1ibhm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113745

In article <gfOK4.62195$W5.576960@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
"EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:

> From what I was told and seen just last night, 9600 on vhf and 2400 on
> uhf. Not sure what your getting at, but on VHF, 9600 is considered
> fast.
> I think your reading what he said wrong, it wasn't a comparison
> between the two.
> The comparison was made to high speed internet and he was just
> stating the speeds on both.
> That's the way I read it.

Okay, let's back up a bit. The original query was, "...but I am looking again to see if it has evolved far enough to serve as a high speed internet connection."

No differentiation between HF, VHF, UHF or anything.

Then the response we are discussing said, "On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF."

By implication, the comparison was between the two most popular segments of ham radio; HF and VHF.

Now consider history. HF has never been allowed more than 300 bauds (with the relatively recent exception of 10 meters, and its max is 1200). So, although 2400 would certainly be considered fast on HF, it isn't and has never been permitted.

About ten or fifteen years ago, 1200 bauds was the highest you could use on VHF up to 220 MHz. You had to go to 220 MHz AND above to use the 9600 bauds stuff that was starting to come out on the market. Keep in mind that 9600 modems were not the limiting factor in the speed change; it was the radios. Up until about 1989 radios had to be modified for 9600 bauds. And even the early PLL "9600 ready" radios were finicky.

Then (I don't know when exactly, my most currently available hardcopy set of regs is 1995 and it's in there) the standards were changed to 19.2 kbauds above 50 MHz and 56 kbauds above 220 MHz. The significant point is, the higher in frequency you go, the bigger the bands, and the more they can accomodate the higher bandwidth of the higher speed modems. That's why citing a lower speed for UHF than VHF doesn't make sense.

Now I was on packet on 2 and 220 at the time, but I never did 440. I have no reason to believe there was a standard other than 1200 or 9600 on that or any other VHF or UHF band. In fact, I don't recall any 2400

bauds packet anywhere. Not that there wasn't, I just am not aware of it.

So, given that history, and considering the statement, "On VHF 9600 baud is considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF," I believe he was (erroneously) saying 2400 on HF. The statement doesn't make sense otherwise.

Anyway, unless he comes back to clarify (which I'm sure he won't, because either interpretation is factually incorrect), we won't know. I won't argue the point further.

LRod

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1737. Re: Fcc license lookup web page, check your upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <2EE4B62AA1AD5311.0603F47008BF39CC.D3C986A0C7241A27@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113746

It works faster if you use:
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/uls_call_res.hts?db_id=19&rows=&callsign=W4CSC

and simply use your call in ALL CAPS at the end of this URL than mine.
Book mark it and you don't have to go through the other pages....go
direct. I tried several calls at the end of the URL and it works
great direct.

Thanks for the pointer. I'm E "eligible" having passed in Jan, but
the paper, of course, hasn't caught up with the assigned call.

Now, seeing as how FCC's own database KNOWS all these hams are
"eligible" for their upgrades on April 15th......wouldn't it have
saved EVERYONE a ton of trees, 5 million volunteer examiner hours and
countless mandays at the now SWAMPED FCC licensing bureacracy to
simply write a few lines of code into the ULS to AUTOMATICALLY just
send everyone who took the early tests their new license EXACTLY on
Apr 15th at 00:00:01 EDT? Hello? Is anyone home up there?? Why have
a database at all if you DON'T USE IT for anything but a doorstop??

Larry W4CSC/AE since January 15th....(sigh)...just waiting for the
changes they all KNEW were ordered!

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 22:03:42 GMT, wa2ise <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:

>http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/callsign.hts
>
>Fill in your callsign. On next page click ULS DATABASE.
>Then you'll see if your license has been updated. When it is,
>you can quit using /AG or /AE.
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

1738. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000417233827.10361.00002032@ng-bj1.aol.com>
Source record: 113747

I will pray that you all forgive each other and may the light of the Lord shine on you all.

W0CBF

1739. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fbd8bd.2295861@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 18:26:45 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>The analogy doesn't fit anymore. Being employable in
>>electronics today requires FAR more knowledge than
>>40 years ago.
>
>Well now, I've been trying to point that out to several on the newsgroup. I
>agree things were much simpler in the 50s, both in industry and the hobby.

I have also raised that point at various times in the past.

>But as many have also pointed out, the current Extra test is much harder
>technically than the Extra test of the 50s, so things should balance out.
>
>How long would you estimate it would take for a layperson to really *learn*
>the electronics to pass the Extra? A week or a year? I rest my case...

If we are talking about someone brand new to ham radio
who has NO real science background beyond high school,
then I'd say today's Extra probably LOOKS unatainable.
If that same person goes Tech, then General, then Extra,
I think it will take them a considerable time.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1740. Re: NEWSLINE CAUSES SLEEP..!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004180440570.616-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 113749

On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 xyz@privacy.net wrote:
> Yawn......NEWSLINE....(Snoozeline) is still at it with the same
> boring rhetoric... It's almost time for the 'begging' for money again,
> so Bill can pay for his TOYS.!!!!

That's why I live in Los Angeles (the "home" of Newsline) but support "This Week in Amateur Radio" instead. They disclose that costs are only about $100/month. (See their web pages: "www.twiar.org" and" www.qsl.net/twiar" for details)

1741. Morse exercises No.19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8dgttr$7ir$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 113750
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr19_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr19_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr19_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

1742. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FBFC08.BB14C397@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> We all know people
> that have passed the Extra and know little about electronics. It's our dirty
> little secret that nobody wants to admit or talk about it...our joke of a
> ham technical (snicker) test...

One could say the same thing about a driver's exam. These types
of exams are absolute *minimum* entrance requirements, not graduation
certificates. I'm a lot better driver now than when I got my
driver's license at age 14 although I have forgotten the answers
to some of the questions on the test.

We've not had a very technical exam in ham radio for at least 50
years. The entire complexion of ham radio would be changed if we
suddenly initiated a highly technical exam. It is not something
to be done willy nilly. It would be somewhat akin to requiring
an engineering degree for every ham.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1743. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <QhTK4.63347$W5.591606@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113752

Well I must say, with this conversation I have learned a thing or
two.
I'm not sure what he meant, I just figured he made a mistake on the
HF part.
Maybe we should let him clarify.

Thanx for the conversation, it make a newcomer like me dig for
information!
--
EDDY

_____
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8dgl1ibhm1@nnrp1.deja.com...
| In article <gfOK4.62195$W5.576960@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
| "EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
|
| > From what I was told and seen just last night, 9600 on vhf and
2400 on
| > uhf. Not sure what your getting at, but on VHF, 9600 is
considered
| > fast.
| > I think your reading what he said wrong, it wasn't a comparison
| > between the two.
| > The comparison was made to high speed internet and he was just
| > stating the speeds on both.
| > That's the way I read it.
|
| Okay, let's back up a bit. The original query was, "...but I am
looking
| again to see if it has evolved far enough to serve as a high speed
| internet connection."
|
| No differentiation between HF, VHF, UHF or anything.
|
| Then the response we are discussing said, "On VHF 9600 baud is
| considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF."
|
| By implication, the comparison was between the two most popular
segments
| of ham radio; HF and VHF.
|
| Now consider history. HF has never been allowed more than 300 bauds
| (with the relatively recent exception of 10 meters, and its max is
| 1200). So, although 2400 would certainly be considered fast on HF,

it
| isn't and has never been permitted.
|
| About ten or fifteen years ago, 1200 bauds was the highest you
could use
| on VHF up to 220 MHz. You had to go to 220 MHz AND above to use the
9600
| bauds stuff that was starting to come out on the market. Keep in
mind
| that 9600 modems were not the limiting factor in the speed change;
it
| was the radios. Up until about 1989 radios had to be modified for
9600
| bauds. And even the early PLL "9600 ready" radios were finicky.
|
| Then (I don't know when exactly, my most currently available
hardcopy
| set of regs is 1995 and it's in there) the standards were changed
to
| 19.2 kbauds above 50 MHz and 56 kbauds above 220 MHz. The
significant
| point is, the higher in frequency you go, the bigger the bands, and
the
| more they can accomodate the higher bandwidth of the higher speed
| modems. That's why citing a lower speed for UHF than VHF doesn't
make
| sense.
|
| Now I was on packet on 2 and 220 at the time, but I never did 440.
I
| have no reason to believe there was a standard other than 1200 or
9600
| on that or any other VHF or UHF band. In fact, I don't recall any
2400
| bauds packet anywhere. Not that there wasn't, I just am not aware
of it.
|
| So, given that history, and considering the statement, "On VHF 9600
baud
| is considered fast, and 2400 is it on HF," I believe he was
| (erroneously) saying 2400 on HF. The statement doesn't make sense
| otherwise.
|
| Anyway, unless he comes back to clarify (which I'm sure he won't,
| because either interpretation is factually incorrect), we won't
know. I
| won't argue the point further.
|
| LRod
|

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| Before you buy.

1744. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dh0s7$96b$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113753

John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>: That's the first time I've mentioned DeSoto's book. I usually quote
>: from early issues of QST. They're all available on CD now.

>Oh? Then please explain your post titled "the Politics of Enforcement",
>dated 10/06/1999, and easily found on Deja. In that post you say
> " ... (Quotes taken from DeSoto's "200 Meters and Down," a
> history of ham radio.)

>That refutes the assertion you just made.

Not at all. If you look on the bottom of Page 24 of "Fifty Years
of ARRL" the footnote reads: "This portion of the story is exerpted
from 'Two Hundred Meters and Down,' by Clinton B. DeSoto." The
10/6/99 post came out of "Fifty Years". My copy of "Two Hundred
Meters" is back in my Nevada home; on 10/6/99 (middle of the Fall
semester) I was in Hawaii using "Fifty Years" as my reference,
and, as mentioned, "Fifty Years" quotes DeSoto's book.

Still awaiting your list of other books on amateur radio history;
you did say there were others.

Jeff KH6O

1745. Re: ARRL and the Sherman Antitrust Act

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dh0vk$97f$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113754

John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote:

>Whatever you do, don't tell him about the other books that are out
>there. You don't want to upset him.

Please, tell me any other titles you might know of on amateur radio history. I'm only aware of about a half dozen books devoted exclusively to amateur history. Dozens of other book on general radio history don't don't contain specific details pertaining to amateurs.

Awaiting your list of books,
Jeff KH6O

1746. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Message-ID: <38FC1B43.E83AB0CC@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Source record: 113755

SBCmusic wrote:
>
> OK, in light of the recent CW/No code and restructuring debate, I'm looking for
> some facts......not opinions, but facts.
>
> Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the speed of CW,
> or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?

No.

Why? Because I doubt you will get agreement on what the "quality of
Amateur Radio Operators" really means. This is such an emotive term, YOU
will have to define what you think it is and re-ask the question based
on your perception.

Regards,
Mark.

1747. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dh7c5fnf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>>Didn't your '63 LM instruct you to use the Handbook as a text?

>As a matter of fact, they didn't, at least not in the '57 License
>Manual.

...but then says:

>The very last sentence suggests studying the Handbook,

More Cecilspeak.

73, Jeff KH6O

1748. Re: Amateur historians (was Sherman anti trust act)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dh771fhb1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113757

John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In answer to Jeff Herman's comments about amateur radio history as
>reported by Desoto and others, there are some problems with relying on
>such texts.
>The book by Clinton B. Desoto was last published in 1981, and is a
>nearly out of print item which Amazon requires up to six weeks to
>deliver. It is unreviewed on Amazon, even though it's been around for
>at least 20 years.
>It certainly is obscure, at the very least.

John, DeSoto wrote his book back in the 1920s or 1930s (my copy
is in Nevada); a *reprint* was made in '81. Those reprints were
available at ham radio stores (I bought mine at Henry Radio
in L.A. in the mid-80s). He lived through the era of the new
science of radio and was able to draw from publications, news
reports, attendance at conferences, et cetera. Why would Amazon
conduct a review on a book published some 70-80 years ago?

>And then there's the matter of Desoto's livelihood and allegiances;
>namely, the fact that he was a part of the ARRL Headquarters staff.
>That would seem to me to make it very difficult, if not impossible, for
>him to be an objective historian.

As he details in the preface, the book was written *before* he went
to work at the League. For some reason which I can't recall (again,
my copy is in Nevada) he was not able to find a publisher. He goes
on to say that once he began employment at the League, they agreed
to publish his work even though parts of it were critical of the
League.

>As most university historians will tell you, someone who lived through a
>particular period is useful for reporting the facts, but is not
>generally considered to be a neutral observer.

Can you document this? The use of the superlative "most" is a bit
troubling.

>Historians prefer not to
>rely on material produced by such people as unbiased.

Have you read the book? He writes as a writer reporting facts:
dates, people, places, outcomes.

The history of the new science of the Internet is being written
right now. Who is more reliable: Today's writers living through
this era, or someone in the future, completely detached from the

present day-to-day advancements?

>The ARRL itself was known for being less than objective in its early
>years. Having claimed the first coast to coast radio relay for itself,
>the League conveniently ignored the fact that another relay league
>championed by Hugo Gernsback had already accomplished a coast to coast
>relay the previous year. In fact, the ARRL was the second organization
>of amateurs to form, the first apparently being the one that Gernsback
>championed in his magazines -- the Radio League of America (RLA).

This casts a shadow of a doubt on everything you've written, for
Gernsback's organization was the "Wireless Association of
America." He claimed he had 10,000 members in 1909, when in fact,
there were only about 600 transmitting amateurs in existence.

>The
>ARRL and the RLA were reported as being bitter rivals, with the ARRL
>apparently being the instigator of the whole affair through its QST
>editorial pages, and through one article "The Danger Signal Up" which
>warned against joining such organizations as the RLA.

The League wasn't born until April 6, 1914. The first issue of
QST appeared December 1915. By then, Gernsback's WAA was no longer
in existence. Where are you getting your information from?

>During this
>period of time, neither organization was particularly objective, and it
>is clear that anything written by members of either organization must be
>taken with a grain of salt.

Your opinions are based on falsehoods. DeSoto's work was written
before he went to work for the League.

I'm sorry, but with the grave errors you've committed, you have no
credibility.

73, Jeff KH6O

1749. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dh7os$g40$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote:
>On 17 Apr 2000 19:18:44 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)

>>Didn't your '63 study guide instruct you to use the Handbook as
>>a text? Was the '63 Handbook composed of at least 400 pages?

>BUT it said you did NOT need to use the Handbook.

That's an actual quote from the LM, "You do not need to use
the Handbook"? That's an odd statement for the to say.

Cecil just said: "The very last sentence suggests studying the Handbook,"

You guys need to get your stories straight.

Jeff

1750. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dhjgq$bv0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113759

In article <8dgu8p$v0a$1@newsg2.svr.pol.co.uk>,
"Ken Clark" <g4mpq@diver34.freeserve.co.uk> wrote:
> The guy from Clifton NJ and others of his ilk killed it off...
> >>>>>> No, it was trash like you Ken, the type that followed FZ with
your head up his ass, that killed Ham Radio!<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<
> SBCmusic <sbcmusic@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:20000415200903.13314.00000471@ng-fs1.aol.com...
> > If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the
> future,
> > it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or
anything
> of
> > that sort, it will simply be the people.
> >
> > I've been around the block a time or two, in several different
venues, and
> have
> > as of yet to see a hobby (or a career for that matter) where the
old
> timers
> > were more hateful towards newcomers, simply because they didn't do
it
> "their"
> > way.
> >
> > Folks, your way, my way, anyone's way isn't always the RIGHT way!
And,
> just
> > because someone didn't follow YOUR path to success, doesn't mean
their
> path
> > wasn't just as meaningful for them.
> >
> > Many of these newcomers have knowledge that many of US (yes, I'm
> including
> > myself) oldtimers don't have, and may never have. The president of
our
> local
> > club is (well, was) a no code tech, and could run circles around
the
> majority
> > of us general and above licensees as far as not only technical
knowledge,
> but

> > as far as operating procedure. He has also been a master at
publicity for
> the
> > club, and has brought our club into the attention of our county,
city, and
> > state goverments like we've never seen.....even though he was a
no code
> > tech. His efforts have taken a club that was dying and revived new
life
> into
> > it.
> >
> > My message for the new upgraders.....WELCOME!! (from most of us,
> anyway) I
> > personally, and most of my friends, will give you any and all help
we can.
> > Just remember, this hobby is what YOU make it!!!
> >
> > And, to the oldtimers, the same advice applies. The hobby is what
you
> make it.
> > Make it a miserable hobby, you'll have a miserable time. Make it
a great
> > hobby, you'll have a great time!!
> >
> > 73 de N9GSU, Rick Garrett, Muncie, Indiana
>
>

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1751. Re: What killed ham radio? Herbie did it.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FC6E5A.B09AF013@ahole.com>
Source record: 113760

Ken Clark wrote:
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1752. Re: Amateur historians (was Sherman anti trust act)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FC7002.917A1300@ahole.com>
Source record: 113761

Sounds like what you wrote below is biased against the ARRL since
you seem to have a hatred for the ARRL. Can we believe your telling
us the truth or just the 'way you see it'.

John Bowers wrote:
>
> In answer to Jeff Herman's comments about amateur radio history as
> reported by Desoto and others, there are some problems with relying on
> such texts.
>
> The book by Clinton B. Desoto was last published in 1981, and is a
> nearly out of print item which Amazon requires up to six weeks to
> deliver. It is unreviewed on Amazon, even though it's been around for
> at least 20 years.
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> It certainly is obscure, at the very least.
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> And then there's the matter of Desoto's livelihood and allegiances;
> namely, the fact that he was a part of the ARRL Headquarters staff.
> That would seem to me to make it very difficult, if not impossible, for
> him to be an objective historian.
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> As most university historians will tell you, someone who lived through a
> particular period is useful for reporting the facts, but is not
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> years. Having claimed the first coast to coast radio relay for itself,
> the League conveniently ignored the fact that another relay league
> championed by Hugo Gernsback had already accomplished a coast to coast
> relay the previous year. In fact, the ARRL was the second organization
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> ARRL and the RLA were reported as being bitter rivals, with the ARRL
> apparently being the instigator of the whole affair through its QST
> editorial pages, and through one article "The Danger Signal Up" which
> warned against joining such organizations as the RLA. During this
> period of time, neither organization was particularly objective, and it
> is clear that anything written by members of either organization must be
> taken with a grain of salt.
>
> What is also clear to me is that histories which focus only on amateur
> radio tend to be written by amateurs. Those authors are often not

> objective and remind me somewhat of the Russian "historians" of the cold
> war era, because they lay claim to all sorts of things that just aren't
> so, often backing up their assertions by quoting other equally
> unobjective books or articles also written by amateurs.
>
> Instead, one must look to people publishing broader, peer-reviewed
> histories, such as "A History of Radio", where there is far less
> tendency for the author to promote an agenda or a party line. In those
> historical accounts, the reader can get a truer perspective of amateur
> radio and its contributions to the art of radio.
>
> In fact, I'll go so far as to say that a "history" of ham radio which
> has been written by an amateur should be approached with great caution.
> It is highly likely that it will be a history distorted by omission and
> one which will greatly mislead the reader.
>
> No matter what such books say, amateur radio did not invent or save the
> world of radio, and that is especially true of the ARRL.
>
> That is not meant to deny the contributions of the ARRL or of individual
> amateurs, but rather to point out that they have both been exaggerated
> over the years by the overly enthusiastic prose emanating from Newington.
>
> Don't be taken in by it. Look up your history in recognized historical
> accounts, or in places which make the original materials available, such
> as http://www.ipass.net/~whitetho/index.html

1753. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FC7082.7EA4DE55@ahole.com>
Source record: 113762

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>
> In article <8zqqhf$XY48$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
> > On Mon 17 Apr 2000 18:08:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >
> > : "Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:
> > : > Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have
> heard of
> > : > several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no
> idea ...
> >
> > : Why buy when you can build?
> > :
> > : 1. Instal a 120 foot horizontal wire. Feed in center with 450 ohm
> > : ladder line. Or 300 ohm TV wire,if using only low power.
> Buy/build a
> > : tuner that works on balanced line. All bands, no sweat. Cheap.
> >
> > There is a problem with this kind of antenna now that the signal level
> > regulations are going into effect. If you believe what is included in
> > the ARRL web pages, open wire feeds can result in electromagnetic
> field
> > levels which exceed the allowed levels that all hams are supposed to
> > verify they've met, starting this year on all license renewal
> > applications and on all license change applications. Somewhere on the
> > ARRL web pages, you are told not to use open wire transmission lines
> any
> > more.
> >
> > Yet more government regulation about a topic no one has any hard
> > scientific evidence about ...
> >
> > : 2. Build a "fan dipole". Make 3 seperate dipoles, for 75/40/20
> >
> > Number two is apparently the better choice. Susan won't irradiate her
> > neighbor's kids too much when she's on the air and the EPA will be
> > happy. :-\
> >
> Good point about the rf coming off of the ladder line. I did a run
> with the on-line calculator with my station. My antenna's are about 25
> foot over my head. (yeah I know). And with 800 watts the formula's say
> Im ok.
>

> The ladder line is still a good option. Perhaps placing the 4 to 1
> balun outside, then run coax into the ATU would keep the "rf out of
> everything".
>
> And the coax deal should also be ammended based on the "rf polution
> theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point. That
> should keep the "skin effect" radiation to a minimum. Right?

???? skin effect on a balanced line?

> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1754. Re: W4FQF = American Zero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FC70C5.5A0DA587@ahole.com>
Source record: 113763

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> N0VFP, Lloyd,
>
> To my mind, you're taking "puffing" to new levels of hyperbole.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

1755. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8dhk2i$b9s$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 113764

<Roger_K_ Southard@amar.org> wrote in message
news:8dg12q$1kpf@edrn.newsguy.com...
> While Rick and others are correct in that the FCC recognized "that the
code test
> had outlived its usefulness", what those of Rick's ilk fail to also
acknowledge
> is that the FCC, at the same time, made the written exams less rigorous.
> Therefore, the overall effect was to lower the standards of not just
entry, but
> also advancement.
>
> While I cannot argue that lowering entry standards had some merit, why
then was
> it also necessary to remove all of the challenge? At one time, the Extra
> license carried NO ADDITIONAL privileges. It was simply for "bragging
rights"
> as some call it. What was so wrong with that? Those of you who wish to
take a
> simple exam and "chatter" have been accommodated at the expense of those
who
> seek challenges. The FCC could easily have accommodated the "chatterers"
> without injuring those who seek challenges in life. Unfortunately, those
who
> seek so called "bragging rights" will find other outlets for their
energies.
> Perhaps that's what Rick wants, and if so, so be it.

I'd be a lawyer if I could get the Bar Exam beforehand, a doctor if I could
see
the Boards first. Where's the real accomplishment/challenge in passing an
Amateur
Radio exam? -- Skill in Amateur Radio comes with operating, experimenting,
operating,
building things and uh, operating. Respect and sense of accomplishment lie
therein and
"Standards for Entry" will, ultimately, IMO have little effect on Amateur
Radio from a
worldwide (HF) perspective.

john kh2/k4ana

>
> Or, so it seems to me.
>
> Rog.

>
> In article
<2925C8F52D0884FA.B3B8CD1E69F41055.CC3E1530054BEBEA@lp.airnews.net>,
> ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net says...
> >
> >On Sun, 16 Apr 2000 12:20:23 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> ><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >
> >>Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by
allowing
> >>day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised
nothing
> >>nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime. The 3 pointer in
> >>basketball REWARDED the shooter because it's so much more difficult to
score
> >>from that distance. Installing running water and TV in homes IMPROVED
OUR
> >>QUALITY OF LIFE which is what it's all about anyway. How can you equate
the
> >>outlined improvements to the what the ham radio freebie artists are
> >>getting? If for instance ham radio represents life in general, how can
> >>opening the door to lazy bums improve it? Welfare is fine for those who
> >>ACTUALLY need it while every administration should do all it can to
REDUCE
> >>the number on it for the good of the country. The idea is not to make it
> >>easier to get welfare but just the opposite. To provide job incentives
to
> >>get people OFF the dole. What the FCC and ARRL did was to make welfare
> >>fashionable-to reward laziness and incompetence and to up the handouts
to
> >>equal what a hard working person earns. It's the most disgusting, self
> >>serving and counterproductive measure ever foisted upon us who take
pride in
> >>our achievements and unless anyone can prove to me that the ARRL was not
a
> >>willing partner in this travesty, my membership ending this month, ENDS.
> >>AF2Y
> >
> > What the FCC did was to recognize that the code test had
> >outlived its usefulness and are is no more needed than are
> >lamplighters in our cities.
> >
> > It's too bad that those who feel cw is the _only_ test worth
> >considering don't have enough vision (or interest in ham radio) to
> >recognize that what was once a needed skill has now been replaced by
> >more modern technology and reduced to having value to special interest
> >groups only. If you--and the other old-timers who can't seem to let go
> >of your fixation on code testing--would spend 1/2 as much time helping
> >new hams to learn about the hobby as you do knocking them and
> >pretending you are better than them because you have an outdated

> >skill, you might actually contribute something to the hobby instead of
> >driving away new hams with your insults and offensive comments.
> >
> > You--and others--fought to keep your outdated tests--and you
> >lost. Learn to be a graceful loser and get over it!
> >
> > Rick
> >
> >--
> >
> >Rick Adams
> >ke8hh@arrl.net
> >adamsr@voyager.net
> >Department of Social Sciences
> >Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
> >
> >"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
> >will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
> >
> >Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"
>

1756. Free to a good home. QST back issues.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.O. Galloway" <tgall@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8dhmfi$oo0$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 113765

QST July 93 through Sep 99.
I think they are all there.

Moving and they've got to go. I'd rather give them away than trash them.

Washington, D.C./Baltimore area.

Reply to tgall@erols.com or call 703-569-6538 and leave message if nobody's around.

T.O. Galloway
WB5SXC

1757. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <D5ZK4.78$R5.7553@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote:

> The point is that the ARRL only *suggested* that the Handbook be
> used as a reference and only in the last sentence after stating
> that all one needed to know was contained in the license
> manual.

Now, you don't think that the League suggested that the Handbook be used to sell more Handbooks, do you? ;-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1758. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418090801.25420.00000714@nso-cl.aol.com>
Source record: 113767

In article <s0bnfso9pv2rbb3ubrt9sg2aqqk9nqesdl@4ax.com>, John <> writes:

>>Again, I'm not looking for opinion. I'm looking for facts that can be
>backed
>>up with solid, concrete, scientific, evidence.
>>
>>Thanks,
>>Rick N9GSU
>
>Hit the road, Troll.
>

First of all, "John", anyone who has known me for the last several years since I've been a ham, and active on the 'net, knows that I'm anything BUT a troll. That question was asked sincerely.

Secondly, I signed my callsign and email address, hardly the mark of a troll. But, I see YOU didn't post that information........

1759. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <7eZK4.79$R5.8180@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Larry W4CSC wrote:

>>why are they choosing ham radio over CB,
>>FRS and the internet?

> If you and ARRL think "they" are choosing ham radio over the
> internet, you've been reading much too much of your own
> propaganda.

The "they" I was referring to was those that are getting licensed instead of (in addition to?) the other choices. And, yes, I "and the ARRL" do believe that those who get ham licenses are choosing ham radio. I thought that the meaning of the sentence would be obvious from the context.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

1760. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of m...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12222-38FC5AB5-3@storefull-113.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113769

Mr. Jones is correct.The present exams do not test ones knowledge of the subject matter. They do test ones ability to memorize answers. I know many tech + license holders who know NOTHING about electronics what so ever but they do (or did) know how to pass the test. Thats just the way it is these days. If the fcc was really serious about hams knowing technical stuff these tests would be different.

1761. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <00dde49c.2ba5fa02@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 113770

You're after abstract quantities and qualities. An abstraction
can be debated until the cows come home. Regardless, a goodly
part of the time spent obtaining a ham ticket used to be cw
proficiency. That, per se, instilled a degree of commitment
and dedication. Those WERE measurable qualities........KZ5B

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The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

1762. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <38FC62BC.D304A11@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113771

> >Installing lights at Wrigley Field IMPROVED baseball generally by
> allowing
> >day workers to see games on Chicago's north side. It compromised nothing
> >nor did it lower the standards of our national pastime.

I have to agree with most of your position, however, the above misses two very significant points. P.K Wrigley laid down the commitment that there would not be night games at Wrigley Field, not because it was in the interests of baseball, but because Wrigley Field was built in a residential neighborhood. Parking for local residents who would otherwise be at work during day games would be consumed by squatters for night games. The concept of parking passes for the locals has proven to be a politically correct farce. Further, noise and traffic at night from patrons leaving the game passing through residential areas would constitute a hazard for local pedestrians and children who were outside enjoying the neighborhood during summer nights. And more importantly, there would be the noise of the game, and the terrible public racket for an hour or more after the game as the patrons,--Cub fans are never quiet after the game--left to go home.
What was compromised was the relationship between the residents of Wrigleyville, and the Park, and the commitment that Wrigley Field would be a good neighbor for the residents.

Of course when the interests are commerce, and television, who at the top gives a FUCK about a good relationship.

Bad example, this. It not only doesn't make your own point, but it supports the resentment of your opponents.

1763. free QSTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FC4724.2E014372@oio.net>
Source record: 113772

If your giving tham away, I'd be interested.
'Doc

1764. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1871-38FC6333-4@storefull-115.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113773

Believe my doctrine or die ! No wonder I am not a religious person.
k1zw

1765. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1870-38FC6402-8@storefull-115.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113774

Nope, tried that , didnt work. You have the license, probley been on 2m
a while. Whats the problem ?

1766. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dhqnm$k2d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113775

In article <1871-38FC6333-4@storefull-115.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
ac5ez@webtv.net (K1zw) wrote:
> Believe my doctrine or die ! No wonder I am not a religious person.
> k1zw

A diety has nothing to do with the ham bands, the only way we can
starighten them out is among ourselves...in other words, it's up to us,
the hams to make the bands better.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1767. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dhrfckuk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113776

In article <38FC7082.7EA4DE55@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
>
> > And the COAX deal should also be ammended based on the "rf polution
> > theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point. That
> > should keep the "skin effect" radiation to a minimum. Right?
>
> ???? skin effect on a balanced line?
>

> >
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>
See word COAX above.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1768. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dhrnt$l90$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113777

In article <8dhrfckuk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <38FC7082.7EA4DE55@ahole.com>,
> Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >
> >
> > > And the COAX deal should also be ammended based on the "rf
polution
> > > theory"...hi. Put a 1 to 1 balun on it at the feed point. That
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> >
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>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

Not everybody can afford new glasses, Dan....lol!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1769. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FC6FA5.158E8BF@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> > The point is that the ARRL only *suggested* that the Handbook be
> > used as a reference and only in the last sentence after stating
> > that all one needed to know was contained in the license
> > manual.
>
> Now, you don't think that the League suggested that the Handbook be used to
> sell more Handbooks, do you? ;-)

I was disappointed when I bought my first Handbook. I didn't understand
it any better than I understood the ARRL License Manual. :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1770. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dhsr0mkl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113779

In article
<AE83DAD6824C9F3F.33167F357780109B.5BFD22B0823B4587@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:
> On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 15:34:46 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >In article <8de26n$7jg$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> > wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> >> Hey, we new /AG and /AE's don't want to spoil the HF bands. We
will
> >> make newbie mistakes, so please educate us when we do.
> >>
> >I am reasonable confident that the majority of "old hams" will do
just
> >that.
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
> >
> Hmm...that's going to be kinda hard, here. Most new AE's have been on
> ham radio around here since the 1960's I saw in that upgrade room
> filling out forms for the tests they took in January. If you put a
> requirement that they had to be on the air for 20 years before they
> could be an Extra, it wouldn't have made any difference to any of
> them!
>
> Larry W4CSC
>
>
I see I should have been more clear. I should have said something
like; "older hams on HF". I concede the point that a LOT of guys/gals
have held the old Technician and are now upgrading. And you know
something? I think that is great.

Do you remember that the original Technician ticket was for
the "experimenter". It later evolved into a entry level. Interesting
how things change.. hi.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1771. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FC7138.EEA14BE6@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >>Didn't your '63 LM instruct you to use the Handbook as a text?
>
> >As a matter of fact, they didn't, at least not in the '57 License
> >Manual.
>
> ...but then says:
>
> >The very last sentence suggests studying the Handbook,
>
> More Cecilspeak.

There is a big difference between instructing you to study the
handbook and suggesting that the handbook be studied.

From Webster's: "instruct - to give an order or command to"
"suggest - to mention or imply as a possibility"

The ARRL did NOT command one to study the Handbook. They
merely mentioned it as a possibility.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1772. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FC7377.71E87C13@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Bill Sohl <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote:
> >On 17 Apr 2000 19:18:44 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
>
> >>Didn't your '63 study guide instruct you to use the Handbook as
> >>a text? Was the '63 Handbook composed of at least 400 pages?
>
> >BUT it said you did NOT need to use the Handbook.
>
> That's an actual quote from the LM, "You do not need to use
> the Handbook"? That's an odd statement for the to say.
>
> Cecil just said: "The very last sentence suggests studying the Handbook,"
>
> You guys need to get your stories straight.

The ARRL License Manual said everything one *needs* to know
is contained in the License Manual. Therefore, a Handbook is
NOT needed. The Handbook was *suggested*, i.e. mentioned as a
possibility for further study if anyone was interested in further
study. The License Manual did NOT *instruct*, i.e. command anyone
to use the Handbook.

The stories are straight. Your inferences are crooked.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1773. W8MMQ web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hicks <email@w8mmq.net>
Message-ID: <38fc7737$1$5038$2c3edae7@news.voyager.net>
Source record: 113782

Visit the W8MMQ web site at
http://www.w8mmq.net/

or check out the recently-updated radio mods library,
http://www.w8mmq.net/mods/

1774. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dhun2opt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113783

In article <8zqqhf$XY48$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:

> If you believe what is included in the ARRL web pages, open wire feeds
> can result in electromagnetic field levels which exceed the allowed
> levels that all hams are supposed to verify they've met,

Please cite the page where this is stated.

> Somewhere on the ARRL web pages, you are told not to use open wire
> transmission lines any more.

Please cite the page where this is stated.

> Yet more government regulation about a topic no one has any hard
> scientific evidence about ...

Thanks to your congress. They are the ones that mandated the change.

> ...and the EPA will be happy. :-\

EPA has nothing to do with it. It is an FCC requirement mandated by your
congress.

LRod

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1775. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <816ED9A6856773D0.C6CDD6403782D9C7.011A4808A6105FF7@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is probably a bad comparison, but bear with me and maybe you'll understand where I am coming from. The Dallas Cowboys are a "supposedly" top-notch football team--er, at least they were. BUT, when they were "on top" several years ago, look at their competition. In my opinion, their competition pretty much sucked.

Then, the past few years--their competition has been maturing, getting better, outclassing the Cowboys...now look where the Cowboys are...(the fact that the dumbass owner doesn't know how to let a team be coached).

I'm not saying the damned technical references are one way or the other, hell it would all be mostly Greek to me. Just because the Handbook "was the greatest selling technical publication in the country" doesn't necessarily mean it was good--it may mean that everything else available was that bad...that's all I was querying about.

--
73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343

"Brian" <burke1@icss.net> wrote in message
news:38FE3DA6.5D59B30E@icss.net...
> Jim Kelley wrote:
>
> > Kim W5TIT wrote:
> >
> > > Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
> > > > Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > > > >"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> > > > >>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> > > > >>publication in the country.
> > >
> > > > > >That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was
that good,
> > > > > >or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.
> > >
> > > > > Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?
> > >
> > > "Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?
> > >
> > Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
> > Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
> > was about 8 years old.

>
> Good grief. Poking your pacifier in to the outlet doesn't qualify.
>
> > I've worked in many different technical and
> > engineering environments, and the ARRL handbook was on the reference
> > shelf in every one of them. There are certainly better reference texts,
> > but for practical RF applications as well as coverage of the
> > fundamentals, the Handbook is very useful.
> >
> > 73, Jim AC6XG
>
> Sure. I've got three of them. I buy one about every 5 years.
>

1776. AKRON OH, 2M Traffic Net?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Mayer <mayermh@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8dlosfouf1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113435

Is there a 2M morning/afternoon drivetime ham net in the Akron area?
Besides the nationwide 146.52 highway info frequency. Does 146.52 get used
for that purpose in Akron?

Thanks,

Mike
Goodyear

1777. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <1D8C341147116F0D.642DF9B075A329EB.C68CCBED4E4A9DFE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113436

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 00:29:52 GMT, The Buddha <garboy21@yahoo.com>
wrote:

> But, I have a very simple 100 watt station and am quite sure on SSB
>would be drowned out. In past few days I've worked, VU, VK6, ZP, OH,
>UA0, JA6 .. and more.

Your 100W station should be _more_ than adequate to make all
the contacts you want. I run an FT-920 (100W) with no amp into either
a flagpole or a 3' MFJ Super HiQ loop less than 12' above the ground,
and I only need a few more contacts for my five band dxcc--all phone
and many (including over 100 on each of 20m and 10m) operating qrp
phone at 4.7W or less. If I can do that with _my_ setup--you certainly
can do so with a better antenna system (I suffer from antenna
restrictions or I'd have one myself).

CW is a worthwhile mode--but it isn't necessary to be active
as a dx'er--and certainly isn't needed if you are interested in the
less rare stations (even the dxpeditions are easily workable qrp phone
if you have enough patience--I've worked quite a number of them with
no problems).

>The simpler the set up the more important cw becomes.

Not necessarily. If you are a hard-core award chaser with a
limited antenna/power combination that may be true, but if you are
content to take your time working for awards--or simply enjoy rag
chewing--CW is really a matter of personal preference, not necessity.
I run a 25W 10m rig in my car--with an attenuator in line dropping it
to under 5W--and I've worked over 50 countries with that very simple
rig in the last six months or so. I may not have the strongest signal,
but I manage to make the contacts anyway--as can anyone else with
patience and a willingness to put in the effort.

>I can see a lot of folks saying, I's like to work ham radio, but my
>income, family requirements etc. don't let me put up a 70 ft tower, 5
>element telrex and 1kw amp.

Neither do mine--nor do the antenna restrictions, for that
matter.

> I would then say, cw may be a choice that will let you have the fun
>you want at a cost you can afford.

Provided the individual him-/her-self enjoys CW personally,
that's very true. Otherwise, it becomes a chore rather than a
pleasure.

>Well, I've been licensed 41 years this June and still enjoy hamming, but
>find the simpler side is more enjoyable. Lots of people have gone QRP,
>at a watt or so.. but so far 100 is as low as I'm willing to go given
>the limited time I have to call DX.. and get a QSO.

Give qrp a try sometime--you might find it's more fun (and
addicting) than you would expect.

73, Rick--ke8hh

--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@arrl.net
adamsr@voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1778. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38FE6C6A.9D95416A@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113437

KK4TL wrote:
>
> Noooooooo ! ! ! Think again Radiosigs. During the inquisition, the Pope sent
> out his legions to spread a message of "Convert or die". It proved to be bad
> P.R. so the Pope gave it up a hundred or so years later. But .. Islamic forces
> found it to be an effective "witnessing tool", and took up about where the Pope
> left off.
>
> Sooner or later, the Muslims discovered the bad P.R. thing, so they abandoned
> it also. Well, aside from doing an occasional government building or civilian
> aircraft, anyway. I guess some habits just die hard.

It is a shame that people find it so easy to put down the protestant,
catholic, and muslim, religions in this country. Bad things were done
in the name of nearly every religion in this world, so why center only
on these religions?

Actually, I suspect these individuals are "liberals" who feel they are
superior to people who have any religious faith. Of course, one could
point out the horrible things that were done throughout history by
people who claimed no specific religious belief.

Or one could point out the horrible things that have been done by
people who were openly opposed to religion. In other words,
anti-religious fanaticism can be just as dangerious as religious
fanaticism (the bad deeds of anti-religion fanatics were seldom limited
to just religious groups).

Please note that I'm not a member of any religious group. I'm just
darn tired of the anti-religious nonsense that is being spread around by
some people.

Dwight Stewart

1779. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FE5069.90E41F00@oio.net>
Source record: 113438

w4fqf,
Bye bye... so long. And as they say here in "Red Neck"
country... 'Don't let the door knob hit'cha where the good
Lord split'cha!'.
'Doc

1780. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FE4F6D.336AF630@oio.net>
Source record: 113439

pogopossum,
What I am," understandably upset (even incensed)",
about is not that the,"new hams"..."have an easier path
to upgrade than" I did, but that the ham radio hobby
is going the same "dumbed down" route as our whole society
seems to have gone. No matter what values you speak of,
the easier you make it to get to the objective, the less
'quality' you will have.
The new hams are welcome. It seems you are causing
more discontent than the people your 'pointing a finger'
at.
'Doc

1781. WANT:STANDARD C528A MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe & Bonita Sanada <b.sanada@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <38FE6DB7.165495F9@gateway.net>
Source record: 113440

Hi I have A Standard 2/440 Dualband HT and I lost my MANUAL

for it does anyone have one? Or extra copy, I need one thanks

73 Joe W1JAS

Terryville CT.

1782. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Biker <biker@cchat.com>
Message-ID: <38fe71bb_3@news4.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 113441
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Depends on what your wife looks like.

<BFG>

Sorry, just couldn't resist.

--

Biker

DSS-Escrow - www.dss-escrow.com

"Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote in message
news:8dlmo8$4n$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
> and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty
if
> the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to
have
> to actually live next door to me?
>
> Builder
> "
>
>

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1783. Re: Ladder Line Better???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FE53DE.EDC276B2@oio.net>
Source record: 113442

KC8LVJ,
It would depend a lot on what your power output is.
9913 is good coax, but has a voltage rating of 600v. If
the SWR is high, and the output power is high, the 9913
may be harmed or destroyed by the resulting high voltage
on it. You wouldn't have this problem with ladder line.
That doesn't necessarily mean that the ladder line is
'better' all the time, it isn't.
If your going to try ladder line, it's better to use
a tuner made to handle a balanced line, rather than a
balun. The impedance on various bands won't always be a
4:1, or 3:1, or 1:1 match to the 50 ohms of your transmitter.
A tuner that can handle a balanced line should be able
to match -almost- any impedance. Just makes more sense
to me....
'Doc

1784. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <38FE724A.94EC031F@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113443

JTyburczy wrote:
>
> Again, I've seen the movie and personally, I don't see what all the fuss is
> about. IMO, seeing this movie is not going to make people rush out and take up
> Ham Radio (no more than seeing "American Beauty" made people rush out and take
> up rose gardening).

You're right. The movie alone is not going to do a thing. But ham operators can use the attention the movie gives amateur radio to promote amateur radio, even if that attention is only slight.

And it can be effective. I got a new friend interested in amateur radio after we watched a movie at his house. A segment of that movie featured a radio operator and I used the opportunity to describe what the movie charactor was doing. I then invited him to my house to do the same thing on my radio (carefully pointing out that he could be doing the same thing - its not that difficult).

So, you're right, nothing outside of amateur radio is going to have that much of a positive effect on ham radio. This service is going to expand only if existing operators help it along. And it makes sense to use whatever presents itself in the "real" world as a means to do this (even a movie).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

1785. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FE55D5.34F0DAF5@oio.net>
Source record: 113444
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Bilgates Remailer",
What I don't understand, is that if this was posted
in "alt.dss.hack", what are you doing with YOUR post here?
Something else you might remember, if your going to point
fingers, you might clean your own house first.
'Doc

1786. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Heeren <sh95750@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <38FE90B6.E7DF2DE7@alltel.net>
Source record: 113445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Well by eavesdropping with my scanner I have found out that my sixteen year old neighbor boy was arrested for burglary and is smoking pot. Also by listening to my scanner I was able to help my local police department catch two people who were involved in an assault near my home. I heard the description of the persons involved in the assault on the scanner and was able to tell the police where they were because they walked right in front of my house! So don't don't give me all this B.S. about listening to private conversations. Next you'll be telling me that I shouldn't listen to the storm spotters or the national weather service because I might be warned about the tornado that is coming for my house! I agree leave the scanner listeners alone and worry about things in this country that need real attention.

Freelance wrote:

> Bollocks
>
> <ib@yomammas.cummin> wrote in message news:38eb34aa.628375@news.tds.net...
> > How about a Law banning the use of phones WHILE driving!!!
> > Where in the Hell do you come off making laws that scanner listeners
> > should bow down to?
> >
> > THe ones who use cell phones while driving need to be eavesdropped or
> > have their company ban them from the highways and stick them in a
> > cubicle at work and not have any cell phones at all!
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> > Cell phones during weddings/funerals/ graduation ceremonies/ bar
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> > On 1 Apr 2000 12:02:04 PST, jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
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> > >On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
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> > >reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> > >should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> > >enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
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> > >conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
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> > >you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
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> > >potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
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> > >why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
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> > >jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> > >be banned too.
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> > >
> > >Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> > >tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> > >element, and not any government which acts to block you.
> >

1787. Re: Dear Abby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FE579F.5B7C32CB@oio.net>
Source record: 113446

Qrm2000 wrote:
>
> >
> >Re: The "Dear Abby" column for 19 April concerning a Morse
> >Telegraph Club. How old would a railroad or Western Union
> >retiree be to have actually been involved in telegraphy?
> >Too, landline and radiotelegraph morse are/were different,
> >so how did hams become involved?
> >

The 'KATY' used telegraphy till the mid-80's. How old
would that make a telegrapher retiree from the 'KATY'?
And yes, there are two types of Morse code, International
Morse code that hams are familiar with, and American Morse,
the 'clacker' code like used by Western Union, railroads, etc.
'Doc

1788. WTB: Kenwood PG-4L

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul & Sandra Knight <peknslk@enteract.com>
Message-ID: <8dm0ou$2ood$1@news.enteract.com>
Source record: 113447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Howdy! The subject says it all; I'm looking for the PG-4L remote mounting kit for the Kenwood TM-741A. Please drop me a note if you have one available, complete, and in good condition.

Thanks,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

1789. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael McClain <horse@wavecomputers.net>
Message-ID: <sft2php3in263@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

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Im a american and fuck you you forighner.

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1790. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philbo <philbo@baggin.com>
Message-ID: <38fe8e35_1@news.foxinternet.net>
Source record: 113449
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ummm.... get a fucking life you loser.

Bilgates Remailer <noreply@securenym.net> wrote in message
news:200004200017.e3K0Hu622482@anon.securenym.net...
> A deadbeat ham writes in alt.dss.hack:
>
> > I pirate signals from DIRECTV and I am a ham radio
> > operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
> > I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
> > satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
> > other hams who do this crooks.
>
> > Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
> > contributions the hams made during pre/post war, and
> > in the 60's/70's. Development along the AX.25 lines,
> > Oscar, and all of the really *major* diasters around
> > the world. Huricanes in the South, mud slides/quakes,
> > Mt St. Hellens, Kobaie (sp ?). etc. etc.
>
> Hams who STEAL cable and satellite services are nothing but scum. You
dirty
> the honour of Amateur Radio by committing the crime of THEFT OF SERVICES.
>
> Do you think that Hiram Percy Maxum would approve of what you are doing?
>
> Any HAM who steals is nothing but a DIRT BALL. A high tech shoplifter.
>
> Sure HAMS do great things. But scum bags like you who steal from DIRECTV
> give every ham radio operator a black eye!
>
> Do you think that BARRY GOLDWATER would pat you on the back for being
> a thief, or would he SPIT IN YOUR EYE?
>
> How can you look your children in the face and say "Daddy is a good
> man! Daddy is a HAM. Daddy STEALS from DIRECTV by pirating their
> signal!"
>
> How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the eye? You
> are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time you
> rip off DIRECTV.
>
> Shame on you all.

>

1791. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OvvCBnoq$GA.230@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson wrote
>I was listening on 40 meters to two hams
>who had just "upgraded" to Extra Class.
>[dumb Extra post]

Robert Casey wrote
>I was a Tech, he a general or higher.
>[dumb General or higher post]

How come we never see any dumb Novice or dumb Tech posts??

1792. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: webspuds <webspudsNOweSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <154d73be.08e201d4@usw-ex0102-015.remarq.com>
Source record: 113451
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

..For the record, these two paragraphs you quoted were
actually from two *different* posts, not from the same guy.
(I wrote the second one)

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Dunno, how do you look at your 5 year old child, or your
pastor, or the ladies at the local PTA meeting ?
It's all relative. Since we seem to be keeping score here,
why don't we start posting the total amount of charatiable
donations each of us made for the 1999 tax year.

>

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1793. What killed ham radio? WHINING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD2A4.6F781AB3@bctv.com>
Source record: 113484

SBCmusic wrote:
>
> If (and, in my opinion, that's a big if) amateur radio dies in the future,
> it's cause will not be the restructuring, incentive licensing, or anything of
> that sort, it will simply be the people.

Yep.

1794. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD2EC.9BFDE54D@bctv.com>
Source record: 113485

KK4TL wrote:
>
> Well said, Rick. I hope the re-structured newcomers bring some good talents
> and skills to the table.

Forget talents and skill -- all that is needed is ENTHUSIASM, which has
been sadly lacking. The skills will come.

1795. Re: ALERT New Law!

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Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ib@yomammas.cummin
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>: (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
>: 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
>: Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
>: of what type of technology is used.
>
>It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
>reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
>should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
>enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
>For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
>conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
>of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
>you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
>
>Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
>potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
>be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
>and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
>because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
>why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
>encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police

>jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
>be banned too.
>
>But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
>design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
>reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
>police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
>the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
>To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
>really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
>what must be done.
>
>Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
>tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
>element, and not any government which acts to block you.

1796. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkm0cqgd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113487

In article <WnkL4.9077$wM3.97331@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>,
jbarrett@remove.stny.rr.com (Jim Barrett - KC2DCC) wrote:
> In article <8dkedk$hk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
wrote:
> >In article <20000418213655.28156.00001679@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
> > kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
> >> Noooooooo ! ! ! Think again Radiosigs. During the inquisition, the
> >
> >"Nobody expects the Spanish Inquisition!" <2 pt. reference>
> >
> >
>
> ..Monty Python...
>
> JB
>

Allright, Jim! You get two points, a free complimentary dead parrot and
a case of spam, spam, spam, spam, spam, spam, spam....
;)
LOL!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1797. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkm3vqiu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113488

In article <8dkis2msa1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000419020600.03585.00000065@ng-ca1.aol.com>,
> qrm2000@aol.com (Qrm2000) wrote:
> > >
> > >What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still
> exist).
> > >Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?
> > >
> >
> > My favorite:
> > ZUG. Translation, No....Negative
> >
> > [Only the military would replace a two letter word (no) with a three
> letter
> > operating signal!]
> >
> > ZUE is Yes....Affirmative
> >
> > ZBO "I have traffic of the following precedence"
> >
> > ZUT (bogus signal identifying members of a military radio operator
> faternity)
> >
> > While sitting on a CW circuit in the Pacific, I heard the control
> station ask
> > for numerous repeats from one of the ship operators. The ship
> explained his
> > situation several different ways, but the shore station just didn't
> get it.
> > Finally, the ship transmitted a "z" signal and left the frequency.
I
> looked up
> > the operating signal and found this definition:
> > "I Cannot Transmit Pictures."
> >
> > QRM2000
> >
> >
> Thats the funniest thing I've heard lately. And brings back a few
> memories too !!
>
> Dan/W4NTI
> --

> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
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>

Yeah, really! LOL!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1798. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkm7f$qr3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113489

In article <01568793.f0a711f9@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>,
wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:
> Perhaps, somewhere on your body is the numbers "666"
> Come on, fess up. You were waiting all this time to dump all this
> garbage on the ham bands and newsgroups. Please, go see and heed
> a medicine doctor in Africa!
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!

ohhhhhhhmmmmmmmmm!!!!!!!! mhooooooooooo!!!!!!
darnaf!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1799. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dkmas$qs3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113490

Well Doc, EETUIOPOP HHHHU^TDR rkjgfutues viyjrhew vjhg dkiduytjv
ewurjrfn nvnvjtg trfjuhgigh gtitifjf l20i4jdcn ospdjfoiefodi
podvjeicmioc dsifjir oerier fdikre-xckjv dfmjbogf esig9tr ejfifvo
kjcxig95mj fkdpw0 cnbvmm, mw9395rt skjeo5 nvc,b. dcnrti5 ndfu590g
snsdjfdnbfci fvih00d 04i9fvjnw s94gjr4 ckjt50ij95y jf894r ne9fgj4rf
03rj4nf bvgj6t0-5jhdf fj560ibgj zxnqdkv bljjd asj59ghk f4-hk5m m39df094
eoignr wqp3i59hn aoidj49 vjn59iui saidfjj894iyh aJN49 AJDFUTM
FVNHG096ncfiurj jf95 v056j76 zxjk2-tio6yh nmmb9o6jidn5905yi0-z
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ZNX894UYRT 32RH32DX E904JDU32 F05IUT

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1800. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FDD548.2C9673FD@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >Of course. I recently took the Extra exam in about 20 minutes. It would
> >have taken at least a week to test what I actually know.
>
> Cecil,
> 20 minutes? After two weeks or so of QRZ.COM
> practice testing every day at lunch and on breaks, plus
> a few tests in the evening, I think I wizzed through
> the 40 questions in less than 10 minutes.

Bill, you've got to remember I'm retired. I don't whizz
through anything any more.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1801. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FDD650.F41553DE@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

n2ey@aol.com wrote:
>
> In article <38FD57B7.D7C42F3E@IEEE.org>,
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > What rig
> > is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?
>
> Heathkit SB-100. 80-10 meters, 100 W output, kit made in the early-mid
> 1960s.

I had one of those. Kept me warm in the winter.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1802. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD4B8.D4808194@bctv.com>
Source record: 113493

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I just got my first taste this morning of the blessings of restructuring. I
> kid you NOT. The station worked had a callsign suffix of OHO/AE. He just
> became an EXTRA. Did you ever try to work someone who never heard of an
> exchange? Never heard of "go ahead" or "over?"

Yes. Those Extras who show up for disaster work with no training in
disaster communications.

The good ones pay attention to all those no-code Techs who are in charge
of field commo units until they get up to speed.

The others come here and whine about how restructuring has resulted in a
lot of untrained operators.

Funny thing -- all of those new HFers will learn HF the same way those
good Extras learn disaster communications -- by following the examples
of those who know how it's done.

1803. How to be a UnaBasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <8dkmvu$rk8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Most of us view, with some level of disdain, the various UnaBashers here on rrap, rram, and other amateur radio newsgroups.

These UnaBashers, like mf_luder, Burt, W2DNE, Radio_rambo_whatever, N0iMD, regularly show up here bashing ARRL, CQ, Morse Code, or some other facet of the hobby that pissed them off this morning. Some of these bashers are more successful and refined than others, so I thought I'd post some rules that they (or you) could follow to become a really good UnaBasher.

Rules for Successful Bashing -

1. Be anonymous, like mf_luder or W2DNE. Most of us know who you are anyhow, but you'll impress Mark Morgan.
2. Use 10% fact. 90% suggestion. The facts will lend credibility to your unfounded suggestions.
3. Use multiple ISP's, handles and aliases.
4. Use two (2) or more aliases to simulate a discussion. The 'pit bull' tries this, but is always betrayed because all his messages come from the same IP address.
5. Identify the "gurus" on the newsgroup and suck up to them.
6. Give the appearance of being open minded.
7. Be bold in your statements. Dummy newbies follow strength.
8. Write headlines in caps with catchy statements. (Where is MASA?)
9. Don't worry about being labeled a "Basher". Newbies won't know your history.
10. When identified put up a brief fight, then back off. Return in a week unless your foe is a weak in reasoning powers.
11. Form your bash as a question, not a statement. Like "Does ARRL hate technology?", or "Why can't most Extras figure out Ohms law?" People can refute your statement, but nobody can answer such dumb questions.
12. Three or four aliases can dominate a newsgroup and wear down the target.
13. Bait the target into personal debates putting their focus/efforts on you and not the facts. Divert their attention from facts.
14. Do not fall for challenges on the truth of what you are saying. Bashing is a game and you are playing it with your own rules. Ignore embarrassing questions which betray your lack of research, or call the questioner a Nazi or a liar. (See Anderson and Stevenson for instruction.)

Your are a:

Grade "B" UnaBasher:
If you post lots of old news, respond to all positive posts with a negative side. Never respond to being called a Basher.

Grade "C" UnaBasher:
Very good way with words, always claims to be your "friend" taking the positive poster into confidence, sucks up, and then uses the relationship to bash somebody else.

Grade "D" UnaBasher:
Needs to learn the basics about being convincing when making a negative statement. Has no anonimity whatsoever, and tends to use quotations of others (preferably of dead people), rather than original thinking, to make their point.

Grade "F" UnaBasher:
A complete idiot, most readers are not convinced he knows anything about amateur in general, let alone the current topic of conversation. The type that says something "sucks", but gives no rationale, shows up every so often but no regular schedule.

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1804. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000419120909.00689.00005866@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 113495

In article <38FDCFDA.7AB308EE@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> writes:

>Too bad you didn't have the guts to tell us who you really are.

Like you did?

1805. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sherinsmiami@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29762-38FDD7DE-11@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113496

Catch_me,

Who we are is strictly in the eyes and ears of the beholder!

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1806. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#Hz4exhq$GA.237@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>It would have taken at least a week to test what I actually know.

We don't need to test for all that you know. But the test should verify that the applicant, layman or engineer, actually knows most of the material on the ham test. Current testing does not accomplish this.

>If it [Bash book] was immoral then, why is it not immoral now?

I would say that the Bash method of testing was defective then, and it is defective now...

1807. Re: My license is updated in FCC database already, that was fast!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38fddf03.6519459@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113498

On 19 Apr 2000 06:50:51 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>Just for giggles, I looked myself up in the FCC database. Suprize, my
>upgrade (and change of address) is done! So I won't need to say
>WA2ISE/AE anymore.
>
>I had expected at least a month for this update to happen, what with all
>the Apr 15th upgrades. The Sunnyvale VEs were quick and so was the FCC.
>
>I suppose the VEs have direct access to the FCC's database to make changes?
>
From a Tech Plus to a Welfare Extra. What a hoot. You're what's known
as a non achiever. Waited until it was given to you. Loser.

1808. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <38fde2da.7502023@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113499

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 09:52:56 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

Doc, go see a shrink.

1809. You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
Message-ID: <34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 113500

Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be run off.

1810. F.S. Heathkit SB-614

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Strickland <w9bbb@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <38FDE7AD.6F3E07E7@megsinet.net>
Source record: 113501

Hi,Got a nice monitor scope.No manual $125.00 split ship Wayne

1811. F.S. Alpha 76 pa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Strickland <w9bbb@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <38FDE835.DC6F840@megsinet.net>
Source record: 113502

Hi, Got a three holer amp.Uses 3X 8874's.Hypersil xformer slight dent on gnd lug rear.Works fine.$1500.00 split ship Wayne

1812. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dkr92kl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113503

In article <34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1>,
Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header (A REAL Ham) wrote:
> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy
CB
> types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus
and
> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because
youll be
> run off.
>
>

What's that skulking in the dark under the bridge? Those beady little black eyes? That warty green skin? That pointy little head? That god-awful stench? Ah, yes - now I can see it. A Troll!

Of course, there's always the possibility that this sentiment is sincere - an even more stomach-turning thought, dontcha know. Made doubly so by its cowardly anonymity.

73 de John / K2INY

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1813. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Old Biker <enfield@3n.net>
Message-ID: <01bfaa25$a5e7b180$d34a1504@howard>
Source record: 113504

Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote ....
> Why else would many wait 10, 20 or more years,(to) upgrade?
>
> People keep forgetting that the whole REASON the Extra class carried a
> certain status is because it was more difficult and few wanted to make the
> comittment to learn the code at that speed. It has no status now......

Thanks but yaw'l sound like a bunch of voodoo cultists who's idol just fell over. FWIW I just got my "welfare" general ticket and, if I can spare the 10 or 15 minutes of study needed to pass the extra written exam I'll do that too.

I had good reasons to "wait 20+ years". I held a first class radiotelephone license with endorsements so I found the tests you sweated over sophmoric (to be kind) and the lack of questions on emergency station operations appalling. OTOH I suffer from severe tinnitis - I hear loud ever changing tones that sound much like code continually - and while I could have overcome that handicap with enough work, I feel the same about being told that by someone to whom code comes easily as a parapilegic feels about being encouraged to run a 4-minute mile. And what was I to gain for the effort? The ability to exchange a few items of meaningless drivel with enough other idiots to win contests faster? In 3 years on the novice HF bands, all I did was exchange QSL data! Any attempt at personal conversation was ignored, so my HF rigs have been packed away ever since. Moreover, I did work on code as often as my job and other commitments allowed but, given my handicap, that was never enough so I eventually quit trying. Now those of you who ignored job, family and friends to spend hours learning code are finding it hard to accept that it was a waste of time - that all you got for it was the exclusive use of a piece of public property that - boo hoo - has now been reclaimed by some of the people who own it - to wit, J.Q. Public.

FWIW, I just got my "welfare" upgrade to general and, if I can spare 10 or 15 minutes to study required, I'll go ace the extra written test like I did the old general/tech test and bump up to extra too.

Status? I hate to tell you this but there is no more reason to be proud to have learned code than I have to be proud to have learned Latin and except in mutual admiration societies, there is no status in knowing morse code. I have never met a woman who wanted to date a guy because he knew code, etc. etc.! Sorry, but if you've been basing your self respect on code speed then you're gonna need psychiatric help pronto.

KA3DWW/AG ... grinning all the way :o)

1814. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gc@Radix.Net
Message-ID: <8dkr75$b2$1@saltmine.radix.net>
Source record: 113505

In article <20000417195535.23349.00000674@nso-cq.aol.com>,
SBCmusic <sbcmusic@aol.com> wrote:
>OK, in light of the recent CW/No code and restructuring debate, I'm looking for
>some facts......not opinions, but facts.
>
>Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the speed of CW,
>or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?
>
>Again, I'm not looking for opinion. I'm looking for facts that can be backed
>up with solid, concrete, scientific, evidence.
>

There is not much available but let me give you what little I have.

One of the ideas that seems to float around in the code/no-code debates
is that the code requirement hinders participation by people whose
main interest is technical rather than operating. To me this idea
seems kind of reasonable, but didn't correlate with the people I knew.

During an earlier version of the code debates I decided to see if there
was a way to quantify the relation of code speed (everyone had to
do at least 5wpm back then) and technical interests. So what I did
was go through a year's worth of Ham Radio Magazine, write down the
callsigns of the authors and compute some statistics.

[Note for newer hams: Ham Radio Magazine was a monthly publication
devoted to technical and construction articles. QEX is about the
closest thing around today. This was ten or so years ago.]

The results were more lopsided than I expected. It was about half
Advanced and half Extra. There was one Technician and no Generals.
There were probably a couple of non-US authors in there, too.

There you have it. An actual fact showing a correlation between
speed of CW (at least passing the test) and being dedicated enough
to build something and write an article for publication.

So what, if anything, is the significance of this? Some guesses:

- Hams who are more active in any type of amateur radio activity
are more likely to have higher class licenses.

- Such qualities as persistence and the ability to overcome
obsticles can be applied to any problem whether it be learning code
or building a radio.

- [Add your guess here]

In my personal aquaintences are several Tech Pluses who are quite active in the technical aspect of ham radio (haven't come across any no-code techs with a technical interest yet, but probably will soon). But the majority have higher class licenses.

I have occasionally taught code to aspiring hams and often wonder why some people seem to learn it and others don't. The latest teaching technique I have tried has been 100% successful so far, but I have had too few students to know if is really any better.

73,
Gary

1815. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Jones <mikej@scsitools.com>
Message-ID: <sfrs46o6eoc98@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113506

Which frequency is yours? I want to make sure I don't come on it.

A REAL Ham <Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header> wrote in message
news:34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1...
> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be
> run off.
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1816. Re: My license is updated in FCC database already, that was fast!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dkt4g$312$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113507

In article <38fddf03.6519459@news.mindspring.com>,
(John) wrote:
> On 19 Apr 2000 06:50:51 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
>
> >Just for giggles, I looked myself up in the FCC database. Suprize,
my
> >upgrade (and change of address) is done! So I won't need to say
> >WA2ISE/AE anymore.
> >
> >I had expected at least a month for this update to happen, what with
all
> >the Apr 15th upgrades. The Sunnyvale VEs were quick and so was the
FCC.
> >
> >I suppose the VEs have direct access to the FCC's database to make
changes?
> >
> From a Tech Plus to a Welfare Extra. What a hoot. You're what's known
> as a non achiever. Waited until it was given to you. Loser.
>

So tell me, John. Did you have to draw a over a dozen schematics and answer a bunch of in-depth essay questions for your last license upgrade - or did you just have to take one of the modern-day multiple-choice (memorize the public question pool) tests?

Did you have to show ability to copy code at 20wpm accurately and also to send it at the same speed with a straight key, or did you only have to answer 7 out of 10 easy multiple choice questions (benefitting from a lucky guess or two along the way)?

IMHO, the beneficiaries of the last round of dumbed-down 'welfare licenses' shouldn't whine so loudly about the beneficiaries of the newest round.

Seems to me that this round of code 'dumbing-down' isn't half as significant as the multiple-choice written and code test dumbing-down of recent decades.

Even if you personally are one of the old-timers who did have to take the much more difficult tests of the old days, why are you so willing to accept the recent waves of 'dumbed-down' Generals and Extras only to suddenly get so uptight about the lastest wave?

EMWTK

73 de pogo / K2INY

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1817. Re: Mirage amplifier with an IC-701PS / IC-PS20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FDD6F7.3C29C0EC@oio.net>
Source record: 113508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Chris,
I really don't think it would hurt to use this power
supply with any radio/amp/etc as long as the supply's
current rating isn't exceeded, or approached too closely.
You shouldn't have any problem.
'Doc

1818. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dktj6$3d9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113509

In article <sfrs46o6eoc98@corp.supernews.com>,
"Michael Jones" <mikej@scsitools.com> wrote:
> Which frequency is yours? I want to make sure I don't come on it.
>
> A REAL Ham <Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header> wrote in message
> news:34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1...
> > Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre
lazy CB
> > types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus
and
> > upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because
youll be
> > run off.
> >

Michael, the real irony here is that, according to a truck driver friend, there are far fewer people using CB in recent years than in the old days. He says its pretty much confined to truckers doing their work. Nowadays, if you want to hear the kind of idiotic antics that Children's Band has always been so famous for, you have to go and hang out on 20 meters <grin>.

The truth is that there is nothing the CB'ers could do to damage ham radio that our current crop of mean-spirited, foul-mouthed hateful idiots (all of whom passed the old code requirements) haven't done to the hobby, already. Methinks that once the dreaded invasion of CB'ers arrives on HF, they'll find themselves right at home <g>!

73 de John / K2INY

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1819. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <2D1E9D967D89883F.12D29970872FC611.9833777D772E5348@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113510

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 15:34:32 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>Gee, John, how did you get YOUR ticket, if the government didn't give it
>to you?

What makes you think he _has_ a license? If he did, he
wouldn't be afraid to identify himself.

Obviously, just a CB-want-to-be who is angry at all radio
operators because he can't understand Part 15 (let alone Part 97).

>By the way, you are still a coward.

Naw!

Just a loser!

73, Rick--ke8hh

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1820. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <38FDF41A.D84E8E11@uci.edu>
Source record: 113511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
> > Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > >"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> > >>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> > >>publication in the country.

> > >That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that good,
> > >or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.

> > Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?

> "Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?

Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
was about 8 years old. I've worked in many different technical and
engineering environments, and the ARRL handbook was on the reference
shelf in every one of them. There are certainly better reference texts,
but for practical RF applications as well as coverage of the
fundamentals, the Handbook is very useful.

73, Jim AC6XG

1821. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <BEDC8D128AD89DCD.CFDD7132FAAEB6E5.D2B091B4373D6980@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113512

On 19 Apr 2000 16:47:03 -0000, Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
(A REAL Ham) wrote:

> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
>types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
>upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be
>run off.

What frequency is that--27.385 MHz?

Get a ham license before you try to criticize those who
already have one.

And get back under your bridge--Trolls aren't positive role
models for new hams!

Rick--ke8hh

--

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

1822. Re: My license is updated in FCC database already, that was fast!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FDD83B.837DC27A@oio.net>
Source record: 113513

Robert,
Congratulations on the up grade and loosing the 'AE'.
I think I would have been suprized too, but 'miracles'
do happen.
The VE's do not have access to the database to make
changes. They just send the information to the FCC. When
the FCC up dates the database, you/we see the results.
'Doc

1823. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FDD97A.D897BED3@oio.net>
Source record: 113514

Hey Doc,
Would it be safe in saying that you don't believe in
a 'strict' interpretation of the Bible?
W5LZ

1824. Re: upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FDDA1B.1B4630CE@oio.net>
Source record: 113515

Jim Smith wrote:
>
> what was the importance to upgrade before APRIL 15

Jim,
On April 15 the codes speed required for all classes
of license dropped to 5 wpm. A few of the license classes
are no longer there, and some of the written tests were
changed.
'Doc

1825. Re: How to be a UnaBasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FDDB7F.C19477EC@oio.net>
Source record: 113516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hans,
Not bad. I may regrret asking, but what's a Grade 'A'
UnaBasher?
'Doc (ex: AA5AN Ger# 1172)

1826. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FDDC37.7F1F7835@oio.net>
Source record: 113517

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REAL Ham,
I take for granted that this is 'tongue-in-cheek',
but why anyone would go through the contortions required
to get their tongue in 'that' cheek, mystifies me.
'Doc
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1827. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ft9ryt3.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 03:39:02 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:

>Good grief, its only a movie. Anyone that "relies"
>on Hollywood fiction as being representitive of reality
>in any way needs their head examined anyway.

So how do you explain a relative of mine who has a Doctorate
and is a Professor at a med school who time-tapes all the
daytime soaps and browses them on weekends tokeep current...

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

1828. THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dkvr5$63v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113519

This news group is boring! Same old sexual remarks by "Slopehead" from West Virginia.
Same old rantings from "Dr Hate" in Clifton N.J. Same old W4NTI "they cain't stand it" drivel. Can't anyone come up with something worth while. I am afraid I will not be checking the postings any more if it does not improve.

W4FQF Since 1952

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1829. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Freelance <thor@millennium-it.co.uk>
Message-ID: <05nL4.100$OO6.8936@nnrp4.clara.net>
Source record: 113520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Bollocks

<ib@yomammas.cummin> wrote in message news:38eb34aa.628375@news.tds.net...
> How about a Law banning the use of phones WHILE driving!!!
> Where in the Hell do you come off making laws that scanner listeners
> should bow down to?
>
> THe ones who use cell phones while driving need to be eavesdropped or
> have their company ban them from the highways and stick them in a
> cubicle at work and not have any cell phones at all!
>
> WHO in THE Hell Invented the Damn "Cell-phone"?
> Cell phones during sex! Think about it! WHY?
> Cell phones during weddings/funerals/ graduation ceremonies/ bar
> mitzvahs?
> Come on AMERICA!! GIVE THE PHONES A BREAK!!
> Everywhere you go you see a phone "glued" to someone's lame ass head!!
>
>
> Leave the scanner communities ALONE!!!
> Take your communist approach towards AMERICANS and GOTO HELL!!!
>
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> On 1 Apr 2000 12:02:04 PST, jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
>
> >On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
> >
> >: Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
> >: (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
> >: 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
> >: Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners
regardless
> >: of what type of technology is used.
> >
> >It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
> >reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
> >should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
> >enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
> >
> >For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
> >conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
> >of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that

> >you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.
> >
> >Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
> >potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
> >be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
> >and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
> >because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
> >why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
> >encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
> >jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
> >be banned too.
> >
> >But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
> >design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
> >reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
> >police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
> >the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
> >
> >To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
> >really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> >what must be done.
> >
> >Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> >tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> >element, and not any government which acts to block you.
>

1830. The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dkvuh$650$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113521

I've posted these sentiments to a couple of threads, but I think they bear a more public airing in their own thread:

A lot of current hams - Generals through Extras - are understandably upset (even incensed) that new hams and especially long-time lower grade hams have an easier path to upgrade than they, themselves, did. It is true that the upgrade path is significantly easier without 13-wpm and 20-wpm requirements than it was just a month ago.

BUT, the truth is that this isn't the first time that license upgrade requirements were 'dumbed down' and many of today's so-called "Real Ham" complainers are, themselves, beneficiaries of earlier rounds of dumbing down - and are holders of earlier versions of 'welfare' licenses.

Once upon a time you had to take a written license test that combined the requirement of drawing over a dozen circuit diagrams (requiring in-depth knowledge of electrical theory and circuit design), and the requirement of answering a number of essay-style questions (requiring even wider in-depth knowledge). Also, to pass the code requirement, the examinee had to show the ability to copy accurately at speed and also to send accurately at speed with a straight key. Neither test allowed for any guessing or prior memorization of the answers - you really had to know your stuff.

In later years, the powers that be dumbed down the tests dramatically. The written tests became strictly multiple-choice - with public printing of the exact question pools, complete with answers available to anyone who wanted to memorize his way into a higher class.

The code test was dumbed down even more. Now, all you had to do was to answer (or guess) 7 out of 10 questions (sometimes fill-in-the-blank, but more often the easier multiple-choice format). No more requirement to copy accurately. No more test of sending skill at all (ignoring the fact that Part 97 of Title 47 CFR still specifies that a sending test must be part of the code test requirements).

Unless you took all of your licensing and upgrade tests before the era of the dramatically easier multiple-choice tests, YOU, TOO, ARE A WELFARE HAM, and really have no call to be complaining about the logical next step of the dumbing-down process!

So, unless all you last-generation welfare hams are willing to make a truly noble gesture and publicly burn your dumbed-down multiple-choice licenses, please stop the public pissing and moaning. Welcome the new welfare recipients into the fold and try to help them grow into skilled

and conscientious operators - as the previous "Real Hams" once did for
you.

73 de John / K2INY

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1831. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <38FDFE36.7E113093@uci.edu>
Source record: 113522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> We don't need to test for all that you know. But the test should verify that
> the applicant, layman or engineer, actually knows most of the material on
> the ham test. Current testing does not accomplish this.

I think the exams do successfully determine whether the applicant knows
what's covered on the test. The usual complaint is that the people who
pass the tests don't know anything other than what is on the test. But
I think that's generally true for a new licensee in any field.

73, ac6xg

1832. Re: upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dl0jd$736$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113523

In article <38FDDA1B.1B4630CE@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
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> Jim Smith wrote:
> >
> > what was the importance to upgrade before APRIL 15
>
> Jim,
> On April 15 the codes speed required for all classes
> of license dropped to 5 wpm. A few of the license classes
> are no longer there, and some of the written tests were
> changed.
> 'Doc
>

The irony is that the test date is not the date that appears in the FCC database with your upgraded license - its the FCC's issue date. Thus, many who upgraded to General or Amateur Extra under the old code requirements just to show their 'superiority' over the newer welfare upgraders, will be indistinguishable from the guys who upgraded on the 15th. They will spend the rest of their lives protesting, "No. Really. I upgraded on the 14th, not the 15th of April, way back in 2000. Please, you have to believe me." LOL

Of course, those who upgraded to Advanced will still have dubious 'bragging rights' as there will be no more new Advanced licenses under the new restructuring. But, if they ever want to be Extras, they will eventually have to swallow their pride and accept a no-code upgrade someday. Since I doubt many of today's Advanced really want to punish themselves for the FCC's doings by denying themselves the satisfaction of ever reaching Extra, its only a matter of time before they, too, will be welfare upgrades. ROTFLOL

73 de John / K2INY

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1833. Re: Who says its dead (was What killed ham radio?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Old Biker <enfield@3n.net>
Message-ID: <01bfaa30$73c1dc20$d34a1504@howard>
Source record: 113524

What is dead and what is alive?

There is an ever-shrinking mutual admiration society who's members base their egos on their ability to learn code. Historically, they controlled ARRL and thru it FCC to give themselves exclusive use of most of the HF frequencies allocated to hams. That is now ending leaving society members drowning in its own tears. But this society is NOT amature radio - not any more! Amature radio has been given a new lease on life by the same ruling that folks who made code their god find so painful, a chance to survive long after all of the selfish geezers who worshiped code are gone to their rewards.

FCC has given amatures another chance to keep our bands by reducing the stranglehold that this mutual admiration society has held on the hobby so long. Hopefully, amature radio will grow again, perhaps in directions none can now forsee. The only thing I see dying is the selfish society of fools so devoid of worth that they need a prop (code) to maintain their mutual esteem - an esteem nobody else shares.

My wife and I are going to unpack the transcievers we stored 20 years ago and seek new friends on the air. If others do the same then Amature Radio will be more healthy than ever. Here's talking with you .....

73's

KA3DWW/AG

1834. Re: Mirage amplifier with an IC-701PS / IC-PS20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8dkvgk$8kf$1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 113525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> writes:
>Chris,
> I really don't think it would hurt to use this power
>supply with any radio/amp/etc as long as the supply's
>current rating isn't exceeded, or approached too closely.
>You shouldn't have any problem.

Well, I wouldn't risk it. The difference between 18 V and 13.8 V
is enough that it's possible that something in the radio will be
damaged by 18 V even though it's probably designed to handle 15 V
(13.8 plus some safety margin) forever.

Dave

1835. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dkvp0$e4a$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113526

Hell, why would even a welfare Extra want to have anything to do with such
a cowardly anonymous bastard like you?

In article <34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1>, Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header (A
REAL Ham) wrote:

> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be
> run off.
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1836. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dl08fbri1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113527

One may not like the whole idea of restructuring but as long as it's law, why hurt the feelings of the newbies? Until or unless it's overturned, what's the purpose of making them feel unwelcome? It's counterproductive. Look at me for instance. I cursed out only one so far because he never heard of "over" or "go ahead." The other one I just worked, an /AG, was a gentleman who knew the ropes. And the third was generous. He said I was his first HF phone contact and would like to QSL. I asked for just a $50 bill to cover the printing of the card and postage. He bought it. It pays to be nice.

In article <8dkr92kl1@nnrp1.deja.com>, pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

> In article <34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1>,
> Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header (A REAL Ham) wrote:
>> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy
> CB
>> types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus
> and
>> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because
> youll be
>> run off.
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>
> What's that skulking in the dark under the bridge? Those beady little
> black eyes? That warty green skin? That pointy little head? That god-
> awful stench? Ah, yes - now I can see it. A Troll!
>
> Of course, there's always the possibility that this sentiment is
> sincere - an even more stomach-turning thought, dontcha know. Made
> doubly so by its cowardly anonymity.
>
> 73 de John / K2INY
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1837. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dl0l7$3i2$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113528

Anyone who believes that 666 represents anything but number 666 is an uninformed brainwashed schmuck who is a disciple of Brothers Stair, Escalator and Elevator. A worthless bum who believes in voodoo, fairy tales and Mother Goose. Amen.

In article <01568793.f0a711f9@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>, wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:

> Perhaps, somewhere on your body is the numbers "666"
> Come on, fess up. You were waiting all this time to dump all this
> garbage on the ham bands and newsgroups. Please, go see and heed
> a medicine doctor in Africa!
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

1838. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dl23m$8t2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113529

Actually, radisigs has it pretty much correct here.

The Hebrew prophesy of the coming of the Messiah goes back centuries before the advent of Jesus Christ. Religious Jews today still await the Messiah. Back in Jesus' day, every generation had at least one or two charismatic leaders whose adherents proclaimed him to be the promised Messiah. There was always one true test of the Messiah, however. He must fulfill all the prophesies to prove his status. When each new generation's candidates died with the prophesies unfilled, their followers' claims were shown to be, shall we say, unduly "optimistic."

The followers of Jesus Christ sincerely believed him to be the promised Messiah of the Hebrew people. They were unwilling to give up their belief in his Divinity and his identity as the Messiah when he died, so they reasoned that he must not be "really" dead, not "finally" dead. Its just that the people weren't ready for him yet. His death was only temporary, and He would be reborn and return to finish fulfilling the prophesies whenever his people finally proved worthy of salvation. This cleverly got around the acid test that he had failed to deliver on the prophesies before dying.

Interestingly, the followers of Brooklyn's Rabbi Schneerson - the most recent Messiah candidate - who died several years ago, came to the same conclusion. Rather than give up their belief in him, they proclaimed that he would rise from the dead. Many expected it to happen on the way to the cemetary. Some are still awaiting his "second coming." One wonders if their descendants will still be waiting in 2000 years.

During the first couple of generations after Jesus's death, the Jewish population divided into the minority who believed that he WAS the Messiah and would magically return from the dead to continue his works, and the majority, who believed that he was yet another in a long line of false Messiahs. Only near the end of the first century, did Christ's followers begin to take on an identity as "Christians" instead of simply Jews who believed that the promised Messiah had come in the form of Jesus. Some scholars attribute this identity change to their attempts to disassociate themselves from the rest of the Jewish people, who were then undergoing yet another new round of persecution from the Romans.

The new Christians spent the next couple of centuries as essentially a small cult until they made a fortuitous conversion - sometime after 300 AD, they converted the current Caesar, the ruler of the Roman Empire. He decreed Christianity the new official religion of the Roman Empire, and the rest, as they say, is History.

Gaudete es 73 de John / K2INY

In article <8dkdloflj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I just got my first taste this morning of the blessings of
restructuring. I
> kid you NOT. The station worked had a callsign suffix of OHO/AE. He
just
> became an EXTRA. Did you ever try to work someone who never heard of
an
> exchange? Never heard of "go ahead" or "over?"Someone who talks,
stops and
> that's it? An EXTRA? Good God, what has the FCC wrought? Speaking of
God, I
> urge you to read the lead article in this week's TIME magazine. It
deals
> with who killed Jesus and why. You've all heard the fairy tale about
the
> Jews yelling at Pilate, "Crucify him and let his blood be on our
hands and
> the hands of our children?" BULLBLEEP MY BOY, BULLBLEEP. Hebrew law
allowed
> only one type of execution-STONING. Crucifixion was an invention of
the
> heathen Romans to scare insurrectionists and it was THEY who felt
that the
> man was a threat to their power in the Holy Land instead of Jews
fearing his
> threat to Judaism. Now here's the catch. The New Testament was begun
100
> years after Jesus's death and at that time there was a conflict
between the
> good old fashioned vanilla Jews versus the Messianic Jews who
believed in
> him. There was no such thing as CHRISTIANITY then despite the lies
taught to
> you from the pulpits and in Sunday schools. The Greeks who wrote the
N.T.
> sided with the Messianic Jews and needed a target of hatred to sway
public
> opinion away from the folks who brought you the Ten Commandments.
Therefore
> Greek fairy tale artists, the same folks who had given you their
bullcrap
> about stupid Gods and Goddesses like Mercury, Zeus, Aphrodite and the
other
> dopes cleverly wove the garbage about the perfidy of Jesus's peoples
> demanding his execution. The article was based on work done by
theology
> scholars not propagandists. It is most enlightening at this time of
season

> especially when we still read and hear about ugly, demonic and lying
Passion
> Plays which most informed Christians abhor. Incidentally it mentions
the
> HORNS supposedly on the heads of Jews which portray them as devils.
That too
> is another Greek invention to foster hatred. At the time of the
writing of
> the N.T., Greek painters had to emphasize their point and made it very
> convenient to place horns on those calling for Jesus's crucifixion.
Whomever
> said that lies don't last never took expediency into consideration.
> AF2Y
>
>

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1839. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <geronimo@extremezone.com>
Message-ID: <38FE0A39.9EDAE1C@extremezone.com>
Source record: 113530

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-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
Hash: SHA1

Gee,
I quess that means he'll be treating any new ham without
any real respect.

more like: tis guy is a whining, sniveling, spoiled baby that needs
his
disaper changed!

Hawke

A REAL Ham wrote:

Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre
lazy CB
types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus
and
upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because
youll be
run off.

-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
Version: PGPfreeware 6.5.3 for non-commercial use <http://www.pgp.com>
Comment: Protecting the Privacy of law abiding citizens everywhere!

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=JyHg
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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1840. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Feel the power <screwschrew@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <lVnL4.45172$y4.1604260@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113531

<w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dkvr5$63v$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> This news group is boring! Same old sexual remarks by
> "Slopehead" from (SNIP)

No George, you are bored since 14313 is
now dead and there's nobody on there for you to try
and stir up the shit as you've been doing for
Years.

> Can't anyone come up with something worth
> while. I am afraid I will not be checking the postings
> any more if it does not improve.

I rest my case.

Hey, what ever happened to Billy-Jerk?
Did he finally drop dead from a stroke or something..?
(please say yes) FQF & Billy-Jack Show: "Tweedle-Dip shit
and Tweedle-Dumber still" Poster boys for all that is stupid.

1841. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Feel the power <screwschrew@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <%_nL4.45186$y4.1603513@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113532

A REAL Ham <Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header> wrote in message
news:34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1...

> Anyone who upgraded on or after April
> 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> types and arent worth spit, so get lost.
> Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come
> on my frequency because youll be
> run off.

What frequency do you operate on? Please try 14313
when w4fqf is on the air. I feel you and him would
make a great pair of on-the-air buttpirates

1842. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Feel the power <screwschrew@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1%nL4.45187$y4.1603513@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113533

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8dl0l7$3i2$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...

> Anyone who believes that 666 represents anything
> but number 666 is an uninformed brainwashed
> schmuck who is a disciple of Brothers Stair,
> Escalator and Elevator. A worthless bum who
> believes in voodoo, fairy tales
> and Mother Goose. Amen.

That's what I like about you Doc! In one short
paragraph you can state more wisdom and where-with-all
that all of these trailer-trash Southern Goyshe
can do in a month of Sunday's. May God grant you
good health and much good business fortune.

1843. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dl3j5ake1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113534

In article <01bfaa25$a5e7b180$d34a1504@howard>,
"Old Biker" <enfield@3n.net> wrote:
> Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com> wrote ....
> > Why else would many wait 10, 20 or more years,(to) upgrade?
> >
> > People keep forgetting that the whole REASON the Extra class
carried a
> > certain status is because it was more difficult and few wanted to
make the
> > comittment to learn the code at that speed. It has no status
now......
>
> Thanks but yaw'l sound like a bunch of voodoo cultists who's idol
just fell
> over. FWIW I just got my "welfare" general ticket and, if I can
spare the 10
> or 15 minutes of study needed to pass the extra written exam I'll do
that too.
>
> I had good reasons to "wait 20+ years". I held a first class
radiotelephone
> license with endorsements so I found the tests you sweated over
sophmoric (to
> be kind) and the lack of questions on emergency station operations
appalling.
> OTOH I suffer from severe tinnitis - I hear loud ever changing tones
that sound
> much like code continually - and while I could have overcome that
handicap with
> enough work, I feel the same about being told that by someone to whom
code
> comes easily as a parapilegic feels about being encouraged to run a 4-
minute
> mile. And what was I to gain for the effort? The ability to exchange
a few
> items of meaningless drivel with enough other idiots to win contests
faster?
> In 3 years on the novice HF bands, all I did was exchange QSL data!
Any attempt
> at personal conversation was ignored, so my HF rigs have been packed
away ever
> since. Moreover, I did work on code as often as my job and other
commitments
> allowed but, given my handicap, that was never enough so I eventually

quit
> trying. Now those of you who ignored job, family and friends to
spend hours
> learning code are finding it hard to accept that it was a waste of
time - that
> all you got for it was the exclusive use of a piece of public
property that -
> boo hoo - has now been reclaimed by some of the people who own it -
to wit,
> J.Q. Public.
>
> FWIW, I just got my "welfare" upgrade to general and, if I can spare
10 or 15
> minutes to study required, I'll go ace the extra written test like I
did the
> old general/tech test and bump up to extra too.
>
> Status? I hate to tell you this but there is no more reason to be
proud to
> have learned code than I have to be proud to have learned Latin and
except in
> mutual admiration societies, there is no status in knowing morse
code. I have
> never met a woman who wanted to date a guy because he knew code, etc.
etc.!
> Sorry, but if you've been basing your self respect on code speed then
you're
> gonna need psychiatric help pronto.
>
> KA3DWW/AG ... grinning all the way :o)
>
Right here is a good example of why we have this idiotic fight over
code vs no code. People on both sides jabbing and pushing a point of
view, at the expense of the opposition.

Now, answer me this....if you REALLY didn't upgrade because of your
tinnites why didn't you just get on of those medical waivers? Come on
fess up, you just like to stab and jab.

Now lets ALL knock off this idiotic debate over a dead issue. CW is on
its way out. The only use for it will be for us diehard cw ops to
enjoy until we croak and it goes the way of the Doe Doe birds.

Dan/W4NTI
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1844. Welcome Newcomers; Happy Hamming!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <22389-38FE088C-37@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113535

I know that I speak for most hams in welcoming all the newcomers. Over the past fifty years since I got my license, I've grown to appreciate the wonderful spectrum and legacy we inherit.

Those who seek to sully it are the exceptions. Just as society's progress produces troubling biproducts, so does progression in our hobby/service. Those of us who truly care need only do our share to guide and protect her. No reason, we should derive ideas of reference from the mean spirited and mentally disordered, for their communications speak volumes only about themselves.

Instead, the well meaning should rally around tenure, so that we can give this magnificence to future generations.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1845. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dl2fk$39$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113536

What bible? There are two, right? The O.T. is merely threefold (1)it's a history of the development of monotheism (2) it's a history of the Hebrew people (3) it's a guide for better cleaning living. The N.T. is a continuation of the Old and based on the concept that if intricate truisms are put into laymans' terms which Christ did, then they spread. The N.T. would have never become prominent nor Jesus so inspiring had the idea of an afterlife not been so ingrained in it. Man's worse fear is death and allaying it by professing a love of Christ is Christianity's main selling point. According to the religion, he rose from the dead so if you believe it, you'll never die. And supposedly intelligent people believe this stuff? And Moses led the children of Israel for a forty year walk in the desert to the Promised Land? And Jesus walked on water and performed miracles like David Copperfield and Moses had a heart to heart chat with a burning bush as he sat on a mountain top for forty days and forty nights waiting for some tablets? And now he's the head of the N.R.A. which is dedicated to killing? Think about it: what is the main difference between it and Judaism? The concept of life after death through Jesus which has never been proved nor will it be. The Testaments were no more written by God than by man creating the seas. It's a fallacy-a hoax and a lie. Organized religion has destroyed more life than it's ever saved. All religious holidays, save one, the Passover, are man made and sponsored by Hallmark. All religious services are man made, period. When man realizes that all prayers go up and replies don't come down; when he realizes that if God exists, he, she or it has nothing to do with him; when man realizes that we must all work together as one people, void of religious labels, then we have a better earth. The concept of God unites us; the concept of only one right religion, divides us. If you want to know why God no longer communicates with man, it's easy. He, she or it is DISGUSTED with us. We have violated every precept in those Commandments and some of us do it in the name of God. How ludicrous. "Thou shalt not kill(murder)" said God and look at what's happened. We kill each other forcing an interpretation of God down each other's throats. What a joke and have a nice Easter or Passover whichever one floats your boat.
AF2Y

In article <38FDD97A.D897BED3@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> Hey Doc,
> Would it be safe in saying that you don't believe in
> a 'strict' interpretation of the Bible?
> W5LZ

1846. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dl2pd$95c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113537

This is the most sense that schmuck's made in years!

In article <8dkmas$qs3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> Well Doc, EETUIOPOP HHHHU^TDR rkjgfutues viyjrhew vjhg dkiduytjv
> ewurjrfn nvnvjtg trfjuhgigh gtitifjf l20i4jdcn ospdjfoiefodi
> podvjeicmioc dsifjir oerier fdikre-xckjv dfmjbogf esig9tr ejfifvo
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> ZNX894UYRT 32RH32DX E904JDU32 F05IUT
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1847. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dl4a9bhs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113538

In article <8dkvuh$650$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:
> I've posted these sentiments to a couple of threads, but I think they
> bear a more public airing in their own thread:
>
> A lot of current hams - Generals through Extras - are understandably
> upset (even incensed) that new hams and especially long-time lower
> grade hams have an easier path to upgrade than they, themselves, did.
> It is true that the upgrade path is significantly easier without 13-
wpm
> and 20-wpm requirements than it was just a month ago.
>
> BUT, the truth is that this isn't the first time that license upgrade
> requirements were 'dumbed down' and many of today's so-called "Real
> Ham" complainers are, themselves, beneficiaries of earlier rounds of
> dumbing down - and are holders of earlier versions of 'welfare'
> licenses.
>
> Once upon a time you had to take a written license test that combined
> the requirement of drawing over a dozen circuit diagrams (requiring
in-
> depth knowledge of electrical theory and circuit design), and the
> requirement of answering a number of essay-style questions (requiring
> even wider in-depth knowledge). Also, to pass the code requirement,
> the examinee had to show the ability to copy accurately at speed and
> also to send accurately at speed with a straight key. Neither test
> allowed for any guessing or prior memorization of the answers - you
> really had to know your stuff.
>
> In later years, the powers that be dumbed down the tests dramatically.
> The written tests became strictly multiple-choice - with public
> printing of the exact question pools, complete with answers available
> to anyone who wanted to memorize his way into a higher class.
>
> The code test was dumbed down even more. Now, all you had to do was
to
> answer (or guess) 7 out of 10 questions (sometimes fill-in-the-blank,
> but more often the easier multiple-choice format). No more
requirement
> to copy accurately. No more test of sending skill at all (ignoring
the
> fact that Part 97 of Title 47 CFR still specifies that a sending test
> must be part of the code test requirements).
>

> Unless you took all of your licensing and upgrade tests before the era
> of the dramatically easier multiple-choice tests, YOU, TOO, ARE A
> WELFARE HAM, and really have no call to be complaining about the
> logical next step of the dumbing-down process!
>
> So, unless all you last-generation welfare hams are willing to make a
> truly noble gesture and publicly burn your dumbed-down multiple-choice
> licenses, please stop the public pissing and moaning. Welcome the new
> welfare recipients into the fold and try to help them grow into
skilled
> and conscientious operators - as the previous "Real Hams" once did for
> you.
>
> 73 de John / K2INY
>
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>
Boy that's gonna piss them off but good !!!!!!!

I remember my General from 1961 had several diagrams that I had to
answer questions on. Like the Hartley, the Colpitts oscillators and
several of various types of power supplies. Never had to draw them
out, but bet I could have. Because your right....wern't no memorizing
back then.. You had to know a little about the subject at least.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1848. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <813F45320828C4DD.9935843558D2842A.D0279BFAA74C2D7C@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113539

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 14:57:57 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>
>Then we sat for the written, and out of the 20 I have NO IDEA who
>passed and who failed. WHY? Because the jerks wouldn't tell us. So I
>go home and wait 8 WEEKS and to this day I can still see me opening
>that mailbox and seeing my shiney new K8BHH General license.
>
>AH, how things do change.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
Only 8?!! The group of old hams took us to Syracuse for the
once-in-a-blue-moon FCC testing session road show. Every kid who went
was R-E-A-D-Y! We were already seasoned Novices, running these guys
HT-32s, ad nauseum. So, we knew all the General bands, propagation,
etc., from personal experience...kept up long nights we should have
been asleep and, when asked by irate educrats why we were sleeping in
class, we'd answer, "Sorry, Ma'am. I was over at Jerry's store
talkin' to a kid in California on 20 meters when this kid from Tokyo
wanted to know how the skiing is in upstate NY right now."
Astonished, and having no idea what I was talking about except she
knew, vaguely, that I was some sort of radio whizkid with my call
letters on my locker, she'd walk away mumbling something about I
should get some sleep so I wouldn't fall asleep in history
class....(how boring).

Larry....
We ALL got our Generals, that day. Our gift from the "guys" was we
all got Astatic crystal mikes with matching mike stands....(c;

Thanks, guys, wherever you are 43 years later.....mostly gone.

1849. Re: My license is updated in FCC database already, that was fast!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dl3jt$t6v$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113540

In article <8dkt4g$312$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <pogopossum@my-deja.com> wrote:
>So tell me, John. Did you have to draw a over a dozen schematics and
>answer a bunch of in-depth essay questions for your last license
>upgrade - or did you just have to take one of the modern-day multiple-
>choice (memorize the public question pool) tests?

What's it been -- over 50 years since having to draw schematics was
required?

>Did you have to show ability to copy code at 20wpm accurately and also
>to send it at the same speed with a straight key, or did you only have
>to answer 7 out of 10 easy multiple choice questions (benefitting from
>a lucky guess or two along the way)?

I had to provide perfect copy at 25wpm (random groups), but it wasn't
for an amateur license.

>IMHO, the beneficiaries of the last round of dumbed-down 'welfare
>licenses' shouldn't whine so loudly about the beneficiaries of the
>newest round.
>Seems to me that this round of code 'dumbing-down' isn't half as
>significant as the multiple-choice written and code test dumbing-down
>of recent decades.
>73 de pogo / K2INY

You try to sound like an OTer with your new Vanity callsign, but you
were just KC2FZM a month ago.

73, Jeff KH6O (which is also a Vanity -- I was WH6U)

1850. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dl5o5cvb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113541

In article <8dkvuh$650$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

> No more test of sending skill at all (ignoring the fact that Part 97
> of Title 47 CFR still specifies that a sending test must be part of
> the code test requirements).

A minor correction; while 97.503(a) does indeed state, "...the ability to send correctly by hand...," 97.509(g) says that, "[p]assing a telegraphy receiving examination is adequate proof of an examinee's ability to both send and receive telegraphy." It goes on to give the option of including a sending test by the VE.

This change was implemented in the 80s based on the long recognized phenomenon that virtually everyone can send faster than they can receive. Answer any CW CQ from a recently licensed individual at the speed it was sent to verify that principle. (settle down readers; this is not a knock on newly licensed hams, it is an observation of inexperienced CW operators based on years of experience, and is well documented elsewhere, in any event)

The rest of your points are well taken, although some of the changes over the years were based on real world communications issues, e.g., "perfect" CW copy in amateur radio isn't necessary if one is able to comprehend the message. In other words, why fail an applicant who miscopied a period here or a letter there, if he got the other op's, call, report, name, QTH, rig, antenna, power, weather, etc., correctly?

I was the beneficiary of such enlightened administration.

LRod

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1851. Ladder Line Better???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8LVJ <rjc100@attglobal.net>
Message-ID: <38FE42A5.2880@attglobal.net>
Source record: 113542

I am currenting feeding my attic mounted multiband dipole (40m - 10m)
with 9913 coax. Would ladder line be better for this 80 ft run??
If so, what type/ohm should I use and what Balun would be needed?
Also, can I feed ladder line into shack directly to tuner or would
that cause too much RF in shack????

I am newer to HF and would appreciate your help.....THANKS...

1852. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dl781ett1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113543

In article <38FDD4B8.D4808194@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:
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>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > I just got my first taste this morning of the blessings of
restructuring. I
> > kid you NOT. The station worked had a callsign suffix of OHO/AE. He
just
> > became an EXTRA. Did you ever try to work someone who never heard of
an
> > exchange? Never heard of "go ahead" or "over?"
>
> Yes. Those Extras who show up for disaster work with no training in
> disaster communications.
>
> The good ones pay attention to all those no-code Techs who are in
charge
> of field commo units until they get up to speed.
>
> The others come here and whine about how restructuring has resulted in
a
> lot of untrained operators.
>
> Funny thing -- all of those new HFers will learn HF the same way those
> good Extras learn disaster communications -- by following the examples
> of those who know how it's done.
> Now he responds to is own garbage.

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1853. WANT:MANUAL FOR STANDARD C528A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe & Bonita Sanada <b.sanada@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <38FE1C11.F06CEE07@gateway.net>
Source record: 113544

Hi I have a Standard 2/440 C528A HT and I lost my Manual

Please if anyone knows where I can get a Copy or original

Let me know Thanks 73 Joe b.sanada@gateway.net

Joe W1JAS

1854. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com>
Message-ID: <38FE1E11.FD61F4C4@icoms.com>
Source record: 113545

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I just got my first taste this morning of the blessings of restructuring. I
> kid you NOT. The station worked had a callsign suffix of OHO/AE. He just
> became an EXTRA. Did you ever try to work someone who never heard of an
> exchange? Never heard of "go ahead" or "over?"Someone who talks, stops and
> that's it? An EXTRA? Good God, what has the FCC wrought?

Let see learning code == learning to say over. I guess I learned off
the
wrong code tapes. I also didn't find "go ahead" or "over" in any of the
old question pool. So tell me just how did the restructuring bestow
this blessing on you?

You are so narrow minded that you heard /AE and looked very hard for
anything this person did wrong. Of course you found it!

Was this a QSO with you or was to too good to talk to him/her? Did
you advise him/her on the protocol? or was you just an jerk about it?

Why are you an others taken it out on the new general/extra hams?
Because
they are able to take advantage of the new rules? They didn't have any
control over the new rules any more than you did. Stop making it
personal!
It isn't!!!!

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON/AE
x929

1855. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13124-38FE1A53-22@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113546

W4FQF,

With due respect, frankly, I haven't found your posts interesting either. We can only post to the best of our ability, hoping that we can all spiral our intellects.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1856. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Time--2--Go@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18021-38FE1C65-24@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113547

Only a psychotic could go from the subject of:

not saying "over" in an amateur radio transmission...

to discussing the death of Jesus...

and conclude with the topic of greek paintings...

and do it all in one, big, gigantic RANT!!!!!

Isaac

1857. Odd Place to use Cellphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <38fe2701$1@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 113548

For a long time, I thought this one
was the worst -

Guy in the gym, doing bicep curls with one
arm, talking on the cell phone with the other.

--

Then I saw this guy. He takes the award, I think -

Guy in the airport men's room. Standing at the
urinal. Cell phone in one hand, his xxxx in the other.

--

lumpy ab0gd
--
http://www.digitalcartography.com

1858. Sell TH-D7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: thd7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dla5e$ib3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113549

Hello,
Hi have a TH-D7A + battery case for sale. Never
used.

Contact: thd7_radio@hotmail.com

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1859. Radio Direction finding

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ing <venezia@sunstone.it>
Message-ID: <8dl58h$6uo$1@serv1.iunet.it>
Source record: 113550

I need the book "Radio Direction Finding", Watson D.W. and Wrigth H.E.,1971,
Van Nostrand Reinhold.
I have tried to buy it but is out of print.
Could you help me? It's most important.

Thanks.

V. Palmerio
veneziano@sunstone.it

1860. Dear Abby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1d028174.ea7dad02@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>
Source record: 113551

Re: The "Dear Abby" column for 19 April concerning a Morse
Telegraph Club. How old would a railroad or Western Union
retiree be to have actually been involved in telegraphy?
Too, landline and radiotelegraph morse are/were different,
so how did hams become involved?

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1861. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <39002a94.1799704@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 16:47:24 GMT, ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote:

>The following article is the first installment of a new monthly column
>that will be appearing on http:www.adi-radio.com.
>
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> * * *
>
>What"s the FREQUENCY, Kenneth?
>By Ken Collier, KO6UX
>
>
>
>The new movie Frequency is a sci-fi action thriller starring Dennis
>Quaid, Jim Caviezel, and ham radio. It opens in most U.S. cities on
>Friday April 28th. By now many of you have begun to see commercials
>and trailers for the film.
>
>The movie, itself, features ham radio in no small way. The basic plot
>involves ham radio signals reaching across time, as is evidenced in
>this excerpt from the official movie web site (www.frequencymovie.com):
>
>

The movie "Frequency" could show the public Ham Radio like
"October Sky" did for Model Rocketry.

Rick KC2ESD/AG

1862. Re: Ladder Line Better???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dldhe$m0g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113553

In article <38FE42A5.2880@attglobal.net>,
rjc100@attglobal.net wrote:

> I am currenting feeding my attic mounted multiband dipole (40m - 10m)
> with 9913 coax. Would ladder line be better for this 80 ft run??
> If so, what type/ohm should I use and what Balun would be needed?
> Also, can I feed ladder line into shack directly to tuner or would
> that cause too much RF in shack????

Lots of stuff here. Maybe more than can be covered in one post. Some time with the ARRL Handbook would be well spent, and if you can get a copy of Maxwell's "Reflections" you have the only two books you need to understand feedline issues.

What sort of "multiband dipole" are you talking about? If it's several dipoles with a common feedpoint, then coax is okay if the antennas are reasonably resonant. If it's a dipole designed to be fed with a balanced feedline and used on multiple bands, then your coax is not helping.

From your query, it sounds like you are concerned about signal loss in your coax. At HF that's not a concern with any of the normal coaxes. 9913 is way overkill for your purposes. Where feedline loss does come into play is when dealing with a severe mismatch at the antenna (high SWR).

Balanced feedlines (twin-lead, ladder line, open-wire feeder) only come in one variety of impedance, and that is somewhat unscientific in its designation. Twin-lead is usually considered 300 ohm, and ladder line and open wire feeder is generally thought of as 450 ohm.

However, in systems that use a balanced feedline, the characteristic impedance isn't important as it is in coax fed systems. That's partly because there must be impedance transformation performed for the transmitter to be happy. That answers the balun question, because many tuners use a balun to change the output from BALanced to UNbalanced (hence the name) for open wire or ladder line type feedlines.

The significant characteristic in balanced feedline is loss, which is extremely low, especially compared to coax. That's important, because with high SWR (not necessarily a bad thing), some of the power leaving the transmitter is going to be reflected and rereflected at the mismatch point (antenna). The lower the loss in the feedline, the more power will eventually be radiated.

If you are asking about a balun at the antenna, obviously that would be unnecessary with balanced feedline. With coax, the debate has raged for years about the necessity of one. Many people have run very effective

antennas with direct coax feed (including me).

Others argue that it is desirable to reduce or eliminate RF on the shield of the coax, and recommend either a balun or a simple RF choke consisting of a dozen turns of coax (don't use foam dielectric) on approx 6" form. However, that method (choke) doesn't do much outside of a range of roughly 10 MHz through 30 MHz.

The most popular method these days is the "current balun" which consists of a number of toroids on the outside of the coax. It's not really a balun in the sense that it doesn't change the feed from unbalanced to balanced, but it serves as a choke similar to the above but over a much wider range of frequencies.

The record is replete with stories of RF in the shack in installations using balanced feedlines. Many of the symptoms of RF can be eliminated with toroids, grounding, and ferrite beads. Seek out the ARRL RFI Handbook for more information, as well as the ARRL Handbook.

The current RF Safety requirements imposed by the FCC don't address feedlines; they only address antennas, and their proximity to operators, neighbors, and other livestock. I am awaiting a response from reputable resources as to what significance, if any, balanced feedlines have in the RF Safety dialogue.

I hope this helps.

LRod

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1863. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FE3419.A9AE564@icss.net>
Source record: 113554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

n2ey@aol.com wrote:

> In article <38FD57B7.D7C42F3E@IEEE.org>,
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > What rig
> > is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?
>
> Heathkit SB-100. 80-10 meters, 100 W output, kit made in the early-mid
> 1960s.
>
> It has been described as "vintage" and "antique" but it's really not
> that old.

WHAT? It's not really that old??? Let's define "old," and "that old."

> And it's a pretty decent rig for the money.

Depends on the money. If we're talking pesos, it's probably OK.

> The rig in "Contact" was a Collins KWM-2. Couldn't tell if it was
> winged or meatball, though.

So in this movie, is some doofus calling Dianna Ross on the radio?

> 73 de Jim, N2EY
> --
> FISTS #4360
> BIT #0001

1864. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FE349A.638FF58D@icss.net>
Source record: 113555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

W6RCecilA wrote:

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> > W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
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> > > is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?
> >
> > Heathkit SB-100. 80-10 meters, 100 W output, kit made in the early-mid
> > 1960s.
>
> I had one of those. Kept me warm in the winter.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

Did you prop the top open with a wooden matchstick like I did my SB-101?

1865. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13764-38FE3440-20@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113556

WA2ISE,

Over my fifty years, I've made mistakes galore. After all, this is the human condition. "To err is human; to forgive, divine."

Welcome and feel free to email any requests with which I can help you. I would not be adverse to spending on telephone calls to help any, well intentioned, new ham.

As soon as my tower installation is complete, I will have one of the signals in the U.S., 10-40.
Maybe an Elmer Net is appropriate. Comments?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1866. Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

(I am not making this up, guys. This really happened.)

I was listening on 40 meters to two hams
who had just "upgraded" to Extra Class.

Ham 1: "How come you took your new beam down?
You just bought it."

Ham 2: "Something's wrong with the feed on it.
I can't seem to find the problem."

Ham 1: "Well what's it doing?"

Ham 2: "My manual says the beam is supposed to be 50 ohms,
but I put my meter on it and
it don't show no ohms at all!"

Those darn "New" Extras....
Shows they don't know anything, right?

There's only one problem.....

This exchange took place in * 1976. *

People who don't know much have been passing the
"Extra" class forever. And it doesn't really matter.
In time, some will become technically proficient.
Most will learn the difference between "10-4" and "OK."
Some will learn to be of service in Skywarn or MARS.
Some will help at hamfests or work the checkpoints at
community marathons or teach newbies about Field Day Follies
or just be friends, talking to other friends
(and a few will be "id-juts," but we'll overlook them).

It will all settle out in good time.
The world is big enough for all of us.
The good guys will surface and
the bad guys will be swept away.

I say let's have some patience and welcome the new blood.
We need them- Make no mistake about that.
The "new" guys and gals are here to stay.
They are our peers now-
every bit as legitimate as you or I ever were.
Fighting with them is fighting against ourselves.

GL ES 73 OM DE Dave AB5S

p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)

1867. Re: How to be a UnaBasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FE39F9.97ADCBB2@icss.net>
Source record: 113558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

K0HB wrote:

> Most of us view, with some level of disdain, the various UnaBashers
> here on rrap, rram, and other amateur radio newsgroups.
>
> These UnaBashers, like mf_luder, Burt, W2DNE, Radio_rambo_whatever,
> N0iMD,

Hans, are you still angry about you having to do a 180 on the "VP of Nokia" thing? That must have really hurt bad. Anything to suck up to Dave, right? You need to take your own advice.

1868. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dle83gfj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113559

In article <8dkvr5$63v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:

> This news group is boring! Same old sexual remarks by "Slopehead" from
> West Virginia.
> Same old rantings from "Dr Hate" in Clifton N.J. Same old W4NTI "they
> cain't stand it" drivel. Can't anyone come up with something worth
> while. I am afraid I will not be checking the postings any more if it
> does not improve.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952

Yeah, and you haven't had a shower since 1952 either!

1869. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dlegj$j8c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113560

JOHN, YOU'RE A WORDSMITH. KEEP ON WRITING...P...L..E..E..Z...E

In article <8dl23m$8t2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

> Actually, radisigs has it pretty much correct here.
>
> The Hebrew prophesy of the coming of the Messiah goes back centuries
> before the advent of Jesus Christ. Religious Jews today still await
> the Messiah. Back in Jesus' day, every generation had at least one or
> two charismatic leaders whose adherents proclaimed him to be the
> promised Messiah. There was always one true test of the Messiah,
> however. He must fulfill all the prophesies to prove his status. When
> each new generation's candidates died with the prophesies unfilled,
> their followers' claims were shown to be, shall we say,
> unduly "optimistic."
>
> The followers of Jesus Christ sincerely believed him to be the promised
> Messiah of the Hebrew people. They were unwilling to give up their
> belief in his Divinity and his identity as the Messiah when he died, so
> they reasoned that he must not be "really" dead, not "finally" dead.
> Its just that the people weren't ready for him yet. His death was only
> temporary, and He would be reborn and return to finish fulfilling the
> prophesies whenever his people finally proved worthy of salvation.
> This cleverly got around the acid test that he had failed to deliver on
> the prophesies before dying.
>
> Interestingly, the followers of Brooklyn's Rabbi Schneerson - the most
> recent Messiah candidate - who died several years ago, came to the same
> conclusion. Rather than give up their belief in him, they proclaimed
> that he would rise from the dead. Many expected it to happen on the
> way to the cemetary. Some are still awaiting his "second coming." One
> wonders if their descendants will still be waiting in 2000 years.
>
> During the first couple of generations after Jesus's death, the Jewish
> population divided into the minority who believed that he WAS the
> Messiah and would magically return from the dead to continue his works,
> and the majority, who believed that he was yet another in a long line
> of false Messiahs. Only near the end of the first century, did
> Christ's followers begin to take on an identity as "Christians" instead
> of simply Jews who believed that the promised Messiah had come in the
> form of Jesus. Some scholars attribute this identity change to their
> attempts to disassociate themselves from the rest of the Jewish people,
> who were then undergoing yet another new round of persecution from the
> Romans.

>
> The new Christians spent the next couple of centuries as essentially a
> small cult until they made a fortuitous conversion - sometime after 300
> AD, they converted the current Caesar, the ruler of the Roman Empire.
> He decreed Christianity the new official religion of the Roman Empire,
> and the rest, as they say, is History.
>
> Gaudete es 73 de John / K2INY

1870. Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: james <jhustead@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <2drL4.170$Ca1.58419@news1.atlantic.net>
Source record: 113561

Whats a good program (computer) or audio tape, cd to learn morse code?

James KE4QYS

1871. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dleks$6cd$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113562

THANK YOU AND HAVE EITHER A HAPPY PESACH OR A JOYOUS EASTER!

In article <1%nL4.45187$y4.1603513@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Feel the power" <screwschrew@hotmail.com> wrote:

>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8dl0l7$3i2$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
>
>> Anyone who believes that 666 represents anything
>> but number 666 is an uninformed brainwashed
>> schmuck who is a disciple of Brothers Stair,
>> Escalator and Elevator. A worthless bum who
>> believes in voodoo, fairy tales
>> and Mother Goose. Amen.
>
> That's what I like about you Doc! In one short
> paragraph you can state more wisdom and where-with-all
> that all of these trailer-trash Southern Goyshe
> can do in a month of Sunday's. May God grant you
> good health and much good business fortune.
>
>
>

1872. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FE3DA6.5D59B30E@icss.net>
Source record: 113563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley wrote:

> Kim W5TIT wrote:
>
> > Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
> > > Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > > >"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> > > >>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> > > >>publication in the country.
>
> > > >That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that good,
> > > >or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.
>
> > > Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?
>
> > "Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?
>
> Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
> Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
> was about 8 years old.

Good grief. Poking your pacifier in to the outlet doesn't qualify.

> I've worked in many different technical and
> engineering environments, and the ARRL handbook was on the reference
> shelf in every one of them. There are certainly better reference texts,
> but for practical RF applications as well as coverage of the
> fundamentals, the Handbook is very useful.
>
> 73, Jim AC6XG

Sure. I've got three of them. I buy one about every 5 years.

1873. Re: What killed ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: patbrown@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1040-38FE3B95-50@storefull-116.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113564

The sparrow with his bow and arrow.

http://community.webtv.net/patbrown/WelcometoPatsPlace

1874. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13762-38FE35E3-71@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113565

Oh come on, Doc. I can imagine the first timer having a panic attack.
What you take for granted has been inculcated through the process of
education.

Let's put them at ease and help them become aclimatized.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1875. Re: Ladder Line Better???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15463-38FE38AC-69@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113566

Ladder line is preferable; however where it's feeding an attic antenna,
it depends upon what surrounds it.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1876. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dlevmjva1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113567

You got away lucky Yitzcock because I was all set to make a big post about the 15 year old Canadian kid who spooked eBay, Amazon, Yahoo! and others. Following that I was going to post how Janet Reno should adopt Elian Gonzalez. When one's as brilliant as I, it's his duty to enlighten and I'm glad to read you're reading and appreciating me. Thanks and have a nice Easter because even with a Jewish name you're not smart enough to be one.

In article <18021-38FE1C65-24@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Time--2--Go@webtv.net (Isaac Shift) wrote:

> Only a psychotic could go from the subject of:
>
> not saying "over" in an amateur radio transmission...
>
> to discussing the death of Jesus...
>
> and conclude with the topic of greek paintings...
>
> and do it all in one, big, gigantic RANT!!!!!
>
> Isaac
>

1877. Re: Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <charles@ab7sl.com>
Message-ID: <8dlf64$2d7$1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 113568

I tried many CW tutor programs. I finally settled on Morse Tutor Gold. It tutored me on my PC all the way past 20wpm. I also at the beginning used Gordon West code tapes from Radio Shack. The tapes were cheap and gave me a good start but Morse Tutor Gold did the rest along with regular disciplined practice sessions. After making Extra I gave the tapes and software to our local radio club for their classes . I do not recall where I purchased Morse Tutor Gold.

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Charles T Johnston - AB7SL
charles@ab7sl.com

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http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724

"james" <jhustead@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:2drL4.170$Ca1.58419@news1.atlantic.net...
> Whats a good program (computer) or audio tape, cd to learn morse code?
>
> James KE4QYS
>
>

1878. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dlf8s$l9d$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113569

Listen here, "Wags," there was nothing all encompassing about my complaint. Don't you feel threatened in the least. It's simply common sense, Welfare Extra or not, to let the other person know when to talk. What was I supposed to be, a mind reader? But the General who followed him knew what was what which ameliorated the entire situation. Tell me "Wags," did you find copying 5 wpm of code, tough?

In article <38FE1E11.FD61F4C4@icoms.com>, Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com> wrote:

>
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> I just got my first taste this morning of the blessings of restructuring. I
>> kid you NOT. The station worked had a callsign suffix of OHO/AE. He just
>> became an EXTRA. Did you ever try to work someone who never heard of an
>> exchange? Never heard of "go ahead" or "over?"Someone who talks, stops and
>> that's it? An EXTRA? Good God, what has the FCC wrought?
>
> Let see learning code == learning to say over. I guess I learned off
> the
> wrong code tapes. I also didn't find "go ahead" or "over" in any of the
> old question pool. So tell me just how did the restructuring bestow
> this blessing on you?
>
> You are so narrow minded that you heard /AE and looked very hard for
> anything this person did wrong. Of course you found it!
>
> Was this a QSO with you or was to too good to talk to him/her? Did
> you advise him/her on the protocol? or was you just an jerk about it?
>
> Why are you an others taken it out on the new general/extra hams?
> Because
> they are able to take advantage of the new rules? They didn't have any
> control over the new rules any more than you did. Stop making it
> personal!
> It isn't!!!!
>
>
> --
> Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON/AE
> x929

1879. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth? ... 27.185 MegaHertz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sfsg2d4ein2136@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote in <8di3imuhq1@nnrp1.deja.com>:
>I am convinced that if amateur radio is to survive as a viable
>institution through the 21st century, that we are going to have to get
>the word out

Get the *word* out too? I thought the dip-shits only wanted CW out.

>The problem is that few people outside of amateur radio have an
>accurate picture of what hams do,

Restructuring supporters and code haters are in the same boat, they don't know what Hams do either.

>So get out there and do something to promote amateur radio.

I tried to improve & promote, but the ARRL had other plans. Promoting amateur radio would've harmed their membership drive fundraising efforts. So they took a look at the success of the citizen Band service in attracting users and selected "Lower & Slower" as the new ham standard.

"CBer's will feel more at home, if more hams feel like CBer's and we can collect more membership money from stupid people because stupid people are stupid and don't know value and are easily suckered in, and the League will come out the WINNER!, YAAAAA! and we can sell more advertising to Kenwood & ICOM, YAAAAAA! And we'll start running Cobra CB radio ads! YAAAAAAAAAAAAA!" (statements from a secret ARRL Fundraising PEP rally)

1880. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FE411A.44304986@icss.net>
Source record: 113571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Rick wrote:

> On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 16:47:24 GMT, ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote:
>
> >The following article is the first installment of a new monthly column
> >that will be appearing on http:www.adi-radio.com.
> >
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> > * * *
> >
> >What"s the FREQUENCY, Kenneth?
> >By Ken Collier, KO6UX
> >
> >
> >
> >The new movie Frequency is a sci-fi action thriller starring Dennis
> >Quaid, Jim Caviezel, and ham radio. It opens in most U.S. cities on
> >Friday April 28th. By now many of you have begun to see commercials
> >and trailers for the film.
> >
> >The movie, itself, features ham radio in no small way. The basic plot
> >involves ham radio signals reaching across time, as is evidenced in
> >this excerpt from the official movie web site (www.frequencymovie.com):
> >
> >
>
> The movie "Frequency" could show the public Ham Radio like
> "October Sky" did for Model Rocketry.
>
> Rick KC2ESD/AG

That was a nice movie. Now I want to build an iron rocket!

1881. Re: My license is updated in FCC database already, that was fast!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <seahawk7@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <38FE39CB.7B0DA7EC@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 113572

Hi there pogo,

Has your brain swallowed to many RFI in your old days??? Why are
you so bitter about how should things work in these modern days??? We
did after all teach our younger generations to fend for themselves, so
why are we/rather you so bitter about it?

GET A LIFE!!! and MOVE ON.

Cheers... and 73 de JJ.

pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <38fddf03.6519459@news.mindspring.com>,
> (John) wrote:
> > On 19 Apr 2000 06:50:51 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> >
> > >Just for giggles, I looked myself up in the FCC database. Suprize,
> my
> > >upgrade (and change of address) is done! So I won't need to say
> > >WA2ISE/AE anymore.
> > >
> > >I had expected at least a month for this update to happen, what with
> all
> > >the Apr 15th upgrades. The Sunnyvale VEs were quick and so was the
> FCC.
> > >
> > >I suppose the VEs have direct access to the FCC's database to make
> changes?
> > >
> > From a Tech Plus to a Welfare Extra. What a hoot. You're what's known
> > as a non achiever. Waited until it was given to you. Loser.
> >
>
> So tell me, John. Did you have to draw a over a dozen schematics and
> answer a bunch of in-depth essay questions for your last license
> upgrade - or did you just have to take one of the modern-day multiple-
> choice (memorize the public question pool) tests?
>
> Did you have to show ability to copy code at 20wpm accurately and also
> to send it at the same speed with a straight key, or did you only have
> to answer 7 out of 10 easy multiple choice questions (benefitting from
> a lucky guess or two along the way)?
>
> IMHO, the beneficiaries of the last round of dumbed-down 'welfare

> licenses' shouldn't whine so loudly about the beneficiaries of the
> newest round.
>
> Seems to me that this round of code 'dumbing-down' isn't half as
> significant as the multiple-choice written and code test dumbing-down
> of recent decades.
>
> Even if you personally are one of the old-timers who did have to take
> the much more difficult tests of the old days, why are you so willing
> to accept the recent waves of 'dumbed-down' Generals and Extras only to
> suddenly get so uptight about the lastest wave?
>
> EMWTK
>
> 73 de pogo / K2INY
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1882. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: csmolinski@erols.com
Message-ID: <csmolinski-ya02408000R1904002000420001@news.erols.com>
Source record: 113573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Don't feed the trolls...

> >To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
> >really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
> >what must be done.
> >
> >Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
> >tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
> >element, and not any government which acts to block you.

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1883. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dle9s017pn@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 113574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8dj311$k9h$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
>>entirelythe OT's but esp) are still grousing bout the loss of 11m to
>>CB
>
>If a neighborhood park across the street from your home was turned into
>a landfill, you too might sound just like those OTers.
>
>>as if it were the fault of the newcomers or some such nonsence
>
>If they're adding to the pollution of that landfill, then they too
>are at fault.
>
>Jeff

A very poor comparison, Jeff. A landfill doesn't have an off switch, or a frequency dial.
...and I don't recall seeing any rule that says a licensed ham can't also use eleven meters for short range, local communications. You can't continue to use a landfill for a park.

Tom - N8ECW

1884. Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bilgates Remailer <noreply@securenym.net>
Message-ID: <200004200017.e3K0Hu622482@anon.securenym.net>
Source record: 113575
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A deadbeat ham writes in alt.dss.hack:

> I pirate signals from DIRECTV and I am a ham radio
> operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
> I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
> satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
> other hams who do this crooks.

> Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
> contributions the hams made during pre/post war, and
> in the 60's/70's. Development along the AX.25 lines,
> Oscar, and all of the really *major* diasters around
> the world. Huricanes in the South, mud slides/quakes,
> Mt St. Hellens, Kobaie (sp ?). etc. etc.

Hams who STEAL cable and satellite services are nothing but scum. You dirty the honour of Amateur Radio by committing the crime of THEFT OF SERVICES.

Do you think that Hiram Percy Maxum would approve of what you are doing?

Any HAM who steals is nothing but a DIRT BALL. A high tech shoplifter.

Sure HAMS do great things. But scum bags like you who steal from DIRECTV give every ham radio operator a black eye!

Do you think that BARRY GOLDWATER would pat you on the back for being a thief, or would he SPIT IN YOUR EYE?

How can you look your children in the face and say "Daddy is a good man! Daddy is a HAM. Daddy STEALS from DIRECTV by pirating their signal!"

How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the eye? You are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time you rip off DIRECTV.

Shame on you all.

1885. WTB: Kenwood TS-940 Digital A board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <hydro@fx2.com>
Message-ID: <3rsL4.321$VW1.1370@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113576

Need the digital A board to fix my 940. This is the board with the
microprocessor & ROM chip ....

73's John KI4NR

1886. Re: Trade dual band handheld!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net>
Message-ID: <lVsL4.1524$RQ1.208668@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 113577

Its traded off Thank you..
Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net> wrote in message
news:lJqJ4.869$Wn2.19279@nntp1.onemain.com...
> Hi I would like to trade a dual band handheld (icom 24at) for a 10 meter
> radio to work repeaters, something like a hr2600 would be what I am
looking
> for. if you are interested you can reach me at (530) 589-4483 or
> badco@jps.net
> Thanks Frank..N6AQ
>
> --
> http://www.jps.net/badco/
> http://www.jps.net/badco/Orowpmc/
>
>

1887. TRADE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net>
Message-ID: <_VsL4.1344$Ax3.206931@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 113578

Hi, I would like to trade a very clean Kenwood TS-120s with mobile bracket
and manual for a working Johnson Viking Valiant. If the Johnson is clean
enough I would also be willing to add a HTX-212 50 watt vhf mobile radio to
sweeten the pot.
I can be reached at (530) 589-4483 or badco@jps.net
73' s Frank N6AQ

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http://www.jps.net/badco/
http://www.jps.net/badco/Orowpmc/

1888. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Builder <Builder@yomamma.com>
Message-ID: <8dlmo8$4n$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113579
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to have to actually live next door to me?

Builder
"

1889. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dlnp5jaf1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113580
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I pay $35/month for Cablevision and from what I'm seeing, they're stealing
from me.

In article <200004200017.e3K0Hu622482@anon.securenym.net>, Bilgates Remailer
<noreply@securenym.net> wrote:

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>
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>
>> Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
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>
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>
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> signal!"
>
> How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the eye? You
> are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time you
> rip off DIRECTV.
>

> Shame on you all.
>

1890. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vance <Shazam@nothere.org>
Message-ID: <38FE6432.9ED1F296@nothere.org>
Source record: 113581
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ya , And your no better stealing Bill Gates name to do you dirty business, Why don't you use your real name punk. We own the airwaves not DTV !

Bilgates Remailer wrote:

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>
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> Shame on you all.

1891. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <E0B13B88D0649A68.E992299D1848408D.846178F713E72283@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

COUGH Well, Phil, does this relative of yours believe that the daytime soaps are in any way representative of reality? Just curious...

--
Kim W5TIT

"Phil Kane" <nospam@nospam.spam> wrote in message news:cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ft9ryt3.pminews@ca.news.verio.net...
> On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 03:39:02 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> >Good grief, its only a movie. Anyone that "relies"
> >on Hollywood fiction as being representitive of reality
> >in any way needs their head examined anyway.
>
> So how do you explain a relative of mine who has a Doctorate
> and is a Professor at a med school who time-tapes all the
> daytime soaps and browses them on weekends tokeep current...
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

1892. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
>
>
> p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
>

We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring to themselves as "we"! Another gal ham absolutely despises the term "destinated"!

Kim W5TIT

1893. Re: internet ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8djhksiab1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113584

In article <38FD2F3A.21809204@lorax.mv.com>,
Laura Page <hlpage@lorax.mv.com> wrote:

> ke8hh has got the idea. Let me clarify what I meant by 'high speed'
> data.
> I was talking about today, out of the box, 384 kbits/second, and in
> two years, 200 mbits/second.
>
> 1200 baud, 2400 baud, no, no no.
>
> Can it be done?

Not today. There are at least 3 things that I think will prevent that from happening in the conventional sense of ham radio.

1. The laws of physics. Even at a paltry 56k, HF as it is configured today and in the foreseeable future does not have enough room to accomodate the bandwidth for those speeds. To put it in perspective, the 70 cm band is as large as the entire electromagnetic spectrum from DC up to 30 Mhz.

2. If you could have seen the difficulty that was had just in getting 9600 going due to transmitter limitations you couldn't imagine even doubling that speed, much less going X6.

3. Assuming there was interest, room, RF technology, and economies of scale sufficient to make equipment affordable, the moving target of data speeds would have leapt beyond that level begging the question, "why are we here?"

Now I'm no visionary, but 1 is a rock solid problem, so forget HF.

2 is certainly subject to change. Who that struggled to make a Motorola HT100 work on a ham repeater in 1970 would have envisioned cellphones?

3. Since I mentioned cellphones, I'd have to say let's see what those internet connections are like and then ask if there's a point in trying to reinvent that wheel on ham radio.

Before the internet became ubiquitous, packet radio was fun, interesting, useful. But the internet blew right by packet radio and virtually killed it, with minor exceptions (APRS, PacketCluster). It's hard to imagine internet and ham radio from the standpoint of an over-the-air connect.

But, don't let me discourage you...

LRod

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1894. Re: WACKO KE6HN <<----

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8djhrsijk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113585

In article <38fd36a7.298629@news.earthlink.net>,
xyz@privacy.net wrote:

> The 'ad' is in C.W. like a repeater I.D.....

What does the "ad" say?

> Since when was it legal to advertise a 'web site' on a repeater in
> C.W.?????

Since when was it illegal?

> ...and placed it on the repeater controller without the permission of
> the repeater owner,

How'd he do that? Seems like either loose security or owner's permission
to me.

LRod

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1895. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8djgir$ep1$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Did they use 14.313? :-)

1896. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <38FD478A.3C537229@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 113587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenneth,

I agree with many of your comments. The movie is a gift to ham radio and we should use it.

We have been mentioning the movie to 6th graders in our Radio Coach classes so they have been primed to respond to the movie advertisements that will soon be in the newspapers. Our 6th grade class has been coached on radio, science and electronics for the past 10 weeks by 9 different hams that visit their class room.

I saw FREQUENCY April 15th in a preview showing (one show only) in Rochester, NY. It opens here on April 28. I liked it a lot and put a small review of it on our club's web site.

Here's hope for a rejuvenated hobby of amateur radio. I appreciate what the hobby was in the past, I enjoy it now, and I embrace the change that will come in the future.

73,
Peter, W2SKY

1897. Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: News <kjones@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <NQbL4.43067$y4.1551025@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113588
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.morse,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.rtty,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Many years ago I was in the US Air Force and did a lot of communication via TTY. We used several "Q" & "Z" signals to shorten our broadcasts and speed things up. An example of what I'm talking about is:

ZUJ QRL QRX

meant:

Standby, I'm busy, I'll get back to you.

What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still exist). Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?

If so, please email me at KJones@sprintmail.com I'm not sure if I'll be able to check back here for answers.

Thanks VERY Much!!

Ken Jones

1898. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000419015956.17643.00002079@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 113589

<< Ahhhh!
So, not looking at it as a ham(which I know would be hard to do)...
Was it a good movie?
--
EDDY >>

Truthfully, the movie is not an Oscar-winner, but is quite entertaining and clever and well worth a rental from Blockbuster. (My old Heathkit SB-100 never did anything like the one in the movie does). - JT

1899. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000419020600.03585.00000065@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 113590

>
>What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still exist).
>Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?
>

My favorite:
ZUG. Translation, No....Negative

[Only the military would replace a two letter word (no) with a three letter
operating signal!]

ZUE is Yes....Affirmative

ZBO "I have traffic of the following precedence"

ZUT (bogus signal identifying members of a military radio operator faternity)

While sitting on a CW circuit in the Pacific, I heard the control station ask
for numerous repeats from one of the ship operators. The ship explained his
situation several different ways, but the shore station just didn't get it.
Finally, the ship transmitted a "z" signal and left the frequency. I looked up
the operating signal and found this definition:
"I Cannot Transmit Pictures."

QRM2000

1900. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <5jcL4.66057$W5.615528@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113591

:)
I know what you mean!
I am an electrician by trade, when it comes to movies sometimes I
just have laugh.
You would think with all the money, that they would get a expert in
there to make things a little more realistic.
--
EDDY

_____
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1901. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FD5206.1DD2C0E4@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> When I suggest to my students to do certain problems for homework,
> they do them. Did they take my suggestion as an instruction?

I never did.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1902. My license is updated in FCC database already, that was fast!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8djl0b$43k$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113593

Just for giggles, I looked myself up in the FCC database. Suprize, my upgrade (and change of address) is done! So I won't need to say WA2ISE/AE anymore.

I had expected at least a month for this update to happen, what with all the Apr 15th upgrades. The Sunnyvale VEs were quick and so was the FCC.

I suppose the VEs have direct access to the FCC's database to make changes?

http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/uls_call_res.hts?db_id=19&rows=&callsign=WA2ISE

1903. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FD5693.8421DE99@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113594
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> So when a ham exam is given to determine if an applicant is qualified to
> enter the hobby, the exam should only test for what the applicant "needs to
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have taken at least a week to test what I actually know.

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1904. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FD57B7.D7C42F3E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bill Sohl wrote:
> Did they use CW? Heck, if they did, that'll create another
> morse myth...to wit: morse gets through the time barrier
> when other modes can't :-) :-) :-)
>
> Sorry, couldn't help myself.

You Devil, you. Seriously, what mode do they use? What rig
is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1905. FCC database glitch? Some of you are gonna hate this.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8djm39$uh5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113596

On closer inspection of my license in the FCC database, see
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/uls_call_res.hts?db_id=19&rows=&callsign=WA2ISE
my expiration date is still 2006. I last renewed in 1996 as a tech plus.
I would have expected the expiration date to be bumped up to ten years
from Apr 15th, namely 2010. But as it stands in the database, I look
like an extra who renewed or upgraded in 1996, and thus passed 20wpm.
But I'm an "extra lite". :-)

Or will this change when my paper license is printed out?

1906. Re: FCC database glitch? Some of you are gonna hate this.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004190748140.152-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 113597

On 19 Apr 2000, Robert Casey wrote:
> On closer inspection of my license in the FCC database, see
> http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/uls_call_res.hts?db_id=19&rows=&callsign=WA2ISE
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> like an extra who renewed or upgraded in 1996, and thus passed 20wpm.
> But I'm an "extra lite". :-)
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> Or will this change when my paper license is printed out?

The expiration date remaining in 2006 is not a glitch. That is the way that the FCC has been processing upgrades since sometime in 1994.

1907. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8djt01imk1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113598

In article <8dii6ofoq1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <pogopossum@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Wolf, I think you missed the point here. CW mastery requires lots of
>sweat and time, but at the end, all you can do is send and receive dots
>and dashes faster. It doesn't teach you anything new about RF theory,
>radio wave propogation, antenna design, good operating practices, RF
>circuit design, FCC regulations, or any of the other subjects covered
>in the written tests.

Except that the vast majority of those hams building equipment today
(kit or homebrew) are CW operators. Building is where one *really*
learns the theory.

>73 de pogo / K2INY

New callsign?

73, Jeff KH6O

1908. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FD7994.923B77AD@icss.net>
Source record: 113599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
> >entirelythe OT's but esp) are still grousing bout the loss of 11m to
> >CB
>
> If a neighborhood park across the street from your home was turned into
> a landfill, you too might sound just like those OTers.
>
> >as if it were the fault of the newcomers or some such nonsence
>
> If they're adding to the pollution of that landfill, then they too
> are at fault.
>
> Jeff

So now, instead of -your- pollution being hauled off to someone elses neighborhood to be dumped, its getting dumped across the street from your house. Give a hoot, don't pollute.

1909. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8djtrc$jl7$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ask Mark what CB has to do with it. Unless you *are* Mark.

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>OK, so what's a landfill, parks, and pollution got to do with ham radio?

>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
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>> are at fault.
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>> Jeff
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1910. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8djtv6jmo1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>>W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:

>>>I was disappointed when I bought my first Handbook. I didn't understand
>>>it any better than I understood the ARRL License Manual. :-)

>>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
>>publication in the country.

>That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that good,
>or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.

Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?

1911. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8djufi$k8a$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

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>> they do them. Did they take my suggestion as an instruction?

>I never did.

That's why you've never passed any of my classes. =:o

1912. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <qogL4.832$t8.228731@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 113603
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.morse,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.rtty,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Check out this page for a list of Q signals:
http://larc.unl.edu/ham.info.html

This one lists Morse code, phonetic alphabet, as well as Q and Z signals:
http://asa.npoint.net/q_zsigs.htm

Q signals:
http://members.aol.com/russeby/q_codes.htm

Z signals:
http://hometown.aol.com/russeby/z_codes.htm

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

News wrote in message ...
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>Many years ago I was in the US Air Force and did a lot of communication via
>TTY. We used several "Q" & "Z" signals to shorten our broadcasts and speed
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>Standby, I'm busy, I'll get back to you.
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>What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still exist).
>Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?
>
>If so, please email me at KJones@sprintmail.com I'm not sure if I'll be
>able to check back here for answers.
>
>Thanks VERY Much!!
>
>

>Ken Jones
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1913. [WEB] This is my new site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yan <maccail@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <8dk474uid1@news.x-echo.com>
Source record: 113604

hi,

please visit my news site, and you can add you url

http://radio-amateur.virtualave.net
Yan

=-
Article poste via Voila News - http://www.news.voila.fr
Le : Wed Apr 19 13:10:28 2000 depuis l'IP : abd20399.ipt.aol.com [VIP 2649158]

1914. Re: FCC database glitch? Some of you are gonna hate this.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4jdh@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dk5hg$7om$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113605

In article <8djm39$uh5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
> On closer inspection of my license in the FCC database, see
> http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-
bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/uls_call_res.hts?db_id=19&rows=&callsign=WA2ISE
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> like an extra who renewed or upgraded in 1996, and thus passed 20wpm.
> But I'm an "extra lite". :-)
>
> Or will this change when my paper license is printed out?
>
This is worse if you have a Vanity Call. You will have to pay again in
2006!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1915. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <38fd80c2.4486999@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 113606
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

1916. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fd94dd.1734871@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 01:47:47 -0500, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
wrote:

>Aaron Jones wrote:
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>> enter the hobby, the exam should only test for what the applicant "needs to
>> know", not what he actually knows??
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>Of course. I recently took the Extra exam in about 20 minutes. It would
>have taken at least a week to test what I actually know.

Cecil,
20 minutes? After two weeks or so of QRZ.COM
practice testing every day at lunch and on breaks, plus
a few tests in the evening, I think I wizzed through
the 40 questions in less than 10 minutes. Took
me more time to do the paperwork than mark the
correct answers.

>> If hams don't need to know advanced electronics to *enter* the hobby then
>> why test for it?
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>It is a myth that advanced electronics is tested for. It is a
>myth that hams are highly technical just because they passed
>a ham exam.

Agree also.

>> If they do need to know advanced electronics, why give a
>> test that allows passing without learning it?
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>They don't need to know advanced electronics.

Especially to become a ham in the first place.

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>Because Bash beat the ARRL at their own game and produced a more
>useful product. Now the ARRL is doing exactly what Bash was doing
>in the past - publishing the exact Q&A. If it was immoral then, why
>is it not immoral now?

Just like the "classics illustrated" comics were considered
cheating by many school teachers. They couldn't "outlaw"

them however.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1917. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Message-ID: <38FD9C89.5D65F667@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Source record: 113608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
> >But can you say that everyone who passed their tests
> >in the 1990s, the 1980s, the 1970s, the 1960s or the 1950s really knew the
> >material they were tested for?
>
> Ed, Is it possible to discuss *today's faulty exam* without bringing up the
> past? And without people thinking that I'm somehow putting down the
> applicants who take our modern tests when I say the *tests* are defective?
> Do you agree that a written test should be designed so that the applicants
> passing it know most of the material it tests for? If you do then you must
> agree that the modern ham test certainly flunks this criteria...
>
> >Are you really offering that
> >it is easier to rote memorize the Ohm's law questions...
>
> No. But it is easier to memorize the majority of the test than to learn it.
> If a person really knows the material tested for in getting the Extra Class
> License, he should be employable as an electronics technician. (In the 50s
> and 60s an Extra or 1st Phone often got you in the door.) How is it possible
> to pass the test after one weeks worth of study (or less), when it takes a
> trade school a year or more to get a person to that level...

Once I was an avid supporter of much higher entrance levels. Now, I
don't see the point in arguing the toss about whether the entrance exam
is too low or not when it can be plainly seen that the majority of
Amateurs do not retain that level (whatever it is) after they have the
licence. In less than 10 years, the skill levels have dropped in many
cases to a point where they could not come near passing the exam. Indeed
in some cases it is hard to distinguish them from the people just
starting out. It is irrelevant what level they were at the instant of
the exam. Technical competence is a life long issue that the licence
does not, and cannot address.

So, what does any Amateur need more than anything else? The one thing
that has less testing than any other part of Amateur Radio and
practically the only thing he/she can be penalised for - practical
operating procedures. What is it better to have on the air? A neophyte
or an expert? The answer is the one who enjoys his/her activities
without causing interference to the activities of others. Technical
competence does not rate highly because it is how an Amateur interacts
with others on the band that is important. Do you ask everyone you

contact a quick 10 technical questions to see if they are worth talking to? No, generally you speak to those people who have acceptable operating techniques (simple manners). A technical QSO with a loud mouthed, pushy "technical expert" (no matter how informed the person is) will end much quicker that a casual conversation with a polite, affable person who has forgotten Ohm's Law and Kirchoff's law.

To have a larger percentage of Amateurs who retain (and improve) technical expertise can never be achieved by government regulation (entrance exam level). A position I'm sure all the "non-Leftists" will agree with. :-)

Encouragement within Amateur Radio is the only way that people get and maintain an interest in the technical side of the hobby. Thinking that a higher entrance exam will have any affect on the _long term_ skill level of the average Amateur is naive. I have not seen any evidence to suggest otherwise and plenty of anecdotal evidence to support my view.

If you are interested in the technical side of the hobby, you will learn without the need for a single exam. If you aren't, then the ONLY way to ensure that Amateurs keep the minimum level to pass licence is to constantly re-test them. Even this, however, does not encourage anyone to add to those skill levels.

I don't believe that licence renewal re-testing would achieve any positive outcomes for Amateur Radio as a whole. Many Amateurs who have, what I consider, poor technical skills do a lot for Amateur Radio by donating their time and effort. They are more valuable to Amateur Radio that the top gun design engineer whose efforts only affect one of two Amateurs in a specialist area and is a pain in the butt on the bands.

There is no need for the Amateur Radio Operator to have the depth and range of skills that an electronics technician should have. If this is the case, drop the Amateur Exams and simply use the exams used by the colleges.

What practical advantage would it provide though? Would the person be able to operate for longer in an emergency? Probably not as it is unlikely that they would have the materials on hand to repair modern equipment or build something up as the storm raged overhead. Would they enjoy their hobby more? Unlikely. The mathematical content would drive out many Amateurs who provide valuable public services.

Remember, most Amateurs don't want a vocation in electronics, they only want to satisfy an interest. This is where I used to get confused about the minimum acceptable standard - I was judging it as if Amateur Radio was a vocation - It isn't. At its lowest level it is simply a hobby and at its highest level, it is a public service provided by hobbyists.

Donning his flak jacket ;-)
Mark

1918. Re: WACKO KE6HN <<----

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rufis T. Lickabone" <watermelon@blacksambo.com>
Message-ID: <uwhL4.64431$q67.986184@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113609

<xyz@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:38fd36a7.298629@news.earthlink.net...

> The 'ad' is in C.W. like a repeater I.D.....

So, what the big deal? The retro-CW diehard
Luddites will obviously like this..

> Since when was it legal to advertise a 'web site' on a repeater in
> C.W.????? This guy is a loose cannon...and placed it on the
> repeater controller without the permission of the repeater owner,
> Roy Tucker, N6TK...

Since I was allowed to order a pizza in advance
on the 2-Meter autopatch - foole.

> Lets see what comes of this when the repeater owner finds out!!!

NYAH-NYAH NAA NAA NAYH! "I'm gonna tell the teacher! pfhbbltt!!!"

Were you the kind of kid who ratted out on your classmates
in grade school? I wish I was a kid in your class, I'd have
enjoyed watching the other kids flattening your face.

1919. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FDAF96.C5E06317@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113610
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.morse,alt.ham-radio.nocode,alt.ham-radio.rtty,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

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> meant:
>
> Standby, I'm busy, I'll get back to you.
>
> What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still exist).
> Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?
>
> If so, please email me at KJones@sprintmail.com I'm not sure if I'll be
> able to check back here for answers.
>
> Thanks VERY Much!!
>
> Ken Jones

======
Howdy Ken -- we also used them in the Navy - back in the 50's.
All about Q-Signals, QN Signals, Z-Signals, R-Codes, and S-Codes at URL:
http://www.ac6v.com/page5.html#QS

Note that for the Mega Q-Signal list == many are not used for Hams as they for Aviation, Marine and the like.

There is a list of Q-Signals currently used by Amateur Radio Operators. Should be used for CW - but we all seem to use them for voice as well. QRT, QRM, etc

For example I doubt if you would ever hear this on the Ham Bands - "QAU - I am about to jettison fuel" hi hi

--
73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca -- No QSJ, Ken
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1920. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <377E3F3EE5E29932.6FD73F6DF5AB3011.4B6DD4755CEA74E1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
<8djtv6jmo1@news.hawaii.edu>...
> Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> >>W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>
> >>>I was disappointed when I bought my first Handbook. I didn't understand
> >>>it any better than I understood the ARRL License Manual. :-)
>
> >>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> >>publication in the country.
>
> >That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that good,
> >or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.
>
> Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?
>

"Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?

Kim W5TIT

1921. Re: Re; Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dke3h$h8u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113612

In article <8diufl$tl5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> Your in luck "the incredible shrinking brain". I broke out that
stolen
> enigma machine and here is the translation.
>
> HHHHEYYY RROOGGEERR!! I know I'm the only ham in history that ever
> retro graded my license from Advanced to General. I also know I'm a
EX
> LT. in BARF. I was thrown out by the Herpster years ago. I also know
> that I ran "digital recordings" on 14.313 until the FCC made me retro
> grade. I also know I'm a total moooooooron!
>
> Translation provided as a public service by;
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

TNX, Dan, this checks with my version of his "coded" message.
Too bad, he's such an internet/computer "newbie" that he doesn't know
how signed messgaes work.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1922. Re: W4FQF = American Zero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dke78hbi1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113613

In article <38FC70C5.5A0DA587@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
>
> Robert Morris wrote:
> >
> > N0VFP, Lloyd,
> >
> > To my mind, you're taking "puffing" to new levels of hyperbole.
> >
> > Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> > Miami, Florida

?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1923. Re: Mirage amplifier with an IC-701PS / IC-PS20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4JOY <cvanderk@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YGiL4.64528$q67.988579@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I appreciate the reply -- I called Icom about a week ago to obtain information and the tech mentioned a case of someone damaging their Yaesu rig using this power supply. He also mentioned the rig designed for this supply (IC-701) performed the voltage regulation for 13.8 volts. Should I still be concerned when using this supply with the mirage amp? By the way, I measured the idle voltage at 17.4 volts.

"W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:38FD2C0A.478670B4@oio.net...
> Chris,
> I wouldn't worry about the 18v, which may seem high
> to you. Remember, this is a nonregulated power supply,
> the 'idle' voltage will be higher than 'normal'. The
> voltage under load will be down around 13 volts give or
> take a fraction or two. Normal behavior for Icom power
> supplies.
> 'Doc

1924. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dke9t$hc9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <sfq04hf4e0172@corp.supernews.com>,
"J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote:
> Go find yourself a pig and have at it.

Check with W4FQF, he's the expert on such things.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1925. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkedk$hk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113616

In article <20000418213655.28156.00001679@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
> Noooooooo ! ! ! Think again Radiosigs. During the inquisition, the

"Nobody expects the Spanish Inquisition!" <2 pt. reference>

Pope sent
> out his legions to spread a message of "Convert or die". It proved
to be bad
> P.R. so the Pope gave it up a hundred or so years later. But ..
Islamic forces
> found it to be an effective "witnessing tool", and took up about
where the Pope
> left off.
>
> Sooner or later, the Muslims discovered the bad P.R. thing, so they
abandoned
> it also. Well, aside from doing an occasional government building or
civilian
> aircraft, anyway. I guess some habits just die hard.
>

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1926. Re: AF2Y Comedy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkefjhlv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113617

In article <8dj1d1$6l8$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> The evil midget joined a circus.

Well, he was following the family tradition.....

> ----------
> In article <20000415204554.19058.00001666@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk4tl@aol.com
> (KK4TL) wrote:
>
> > Where is NR5T lately? Haven't heard him in YEARS.
>

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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1927. AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dkdloflj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113618

I just got my first taste this morning of the blessings of restructuring. I kid you NOT. The station worked had a callsign suffix of OHO/AE. He just became an EXTRA. Did you ever try to work someone who never heard of an exchange? Never heard of "go ahead" or "over?"Someone who talks, stops and that's it? An EXTRA? Good God, what has the FCC wrought? Speaking of God, I urge you to read the lead article in this week's TIME magazine. It deals with who killed Jesus and why. You've all heard the fairy tale about the Jews yelling at Pilate, "Crucify him and let his blood be on our hands and the hands of our children?" BULLBLEEP MY BOY, BULLBLEEP. Hebrew law allowed only one type of execution-STONING. Crucifixion was an invention of the heathen Romans to scare insurrectionists and it was THEY who felt that the man was a threat to their power in the Holy Land instead of Jews fearing his threat to Judaism. Now here's the catch. The New Testament was begun 100 years after Jesus's death and at that time there was a conflict between the good old fashioned vanilla Jews versus the Messianic Jews who believed in him. There was no such thing as CHRISTIANITY then despite the lies taught to you from the pulpits and in Sunday schools. The Greeks who wrote the N.T. sided with the Messianic Jews and needed a target of hatred to sway public opinion away from the folks who brought you the Ten Commandments. Therefore Greek fairy tale artists, the same folks who had given you their bullcrap about stupid Gods and Goddesses like Mercury, Zeus, Aphrodite and the other dopes cleverly wove the garbage about the perfidy of Jesus's peoples demanding his execution. The article was based on work done by theology scholars not propagandists. It is most enlightening at this time of season especially when we still read and hear about ugly, demonic and lying Passion Plays which most informed Christians abhor. Incidentally it mentions the HORNS supposedly on the heads of Jews which portray them as devils. That too is another Greek invention to foster hatred. At the time of the writing of the N.T., Greek painters had to emphasize their point and made it very convenient to place horns on those calling for Jesus's crucifixion. Whomever said that lies don't last never took expediency into consideration.
AF2Y

1928. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <8dkf5pijg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <38FD57B7.D7C42F3E@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> What rig
> is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?

Heathkit SB-100. 80-10 meters, 100 W output, kit made in the early-mid 1960s.

It has been described as "vintage" and "antique" but it's really not that old. And it's a pretty decent rig for the money.

The rig in "Contact" was a Collins KWM-2. Couldn't tell if it was winged or meatball, though.

73 de Jim, N2EY
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FISTS #4360
BIT #0001

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1929. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkhhblca1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113620

In article
<DFFCB7C3308FBE09.4C1A7A79F3FB8A53.C1D4D24AF6EC357B@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:
> On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 14:52:22 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >>
> >I see I should have been more clear. I should have said something
> >like; "older hams on HF". I concede the point that a LOT of
guys/gals
> >have held the old Technician and are now upgrading. And you know
> >something? I think that is great.
> >
> >Do you remember that the original Technician ticket was for
> >the "experimenter". It later evolved into a entry level.
Interesting
> >how things change.. hi.
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
>
> I was referring to the original posts obvious tongue-in-cheek
> reference to having to elmer us new Gs and Es by some old codger who
> could brag he copies 20wpm. I took my Advanced in the Spring of 1973
> from Angelo Ditty, Atlanta's FCC chief at the time. I finished the
> test a little early because I taught electronics at Sumter Area
> Technical College, at the time. Teaching electronics, I learned 800%
> more about it than I ever did sitting in a classroom as a student.
> Well, I couldn't just sit there and wait so I took my exam up to be
> graded......
>
> The room was DEAD QUIET with everyone else scratching away on paper
> and head. Mr Ditty (sp?) put the answer key with all the holes in it
> over the paper (it was my first multiguess FCC test) and I only got
> THREE RIGHT! Hmm...not good. With a stern look at me, he was about
> to say something he'd regret, later, so I asked, "Why are you using
> the 'B' key over my 'A' test?" (or something to that effect). His
> answer was unintelligible but every eye in the place was now on ME! I
> had upset His Immenseness who would be grading their papers later....
>
> Now the correct key was placed over my paper (who knows how many
> flunked from this mistake over the years). My next cold stare was
> followed by, "Where did you get the answers to the questions?", much
> to the amazement of his GS-3 clerk/typist sitting next to him.
> "Sir!", I replied with my astonished look, "I teach electronics in a
> college for a living. I have a 1st phone with Radar endorsement and I

> think this test is an INSULT (emphasized for effect in my speech) to
> my intellegence as a professional!" A simple, "You passed and got 'em
> all right!", was his reply. End of conversation.....
>
> The assemblage started breathing on their own several seconds later as
> they ran short on oxygen. It was right out of an old movie where the
> slave Jews were waiting for the shots fired when one of them dared
> look at the camp kommandant, directly. I left so they could resume
> their tests.
>
> Larry W4CSC/AE newbie. 13wpm was fast enough for anyone.
>
>
Larry,

Very interesting indeed. I'm sure we all (that sat b4 the FCC) have
similar stories. So here is one of my own.

In Spring of 1961 I passed my Novice. 3 months later I was on the air
as a General. I was 14 at the time. In order to take my General test
I had to go to Pittsburgh, PA. I lived in Alliance, Ohio at the time.
That is about a 100 mile trip. Mom didn't feel like driving it so she
and I took the train. This allowing us to spend the afternoon and
night with family there.

The room was a LARGE one and was full of hopefull applicants. I looked
around and saw nothing but OLD MEN. I was the only kid there. Talk
about intimidation. Well they sat us all down for the code test. Both
receive and transmit, of course. When that was all done there were
about 20 of us left.

Then we sat for the written, and out of the 20 I have NO IDEA who
passed and who failed. WHY? Because the jerks wouldn't tell us. So I
go home and wait 8 WEEKS and to this day I can still see me opening
that mailbox and seeing my shiney new K8BHH General license.

AH, how things do change.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1930. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <01568793.f0a711f9@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 113621

Perhaps, somewhere on your body is the numbers "666"
Come on, fess up. You were waiting all this time to dump all this
garbage on the ham bands and newsgroups. Please, go see and heed
a medicine doctor in Africa!

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1931. Re: CW and music

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkibd$m6i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113622

In article <20000418174524.25420.00000764@nso-cl.aol.com>,
sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:
> In article <8dii6ofoq1@nnrp1.deja.com>, pogopossum@my-deja.com
writes:
>
> > In the end, CW capability may be,
> >like music capability, different in every person - something some
> >people are literally born with.
>
> This might be another good thread. I can attest that there is more
of a
> connection between music and CW than meets the eye. :)))
>
> I'm a musician, have been nearly all my life. So, what is cw to me?
Rhythm,
> plain and simple. Learing CW was a snap for me. Please understand
that I'm
> not bragging, it's just that, when I became a ham, I had been a
musician for
> about 30 years, about 20 of that professionally, so I dealt with
rhythm on a
> daily basis. Learning CW was simply learning another style of
music. I had a
> very unfair advantage over the rest of those in my class.
>
> And, I know that for a fact some people simply do NOT have that
inborn rhythm.
> I've taught piano, guitar, violin, banjo, dulcimer, trumpet,
trombone, and I
> can tell you one thing. If a person doesn't have some kind of inborn
rhythm,
> he/she might be (perhaps) taught the mechanics of rhythm, but they
will never
> be taught rhythm. (And there is a difference between the mechanics
and the
> real thing)
>
> Same, IMO, with CW. A person might be taught the mechanics of
rhythm.......but
> without some sort of inborn rhythm, they'll never be able to acheive
even a
> moderate level of success with it.
>
> Just my opinion

> Rick N9GSU
>
I have also noticed that corelation. Over the years I have instructed many classes, mostly in CW. My best students were to some degree into music. I never pursued music, but way back one of my relatives was a famous composer and music writter, his name was Gesualdo, from Italy of course.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1932. upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Smith <n8bhd@tir.com>
Message-ID: <WOiL4.1315$t8.499712@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 113623

what was the importance to upgrade before APRIL 15

1933. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dkis2msa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113624

In article <20000419020600.03585.00000065@ng-ca1.aol.com>,
qrm2000@aol.com (Qrm2000) wrote:
> >
> >What I'm looking for is a list of these signals (if they even still
exist).
> >Does anyone know where I can find such a listing?
> >
>
> My favorite:
> ZUG. Translation, No....Negative
>
> [Only the military would replace a two letter word (no) with a three
letter
> operating signal!]
>
> ZUE is Yes....Affirmative
>
> ZBO "I have traffic of the following precedence"
>
> ZUT (bogus signal identifying members of a military radio operator
faternity)
>
> While sitting on a CW circuit in the Pacific, I heard the control
station ask
> for numerous repeats from one of the ship operators. The ship
explained his
> situation several different ways, but the shore station just didn't
get it.
> Finally, the ship transmitted a "z" signal and left the frequency. I
looked up
> the operating signal and found this definition:
> "I Cannot Transmit Pictures."
>
> QRM2000
>
>
Thats the funniest thing I've heard lately. And brings back a few
memories too !!

Dan/W4NTI
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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1934. Re: Icom 706 Tuner Simulator updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <wa8shc@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <956157296.677474@newscache.cleveland.core.com>
Source record: 113625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg
look up KO6YD in QST or WorldRadio or on I-net. I've had his autoshift ($35)
in my MkII for over a year now and it works fine

--
Denny WA8SHC

Emory J. Haines <ejhaines@erols.com> wrote in message
news:8d9qdn$7gm$1@bob.news.rcn.net...
> Do you know if the same kind of info is available on the Autoshift mod for
> the 706 and 706MKII,
> for auto repeator splits for FM use? thanks again...73
>
> Greg <rfsystem@texas.net> wrote in message
> news:I%iJ4.797$oL4.17855@news2.nokia.com...
> > Here are our updated circuits for building a tuner simulator to gain
> control
> > of the tune function on the Icom 706. Sure comes in handy for use on a
> > manual tuner or other non-Icom tuners. Enjoy all!
> >
> > Greg/N5SKE
> >
> >
> > http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Tuner%20Simulator_new.jpg
> >
> > http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-1.jpg
> >
> > http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-2.jpg
> >
> > http://rfsystem.home.texas.net/Simulator-3.jpg
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1935. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbarrett@remove.stny.rr.com
Message-ID: <WnkL4.9077$wM3.97331@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 113626

In article <8dkedk$hk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
>In article <20000418213655.28156.00001679@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
> kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
>> Noooooooo ! ! ! Think again Radiosigs. During the inquisition, the
>
>"Nobody expects the Spanish Inquisition!" <2 pt. reference>
>
>

..Monty Python...

JB

1936. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDCFDA.7AB308EE@bctv.com>
Source record: 113627

John wrote:
>
> On 15 Apr 2000 18:05:45 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:
>
> >This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
> >get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
> >
> >No, I didn't id as "Whiskey Alpha two India Sierra Echo - Echo Lima" :-)
>
> Congrats, you're now half a ham. Too bad you didn't have the guts to
> do it when you had to get 20 wpm code.

Better to be half a ham than half jerk and half coward, like you.

Too bad you didn't have the guts to tell us who you really are.

1937. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD013.3861C12D@bctv.com>
Source record: 113628

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
>
> In article <8das9b$ev0$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
> >
> >Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:
> >>This morning I cashed in my pre-87 tech and Jan '00 extra CSCE's to
> >>get my "extra" license. And then got on 40 meters for a contact.
> >
> >Yesterday you would have been a bootlegger.
> >
> >Jeff KH6O+
>
> Yes, Jeff, yesterday he would have been a bootlegger.
>
> ...and 140 years ago, you would have went to a federal prison if you were
> caught aiding and abetting a runaway slave.
>
> So what the hell is your point?
>
> Tom - N8ECW

Jeff's only point is the one he covers with his hat.

1938. Mirage amp and IC-PS20 / IC-701PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4JOY <cvanderk@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3tkL4.64706$q67.960924@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113629

Hi, I own an IC-PS20 nonregulated power supply rated at 18 VDC / 20A -- I would like to use this with my 2 Meter Mirage amplifier (13.8 VDC / 15A) -- does anyone have any suggestions on stepping down the voltage?

I called Icom about a week ago to obtain information and the tech mentioned a case of an individual damaging their Yaesu rig using this power supply. He also mentioned the rig designed for this
supply (IC-701) performed the voltage regulation for 13.8 volts. By the way,
I measured the idle voltage at 17.4 volts.

Thanks,

Chris

1939. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD116.214B69B@bctv.com>
Source record: 113630
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

yodoc@aol.comqfuspam (Larry Roll K3LT) wrote:

>Ladies and Gentlemen:
>
>Today is April 15, 2000. Today, the Amateur Radio Service, as we knew
>it and loved it, has officially died.

. . .while the whining continues . . .

> While the no-coders who will
>soon be holding their Welfare General and Welfare Extra-class licenses
>dance on the grave of our beloved Amateur Radio Service, I hereby
>implore you to show it the proper respect it deserves.

. . .Larry needs someone to show him how.

>As of Midnight UTC on this date, I will be officially observing 24
>hours of radio silence on the HF bands.

Only 24 hours? Too bad I missed it!

1940. I apologize for the accidental repost! (nt)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4JOY <cvanderk@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <dykL4.64723$q67.997865@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113631

Chris, N4JOY

1941. Re: Welcome: Welfare Extras and Generals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD208.4855B136@bctv.com>
Source record: 113632

John wrote:
>
> Welcome, to those of you who held out long enough for the government
> to give you a ham ticket. Now you Welfare Extras and Generals enjoy
> what the FCC and the ARRL gave you. By the way, kiss my ass.

Gee, John, how did you get YOUR ticket, if the government didn't give it to you?

By the way, you are still a coward.

1942. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FDD1CD.A33AF1AE@bctv.com>
Source record: 113633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve Robeson wrote:

> Until the tests are reinforced and we restore some credibility to what was
> once a respected and even revered program, THERE will be the weak link of
> Amateur Radio. I don't care if there's only ONE class of license, if it has no
> credibility as a true determination of technical knowledge or skill, it's a
> paper tiger.

The REAL weak link is crummy, unskilled operators with no sense of
community.

I've noticed that some of the curmudgeons (of every class) are among the
worst operators to be found.

Now, will you guys stop whining and act like hams, or continue to moan
about the death of ham radio, thus ENSURING it?

1943. Re: Re; Steve again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8diufl$tl5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113658

In article <8diigo$g3i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8dg3bu$o5t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >
> >
> > Cheeta's Brother Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.com>, who's been a TECHNICIAN
class
> > for 7 YEARS whined in message news:20000417131805.18648.00004817@ng-
> > cg1.aol.com...
> > > >Some idiot wrote:
> > > >LRod Hubbard, you're a terrible translator. Did you write the
> > JFK, "I'm a
> > > >jelly roll" speech?
> >
> > "Ich bin ein Berliner" does literally translate to that, but that
was
> > not the intent.
> > Kennedy was trying to convey that he understood what was going on in
> > Berlin politically at that time, and that he felt like he too, was a
> > citizen of that fine city.
> >
> > > LRod's problem is that he likes to intervene in every NG!
> >
> > Kind of like YOU do, huh, Lllllllllllllllllloyd the mongolioid?
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> > HHHHEYYY RROOGGEERR!! HHHJJKUYHBH MKIJYY VGFVGFBN LO MNNJ LOPP BGH
> KKJ FGKI NMJYE RQWQVGJP MJYVN JKUHJKK HGHJJKG KLLK!! <KLUHKIIV??
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
Your in luck "the incredible shrinking brain". I broke out that stolen
enigma machine and here is the translation.

HHHHEYYY RROOGGEERR!! I know I'm the only ham in history that ever
retro graded my license from Advanced to General. I also know I'm a EX

LT. in BARF. I was thrown out by the Herpster years ago. I also know that I ran "digital recordings" on 14.313 until the FCC made me retro grade. I also know I'm a total moooooooron!

Translation provided as a public service by;

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1944. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <wQ6L4.65120$W5.604018@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Personally I'm glad he did.
I knew about the movie but couldn't remember the name.
Now I would guess that there are not very many individuals reading
this news group that are not already or will be a ARO.(Amateur Radio
Operator)
People don't just JUMP into this hobby there has to be an interest.
Usually the price of a new radio deters wannabees because used stuff
is hard to get a hold of... around here any way.

I there is someone in this news group that has no interest in HAM
radio please speak up... cause I want to know why you read it!
--
EDDY

W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message
news:38FC9828.196206A6@oio.net...
|
|
| Ken,
| Do us all a favor, don't promote anything. That the
| ARRL is pronoting it is bad enough.
| Can't you just imagine the 'fall-out' from this movie?
| Oh boy! Lots of 'new' people wanting into the hobby so
| they too can 'dream' of doing courageous things! Thats
| all we need. Then, when these 'new' people realize that
| ham radio isn't exactly as depicted in the movie, maybe
| after they've invested a few bucks in preparation and
| equipment, can you imagine the nice, warm, 'fuzzy' "I've
| been had" feeling they'll leave with? Thats all we need.
| The people making movies probably know more about
| how to promote them than we do. Why don't you let them
| do it?
| 'Doc
| PS - And no, thats not being pesimistic, it's being
| realistic.

1945. Re: Kenwood TH-22a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Al, N2NKB"
Message-ID: <7W6L4.22646$fV.1190647@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113660
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

The link was missing in your post.
Al

L.A. Computers wrote in message ...
>aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it for
>an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to
>work....but i think the battery may be dead...runs fine on org wall
>adapter.....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case you dont
>allready know...
>
>
>
>

1946. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418204959.25765.00002514@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 113661

<< | Can't you just imagine the 'fall-out' from this movie?
| Oh boy! Lots of 'new' people wanting into the hobby so
| they too can 'dream' of doing courageous things! >>

Again, I've seen the movie and personally, I don't see what all the fuss is about. IMO, seeing this movie is not going to make people rush out and take up Ham Radio (no more than seeing "American Beauty" made people rush out and take up rose gardening). The amateur hobby is presented by the movie in a very nostalgic - if not antiquated - light. It is depicted as a curiosity; something that "people used to do before the Internet". And even though a ham transceiver is central to the plot, what exactly the hobby of "ham radio" is -- is never really made very clear.

The old (er, "vintage") Heathkit ham radio transceiver is merely a plot device, an instrument suddenly imbued with mysterious, time-warping powers. In terms of telling the story, it might well have been an antique car or an old diary or a candlestick telephone. And the characters do nothing more "courageous" than have long conversations on it.

I doubt if this movie will have any impact (either + or -) on the hobby, except maybe to bring up the odd query from friends and acquaintances. (FRIEND: "We saw that movie FREQUENCY...say, you fool around with that CB-amateur stuff don't you?")

Joe, W1GFH

1947. Re: HAM BANDS PRAISE THE LORD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000418213655.28156.00001679@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 113662

Noooooooo ! ! ! Think again Radiosigs. During the inquisition, the Pope sent out his legions to spread a message of "Convert or die". It proved to be bad P.R. so the Pope gave it up a hundred or so years later. But .. Islamic forces found it to be an effective "witnessing tool", and took up about where the Pope left off.

Sooner or later, the Muslims discovered the bad P.R. thing, so they abandoned it also. Well, aside from doing an occasional government building or civilian aircraft, anyway. I guess some habits just die hard.

1948. Re: Can anyone show a correlation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dj2jdjoo1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113663

SBCmusic <sbcmusic@aol.com> wrote:
>Can anyone show a logical, factual correlation between either the speed of CW,
>or even learning CW, and the quality of Amateur Radio Operators?

One measure is to compare which mode was in use when an operator
committed a rule violation and received a notice from the FCC.
If you're able to search the FCC's records, you see very few
CW operators have violation notices.

73, Jeff KH6O

1949. Re: Look for ham sex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <0E1E28C6B58AE5C7.BE54F6AB85BFB171.7888A31031BB877A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 20:40:50 -0400, "J. Duffy Beischel"
<duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote:

>Go find yourself a pig and have at it.
>--
>____
>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>
ARRL must be very proud....their name on this post....hee hee....

Larry W4CSC/AE - Extra Lite

1950. Re: Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <2C78A2D6F89E98E4.6EE7D0AFA9D6E761.C3D60840206A8657@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113665

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 16:14:40 -0400, mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net (Ramsay D. Seielstad) wrote:

>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>
>
> Does anyone know of any on-line written exam testing sites where
>I can test my studying to see if I'll pass the exams? I'd rather
>see how I'm absorbing the material then reinvent the wheel myself.
>
www.qrz.com

Look down middle of the page for Take the Practice Tests

If you get over 80%....you're ready!

Larry W4CSC/AE (Extra Lite!)

1951. Re: CW and music

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <17D2D5CD5D9E2EB4.D5651CB45F7A7B5A.779500E5C46E2623@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113666

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 16:58:50 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
>
>SBCmusic wrote:
>
>> And, I know that for a fact some people simply do NOT have that inborn rhythm.
>>...If a person doesn't have some kind of inborn rhythm,
>
>and if they've got rhythm, who could ask for anything more? ;-P

Ronnie Milsap has both rhythm and can copy CW.....(c;

Larry W4CSC/AE (Extra Lite!)

1952. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dj311$k9h$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
>entirelythe OT's but esp) are still grousing bout the loss of 11m to
>CB

If a neighborhood park across the street from your home was turned into
a landfill, you too might sound just like those OTers.

>as if it were the fault of the newcomers or some such nonsence

If they're adding to the pollution of that landfill, then they too
are at fault.

Jeff

1953. Re: Please Elmer us new /AG and /AE's so we can learn proper operating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dj3e4kmr1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113668

Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
>we'll just ruin ham radio with our new priviledges we had BEFORE ARRL
>incentive licensing nonsense put them on a little pedestal to be awed?

Poor Larry is still under the false impression that the League
created incentive licensing. Poor, bitter OM.

Incentive licensing has been around almost as long as ham radio itself.
The idea of an IL structure was created in 1923. Back then the government
developed the Extra First Class amateur license; to be awarded the ticket
one had to be licensed for at least two years, take a test similar to the
First Class exam of that period, copy 20 wpm, and have a clean record.
Extras were then permitted to operate on a band that those with lessor
grade licenses were forbidden to use. That band (200-220 meters) had
originally been open to all hams.

Moreover, in 1959, the FCC asked hams, via a Notice of Inquiry, what
incentives could be tacked on to the Extra Class license.

It was the FCC which first suggested incentive licensing, not the ARRL.

73, Jeff KH6O

1954. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dj44llff1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>I was disappointed when I bought my first Handbook. I didn't understand
>it any better than I understood the ARRL License Manual. :-)

For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
publication in the country.

Jeff

1955. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dj4ihlor1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>There is a big difference between instructing you to study the
>handbook and suggesting that the handbook be studied.

When I suggest to my students to do certain problems for homework,
they do them. Did they take my suggestion as an instruction?

>The ARRL did NOT command one to study the Handbook. They
>merely mentioned it as a possibility.

Aaron wrote:
>"In other words, the purpose of this manual is not to give the student the
>actual questions he will meet but to equip him with the knowledge he must
>have to pass the examination. In order to familiarize himself with the
>underlying principles, we also suggest a study of The Radio Amateur's
>Handbook, particularly those chapters dealing with elementary electrical and
>radio principles, basic transmitter, radio-frequency, audio-frequency and
>power-supply circuits, frequency measuring and monitoring equipment, and
>radio-telephony."

Jeff

1956. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dj7tk$80r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113671

In article <8zqqhf$XY52$2@nnrp1.deja.com>,
jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:
>
> No, let's not. Your reading skills are clearly lacking and you now
> want to bluster and make emotional statements after demonstrating your
> ignorance.
>
> "Discussion" terminated. Come back when you have something less
> belligerent to say.

Oh, please, please, please come back and show me the error of my ways.
Since your reading skills are so superior, please help me understand
what I didn't. It was such a hard document to read. You saw stuff in
there that I couldn't and I so want to know and understand.

I was just following your example, oh omniscient one. I know I'm not
worthy. Please help me.

LRod
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v
v
v
The "discusssion" was over when you bluffed and couldn't back up your
bluff. You have a lot to learn about reading and bluffing.

buh bye

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

1957. Need help getting started again after 40 years

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: thorh@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <38ff2c42.39459559@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113672

I recently retired after 35 years as an electronic and IC design engineer. I plan to resume my ham radio hobby after letting my general class license (K5AGE) lapse in 1960 while I was in the service. I plan to work HF SSB using a modern base station. I am considering purchase of the ICOM 756 Pro with AC supply through the local Ham Radio Outlet in Portland, OR. Any comments on this rig or HRO?

I am also considering using a commercial, self-supporting, multi-band vertical due to space limitations. Are these a good compromise considering space and versatility?

I would also appreciate suggestions on the best way to renew my license. Is general class what I need to work all HF bands with SSB? Is the code requirement still 13 wpm? Can I take the license exam in the Portland, OR area?

Thanks,
Thor Hallen

1958. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fd29f3.1799535@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 12:15:20 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>Ken,
> Do us all a favor, don't promote anything. That the
>ARRL is pronoting it is bad enough.
> Can't you just imagine the 'fall-out' from this movie?
>Oh boy! Lots of 'new' people wanting into the hobby so
>they too can 'dream' of doing courageous things! Thats
>all we need. Then, when these 'new' people realize that
>ham radio isn't exactly as depicted in the movie, maybe
>after they've invested a few bucks in preparation and
>equipment, can you imagine the nice, warm, 'fuzzy' "I've
>been had" feeling they'll leave with? Thats all we need.
> The people making movies probably know more about
>how to promote them than we do. Why don't you let them
>do it?
> 'Doc
>PS - And no, thats not being pesimistic, it's being
> realistic.

Good grief, its only a movie. Anyone that "relies"
on Hollywood fiction as being representitive of reality
in any way needs their head examined anyway.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1959. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fd2a74.1928450@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 13:02:00 -0500, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
wrote:

>ko6ux@adi-radio.com wrote:
>> The problem is that few people outside of amateur radio have an
>> accurate picture of what hams do, of what we are all about.
>
>And, of course, they will know all about it after seeing it
>used to talk to someone back in the year 1969. :-)

Did they use CW? Heck, if they did, that'll create another
morse myth...to wit: morse gets through the time barrier
when other modes can't :-) :-) :-)

Sorry, couldn't help myself.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1960. kenwood for 5 us$ error in the url

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: 14MI63 <14mi63@caramail.com>
Message-ID: <8dja2jpnt1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 113675
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.radio.amateur

there was an error in my last msg , the good url for my tombola is
http://14mi63.virtualave.net
Hi every body
You can win my kenwood TS- 850 SAT for only 5 US $
If you are interested to have a kenwood rig for only 5 US $
go to my site :
http://14mi63.virtualave.net
the transaction is securised and you a have 2 days for change your mind

It' s a good deal for you and for me ...
thank's to read this mail
for more information you can write me to : 14mi63@caramail.com

1961. Re: Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <oBaL4.65659$W5.611567@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113676

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Sorry I didn't see NY there...
Too much stuff on your post!!!
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EDDY

_____________________________
EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:WE6L4.65034$W5.603160@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com...
| What country are you from?
| I wrote the US and Aus exams before writing the Canadian Basic.
| on the US, I got 96%, 98% and 94%.
| on the AUS, I got 92% and 96%
| I passed all of these with out studying.
| The Canadian exam I didn't do near as well, There was no comparison
| between them and the CAN. It was down right HARD!
| I would go as far as to say 5-10 times harder after studying for a
| few days.
|
| That why I ask what country you are from.
|
| --
| EDDY
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| _____________________________
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| Ramsay D. Seielstad <mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net> wrote in message
| news:wIM/4oJPMyuJ090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net...
| | -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
| |
| |
| | Does anyone know of any on-line written exam testing sites
where
| | I can test my studying to see if I'll pass the exams? I'd rather
| | see how I'm absorbing the material then reinvent the wheel
myself.
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| Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
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| | | "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average,
| everyday |
| | | guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no
| significant |
| | | use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free
time
| ... and |
| | | trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views"
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| | | To obtain my PGP Public Key: finger mrhuey@wizvax.net
| |
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| | -----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
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1962. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sGaL4.65662$W5.610768@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113677

I thought it gets released on April 28?
How could you see it?
--
EDDY

_____
JTyburczy <jtyburczy@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000418204959.25765.00002514@ng-fk1.aol.com...
| << | Can't you just imagine the 'fall-out' from this movie?
| | Oh boy! Lots of 'new' people wanting into the hobby so
| | they too can 'dream' of doing courageous things! >>
|
| Again, I've seen the movie and personally, I don't see what all the
fuss is
| about. IMO, seeing this movie is not going to make people rush out
and take up
| Ham Radio (no more than seeing "American Beauty" made people rush
out and take
| up rose gardening). The amateur hobby is presented by the movie in
a very
| nostalgic - if not antiquated - light. It is depicted as a
curiosity;
| something that "people used to do before the Internet". And even
though a ham
| transceiver is central to the plot, what exactly the hobby of "ham
radio" is --
| is never really made very clear.
|
| The old (er, "vintage") Heathkit ham radio transceiver is merely a
plot device,
| an instrument suddenly imbued with mysterious, time-warping powers.
In terms
| of telling the story, it might well have been an antique car or an
old diary or
| a candlestick telephone. And the characters do nothing more
"courageous" than
| have long conversations on it.
|
| I doubt if this movie will have any impact (either + or -) on the
hobby, except
| maybe to bring up the odd query from friends and acquaintances.
(FRIEND: "We
| saw that movie FREQUENCY...say, you fool around with that
CB-amateur stuff

| don't you?")
|
|
|
| Joe, W1GFH
|
|

1963. WACKO KE6HN <<----

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: xyz@privacy.net
Message-ID: <38fd36a7.298629@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113678

KE6HN, referred to by most as 'MOONWALKER DAVE' WITT, has places an
AD for his web site on the notorious W6NUT repeater in Los Angeles..

The 'ad' is in C.W. like a repeater I.D.....

Since when was it legal to advertise a 'web site' on a repeater in
C.W.????? This guy is a loose cannon...and placed it on the
repeater controller without the permission of the repeater owner,
Roy Tucker, N6TK...

Lets see what comes of this when the repeater owner finds out!!!

1964. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000419005211.17640.00002216@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 113679

<< I thought it gets released on April 28?
How could you see it? >>

Sneak preview in LA.

1965. Mirage amplifier with an IC-701PS / IC-PS20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4JOY <cvanderk@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <SlbL4.42939$y4.1542534@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi, I own an IC-PS20 nonregulated power supply rated at 18 VDC / 20A -- I would like to use this with my 2 Meter Mirage amplifier (13.8 VDC / 15A) -- does anyone have any suggestions on stepping down the voltage?

Thanks,

Chris

1966. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <rpbL4.65959$W5.614069@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113681

Ahhhh!
So, not looking at it as a ham(which I know would be hard to do)...
Was it a good movie?
--
EDDY

_____
JTyburczy <jtyburczy@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000419005211.17640.00002216@ng-fo1.aol.com...
| << I thought it gets released on April 28?
| How could you see it? >>
|
|
| Sneak preview in LA.

1967. Re: Friendly people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <0C450FA10D39435B.13712EF6F75DAFB9.3D215E3A00B2613A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

OK, so what's a landfill, parks, and pollution got to do with ham radio?

--
73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8dj311$k9h$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
> >entirelythe OT's but esp) are still grousing bout the loss of 11m to
> >CB
>
> If a neighborhood park across the street from your home was turned into
> a landfill, you too might sound just like those OTers.
>
> >as if it were the fault of the newcomers or some such nonsence
>
> If they're adding to the pollution of that landfill, then they too
> are at fault.
>
> Jeff

1968. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <B273B8C62E59DDBB.C45B46257362C9D4.297388D9ED17A16A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that good,
or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.

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73 de W5TIT - Kim
NCI 3343

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8dj44llff1@news.hawaii.edu...
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >I was disappointed when I bought my first Handbook. I didn't understand
> >it any better than I understood the ARRL License Manual. :-)
>
> For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> publication in the country.
>
> Jeff

1969. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP STILL BORES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sherins@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12973-38FFB792-30@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113284

W4FQF, Call me what you will, but let's post some relevance to reality. I am definitely not a LAWYERWANNABE, being retired with no interest in becoming anything new. Holding me up to redicule for knowing something about law is patently unfair.

I put a great deal into my posts, though my answer to you came easily. Whatever my mental failings--at 61 I'm not the mental gymnast I was at 21, I do try my best to research and express.

While I addressed your posts critically, I kept the commentary respectful. You have failed to debate the issue raised while you've employed the personal attack.

In my view, you could spark self improvement by moving your rhetoric up a notch.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

1970. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <euITukzq$GA.361@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>It was all in good fun, Aaron, and some Extras were so bashable.

Bashing Extras did made for interesting reading...

>Guess I'll have to convert from sadism to masochism now.

You could still abuse coded Extras. Bash away...

Maybe you could write a modern Usenet Bash book. Sorry bad joke...

1971. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eL2wxkzq$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>You have to be tricked and deluded by the exam for it to meet
>the definition of a sham

I agree that the definition of sham doesn't fit. I used the word to elicit emotion and response. It worked. But since you and Ed are upset by it, and now want to focus on the word instead of the subject, I will quit using it. That will save us all from a romp through a sidetracking dictionary thread.

I'm sure *you* know what I mean... :-)

1972. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OicTykzq$GA.342@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cecil, W6RCA wrote
>[How come all the uproar over Bash?]
>Apparently, because at the time. the FCC was too lazy to create
>more than a couple of exams.

The Bash uproar was because the FCC was lazy?? Are you rewriting history Cecil?? The buzz at the time was that publishing the exact questions and answers to the exams was cheating. Unthinkable. Illegal...

>Some questions in the License
>Manual apparently never appeared on an exam. Apparently,
>Bash uncovered that little secret.

That would be pretty terrible having to learn a little more than what was actually required, because you didn't have the cheat sheets to the exam wouldn't it...

1973. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#VuHxkzq$GA.361@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT wrote
>This topic has been redundantly argued

Many topics here are endlessly discussed. But I think most enjoy the banter. If not, why are they here??

>and always ends up in name calling, judgement of one's mental state,
>even judgement of one's ability to comment

Judgment and opinion are fine, and they are the meat of this place. If you have strong feelings it's still possible to use civil language. And it doesn't always have to end up in name calling either. So far this discussion on the ham test has been civil, don't you think?

BTW you have complete control Kim. On Usenet you can control who and what you read. If you're poorly treated simply stop responding to that poster. I guarantee that ignoring a bore is much more effective than responding...

1974. FA: RS PRO-2006 Scanner w/Opto456 board and Programmit interface!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mr_SLUG <nospam.stalker@lvcm.com>
Message-ID: <sfvi2tfml6e131@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113289

This is my scanner Im auctioning off.....it has the Opto456Lite board and a EXTERNAL Programmit interface, and includes the LATEST Probe software!

.....Bid now (Low reserve!)

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=311677599

Thanks for your time!
Scott

1975. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FFCCF3.4CAE512E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> And the all-time best selling book, the Bible, didn't consist of
> the same edition throughout all-time, either.

Awwwwhhhhhh Jeff, you know the Bible is a heck of a lot closer to being similar through time than the ARRL Handbook is. I doubt that any of the material contained in the 1957 Handbook is the same text as the 2000 Handbook.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1976. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FFCE6D.9FE892C9@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> Cecil, W6RCA wrote
> >[How come all the uproar over Bash?]
> >Apparently, because at the time. the FCC was too lazy to create
> >more than a couple of exams.
>
> The Bash uproar was because the FCC was lazy?? Are you rewriting history
> Cecil?? The buzz at the time was that publishing the exact questions and
> answers to the exams was cheating. Unthinkable. Illegal...

Someone reported that the FCC only had a couple of
general exams. If that is true, it is easy to see why everyone
was angry at Bash. It meant that one didn't have to learn most
of the material in the ARRL License Manual. If the FCC had had
100 different random exams covering all the material in the ARRL
License Manual, there probably wouldn't have been such an uproar.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1977. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FFD5EB.96063C26@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >I doubt that
> >any of the material contained in the 1957 Handbook is the same
> >text as the 2000 Handbook.
>
> No one said that the 1957 edition alone was an all-time best
> seller. A technical book, by definition, must be updated at
> a rate proportional to the rate at which advancements take
> place within its field. But you know this.

Of course. All I am pointing out is that although they had
similar titles, they were NOT the same books. There's almost
as much difference between the 1957 Handbook and the 2000
Handbook as there is between the Bible and the 2000 Handbook.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

1978. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jmallen@altavista.net>
Message-ID: <8domhq$61r$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Since it seems to be "bad joke night(s)"..... One of our local Tech's had a spin on "destinated". Whenever he went to a local eatery, or grocery store - the guy could put it away and not gain "much" weight - he would close his en route QSO with the announcement that he was now "destituted". It was appropriate....also worked for arriving at Hamfests or gunshows.

Jim
KC7BDP
DM22qq

BTW, in response to all the "ExtraLite" jokes....There were a few guys here in Yuma who did NOT participate in the great rush to the VE's on April 15. Seems SOMEBODY had to get that ACS machine up on the hill, without making a mess like the building owner pitched out (oh yeah, the guy whose yard it was dumped in had a pre-vanity 2x2 callsign).

Okay, that last was a hurtful dig, I'll admit it. I truly CAN recognize that....looks like quite a few others around here!

<n2ey@aol.com> wrote in message news:8dn384$g9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article
> <0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>,
> "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > "David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
> > news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
> > >
> > >
> > > p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
> > >
> >
> > We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring
> to
> > themselves as "we"!
>
> The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
>
> > Another gal ham absolutely despises the term
> > "destinated"!
>
> A woman after my own heart. There IS hope!!
>
> I say "I'm home" or "I'm at Destination X" or even "I have reached
> Undisclosed Location" - ANYTHING other than that nonword.
>

> 73 de Jim "don't moidah da Queen's English" N2EY
> --
> FISTS #4360
> BIT #0001
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1979. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OlDaPX1q$GA.271@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>Unthinkable or cheating was a matter of person opinion.

So is illegal. Many people who break laws are never prosecuted. Is Clinton
not a perjurer because he was not (yet) prosecuted...

1980. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <egjrOX1q$GA.271@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote
>But I'm bashful...

Funny, I always thought you were unabashed...

1981. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <un19PX1q$GA.271@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>Bash just offered the direct questions which others (AMECO,
>etc.) already offered, albeit not necessarily in exactly the
>same format.

Not exactly. Bash effectively stole the test just as students steal a test from a college professor.

>I suspect more people were upset over
>what he did, rather than what, if any, impact he actually had.

There was a time when stealing a test was considered immoral. People reacted to that perceived immorality.

>In the end, the FCC never went after Bash which certainly
>suggests the FCC didn't expect to win

Phil, our retired FCC man, says it was a political decision. He certainly could have been charged. That he wasn't doesn't prove that stealing a government test is right...

1982. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#J#gQX1q$GA.271@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>Someone reported that the FCC only had a couple of
>general exams. If that is true, it is easy to see why everyone
>was angry at Bash. It meant that one didn't have to learn most
>of the material in the ARRL License Manual.

If that is true...

Your logic still escapes me. If the ARRL license manual was proven inaccurate and too tough, shouldn't people have been mad at the ARRL for a faulty license manual instead of the messenger Bash for discovering it??

>If the FCC had had
>100 different random exams covering all the material in the ARRL
>License Manual, there probably wouldn't have been such an uproar.

Don't think so. The uproar is the same as that caused when students steal a professors exam paper and make the questions and answers available to themselves and other students, in an effort to pass the test without actually having to do the work of learning the material...

1983. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP STILL BORES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FFDA43.322C36E@oio.net>
Source record: 113298

w4fqf said;
" Boring, boring, boring......

Nuff said

W4FQF Since 1952....."

-- Exactly --

'Doc

1984. Re: Curiosity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FFD89E.917521FC@oio.net>
Source record: 113299

Mike,
As far as I am concerned, if an Advanced with 13 or
20 wpm, or without 13 or 20 wpm, takes the Extra test,
it will make him/her an Extra. If someone makes more
out of it than that, they're wasting their time and mine.
'Doc

1985. Re: 97.115 Third party communications.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FFD99D.B07D4202@oio.net>
Source record: 113300

Dan,
The question would seem to be, was 'OTK's license
revoked or suspended, or still in 'process' for some
action?
If the answer is 'no', then theres notheing wrong
with it.
'Doc

1986. Re: Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net
Message-ID: <I1v/4oJPMadK090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>
Source record: 113301

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Thank you Larry, that was exactly what I was looking for. I'd
'browsed' through a few other times and kept getting sidetracked
by other interesting stuff and never saw the link.

Even took two exams while I was there and did 84 & 89% so it
looks like I'm ready, although I now have a better idea what my
weaknesses are too. I'll brush up on those and take a few more
practice tests between now and the next testing session (I
missed the one last night due to other obligations!!!)

Now I can start looking at all the equipment catalogs and
figuring out what will be a good starter rig.

In article <2C78A2D6F89E98E4.6EE7D0AFA9D6E761.C3D60840206A8657@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:

- ->On Tue, 18 Apr 2000 16:14:40 -0400, mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net (Ramsay
- ->D. Seielstad) wrote:
- ->
- ->>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
- ->>
- ->>
- ->> Does anyone know of any on-line written exam testing sites where
- ->>I can test my studying to see if I'll pass the exams? I'd rather
- ->>see how I'm absorbing the material then reinvent the wheel myself.
- ->>
- ->www.qrz.com
- ->
- ->Look down middle of the page for Take the Practice Tests
- ->
- ->If you get over 80%....you're ready!
- ->
- ->Larry W4CSC/AE (Extra Lite!)
- ->

- --

+---+
| Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
| Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ |
+-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=+=-+
| "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average, everyday |
| guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no significant |
| use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time ... and |

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| trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views" |
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1987. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FF5AD4.3696006A@bctv.com>
Source record: 113302
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> > >
> > >. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> >
> > Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)

Nope. No "Mustang" made can stay that close to my taillights.

BTW, if it was made after 1972, it's not a Mustang!

1988. FS: MOONRAKER IV, TR-7400A, 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. Maynard" <maynard@cimtel.net>
Message-ID: <8dppmo$d4p$1@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 113303

I have for sale the following items:

Moonraker IV w/manual - $175.00

Kenwood TR-7400A - $75.00

President 2510 w/manual - $175.00

Prices do not include shipping/insurance.

If interested please email MartinM@paceeng.com or call (918)757-2224

Martin Maynard
KD5JKH

1989. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: scatterman <scatterman@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <wHGL4.24860$fV.1386130@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113334
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I wouldnt wanna live there, too damn much IMD and front end overload!

"Biker" <biker@cchat.com> wrote in message
news:38fe71bb_3@news4.newsfeeds.com...
> Depends on what your wife looks like.
>
> <BFG>
>
> Sorry, just couldn't resist.
>
> --
>
> Biker
>
> ----------
> DSS-Escrow - www.dss-escrow.com
>
> "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote in message
> news:8dlmo8$4n$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> > I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my
computer
> > and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty
> if
> > the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to
> have
> > to actually live next door to me?
> >
> > Builder
> > "
> >
> >
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>
> -----= Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News =-----
> http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
> -----== Over 80,000 Newsgroups - 16 Different Servers! =-----

1990. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000420130556.19754.00002323@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 113335

I also sugeest the following:

A dip for Bill Clinton
A dip for Janet Reno
A dip for all the filthy homosexauls!

A dip for all freemasons

A dip for those who would want to take the Confederate Flag off the South Carolina Capital building!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

1991. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: twatson410@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000420130734.13721.00001190@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 113336

>A REAL Ham wrote:
>>
>> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
>> types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
>> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag.

Sounds more like real asshole!!

1992. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael McClain <horse@wavecomputers.net>
Message-ID: <sfue5k12l6e177@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Michael McClain <horse@wavecomputers.net> wrote in message
news:sft2php3in263@corp.supernews.com...

<ib@yomammas.cummin> wrote in message news:38eb34aa.628375@news.tds.net...
How about a Law banning the use of phones WHILE driving!!!
Where in the Hell do you come off making laws that scanner listeners
should bow down to?

THe ones who use cell phones while driving need to be eavesdropped or
have their company ban them from the highways and stick them in a
cubicle at work and not have any cell phones at all!

WHO in THE Hell Invented the Damn "Cell-phone"?
Cell phones during sex! Think about it! WHY?
Cell phones during weddings/funerals/ graduation ceremonies/ bar
mitzvahs?
Come on AMERICA!! GIVE THE PHONES A BREAK!!
Everywhere you go you see a phone "glued" to someone's lame ass head!!

Im a american and fuck you you forighner.

Leave the scanner communities ALONE!!!
Take your communist approach towards AMERICANS and GOTO HELL!!!

i deeply want to apoligize for my previous statement, i miss read your
statement, i thought it said to not towards.My error indeed.

On 1 Apr 2000 12:02:04 PST, jb2101@my-deja.com (John Bowers) wrote:

>On Sat, 01 Apr 2000 01:55:46 -0500, money@corrupts.laws wrote:
>
>: Here we go again! The Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association
>: (CTIA) strongly supports the Wireless Eavesdropping Protection Act of
>: 2000, introduced March 29, 2000 by U.S. Senators Ron Wyden (Oregon) and
>: Conrad Burns (Montana)of the 106th Congress. It bans scanners regardless
>: of what type of technology is used.
>
>It's becoming increasingly clear that the old days of unrestricted radio
>reception are over. Scanning cell phone frequencies is illegal, as it
>should be, and it is way past time to clamp down on the snoopers who
>enjoy eavesdropping on conversations which should remain private.
>
>For example, using a scanner to listen to cordless telephone
>conversations is not only a bit sick, it is also the ethical equivalent
>of tapping the victim's telephone directly for no other reason than that
>you are curious. Cordless phone scanning should be banned.

>
>Scanning police frequencies not only allows the listener to pick up
>potentially damaging information about other citizens, but it also can
>be the means by which law enforcement's job may become more difficult
>and even more dangerous. Encryption is so far an unsatisfactory option,
>because encrypted communications are usually less intelligible (that's
>why most police officers prefer not to use encryption), and because
>encryption won't work reliably, if at all, between different police
>jurisdictions. The scanning of police and emergency frequencies should
>be banned too.
>
>But if police and emergency frequency scanning is banned, the practical
>design of a legal scanner can be very difficult, if not impossible. The
>reason is that the frequency allocations are far from uniform, and
>police frequencies may be assigned by the FCC in almost any region of
>the spectrum; not just the "standard" bands.
>
>To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
>really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
>what must be done.
>
>Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
>tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
>element, and not any government which acts to block you.

1993. Re: AF2Y Third time's a charm !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dneq5$3fe$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113338

Roger, how do you know that the slimeball is Youngblood? I thought he posts from that el cheapo service called SUNET. What tracing route did you use, ARINSWhois? But then again consider this: I think his wife, Norskie Thunder, did give him the old heave ho out of bed and he's become a vagabond road runner in a watermelon wagon along I-95. He's bitter, sullen and angry and longs for the day when he can return to a civilized way of life instead of having to machete his way through the dense foliage of frustration and despair. And all through it he is somewhat buoyed by the eloquent words of his beloved friend, "Queenie...Queenie..I got the best...heh...heh...heh...ho..hee...he.. Pittsburgh...Pittsburgh.....mommy and Misty...heh...heh...breckie..."

In article <8dn2h6$fa9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <l7uL4.67081$q67.1043938@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
> "frg9600" <frg9600@earthlink.net> wrote:
>> http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/doc.htm
>
> Hope your maiden flight crashes and burns, Youngblood.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

1994. Re: tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dnev3$i4m$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113339

You didn't check for the necessary turning radius or nearby obstacles before buying? Are you a welfare Extra?

In article <20000420115520.06015.00005940@ng-ch1.aol.com>, ne0p@aol.com (Ne0p) wrote:

> I have a mosley TA33 3 element tribander with a 12 foot boom that I would like
> to trade for a minitribander, like a ZX-yagi or MA5B. I found out that I don't
> have room for a full size antenna.
> Anyone interested?
>
> 73s John NE0P
>

1995. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lonnie Juli <lonniej@idt.net>
Message-ID: <38FE974A.875B2119@idt.net>
Source record: 113340
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Adam,

The purests in the group may disagree, but I've used a G5RV, various dipoles (folded, trapped, etc.) and I'm not a big fan of multi band dipoles. Any of these have to be cut to the right length and have traps installed or you need a tuner. Traps can be very lossy. A tuner does not solve the problems of transmission line loss and you often end up with the transmission line radiating a good portion of the signal (and not in the direction you wanted). G5RVs are very prone to this as it's part of the design.

Lately, I've had a great deal of luck using a coupler at the antenna feedpoint. The automatic coupler matches the impedance of the antenna to the transmission line. Minimal line loss, no feedline radiation and no "hot" metal in the shack. The down side is that the coupler is an active component and probably has a higher failure rate than very well designed and built passive traps (but I have had no failures yet). Operation is simple and automatic.

I use an SGC SG-237 coupler. It can be used with any radio up to 100w output from 80 to 6 meters and just about any antenna configuration you can think of. I assume that other manufacturers make similar devices, but the SGC seemed to be the most universal and the simplest to use when I did the research. SGC has a website at http://www.sgcworld.com that has a lot of info. It's not the best laid out site so you may have to poke around a bit to get the info you need. The coupler costs about $300 but your antenna costs plummet to the price of the wire and some simple insulators and support lines. A tuner and antenna could cost you less or more, but for multiple frequency use, I've been getting better performance from the coupler and a simple loop, dipole or vertical.

I don't mean to spend your money, but I thought you'd like this info. There are lots of ways to get your signal out, the important thing is to get as much in the direction you want as possible. A well matched antenna is more effective at transmitting _and_ receiving and will make more sense than a big amp in your ability to make more contacts. So get your antnna to work at a high level of efficiency and you can save lots of money you might otherwise spend on high power equipment.

In any case good luck and I hope we'll meet on the air.

73,

Lonnie N2EXU

Susan wrote:

> Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have heard of
> several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea which

> is better than the other. My rig operates 10, 15, 20, 40, and 80 meters,
> SSB and CW. I want an antenna for all 5 bands. I am looking to spend no
> more than $100, as I still need a tuner. Any information on this would be
> greatly appreciated.
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> 73
> Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
> chip1@theramp.net

1996. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <38FF3F23.17A6629C@uci.edu>
Source record: 113341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
> I wrote:
> > Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
> > Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
> > was about 8 years old.

> Good grief. Poking your pacifier in to the outlet doesn't qualify.

Ahhh, you must have learned the hard way. Eight is kind of old for you to have still been using your pacifier though. At 8 I was building crystal radios and hanging long wire antennas up on the roof. Picked-up KFI loud enough to drive a loudspeaker with it! At the time I didn't know that shouldn't be possible. I hooked it up to the phones too. It competed nicely with the dial tone. :-) Little did I know that 34 years later I would get a ham license.

73, Jim AC6XG

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Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <38FF4064.7A3EFF83@uci.edu>
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Kim W5TIT wrote:

> OH, OK, you're taking this to be League Bashing...that cracks me up. I can't
> draw pictures for you, Jeff--you'd get way too interpretive with that too...

But it does sound like you want to hear that the Handbook is crummy. It has it's faults, but as a useful radio reference it's pretty good. The thing that's nice about it is that if you're interested in learning something about a particular radio related topic, there's a good chance you'll find it discussed in there.

73, Jim AC6XG

1998. FA: Electronics Prototype Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Peeples <peeples@averstar.com>
Message-ID: <38FF40BB.92E106A6@averstar.com>
Source record: 113343
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Greetings,

Please take a look at my eBay auction for an Electronics Prototype Board. Thank you.

You'll find it at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=312159765

1999. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000420134451.10525.00001432@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 113344

Pretty good list. Four outa 5 ain't bad. Why include the Masons .. most of them have jobs. They've even been known to help widows and orphans a lot.

Yes, I'm aware of the religious implications. Also aware of the fundamental Baptist preacher whose crippled son got helped at a Shriner's hospital in SC. The "boy" is all grown up now. And he can walk normally. And it didn't cost his parents a dime. Probably hundreds more stories like that.

So for now, dip the rest and let the Masons go to work tomorrow. Dip Reno in a septic tank as a memorial gesture to the babies she burned at Waco.

2000. Re: tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnhmp$1b9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113345

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> before buying? Are you a welfare Extra?

C'mon Doc, that's not fair.

LRod

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2001. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnind$2e7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113346
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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lonnie@lonniejuli.com wrote:
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would be
> > greatly appreciated.
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> > 73
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>
>
Actually the term "Antenna Tuner" is a misnomer, unless it is used at
the ANTENNA FEEDPOINT as described above. A Antenna Tuner used at or
near the rig is actually a impedance matching device, and/or a jumper
tuner. Now for the antenna tuner debate.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2002. Re: How to be a UnaBasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wex w2ilp <w2ilp@juno.com>
Message-ID: <8dnipo$2eo$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8dkmvu$rk8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Hans didn't classify me as a Unibasher here. He privately gave me the distinction of being called an Internet Stalker. Please read my comments at the end of this message.
K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:
> Most of us view, with some level of disdain, the various UnaBashers
> here on rrap, rram, and other amateur radio newsgroups.
>
> These UnaBashers, like mf_luder, Burt, W2DNE, Radio_rambo_whatever,
> N0iMD, regularly show up here bashing ARRL, CQ, Morse Code, or some
> other facet of the hobby that pissed them off this morning. Some of
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> I'd post some rules that they (or you) could follow to become a really
> good UnaBasher.
>
> Rules for Successful Bashing -
>
> 1. Be anonymous, like mf_luder or W2DNE. Most of us know who you are
> anyhow, but you'll impress Mark Morgan.
> 2. Use 10% fact. 90% suggestion. The facts will lend credibility to
> your unfounded suggestions.
> 3. Use multiple ISP's, handles and aliases.
> 4. Use two (2) or more aliases to simulate a discussion. The
> 'pit bull' tries this, but is always betrayed because all
> his messages come from the same IP address.
> 5. Identify the "gurus" on the newsgroup and suck up to them.
> 6. Give the appearance of being open minded.
> 7. Be bold in your statements. Dummy newbies follow strength.
> 8. Write headlines in caps with catchy statements. (Where is MASA?)
> 9. Don't worry about being labeled a "Basher". Newbies won't
> know your history.
> 10. When identified put up a brief fight, then back off. Return in
> a week unless your foe is a weak in reasoning powers.
> 11. Form your bash as a question, not a statement. Like
> "Does ARRL hate technology?", or "Why can't most Extras
> figure out Ohms law?" People can refute your
> statement, but nobody can answer such dumb questions.
> 12. Three or four aliases can dominate a newsgroup and wear
> down the target.
> 13. Bait the target into personal debates putting their
> focus/efforts on you and not the facts. Divert their
> attention from facts.

> 14. Do not fall for challenges on the truth of what
> you are saying. Bashing is a game and you are playing
> it with your own rules. Ignore embarrassing questions
> which betray your lack of research, or call the questioner
> a Nazi or a liar. (See Anderson and Stevenson for
> instruction.)
>
> Your are a:
>
> Grade "B" UnaBasher:
> If you post lots of old news, respond to all positive posts with a
> negative side. Never respond to being called a Basher.
>
> Grade "C" UnaBasher:
> Very good way with words, always claims to be your "friend" taking
> the positive poster into confidence, sucks up, and then uses the
> relationship to bash somebody else.
>
> Grade "D" UnaBasher:
> Needs to learn the basics about being convincing when making a
> negative statement. Has no anonimity whatsoever, and tends to
> use quotations of others (preferably of dead people), rather
> than original thinking, to make their point.
>
> Grade "F" UnaBasher:
> A complete idiot, most readers are not convinced he knows
> anything about amateur in general, let alone the current
> topic of conversation. The type that says something "sucks",
> but gives no rationale, shows up every so often but no
> regular schedule.
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Thus if Unibashers go from A to F there must be six classes of
Unibashers. Hans doesn't see why Hams might need more than three
classes, but he has given Unibashers the distinction of having six
classes. It has always been my philosophy that Hams rate more than
Unibashers AND....
Hams need MORE license classes,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Ignore Loco Polybashers)

If you wish to suceed as a jester, you'll need
To consider each person's auricular;
What is all right for B would quite scandalize C
(For C is so very particular);
And D may be dull, and E's very thick skull
Is as empty of brains as a ladle;
While F is F sharp, and will cry with a carp
That he's known your best joke from his cradle!

--W. S. Gilbert--

I was going to make a parody on Gilbert's above
poetry and relate it to the grades of Unibashers
but even though "Unibasher" rhymes with "Moonie-
flasher", I have decided not to. After all
we need to quit jesting sometimes and get some
dignity back to these rec.radio.amateur posts.
Determining what type of Unibasher one is, is
not on any Ham test...although you might have
to recognize the symbol for a unijunction
transistor. Thus Unibasher classification
is in no way a part of the basis and purpose
of Ham Radio and I declare it off-topic.
--w2ilp--

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2003. Re: How to be a UnaBasher

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> 4. Use two (2) or more aliases to simulate a discussion. The
> 'pit bull' tries this, but is always betrayed because all
> his messages come from the same IP address.
> 5. Identify the "gurus" on the newsgroup and suck up to them.
> 6. Give the appearance of being open minded.
> 7. Be bold in your statements. Dummy newbies follow strength.
> 8. Write headlines in caps with catchy statements. (Where is MASA?)
> 9. Don't worry about being labeled a "Basher". Newbies won't
> know your history.
> 10. When identified put up a brief fight, then back off. Return in
> a week unless your foe is a weak in reasoning powers.
> 11. Form your bash as a question, not a statement. Like
> "Does ARRL hate technology?", or "Why can't most Extras
> figure out Ohms law?" People can refute your
> statement, but nobody can answer such dumb questions.
> 12. Three or four aliases can dominate a newsgroup and wear
> down the target.
> 13. Bait the target into personal debates putting their
> focus/efforts on you and not the facts. Divert their
> attention from facts.

> 14. Do not fall for challenges on the truth of what
> you are saying. Bashing is a game and you are playing
> it with your own rules. Ignore embarrassing questions
> which betray your lack of research, or call the questioner
> a Nazi or a liar. (See Anderson and Stevenson for
> instruction.)
>
> Your are a:
>
> Grade "B" UnaBasher:
> If you post lots of old news, respond to all positive posts with a
> negative side. Never respond to being called a Basher.
>
> Grade "C" UnaBasher:
> Very good way with words, always claims to be your "friend" taking
> the positive poster into confidence, sucks up, and then uses the
> relationship to bash somebody else.
>
> Grade "D" UnaBasher:
> Needs to learn the basics about being convincing when making a
> negative statement. Has no anonimity whatsoever, and tends to
> use quotations of others (preferably of dead people), rather
> than original thinking, to make their point.
>
> Grade "F" UnaBasher:
> A complete idiot, most readers are not convinced he knows
> anything about amateur in general, let alone the current
> topic of conversation. The type that says something "sucks",
> but gives no rationale, shows up every so often but no
> regular schedule.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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Thus if Unibashers go from A to F there must be six classes of
Unibashers. Hans doesn't see why Hams might need more than three
classes, but he has given Unibashers the distinction of having six
classes. It has always been my philosophy that Hams rate more than
Unibashers AND....
Hams need MORE license classes,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Ignore Loco Polybashers)

If you wish to suceed as a jester, you'll need
To consider each person's auricular;
What is all right for B would quite scandalize C
(For C is so very particular);
And D may be dull, and E's very thick skull
Is as empty of brains as a ladle;
While F is F sharp, and will cry with a carp
That he's known your best joke from his cradle!

--W. S. Gilbert--

I was going to make a parody on Gilbert's above
poetry and relate it to the grades of Unibashers
but even though "Unibasher" rhymes with "Moonie-
flasher", I have decided not to. After all
we need to quit jesting sometimes and get some
dignity back to these rec.radio.amateur posts.
Determining what type of Unibasher one is, is
not on any Ham test...although you might have
to recognize the symbol for a unijunction
transistor. Thus Unibasher classification
is in no way a part of the basis and purpose
of Ham Radio and I declare it off-topic.
--w2ilp--

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2004. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnj2m$30g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113349

In article <20000420094012.19307.00002259@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Hey
>
> How about a dip for you and Porkbutt?
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Hey Llllloyd!!!

Did you know Jesus was a JEWISH CARPENTER?

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2005. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnj60$31u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113350

In article <20000420130556.19754.00002323@ng-ba1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> I also sugeest the following:
>
> A dip for Bill Clinton
> A dip for Janet Reno
> A dip for all the filthy homosexauls!
>
> A dip for all freemasons
>
> A dip for those who would want to take the Confederate Flag off the
South
> Carolina Capital building!
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> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
And let us not forget to dip Lloyd, or is that Lloyds a dip?

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2006. Another FINAL CW special event.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnjr6$3p9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113351

>
> PORTISHEAD RADIO/GKA, the United Kingdom's long range radio station
and
one of
> the world's most famous names in the maritime communications field,
is
> scheduled to close at 1200z on Sunday 30th April 2000.
>
> Radio Amateurs should now get their antennas and rigs tuned up for a
once-only
> CW event. With the station using it's multi-kilowatt transmitters at
Rugby and
> it's remote receiving array at Somerton, the station's Radio Officers
at
Burnham
> hope to bring you, from the comfort of your own radio shack, the
chance
to
> communicate directly with them before the station's transmitters fall
silent for
> the final time.
>
> This cw-only event is scheduled for Saturday 29th April 2000 from
0700z to
> 1900z.
>
> Callsign Frequency Amateur Frequency +or-5kHz
> GKB2 4274 3525
> GKB4 8559.5 7025
> GKB5 12835.4 14050
> GKB6 17113 18075
> GKB7 22448.7 21050
>
> There will be three stations operating at any one time - subject to
the
> commercial requirements of the station.
>
> BT has appointed the Radio Officers Association to handle the amateur
side
of
> this operation and the liaison officer is David Barlow G3PLE.
>
> ALL QSOs WILL RECEIVE A QSL VIA THE RSGB BUREAU.
>

> Amateurs are asked to note that there will be NO access to BT sites
and
> following closure and there will be no surplus equipment for sale.
Any
> enquiries from radio amateurs should be routed through G3PLE.
>
> Contact details: -
>
> David Barlow G3PLE PO Box 50, Helston, TR12 7YQ
> e-mail (for this event) dbarlow@u.genie.co.uk
> Event Website: http://you.genie.co.uk/dbarlow
>
> PLEASE CIRCULATE THIS AS WIDELY AS POSSIBLE INSIDE THE AMATEUR RADIO
WORLD.
>
> Special efforts will be made to beam towards Commonwealth countries at
> appropriate times. Please e-mail details of which frequency band and
time
suits
> your part of the world.

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2007. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dnjuv$3q6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113352

radiosigs wrote:

> I just heard on CBS news that Elian Gonzalez passed the Extra
yesterday
> afternoon at La Tienda de la Familia Caramba in Little Havana
(Habanita)
> Miami which is another reason to keep the kid here. Undoubtedly he'll
be
> assigned callsign A4A.

ROTFL!

> I worked another "welfare" upgrade who told me to give him
my "numbers"
> instead of callsign. Congratulations FCC & ARRL. "Maaahvelous...simply
> maaahvelous."

A couple of points - I don't know if your "welfare" upgrade was a brand new General or Extra, but remember that EVERY upgrade to General - with or without a 13-wpm code test - is brand new to the HF world. Some are lucky enough to have guidance from Elmers, or are smart enough to listen to good operators for a while before jumping in. Many, though, have no idea about the etiquette, conventions, and accepted operating practices in this new neighborhood. A 13-wpm test never did magically confer this knowledge and experience.

As for welfare Extras with no previous HF experience - this is pretty much a new phenomenon. We have to get used to the fact that some of them may have the naivete and inexperience of the classic new General. This is only temporary and they, like the millions of hams before them, will grow into skilled operators if given a hand and half a chance.

As for your CB cowboy ("Whatt're yur numbers, Good Buddy?"), it seems to me that I recall hearing the term "Lid" long before the advent of restructuring - this is not a new phenomenon. If he is just acting out of ignorance, help him out and set him straight. If he simply doesn't care about good practices (nothing new in the world of amateur radio, vis. 20 meters today <g>), just don't work him. He'll eventually get the hint - or he'll drop out from sheer lack of attention.

73 de John / K2INY

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2008. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000420141404.19302.00002280@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 113353

>Also aware of the fundamental
>Baptist preacher whose crippled son got helped at a Shriner's hospital in SC.
>
>The "boy" is all grown up now. And he can walk normally. And it didn't cost
>his parents a dime. Probably hundreds more stories like that

Also be aware that in some parts of the country, where "Church and State"
issues are hot, like back in the People's republic of Iowa, my folks Church
could not have a Church function in the "Public Library" so, the local
Masons said they could have it in there community center for FREE, as long as
they cleaned after the fucntion. So, I guess all masons can not be bad, but
i'm still afraid of them.

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http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2009. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keeper36@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <38ff488d.2723572@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 113354
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
wrote:

>Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
>>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
>>
>>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
>
>Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
>
>---
>Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to
>this newsgroup.

I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs for
lunch :)

2010. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <unQjYevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote
>Oh, you want anecdotal evidence of stupid Novice's and
>Tech's?

No. My point was that Extra bashing is just as bad as Tech bashing. And both sides do bash regularly. What will be interesting will be to see what happens when many change sides. Cecil used to be the biggest Extra basher around. Now that he is one...

>But those old licensing
>exams sure let a lot of imbeciles upgrade.

Was that because of the code test or the faulty exams... :-)

2011. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#vXuZevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

n2ey@aol.com wrote
>The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".

Ham radio grew up around broadcast radio, and took some of it's traditions. Commercial broadcasters used "we" to indicate they were talking for the radio station and not just the announcer. Many hams did the same. Broadcasters had "on the air" signs that lit up when the announcer was on the air. Many hams also had these signs. Large broadcast microphones were seen at many ham stations with the call letters prominently displayed.

So some traditional jargon such a "we" is still around today, used mostly by old timers. I used it myself in the 50s and 60s on AM phone. I had picked up the habit from other hams. It seemed perfectly normal then. But jargon does change over time. It's unfortunate that the language police find it necessary to make fun of those still using it. It will die a normal death through disuse over time I'm sure, and other (equally silly sounding to some) jargon will likely take it's place...

(Remember the horror when the CB lingo started creeping in...)

2012. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#F6Taevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>1 - The tests are really no diiferent today than for
>almost the past 50 years...

So how come all the uproar over Bash if things didn't change...

2013. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#bc5aevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Richard McCollum wrote

>Testing at best is an educational tool

How much education do you get from memorizing technical questions that you don't understand just to pass. Wouldn't it be more educational to have more relevant questions that most applicants can actually understand...

2014. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#CQabevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
>Yours is much more simple -- "modern tests are a sham."

I have written hundreds of words backing up the claim, not just that one
simple statement. I will stop using the word "sham" if it bothers you...

>I will leave it to those few who are still following this thread to decide
>the truth for themselves.

Translation 1: I refuse to debate you on the issue because
I have no rebuttal, and am leaving the debate.

Translation 2: I know the test is faulty, but since I work closely with
the FCC, I don't want to jeopardize that relationship by
publicly saying so.

>Unlike some, I do not feel a need to proclaim it for them.

Who are "some" Ed?
It's not like you to attack the messenger to avoid the subject...

2015. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring; or Lloyd's a dip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FF6A06.8A908C84@ahole.com>
Source record: 113360

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Brother Lloyd wrote:
>
> I also sugeest the following:
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> A dip for Bill Clinton
> A dip for Janet Reno
> A dip for all the filthy homosexauls!
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> A dip for all freemasons
>
> A dip for those who would want to take the Confederate Flag off the South
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> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
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2016. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FF6A54.753F9249@ahole.com>
Source record: 113361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What took you so long Jim????????

Jim Kelley wrote:
>
> Brian wrote:
> > I wrote:
> > > Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
> > > Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
> > > was about 8 years old.
>
> > Good grief. Poking your pacifier in to the outlet doesn't qualify.
>
> Ahhh, you must have learned the hard way. Eight is kind of old for you
> to have still been using your pacifier though. At 8 I was building
> crystal radios and hanging long wire antennas up on the roof. Picked-up
> KFI loud enough to drive a loudspeaker with it! At the time I didn't
> know that shouldn't be possible. I hooked it up to the phones too. It
> competed nicely with the dial tone. :-) Little did I know that 34
> years later I would get a ham license.
>
> 73, Jim AC6XG

2017. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keeper36@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <39004aad.3267450@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 113362
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 15:13:39 GMT, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>What a bad boy. A bad boy......
>
>Builder wrote:
>>
>> I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
>> and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
>> the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to have
>> to actually live next door to me?
>>
>> Builder
>> "

I used to live next to Builder and I can tell you first hand he is a
very bad boy! He cheats in Golf. He lies about fishing. He cheats on
his girlfriends. And he is mean to his mother. He also takes us out to
dinner on his company credit card. What a BAD BAD boy.
Maybe thats why I liked living next door to him. He's just like me!
OUT!
The Keeper

2018. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keeper36@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <390153bc.5587026@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 113363
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 21:31:27 -0400, "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com>
wrote:

>I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
>and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
>the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to have
>to actually live next door to me?
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>Builder
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The Keeper

2019. Re: God and Riley Save Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5860-38FF542E-41@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113364

Doc, If you want to extend the Fort Sumter argument to ham radio, one could say that our service/hobby had debilitated into strife.
Here, we don't have one Fort Sumter but a gathering storm which Riley has been empowered to stop.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

2020. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnv6bgfk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113365

In article <20000420141404.19302.00002280@ng-md1.aol.com>,
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> >Also aware of the fundamental
> >Baptist preacher whose crippled son got helped at a Shriner's
hospital in SC.
> >
> >The "boy" is all grown up now. And he can walk normally. And it
didn't cost
> >his parents a dime. Probably hundreds more stories like that
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> Also be aware that in some parts of the country, where "Church and
State"
> issues are hot, like back in the People's republic of Iowa, my
folks Church
> could not have a Church function in the "Public Library" so, the
local
> Masons said they could have it in there community center for FREE,
as long as
> they cleaned after the fucntion. So, I guess all masons can not be
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> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
If your afraid they will ask you to join then you have nothing to worry
about. They only accept good people.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2021. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <38FF5BE7.64788143@uci.edu>
Source record: 113366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Liberty_nits wrote:

> What took you so long Jim????????

That's how long it took me to finally hook up with some hams to show me the ropes. My elmers. Of course I wouldn't take much advice from them at the time - too proud I guess. But I give them the credit. I had plenty else going on before that - playing music, getting an education, building a career and a family, paying a mortgage...

When I was 8, there was a high school kid up the street who was a ham. His radio shack was like a magical place to me. I still remember the feeling. But I was just a punk to him, and he wouldn't give me the time of day. That's just the way kids are. I pursued learning about electronics anyway.

I knew another ham later on - in high school (don't know if Jeff Herman remembers him). But he got into broadcasting after high school, and I also pursued that thru, and after college. I think my high school physics teacher was a ham also. He had some kind of a transeiver in his car I recall. Hey Jeff, did you have Don Schwinn for physics? ;-)

73, Jim AC6XG

2022. I now know why summers EVE retro-graded.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dnvrv$hd4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113367

On the rare occassion that I bother to listen to 14.313 I heard David,
THE INCREDIBLE SHRINKING BRAIN, trying to stir up the crap once again.

It seems he thinks that its illegal for a licensed ham to allow an
unlicensed person use the ham bands under the "third party rules".

He makes the case that Bob (W4RCL) drove up to visit Rich, EX
WB2OTK/W2OTK. And that Bob fired up Rich's rig. Of course the
transmission was identified as W4RCL.

Lets hear it guys, this should break the posters record. But give me a
couple of days....I need to buy another Kevlar vest.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2023. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <5EE73461C078D2C7.4B017B0D88C6FFE8.B6EDF608E82333E0@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in article
<#CQabevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>...
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important matters--important to me that is

> >Unlike some, I do not feel a need to proclaim it for them.
>
> Who are "some" Ed?
> It's not like you to attack the messenger to avoid the subject...
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>

Kim W5TIT

2024. Re: tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dnn8e$u45$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113369

But wait a minute LRod. Would you string up a straight 75 meter dipole in
your backyard when knowing it measured, for example, 80' x 100'?

In article <8dnhmp$1b9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <8dnev3$i4m$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>> You didn't check for the necessary turning radius or nearby obstacles
>> before buying? Are you a welfare Extra?
>
> C'mon Doc, that's not fair.
>
> LRod
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2025. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <EAC9577E5D485BD5.2951407C8F10222C.98C7B14CBE4148F1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in article
<#vXuZevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>...
> n2ey@aol.com wrote
> >The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
>
> Ham radio grew up around broadcast radio, and took some of it's traditions.
> Commercial broadcasters used "we" to indicate they were talking for the
> radio station and not just the announcer. Many hams did the same.
> Broadcasters had "on the air" signs that lit up when the announcer was on
> the air. Many hams also had these signs. Large broadcast microphones were
> seen at many ham stations with the call letters prominently displayed.
>
> So some traditional jargon such a "we" is still around today, used mostly by
> old timers. I used it myself in the 50s and 60s on AM phone. I had picked up
> the habit from other hams. It seemed perfectly normal then. But jargon does
> change over time. It's unfortunate that the language police find it
> necessary to make fun of those still using it.

I would agree with you there! Wholeheartedly! It makes as much sense as
someone who "picks" on another's spelling during an argument! Language police,
indeed!

How 'bout when someone says, on the air "turn my house around" (meaning they
are going to reorient their beam antenna)? I remember a near vocal fight that
broke out here on a local repeater for someone "daring" to use that term on the
air. Why, it was nothing short of a CB term and did not belong on ham radio
(the insulted's words, not mine...) : /

Kim W5TIT

> It will die a normal death
> through disuse over time I'm sure, and other (equally silly sounding to
> some) jargon will likely take it's place...
>
> (Remember the horror when the CB lingo started creeping in...)
>
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>

2026. 97.115 Third party communications.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8do0ep$i1b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113371

(a) An amateur station may transmit messages for a third party to:
(b) The third party may participate in stating the message where:
(1) The control operator is preent at the control point and is continously monitoring and supervising the third party's participation; and
(2) The third party is not a prior amateur service licensee whose license was revoked; suspended for less than the balance of the license term and the suspension is still in effect; suspended for the balance of the license term and relicensing has not taken place; or surrendered for cancellation following notice of revocation. suspension or monetary forfeiture proceedings. The third party may not be the subject of a cease and desist order which relates to amateur service operation and which is still in effect.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2027. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <C53F865036E17A2D.8F370224317224AC.1872DF786EA2788A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113372
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Make that Translation #3 (not 2)

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<5EE73461C078D2C7.4B017B0D88C6FFE8.B6EDF608E82333E0@lp.airnews.net>...
> Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in article
> <#CQabevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>...
> > Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote
> > >Yours is much more simple -- "modern tests are a sham."
> >
> > I have written hundreds of words backing up the claim, not just that one
> > simple statement. I will stop using the word "sham" if it bothers you...
> >
> > >I will leave it to those few who are still following this thread to decide
> > >the truth for themselves.
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> >
> >
>
> Kim W5TIT

>

2028. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dnnq2$k4n$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113373

Keep away from Masons, Lloyd. One will eat you. Oh yeah, they're really
something to fear. Why do we fear people? Because it's easier than
understanding. I never met a bad Mason in my life except a dopey one named
Wesley Woe Woe Cue. Lloyd fears Masons and yet he comes from Iowa which has
a city named Mason. They allowed his rightwing church to hold a function and
he still loathes them? What's with you N0VFP?

In article <20000420141404.19302.00002280@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

>>Also aware of the fundamental
>>Baptist preacher whose crippled son got helped at a Shriner's hospital in SC.
>>
>>The "boy" is all grown up now. And he can walk normally. And it didn't cost
>>his parents a dime. Probably hundreds more stories like that
>
> Also be aware that in some parts of the country, where "Church and State"
> issues are hot, like back in the People's republic of Iowa, my folks Church
> could not have a Church function in the "Public Library" so, the local
> Masons said they could have it in there community center for FREE, as long as
> they cleaned after the fucntion. So, I guess all masons can not be bad, but
> i'm still afraid of them.
>
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2029. Re: Contest This Wekend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000420161114.08158.00006898@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 113374

In article <XnEL4.692$lL2.82288@news.shore.net>, "jon" <ltree@shore.net>
writes:

>14.313 is sponsoring a Ham-Lite contest this Saturday from 7-7 EST..The
>object is to work as many ham-Lites (upgrade hams) and record the frequency
>and ham call and mode...1 point for each contact on 0 meters...2 points if
>the contact is made on 14313 or 14275....winnner will be staying in new
>england for two nights and posted on the official 313 web page..good luck!!!

Do they give extra points if the contact plays "Anchors Aweigh?" How about
"The Porkbutt Song?"

Does the winner get a personal, on-the-air blessing from Father John?

2030. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FF68A0.D9DED9A7@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> Bill Sohl wrote
> >1 - The tests are really no diiferent today than for
> >almost the past 50 years...
>
> So how come all the uproar over Bash if things didn't change...

Apparently, because at the time. the FCC was too lazy to create
more than a couple of exams. Some questions in the License
Manual apparently never appeared on an exam. Apparently,
Bash uncovered that little secret.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2031. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FF6A13.7139F011@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> I have written hundreds of words backing up the claim, not just that one
> simple statement. I will stop using the word "sham" if it bothers you...

You have to be tricked and deluded by the exam for it to meet
the definition of a sham yet you are implying that you know
the truth about it and are not tricked and deluded by it.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2032. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FF6E5A.5BC4A9D7@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> Cecil used to be the biggest Extra basher around. Now that he is one...

It was all in good fun, Aaron, and some Extras were so bashable.
Guess I'll have to convert from sadism to masochism now.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2033. THIS NEWS GROUP STILL BORES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8do3sclhj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113378

After the hackney remarks from "DR HATE", "SLOPE HEAD", the "LAWYER WANNABE" and other assorted misfits, the fact remains that this newsgroup is boring. Just a hangout for people who have qrmed their way into being banished by Mr Hollingsworth from operating on their favorite qrming frequencies. (They gave their calls when qrming, what a bunch of nitwits!!) Stupid is as stupid does..

Boring, boring, boring......

Nuff said

W4FQF Since 1952.....

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2034. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ftbtow5.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 20:32:34 -0500, Kim W5TIT wrote:

>*COUGH* Well, Phil, does this relative of yours believe that the daytime
>soaps are in any way representative of reality? Just curious...

Reality in the medical academic community is another
thing..... <ggg>

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

2035. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dnt6m$6gi$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> The only technical entry on this all-time best-seller list was the ARRL
>> Handbook.

>Not to belittle the sales figures: My 1957 ARRL Handbook
>is not the *same* book as my ARRL Handbook 2000. 95% of
>the content is completely different.

And the all-time best selling book, the Bible, didn't consist of
the same edition throughout all-time, either.

The content of updated editions of technical books are expected to
change. You know that.

Jeff KH6O

2036. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: falcon1 <falconnest1NOfaSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <11dc093c.3cd390ce@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 113381
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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fuck you ass wipe!! who are you to judge all of us?? <shitty
toilet paper> exactly!!
In article <200004200017.e3K0Hu622482@anon.securenym.net>,
Bilgates Remailer <noreply@securenym.net> wrote:
>A deadbeat ham writes in alt.dss.hack:
>
>> I pirate signals from DIRECTV and I am a ham radio
>> operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
>> I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
>> satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
>> other hams who do this crooks.
>
>> Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
>> contributions the hams made during pre/post war, and
>> in the 60's/70's. Development along the AX.25 lines,
>> Oscar, and all of the really *major* diasters around
>> the world. Huricanes in the South, mud slides/quakes,
>> Mt St. Hellens, Kobaie (sp ?). etc. etc.
>
>Hams who STEAL cable and satellite services are nothing but
scum. You dirty
>the honour of Amateur Radio by committing the crime of THEFT OF
SERVICES.
>
>Do you think that Hiram Percy Maxum would approve of what you
are doing?
>
>Any HAM who steals is nothing but a DIRT BALL. A high tech
shoplifter.
>
>Sure HAMS do great things. But scum bags like you who steal
from DIRECTV
>give every ham radio operator a black eye!
>
>Do you think that BARRY GOLDWATER would pat you on the back for
being
>a thief, or would he SPIT IN YOUR EYE?
>
>How can you look your children in the face and say "Daddy is a
good
>man! Daddy is a HAM. Daddy STEALS from DIRECTV by pirating
their
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>signal!"
>
>How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the
eye? You
>are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time
you
>rip off DIRECTV.
>
>Shame on you all.
>
>
>

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

2037. Re: tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <gNML4.74242$W5.701654@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113382

I didn't see anywhere in his post that was the situation.
He said "I found out that I don't have room for a full size antenna."
Maybe he is going to add to his house, maybe after the wife seen it
she said NO.

Maybe my newsgroup reader didn't display the whole message.

Some of you guys jump to worst conclusion just to bitch!
GROW UP!!
Cause your making my proud to be a ham.
--
EDDY

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2038. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <charles@ab7sl.com>
Message-ID: <8dodes$78v$1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 113383

My mint 1989 Nissan Pathfinder 4x4 goes up hills and over rocks all you muscle-car guys would bottom out on.....not to mention it is great in the snow.....in the winter I pull Camaros and Mustangs out of ditches all day long.

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Charles T Johnston - AB7SL
charles@ab7sl.com

AB7SL- Ham Radio Pages
http://www.ab7sl.com
Add YOUR SITE to my -PUBLIC- Links page
http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724

"p928s" <p928s@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:CqOL4.1126$v%.234911@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net...
>
> The keeper <Keeper36@Hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:38ff488d.2723572@news.supernews.com...
> > On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> > >
> > >>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> > >>
> > >>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> > >
> > >Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
> > >
> > >---
> > >Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post
> responses to
> > >this newsgroup.
> >
> > I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs for
> > lunch :)
>
> my antique porsche 928 eats Iroc Z28 camaros even when it isn't towing a
> Mustang!
>

>

2039. Re: Dear Abby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dmat2$c6t$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113384

wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Re: The "Dear Abby" column for 19 April concerning a Morse
>Telegraph Club.

For its last 40 years, Western Union provided a special Morse circuit for the Morse Telegraph Club to honor the OTers. It connected 36 US and 4 Canadian chapters of the club. A member could dial in and with key and sounder, carry on QSOs with other members. That line lasted until Western Union closed in 1989; then the club established a dial-in modem for members who wanted to work Morse with key and sounders via their PC -- kind of a nationwide party line.

>How old would a railroad or Western Union
>retiree be to have actually been involved in telegraphy?

Landline Morse was finally phased out over the AP news wire in 1930. But lots of today's landline Morse enthusiasts never worked a wire. It's become a hobby for folks of any age.

>Too, landline and radiotelegraph Morse are/were different,
>so how did hams become involved?

Landline operators used American Morse while hams use International (also called Continental) Morse. American differs from International by eleven letters:

C: .. .
F: .-.
J: -.-.
L: long dash
O: . .
P: ....
Q: ..-.
R: . ..
X: .-..
Y: .. ..
Z: ... .

The numbers of American Morse are:

1: .--.
2: ..-..
3: ...-.
4: ....-
5: - - -
6: ......

7: --..
8: -....
9: -..-
0: a very long dash

American Morse (above) was used on American ships until 1912, when it was replaced by International Morse, which was in use on the ships of all other nations.

73, Jeff KH6O

2040. Re: WACKO KE6HN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dmb69cin1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113385

In article <38fe55ac.17159739@news.earthlink.net>, <jwood@msn.com> wrote:
>I don't believe it is legal to 'advertise' an Internet web site URL...

Study your copy of Part 97 to determine its legality. (You do
have a copy, right?)

2041. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dmbn6$d4m$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113386
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
> I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
> satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
> other hams who do this crooks.

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TROLL-O-METER
(courtesy K0HB)

KH6O

2042. Re: update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dmqa9$624$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113387

In article <21EEAD07C43@127.0.0.1>,
Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header (Slopehead) wrote:
> elongated.
> egoglinated.
> elognitated.
> elonglitated.
> elongitated.
> egoglinitated.
>
> Hide behind curtains, peek.

Shadddup, MongoliLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLLyyyyyyyyyooooooodddddd.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2043. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dmqd5$6b4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113388

In article <38FE5069.90E41F00@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>
> w4fqf,
> Bye bye... so long. And as they say here in "Red Neck"
> country... 'Don't let the door knob hit'cha where the good
> Lord split'cha!'.
> 'Doc

Don't go there..Polly would probably_like_it.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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2044. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dmqh5$6c1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113389

In article <20000419214500.28380.00001413@ng-ce1.aol.com>,
nomonkeys@aol.com (No Monkeys) wrote:
> AF2Y spewed:
>
> >Speaking of God, I
> >urge you to read the lead article in this week's TIME magazine. It
deals
> >with who killed Jesus and why. You've all heard the fairy tale about
the
> >Jews yelling at Pilate, "Crucify him and let his blood be on our
hands and
> > ....
>
> (rest of Talmudic bullshit "exterminated")
>
> And folks still wonder WHY the Nazis hated these lying, obnoxious
>bastards?

It's doubtful _you_would fare any better, they would consider
you "undesireable" by default.
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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2045. Re: Ham radio operators who <snip>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Truck Driver&#65533; <truckdriver@alt2600nospam.com>
Message-ID: <YQBL4.48729$y4.1691170@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113390
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A Texas Ham I see! ;-)

The trouble with life is, you're half way through it before you realize it's
a "do it yourself" thing

As you know being cautious is not a fault, it is something one has learned.
"Truck Driver"

"W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message

2046. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <8dmt50$982$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113391
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <38FE3419.A9AE564@icss.net>,
burke1@icss.net wrote:
> n2ey@aol.com wrote:
>
> > In article <38FD57B7.D7C42F3E@IEEE.org>,
> > W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > > What rig
> > > is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?
> >
> > Heathkit SB-100. 80-10 meters, 100 W output, kit made in the early-
mid
> > 1960s.
> >
> > It has been described as "vintage" and "antique" but it's really not
> > that old.
>
> WHAT? It's not really that old???

No, it's not. It's a CW/SSB transceiver, with performance numbers that
are not much worse than "modern" rigs. It lacks only a few features
(split/RIT capability, CW filter, AGC off switch, slow tuning rate)
that I consider really essential. The later SB-101 and SB-102 have
provison for a second VFO and a CW filter.

> Let's define "old," and "that old."
>
In the context of HF ham gear, 40 years is where "old" begins.

> > And it's a pretty decent rig for the money.
>
> Depends on the money. If we're talking pesos, it's probably OK.

Less than $150 for a nice one, with AC power supply.
>
> > The rig in "Contact" was a Collins KWM-2. Couldn't tell if it was
> > winged or meatball, though.
>
> So in this movie, is some doofus calling Dianna Ross on the radio?

Never saw that one. Diana Ross?
>
73 de Jim, N2EY
FISTS #4360
BIT #0001

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2047. FS: Collins 75A-4 & KWS-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gharmon@idworld.net
Message-ID: <38fef141.210862128@news.idworld.net>
Source record: 113392

Hi everyone,

I have a set of Gold Dust Twins (75A-4 and KWS-1) for sale.

The receiver and exciter look really nice and have minimal cosmetic problems. There are some of the little nicks across the top front panel
edge of the receiver.
The power supply cabinet needs refinishing.
Original manuals.

75A-4 Receiver......
Serial number 2518
Chassis date 7/18/58
Works well
Extra BNC and trimmer adjustment hole on rear
Standard SSB filter
Collins 4:1 reduction knob
No speaker
$1,250 OBO

KWS-1 Exciter......
Serial number 168
Fresh 4X-250B finals
Partial alignment done
Checked out on 80 meters
Collins 4:1 reduction knob
Needs a piece of rectangular glass on the front panel

KWS-1 Power Supply:
Replaced four capacitors
New HV cable
Wired for 115V
PS to exciter cables
Fresh 866A HV tubes
Blower fan bearings replaced
New air hose
100V AC antenna relay included (requires DC relay)
Inside of the power supply looks great
$1,750 OBO

Would consider a nice SX-115 or SX-28A as partial trade.

Can take the twins to Belton on 29 Apr for serious examination and purchase.
Would also be willing to drive a reasonable distance for delivery.

Here are some pictures to review. Please contact me on the telephone
or
email for additional information or more pictures.

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/75A-4-4.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/75A-4-2.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/75A-4-6.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/KWS-1-12.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/KWS-1-7.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/KWS-1-10.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/KWS-1-4.jpg

http://www.txdirect.net/users/k5jwk/KWS-1-11.jpg

Thanks for looking.

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Gary H. Harmon, Jr.
K5JWK
6302 Robin Forest
San Antonio, TX 78239-3218
(210) 657-1549
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2048. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <38FEF35E.277E2B00@icss.net>
Source record: 113393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> David Stinson wrote
> >I was listening on 40 meters to two hams
> >who had just "upgraded" to Extra Class.
> >[dumb Extra post]
>
> Robert Casey wrote
> >I was a Tech, he a general or higher.
> >[dumb General or higher post]
>
> How come we never see any dumb Novice or dumb Tech posts??

Huh? Did I miss something here? Every time a Novice or Tech posts here, you old "I've got more Time in the Latrine" bunch jump on it and call him stupid. Oh, you want anecdotal evidence of stupid Novice's and Tech's?

OK, there was the time a new Tech was asked to give a long count so the guy on the other side of the repeater could check his SWR. "One, two, three, four,..." And it was on 1 April. Sad but true.

Or the time a Tech was repairing the finals of an Extra owned repeater, after the Extra botched the job. My initial impression was "lightning?" But the Tech said no. Looked like he had tried to use a propane torch or a butane soldering iron or something with lots of fire.

Is that balanced enough for you? The problem is, we can expect the Novices and Techs to make newbie mistakes. But those old licensing exams sure let a lot of imbeciles upgrade.

73,
Brian

2049. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dmp1a11t5i@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 113394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8dlr3togn1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>You still don't understand so I'll spell it out for you: In 1970
>Time Magazine presented the all-time best sellers list, divided into
>fiction and non-fiction. Toping the non-fiction category was the
>Bible. The *only* technical book listed as the all-time best seller
>in the non-fiction category was the ARRL Radio Amateur's Handbook.
>The "competition" was all other technical books published for all
>time.
>
>Do you understand now?
>
>Jeff KH6O

Maybe so, but IDG wasn't around in 1970.

Tom - N8ECW

2050. Owego NY Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Mess <rmess@binghamton.edu>
Message-ID: <38FEFB31.109D8222@binghamton.edu>
Source record: 113395

On saturday May 6, the Binghamton ARA will host the annual Owego hamfest
at Marvin Park in Owego, NY 8am-2pm. For more info email
rmess@binghamton.edu or go to our webpage
www.wtsn.binghamton.edu/bara

2051. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <X3DL4.108$R5.12712@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

>I guess I don't blame you for making fun of me Ed. It keeps you from
>having to discuss the truth about today's faulty ham testing...

I have disussed it aplenty, Aaron. My discussion has included subtle tones
of gray. Yours is much more simple -- "modern tests are a sham."

I will leave it to those few who are still following this thread to decide
the truth for themselves. Unlike some, I do not feel a need to proclaim it
for them.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI
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2052. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <r7DL4.109$R5.12756@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 113397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>>> Did they take my suggestion as an instruction?

>> I never did.

> That's why you've never passed any of my classes. =:o

My teachers were a bit more direct. Those things that I needed to pass
their classes were presented to me as requirements. Those things that would
enrich my learning experience were presented as suggestions.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

2053. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dn0f1ctv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113398

LRod wrote:

> A minor correction; while 97.503(a) does indeed state, "...the ability
> to send correctly by hand...," 97.509(g) says that, "[p]assing a
> telegraphy receiving examination is adequate proof of an examinee's
> ability to both send and receive telegraphy." It goes on to give the
> option of including a sending test by the VE.

LRod, I stand corrected - I went and re-read the pertinent text and you are indeed correct. Still and all, this is really only true in the world of electronic keyers. Sending clean and well-formed characters with a straight key at any decent speed is still a separate skill in its own right, requiring considerable practice - and not necessarily inferrable from the fact that the student can copy at the required speed.

I remember when I gave up my old Navy straight key for a dual-paddle iambic setup (something like 25 years ago???). My code was much cleaner and more readable, as I was never a great artist with a straight key, but I had to endure the chiding of more than one older ham (who made caustic comments about electronic keyers and "Real Hams" - I guess the more things change, the more they stay the same <g>).

<snip>

> although some of the changes over the years were
> based on real world communications issues, e.g.,
> "perfect" CW copy in amateur radio isn't necessary
> if one is able to comprehend the message. In other
> words, why fail an applicant who miscopied a period
> here or a letter there, if he got the other op's,
> call, report, name, QTH, rig, antenna, power,
> weather, etc., correctly?

I agree. I wasn't trying to criticize the changes, only to make the same point that you just did - namely that real world communications issues are the major driving force behind the standards that the FCC and various international bodies use in determining Amateur Radio licensing standards. And the big change in real world communications issues in recent years has been the virtual abandonment of CW for everyday as well as emergency use by virtually all of the commercial, maritime, and military organizations of the United States, if not the world, in favor of modern digital and satellite technologies. Hence, its de-emphasis in the newest round of license restructuring.

The FCC no longer sees any need to maintain a large civilian pool of CW operators for times of emergency or war - ergo, no need to test for CW prowess or encourage its development.

> I was the beneficiary of such enlightened administration.

So was I, in my first incarnation as a ham 3 decades ago. And I do remember some of the old guys, like my father's old friend who Elmered me, who were sometimes disparaging of us for the easier tests, the store-bought rigs ("appliances") and antennas, and the growing populatiry of electronic keyers .

73 de John / K2INY

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2054. AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dmv81dpl1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113399

I just heard on CBS news that Elian Gonzalez passed the Extra yesterday afternoon at La Tienda de la Familia Caramba in Little Havana(Habanita) Miami which is another reason to keep the kid here. Undoubtedly he'll be assigned callsign A4A.
I worked another "welfare" upgrade who told me to give him my "numbers" instead of callsign. Congratulations FCC & ARRL. "Maaahvelous...simply maaahvelous."
Tonight begins "Pesach" which is known as Passover by Gentiles. We have a dinner called a "seder" in which we remember the eviction of Moses and his people from Egypt for not paying rent. After wandering the desert for forty years without portapotties or Charmin, two greenhorns broke away and somehow came to what's known now as southern California. At the top of a peak that resembled Mount Sinai, they looked down on the greenery as one asked the other, "So, how do you THIS place?" "Van Nuys, van nuys" was the reply and that's how it got its name.
A ritual during the seder is to dip a finger once for each plague God wrought on Pharoh for keeping Moses and his boys in bondage. Like, dip for locusts...dip for frogs....dip for hail etc. Since I am a proud American who reveres this country to the utmost, I suggest we begin dippping for the plagues now being exacted on this beloved nation. One dip for Jerry Falwell...one dip for Jimmy Swaggart...another for Pat Robertson...a dip for David J.Smith and so on and so forth.
14.313 is so boring it's getting to be unworthy of SWLing. I hope Mr. Hollingsworth is satisfied. Oh yes, two more dips. One for enforcement overreactance and the other for restructuring. Happy holidays to all!
Doc,AF2Y

2055. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <38FF032B.E0C75B0A@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> The only technical entry on this all-time best-seller list was the ARRL
> Handbook.

Not to belittle the sales figures: My 1957 ARRL Handbook
is not the *same* book as my ARRL Handbook 2000. 95% of
the content is completely different.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2056. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pogopossum@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dn2d2$f0u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113401

Doc,

I think you misread my intentions - or perhaps I was not articulate enough (and I apologise for that). I am not trying to cause discontent, but to encourage some of the hotheads out there to remember when they, too, were new hams. I'm trying to encourage them to be as tolerant of today's "new hams" and the long-time Techs and Tech Pluses who are only now upgrading, as the previous generation was of them, when they, too, took what was arguably an easier path than their own predecessors were required to walk.

As for going the 'dumbing-down' route - I am in full agreement with you. I would only point out that this is not a new and sudden phenomenon - either in radio or in society at large. When I remember the discipline and rigor required of me as a student from elementary school through college and graduate levels, I am heartbroken at what has happened to education over the last 30 years.

I agree that the new hams should be welcome and encouraged. When I first got my Novice license in my earlier incarnation as a ham, my first QSO was with an Extra who worked my shaky 5-6 wpm QSO with infinite patience, good humor, and much encouragement. Later, as my own speed and operating skills increased, I often went back to the Novice sub-bands and tried to return the favor. When I first upgraded to General and ventured nervously out into the phone sub-bands for the first time, I was helped and guided numerous times by older, more experienced hams (some Generals like myself - though with many years of experience - many others with higher tickets). They were almost to a man, unfailingly friendly and encouraging - teaching and not criticizing. THIS was the spirit of Amateur Radio that first attracted me to this amazing hobby.

Today's new low-code Generals are entitled to the same consideration that we all once received from the "Real Hams" of previous generations. Ironically, many are probably far more comfortable with working voice (from VHF/UHF) than I was when I first upgraded to General, since I was restricted to CW on HF as a Novice and had never even keyed a mike before getting my General.

Today's low-code Extras may well have received permission to enter the gateways of the exalted Extra and Advanced subbands in less time and with less overall effort than their predecessors, but we should still treat them with the patience, kindness, and understanding that any new-to-grade ham deserves. If we do, they, too, will become skilled, experienced, old hands in no time.

73 de John / K2INY

In article <38FE4F6D.336AF630@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
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>
> pogopossum,
> What I am," understandably upset (even incensed)",
> about is not that the,"new hams"..."have an easier path
> to upgrade than" I did, but that the ham radio hobby
> is going the same "dumbed down" route as our whole society
> seems to have gone. No matter what values you speak of,
> the easier you make it to get to the objective, the less
> 'quality' you will have.
> The new hams are welcome. It seems you are causing
> more discontent than the people your 'pointing a finger'
> at.
> 'Doc
>

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2057. Re: AF2Y Third time's a charm !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dn2h6$fa9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113402

In article <l7uL4.67081$q67.1043938@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"frg9600" <frg9600@earthlink.net> wrote:
> http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/doc.htm

Hope your maiden flight crashes and burns, Youngblood.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2058. Re: OK to Sell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FF07ED.F7BA1DA7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113403

That post about sale listings being forbidden anywhere except
rec.radio.swap is totally bogus hogwash- absolutely
false propaganda posted by someone who wants *you* to
obey *him.*

There is a certain small, yet vocal minority who have decided
that *they* are in charge here, and you will post only what
they say is acceptable, by God. Well, they only have
power over you if you give it to them.

Don't be fooled. Don't be lead around like a sheep.
There is no such thing as a "charter" that covers everything
under the rec.radio hierarchy. If a charter for "rec.radio"
was written, it applies only to the now obsolete and defunct
"rec.radio" group. Each subgroup has its own
charter and many of them allow sales. And don't let the
control freaks tell you that excludes auction sales-
no such distinction is made. They *love* to demand control
over you on that issue, pouring out more lies and misinformation
per second they you get from a Clinton news briefing.

Remember that just because someone posts it here, it
doesn't make it "law." Some people demand that
you obey *them* or they have a fit. If someone
harrasses you for posting FS or FA on a group that
allows sale posts by charter, -THEY- are in the wrong-
not you! Report them to their ISP and you can get
action. I have a couple of scalps from this myself
and these wanna-be cops don't bother me anymore.

Read the individual charters yourself and make up
your own mind. If a charter says anything like:
"casual sales or wanted are permitted," it means
exactly what it says. You don't need some guru to
take you by the hand and explain it to you according
to *his* bigotries. Common sense will guide you better
then some self-appointed Usenet cop. Sales are allowed
in some radio groups (boatanchors, CB, etc.) and not
in others (policy, misc.). A chimp could figure it out,
assuming he hasn't swallowed the control freak's nonsense.

Good Luck and Kind Regards,
Dave S.

p.s. Sit back and watch. You can identify the people
I'm talking about by who responds to this thread.

The ones who scream like a raped ape are the most entertaining.

2059. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000420094012.19307.00002259@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 113404

Hey

How about a dip for you and Porkbutt?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2060. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <rPDL4.824$VW1.3028@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in message
news:eo0PKmZq$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04...
>
> I guess I don't blame you for making fun of me Ed. It keeps you from
> having to discuss the truth about today's faulty ham testing...

What's so faulty about it, Aaron? Like any other commencement cermony or 'rite of passage' it is condensed kraut served up to the initiate with appropriate words of great gravity from the Grand Poobah. It is only to be hoped that the initiate finds his way back to the library to begin his real education. Testing at best is an educational tool (here is a map, find the library) and a demonstration that someone has in fact found the library before so it is not impossible to find it again. Beyond that you are asking too much. The only critique I have of the present exams is that they are too short to have the proper aura about them now that we can no longer depend on the steely-eyed FCC to scare the initiation candidates witless and CW to give that sense of chasm-crossed. Maybe we should dress the VEs in proper uniform, like East German Grenzepolitzi (border police) if we can still get them the old uniforms cheap.

Dick McCollum N0BK

2061. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <8dn384$g9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article
<0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>,
"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> "David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
> news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
> >
> >
> > p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
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>
> We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring
to
> themselves as "we"!

The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".

> Another gal ham absolutely despises the term
> "destinated"!

A woman after my own heart. There IS hope!!

I say "I'm home" or "I'm at Destination X" or even "I have reached
Undisclosed Location" - ANYTHING other than that nonword.

73 de Jim "don't moidah da Queen's English" N2EY
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2062. Re: upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dn3m6gkv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113407

In article <8dm1f9$be8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

> Unless it's a 6 week old Tech Plus with a vanity "old-timey" callsign
> trying to sound like an old time sage. That sounds like someone with
> "bragging rights" disease.

I apologize for this remark. I neglected to account for a history that
wasn't reflected in the documentation to which I referred.

> If that's true you're in for a short and unfulfilling time in ham
> radio.

My only salvation (not enough) is that I qualified the remark with "If
that's true."

Things are not always as they seem. I'm sorry.

LRod

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2063. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <8dn44p$h2p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <OvvCBnoq$GA.230@cpmsnbbsa03>,
"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
> David Stinson wrote
> >I was listening on 40 meters to two hams
> >who had just "upgraded" to Extra Class.
> >[dumb Extra post]
>
> Robert Casey wrote
> >I was a Tech, he a general or higher.
> >[dumb General or higher post]
>
> How come we never see any dumb Novice or dumb Tech posts??
>
Because they are electro-politically incorrect.

Here's a dumb Novice post:

When I passed the Novice test, (1967, age 13) I spent the time waiting for the license to come by building a transmitter. Simple 6V6GT grid-plate oscillator, ten watts input on 80 meters, link coupled plate coil wound on an old pill bottle. Antenna was a wire out to the apple tree behind the house. Impedance matching? No clue. Tuned the oscillator for a dip in plate current and a peak in the receiver.

So when the license came, I went on the air (no, I did NOT try tuning it up before I had a license). And proceeded to work - nobody. For a coupla weeks I didn't think anyhting could be wrong with my setup.

Finally did some more reading of the Handbook, and realized there wasn't much soup getting to the antenna. Put an old variable cap from a junked BC receiver in series with the link, and a pilot lamp in series to the antenna to measure RF current. Did the "dip and load" gig for maximum bulb brightness. End result - lotsa QSOs.

The important thing is not what mistakes one makes in ham radio but what is learned from them. Making a mistake is excusable - repeating it is less so. Experience varies directly with equipment ruined. The only person who doesn't make mistakes is the one who doesn't do anything at all.

Historical note:

Years ago, the exams included all sorts of questions on oscillators, band edges, filters, regs, and power supplies - but almost nothing on antennas and transmission lines. (See old LMs for verification). The

FCC figgered that if you didn't know much about antennas, you wouldn't hurt anybody else - you just wouldn't make any QSOs. That's one area wherethe new tests are BETTER than the old ones.

73 de Jim, N2EY
--
FISTS #4360
BIT #0001

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2064. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38ff0c16.2304623@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 08:48:32 -0400, "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)"
<w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:

>Aaron Jones wrote:
>
>>I guess I don't blame you for making fun of me Ed. It keeps you from
>>having to discuss the truth about today's faulty ham testing...
>
>I have disussed it aplenty, Aaron. My discussion has included subtle tones
>of gray. Yours is much more simple -- "modern tests are a sham."
>
>I will leave it to those few who are still following this thread to decide
>the truth for themselves. Unlike some, I do not feel a need to proclaim it
>for them.

I will note again the THREE relavent aspects of why there
is so much acromony on this subject.

1 - The tests are really no diiferent today than for
almost the past 50 years...AND
2 - The knowledge one needs to be viewed as
a "gee-whiz" technical type FAR exceeds what
one needed in the past...AND
3 - The equipment today is far MORE complex,
far smaller, far more integrated, and usually
software dependent than almost anything we
were using 40/50 years ago.

Becoming a real "technician" today involves
considerably more than just a ham license.
Indeed, the "front-line" techs today are more
just "black-box" changers and circuit board
swappers. They do NOT fix anything as
we did 40 years ago.

Reality, what a trip:-)

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2065. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38ff0ded.2774966@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 08:52:16 -0400, "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)"
<w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:

>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
>>>> Did they take my suggestion as an instruction?
>
>>> I never did.
>
>> That's why you've never passed any of my classes. =:o
>
>My teachers were a bit more direct. Those things that I needed to pass
>their classes were presented to me as requirements. Those things that would
>enrich my learning experience were presented as suggestions.

Yup, even in a two year tech school we had "electives"
which gave us options as to some specialties we'd
prefer to study vs the general knowledge which
was a requirement.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2066. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Esponoza <mespoz66@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <x9EL4.68300$q67.1087328@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113411
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Ford Mustang and Chevy Camaro / Trans-Am:

"THE" choice in automotive transport
preffered by white Southeastern US trailer
trash (and their midwestern cousins) everywhere....

cncdoc <mike.griffin8@gte.net> wrote in message
news:yZwL4.960$gw6.277038@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net...
> LOL. It's comedy night, haven't laughed this much in a while.
>
> cncdoc
> Wildcat! Services
> http://www.unlooping.com
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
news:38FE96BC.BDAAD33F@bctv.com...
> >
> >
> > Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
> > >
> > > "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote:
> > >
> > > >I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my
> computer
> > > >and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the
> warranty if
> > > >the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person.
> > >
> > > I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> >
> > . . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
>
>

2067. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Esponoza <mespoz66@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <y9EL4.68301$q67.1087328@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
>
> (I am not making this up, guys. This really happened.)

Sure it did Dave....

1) Grow up
2) Get a life
3) Try something other than
ham radio for a change

2068. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Esponoza <mespoz66@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <z9EL4.68302$q67.1087328@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net...

> We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we?
> Mine is people referring to
> themselves as "we"! Another gal ham absolutely despises the term
> "destinated"!
>
> Kim W5TIT

Gettin to be time to re-wax the trailer house eh..? :)

2069. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Esponoza <mespoz66@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <A9EL4.68303$q67.1087328@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113414

KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8dmqd5$6b4$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <38FE5069.90E41F00@oio.net>,
> W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> >
> >
> > w4fqf,
> > Bye bye... so long. And as they say here in "Red Neck"
> > country... 'Don't let the door knob hit'cha where the good
> > Lord split'cha!'.
> > 'Doc
>
>
> Don't go there..Polly would probably_like_it.

R.O.T.F.L.M.A.O. :) :) :) :) :) :) :) :)

2070. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1db82188.7aade77b@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 113415

AMEN, BROTHER LLOYD!!!!

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2071. Contest This Wekend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jon <ltree@shore.net>
Message-ID: <XnEL4.692$IL2.82288@news.shore.net>
Source record: 113416

14.313 is sponsoring a Ham-Lite contest this Saturday from 7-7 EST..The object is to work as many ham-Lites (upgrade hams) and record the frequency and ham call and mode...1 point for each contact on 0 meters...2 points if the contact is made on 14313 or 14275....winnner will be staying in new england for two nights and posted on the official 313 web page..good luck!!!

2072. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <kpEL4.844$VW1.3240@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<n2ey@aol.com> wrote in message news:8dn384$g9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article
> <0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>,
> "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > "David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
> > news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
> > >
> > >
> > > p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
> > >
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> > We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring
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> > themselves as "we"!
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> The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
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> > Another gal ham absolutely despises the term
> > "destinated"!
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> A woman after my own heart. There IS hope!!
>
> I say "I'm home" or "I'm at Destination X" or even "I have reached
> Undisclosed Location" - ANYTHING other than that nonword.
>
> 73 de Jim "don't moidah da Queen's English" N2EY

Can I throw in mine? 'Orientated'. It actually is a word -- means to be pointed East.

Dick BK

2073. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: whale77 <whale77@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <ADEL4.2530$V4.19738@typhoon.pompano.mediaone.net>
Source record: 113418
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You have a problem! Please take your medication and sit in front of the hole
you live in and feed the birds like the other crazy's in the park. Or maybe
you live under a bridge somewhere, in which case jump off and end your
suffering. "Vance" <Shazam@nothere.org> wrote
in message news:38FE6432.9ED1F296@nothere.org...
> Ya , And your no better stealing Bill Gates name to do you dirty business,
Why
> don't you use your real name punk. We own the airwaves not DTV !
>
> Bilgates Remailer wrote:
>
> > A deadbeat ham writes in alt.dss.hack:
> >
> > > I pirate signals from DIRECTV and I am a ham radio
> > > operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
> > > I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
> > > satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
> > > other hams who do this crooks.
> >
> > > Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
> > > contributions the hams made during pre/post war, and
> > > in the 60's/70's. Development along the AX.25 lines,
> > > Oscar, and all of the really *major* diasters around
> > > the world. Huricanes in the South, mud slides/quakes,
> > > Mt St. Hellens, Kobaie (sp ?). etc. etc.
> >
> > Hams who STEAL cable and satellite services are nothing but scum. You
dirty
> > the honour of Amateur Radio by committing the crime of THEFT OF
SERVICES.
> >
> > Do you think that Hiram Percy Maxum would approve of what you are doing?
> >
> > Any HAM who steals is nothing but a DIRT BALL. A high tech shoplifter.
> >
> > Sure HAMS do great things. But scum bags like you who steal from
DIRECTV
> > give every ham radio operator a black eye!
> >
> > Do you think that BARRY GOLDWATER would pat you on the back for being
> > a thief, or would he SPIT IN YOUR EYE?
> >

> > How can you look your children in the face and say "Daddy is a good
> > man! Daddy is a HAM. Daddy STEALS from DIRECTV by pirating their
> > signal!"
> >
> > How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the eye? You
> > are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time you
> > rip off DIRECTV.
> >
> > Shame on you all.
>

2074. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com>
Message-ID: <38FF17DD.2A9870DF@icoms.com>
Source record: 113419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David,

That was great!!!!!!

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON/AE
x929

2075. Re: Dear Abby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0fc8503e.29e4923e@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 113420

To all: Tnx for the input. You can learn a heck of a lot
on this board. KZ5B

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2076. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <F3DB1BFAC138B2CC.C6BFBD1A4698A3E4.C6B783540FEC396A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

OH, OK, you're taking this to be League Bashing...that cracks me up. I can't draw pictures for you, Jeff--you'd get way too interpretive with that too...

Kim W5TIT

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article <8dm5t8$727$1@news.hawaii.edu>...
> Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >I'm not saying the damned technical references are one way or the other,
> >hell it would all be mostly Greek to me. Just because the Handbook "was the
> >greatest selling technical publication in the country" doesn't necessarily
> >mean it was good--it may mean that everything else available was that
> >bad...that's all I was querying about.
> >73 de W5TIT - Kim
>
> For all time? Since the beginning of book publishing all technical
> books were bad? That's what you're really asking.
>
> Again, in 1970, Time Magazine published an all-time best-seller list.
> The only technical entry on this all-time best-seller list was the ARRL
> Handbook. It was in good company -- the Bible and Dr. Spock's book were
> also on that non-fiction list.
>
> I suppose such news really grinds League bashers, eh Kim?
>
> Jeff KH6O
>

2077. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
Message-ID: <t66ufs8evua3cgeg3dmdm8o6uqfd6iihr8@4ax.com>
Source record: 113422
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
>
>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?

Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2078. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <8B60FF67890E73CE.24BB93CB2137CA9A.55FCF700B185F11E@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
<8dlr3togn1@news.hawaii.edu>...
> Kim W5TIT wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
> >>Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >>>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>
> >>>>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> >>>>publication in the country.
>
> >>>That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that
good,
> >>>or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.
>
> >>Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?
>
> >"Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?
>
> You still don't understand so I'll spell it out for you: In 1970
> Time Magazine presented the all-time best sellers list, divided into
> fiction and non-fiction. Toping the non-fiction category was the
> Bible. The *only* technical book listed as the all-time best seller
> in the non-fiction category was the ARRL Radio Amateur's Handbook.
> The "competition" was all other technical books published for all
> time.
>
> Do you understand now?
>
> Jeff KH6O
>

Yes, how technically "competent" were the judges of this? Do you accept the
judgement of every movie critic that speaks, every book reviewer, etc? OH,
wait, you'll think I'm bashing movies and books now...never mind...

Kim W5TIT

2079. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <DC34C48C81E62775.870105BEACDA0DD6.E30D9B5183AC505A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

:) Well, I've never checked it out, but someone said on the air one day that "destinated" is in the dictionary...they may have just been teasing the gal who hates it...

:) Kim W5TIT

Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote in article <kpEL4.844$VW1.3240@newsfeed.slurp.net>...
> <n2ey@aol.com> wrote in message news:8dn384$g9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > In article <0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>, "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > > "David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
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> > > We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring to themselves as "we"!
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> > The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
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> > > Another gal ham absolutely despises the term "destinated"!
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> > A woman after my own heart. There IS hope!!
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> > I say "I'm home" or "I'm at Destination X" or even "I have reached Undisclosed Location" - ANYTHING other than that nonword.
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> > 73 de Jim "don't moidah da Queen's English" N2EY
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> Can I throw in mine? 'Orientated'. It actually is a word -- means to be pointed East.
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> Dick BK
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>
>

2080. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <73C9428DDB37A826.1E9D3D808425CBA9.92A40814ACCA9033@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

n2ey@aol.com wrote in article <8dn384$g9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> In article
> <0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>,
> "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > "David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
> > news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
> > >
> > >
> > > p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
> > >
> >
> > We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring
> to
> > themselves as "we"!
>
> The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
>

Hmmmm, you "guys" do seem to equate to other "things" as an extension of
yourself...eh? :o

Kim W5TIT

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> > "destinated"!
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> A woman after my own heart. There IS hope!!
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> 73 de Jim "don't moidah da Queen's English" N2EY
> --
> FISTS #4360
> BIT #0001
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

2081. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <38FF1E3B.F659EE90@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I said:
> ....(and a few will be "id-juts," but we'll overlook them).

M Esponoza excreted:
> 1) Grow up
> 2) Get a life

See? I told ya so.....
D.S.

2082. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <38FF3B04.DD1FFB2D@ahole.com>
Source record: 113427
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What a bad boy. A bad boy......

Builder wrote:
>
> I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
> and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
> the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to have
> to actually live next door to me?
>
> Builder
> "

2083. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <38FF2141.AB6E00E5@nashville.com>
Source record: 113428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT wrote:
>
> ...someone said on the air one day that
> "destinated" is in the dictionary...

Don't think so. This is another example of turning a noun into a verb.
e.g. tasked

2084. Re: WACKO KE6HN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: It's a Lecther buffet <grease8@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ZJFL4.49327$y4.1708798@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113429

<jwood@msn.com> wrote in message
news:38fe55ac.17159739@news.earthlink.net...

> KE6HN..commonly referred to as MOONWALKER, lives
> in a bread-truck, and
> spends countless hours in the wee hours programming Roys controller..

No, you probably live in a bread truck, or a reasonable
facsimile therof, and have no life apart from ham radio.

My guess is your a cheap old bastard who lives off of fast
food and goes from hamfest to hamfest selling castoff junk
as your primary source of income.

Specifically, the gypsie bums I see at hamfests
who have a vanload of so much useless crap they think
someone will pay money for. They use stolen plastic milk crates
to cart and pack their shit into, and can't see outside of
their passenger side or rear window from all the junk they've
packed inside. Such bums often wear 10 year old clothing
with holes in them and smell like the inside of a public
restroom on the Interstate - sans Lysol of course..

Tell me fruitkake... When was the last time you:

Took a bath, cleaned up all the shit lying in
your yard, cut the grass, did not use a
piece of rope for a belt, ate a healthy meal,
had an optimum BMI for your height, made
a good wage, managed to hold a real job, cared
less about being embarassed by farting loudly
or belching in public eateries, visited a dentist,
did not have 8-HT's hanging off your rope-belt,
cleaned the refrigerator on your front porch,
called up to have those junk cars removed from
the yard .....

Have fun on the repeaters! WTIA

2085. tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ne0p@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000420115520.06015.00005940@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 113430

I have a mosley TA33 3 element tribander with a 12 foot boom that I would like to trade for a minitribander, like a ZX-yagi or MA5B. I found out that I don't have room for a full size antenna.
Anyone interested?

73s John NE0P

2086. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Biker <biker@cchat.com>
Message-ID: <38ff2ca4$1_1@news4.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 113431
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Only if our trucks are broke.

<BFG>

--

Biker

DSS-Escrow - www.dss-escrow.com

"M Esponoza" <mespoz66@gulfnet.com> wrote in message
news:x9EL4.68300$q67.1087328@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> The Ford Mustang and Chevy Camaro / Trans-Am:
>
> "THE" choice in automotive transport
> preffered by white Southeastern US trailer
> trash (and their midwestern cousins) everywhere....
>
>
> cncdoc <mike.griffin8@gte.net> wrote in message
> news:yZwL4.960$gw6.277038@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net...
> > LOL. It's comedy night, haven't laughed this much in a while.
> >
> > cncdoc
> > Wildcat! Services
> > http://www.unlooping.com
> >
> > Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:38FE96BC.BDAAD33F@bctv.com...
> > >
> > >
> > > Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
> > > >
> > > > "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > >I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my
> > computer
> > > > >and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the
> > warranty if
> > > > >the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person.
> > > >
> > > > I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)

> > >
> > > . . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> >
> >
>
>

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http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
-----== Over 80,000 Newsgroups - 16 Different Servers! =-----

2087. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@icoms.com>
Message-ID: <38FF2EF7.50B3A307@icoms.com>
Source record: 113432

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Listen here, "Wags," there was nothing all encompassing about my complaint.
> Don't you feel threatened in the least. It's simply common sense, Welfare
> Extra or not, to let the other person know when to talk. What was I supposed
> to be, a mind reader? But the General who followed him knew what was what

I agree completely! So what is your point. You was talking about
"welfare extra"
not knowing to say over. I just pointed out that nothing in the testing
tested
for that. Therefore your point of postings this whine was illogical.
There is no connection between your whine and restructuring except in
your mind.
You was just looking for a reason to pick on the new Extras.

> which ameliorated the entire situation. Tell me "Wags," did you find copying
> 5 wpm of code, tough?

Not really, just a total waste of time. Learning code at 5 or 45 WPM
doesn't
help me or the hobby and isn't fun. Therefore it is a total waste of
time.
What is funny is I thought when I got into ham radio code testing was a
good
thing. Unlike many I read the postings from the pros and cons on code
test
and found that the non-coders had a very logical reasons for it not be a
testing requirement. pro-coders had either illogical or outdated
reasons
for hanging on to the code testing requirements.

This is not to say there isn't a reason to learn code. There is lots of
reasons to learn code. It is just illogical to be a testing
requirement.
Today no one has been able to give me a reason that holds water why
there
should be a code testing requirement.

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON/AE
x929

2088. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: terabyte@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <38ff2efe.1280520@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113433
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 12:33:37 -0500, "Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
wrote:

>Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have heard of
>several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea which
>is better than the other. My rig operates 10, 15, 20, 40, and 80 meters,
>SSB and CW. I want an antenna for all 5 bands. I am looking to spend no
>more than $100, as I still need a tuner. Any information on this would be
>greatly appreciated.
>
>73
>Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
>chip1@theramp.net
>
>

I built a G5RV from specification founds on the WEB. Drilled PVC
makes good insulators, 102 ft wire center feed with 34 ft of 450 ohm
ladder line connected to a 4:1 balun and 50 ohm coax to the tunner.
Use with an antenna tunner and it works nicely on all 5 bands.

Keith Patterson kc2dgc/ag

2089. Poor Polly.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dlhi1$q7v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113452

"Feel the power" <screwschrew@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:%
_nL4.45186$y4.1603513@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> A REAL Ham <Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header> wrote in message
> news:34D7F360A0@127.0.0.1...
>
> > Anyone who upgraded on or after April
> > 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> > types and arent worth spit, so get lost.
> > Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> > upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come
> > on my frequency because youll be
> > run off.
>
> What frequency do you operate on? Please try 14313
> when w4fqf is on the air. I feel you and him would
> make a great pair of on-the-air buttpirates

Heh. Billy Jerk and the mules would be jealous.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2090. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dlhl9qgt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113453

In article <8dkvr5$63v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> This news group is boring! Same old sexual remarks by "Slopehead" from
> West Virginia.
> Same old rantings from "Dr Hate" in Clifton N.J. Same old W4NTI "they
> cain't stand it" drivel. Can't anyone come up with something worth
> while. I am afraid I will not be checking the postings any more if it
> does not improve.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952

Bucktoothed Polly objects to sexual remarks because he can't remember
the last time he had any sex.
If you really want to improve, pull the trigger.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2091. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dli22qsa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113454

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> rolled on the floor and slobbered in message
news:8dkmas$qs3$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Well Doc, EETUIOPOP HHHHU^TDR rkjgfutues viyjrhew vjhg dkiduytjv
> ewurjrfn <snip>

Shaddup, Baboon Boy. When I want you to speak I'll toss you some
kibble.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2092. update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dlig2$rg6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113455

Hi guys, just writing to let you know that after sustaining a thorough beating in rec.radio.amateur.misc my adopted, retard son Pitbull is gradually doing well
with solids and the doctors think it is time to start some finger foods. It's a little terrifying for me though, I'm so afraid of the little blue lipped chimp choking! He has recovered up to the point that I can feed him vanilla wafers and graham crackers turned into mush that he mostly sucks out of my hand. You should see him bluegumming away and mushing up pieces of canned peaches and pears!!! Please forgive him his erratic lewd behavior, I think it must be an effect of him being a dumpster kid of a subhuman crack whore. Well, I've got go, must mush up some Cheerios and Ritz crackers!

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2093. Re: I just upgraded today 4/15 to extra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FE49E6.A320F57B@bctv.com>
Source record: 113456

TooManyRadios wrote:
>
> In article <38FDCFDA.7AB308EE@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> writes:
>
> >Too bad you didn't have the guts to tell us who you really are.
>
> Like you did?

Yes, like I do. Unless you are illiterate, you can read my name and
email address in your own response.

2094. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FE4A77.29208D95@bctv.com>
Source record: 113457

A REAL Ham wrote:
>
> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be
> run off.

Why should they let a coward run them off?

Oh, and just which one of those frequencies is yours? Last I heard,
they are a "public resource," but I want a frequency, too!

2095. WACKO KE6HN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwood@msn.com
Message-ID: <38fe55ac.17159739@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113458

I don't believe it is legal to 'advertise' an Internet web site URL...
Hello, Riley...What is your take on this......?????

It is allegedly a 'control op' discussion board section of a renegade
Ham Radio web site. 'N6TK.COM'

(Unfortunately, the web site has NO affiliation with the real N6TK,
Mr. Roy Tucker, N6TK of La Mirada, CA.. which links to this
questionable area.....)

KE6HN..commonly referred to as MOONWALKER, lives in a bread-truck, and
spends countless hours in the wee hours programming Roys controller..
Some of which Roy Tucker has NO CLUE ABOUT......

2096. Re: upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Harper <docdc@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8dlm61$b86$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113459

In article <8dl0jd$736$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

>In article <38FDDA1B.1B4630CE@oio.net>,
> W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>>
>>
>> Jim Smith wrote:
>> >
>> > what was the importance to upgrade before APRIL 15
>>
>> Jim,
>> On April 15 the codes speed required for all classes
>> of license dropped to 5 wpm. A few of the license classes
>> are no longer there, and some of the written tests were
>> changed.
>> 'Doc
>>
>
>The irony is that the test date is not the date that appears in the FCC
>database with your upgraded license - its the FCC's issue date. Thus,
>many who upgraded to General or Amateur Extra under the old code
>requirements just to show their 'superiority' over the newer welfare
>upgraders, will be indistinguishable from the guys who upgraded on the
>15th. They will spend the rest of their lives protesting, "No. Really.
>I upgraded on the 14th, not the 15th of April, way back in 2000.
>Please, you have to believe me." LOL
>

Yea, pretty funny huh? They'll just have a little CSCE to prove it. LOL.

2097. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000419214500.28380.00001413@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 113460

AF2Y spewed:

>Speaking of God, I
>urge you to read the lead article in this week's TIME magazine. It deals
>with who killed Jesus and why. You've all heard the fairy tale about the
>Jews yelling at Pilate, "Crucify him and let his blood be on our hands and
> ....

(rest of Talmudic bullshit "exterminated")

And folks still wonder WHY the Nazis hated these lying, obnoxious bastards?

2098. Re: update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
Message-ID: <21EEAD07C43@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 113461

elongated.
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elongitated.
egoglinitated.

Hide behind curtains, peek.

2099. Re: ALERT New Law!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Al, N2NKB"
Message-ID: <YltL4.13901$PV.933106@bgtnsc06-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I agree about feeding trolls Chris, but my local police force makes public announcements once in a while on their
main frequency. For example:
"Attention all scanner listeners. School is closed today because of the snow"
There is no reason for privacy on the police band in our town.
The police have access to cell phones for sensitive private communications, when needed. Detectives use scrambling
on a very rare basis, and patrolmen use pay phones if they are not equipped with a cell phone for sensitive stuff.
Al

Chris Smolinski wrote in message ...
>Don't feed the trolls...
>
>> >To keep law enforcement's communications as private as possible, it is
>> >really only practical to ban scanners completely, and that is indeed
>> >what must be done.
>> >
>> >Those of you who think you have a "right" to do the equivalent of
>> >tapping my telephone without a court order are the actual invasive
>> >element, and not any government which acts to block you.
>
>--
>Black Cat Systems
>http://www.blackcatsystems.com
>Macintosh software - science, audio, health, amateur radio, and more.

2100. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8dloap$nn1$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>(I am not making this up, guys. This really happened.)
>
>I was listening on 40 meters to two hams
>who had just "upgraded" to Extra Class.
>
>Ham 1: "How come you took your new beam down?
> You just bought it."
>
>Ham 2: "Something's wrong with the feed on it.
> I can't seem to find the problem."
>
>Ham 1: "Well what's it doing?"
>
>Ham 2: "My manual says the beam is supposed to be 50 ohms,
> but I put my meter on it and
> it don't show no ohms at all!"
>
>Those darn "New" Extras....
>Shows they don't know anything, right?
>
>There's only one problem.....
>
>This exchange took place in * 1976. *
>
TThat's around the time I was in college. At the ham club one of
the members was taking down the W2AU balum. "It reads a short on
the ohmmeter". I said "It should". He: "No, it's bad". I'm
not good at arguing, so I said, "give it to me if you're gonna
throw it out".

I was a Tech, he a general or higher.

2101. Re: Odd Place to use Cellphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <MztL4.71017$W5.653831@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113464

Wished I could do the curls... but I have done the other!
hehe
--
EDDY

Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote in message
news:38fe2701$1@news.peakpeak.com...
| For a long time, I thought this one
| was the worst -
|
| Guy in the gym, doing bicep curls with one
| arm, talking on the cell phone with the other.
|
| --
|
| Then I saw this guy. He takes the award, I think -
|
| Guy in the airport men's room. Standing at the
| urinal. Cell phone in one hand, his xxxx in the other.
|
| --
|
| lumpy ab0gd
| --
| http://www.digitalcartography.com
|
|

2102. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fe66bd.6530088@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113465
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 11:20:53 -0700 (PDT), "Phil Kane"
<nospam@nospam.spam> wrote:

>On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 03:39:02 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:
>
>>Good grief, its only a movie. Anyone that "relies"
>>on Hollywood fiction as being representitive of reality
>>in any way needs their head examined anyway.
>
> So how do you explain a relative of mine who has a Doctorate
> and is a Professor at a med school who time-tapes all the
> daytime soaps and browses them on weekends tokeep current...

I said nothing about anyone enjoying any movies, TV or
otherwise. Are you suggesting that your PHD relative
believes the soaps are true to life? ...or does he just
watch them as an escape, enjoyment, or whatever.

I totally enjoy movies. My favorites include: Goldfinger;
The Good, The Bad & The Ugly; Top Gun and many
more...BUT I know the difference between Hollywood
fiction and reality.

Cheers,

2103. Re: How to be a UnaBasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38fe6896.7002422@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 11:14:55 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>Hans,
> Not bad. I may regrret asking, but what's a Grade 'A'
>UnaBasher?
> 'Doc (ex: AA5AN Ger# 1172)

Its one step up from a Grade B UnaBasher.

2104. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dlq8hnjf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113467

In article <38FDD4B8.D4808194@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Yes. Those Extras who show up for disaster work with no training in
>disaster communications.
>The good ones pay attention to all those no-code Techs who are in charge
>of field commo units until they get up to speed.

Keith will make you believe that there were no amateurs in disaster comms prior to the no-code tech license. Little does he realize the extensive emergency networks that were set up on HF prior to VHF repeaters.
Jeff KH6O

2105. Re: Dear Abby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000419224026.19046.00002508@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 113468

>
>Re: The "Dear Abby" column for 19 April concerning a Morse
>Telegraph Club. How old would a railroad or Western Union
>retiree be to have actually been involved in telegraphy?
>Too, landline and radiotelegraph morse are/were different,
>so how did hams become involved?
>

I think I'm one of the younger ones. My age is 55, and I earned my living with
a telegraph key for about a decade, ending about 1976.

QRM2000

2106. AF2Y Third time's a charm !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: frg9600 <frg9600@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <l7uL4.67081$q67.1043938@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113469

http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/doc.htm

2107. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dlr3togn1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
>>Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>>>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message

>>>>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
>>>>publication in the country.

>>>That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that good,
>>>or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.

>>Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?

>"Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?

You still don't understand so I'll spell it out for you: In 1970
Time Magazine presented the all-time best sellers list, divided into
fiction and non-fiction. Toping the non-fiction category was the
Bible. The *only* technical book listed as the all-time best seller
in the non-fiction category was the ARRL Radio Amateur's Handbook.
The "competition" was all other technical books published for all
time.

Do you understand now?

Jeff KH6O

2108. Re: AF2Y: let's all pray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dlsr4$6jv$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113471

Jeff, he's just another cop wannabe. Their whole focus in life is "being in charge." Notice how he weaves that into every one of his posts about comm practice. He wouldn't last five minutes in intense real communications, something I did for a living for 30 years. I'll bet his favorite transmission starts with, "be advised..."

LRod

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2109. Re: Who says its dead (was What killed ham radio?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dlrd5$p02$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113472

Old Biker <enfield@3n.net> wrote:
>amature (SIC) radio
>Amature (SIC) radio
>amatures (SIC)
>amature (SIC) radio
>Amature (SIC) Radio
>73's (SIC)
>KA3DWW/AG

And so it begins.

Jeff KH6O

2110. Re: upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dlris$p2i$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113473

<pogopossum@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>73 de John / K2INY

Who was KC2FZM last month.

2111. Re: upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dm1f9$be8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113474

In article <8dl0jd$736$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

> The irony is that the test date is not the date that appears in the
> FCC database with your upgraded license - its the FCC's issue date.
> Thus, many who upgraded to General or Amateur Extra under the old code
> requirements just to show their 'superiority' over the newer welfare
> upgraders...

No, the irony is that there are people who actually believe that any more than a sad, deluded few ever upgraded to "show their 'superiority'" over anyone. Upgrades were and are about personal commitment and personal achievement. They were and are about deciding that something (additional priveleges) was/is worth working for and then doing it. Or (maybe "and" in some cases) not feeling that they were/are finished progressing in their endeavors until they had/have attained the most difficult license.

The few that did upgrade for "bragging rights" soon found they had gotten there for all the wrong reasons and there was little satisfaction for having done so.

> Of course, those who upgraded to Advanced will still have
> dubious 'bragging rights' as there will be no more new Advanced
> licenses under the new restructuring.

See above.

> But, if they ever want to be Extras, they will eventually have to
> swallow their pride and accept a no-code upgrade someday.

Depends on why they want to be Extras. If they want it for the reasons I stated, they won't hesitate a second. If it's a "macho" thing they won't bother.

> Since I doubt many of today's Advanced really want to punish
> themselves for the FCC's doings by denying themselves the satisfaction
> of ever reaching Extra, its only a matter of time before they, too,
> will be welfare upgrades.

If it's a matter of satisfaction, they may decide that the more difficult to achieve (yesterday's Advanced versus today's Extra), and rare license is more than enough.

If they want want the priveleges, they'll be at the next test session.

> ROTFLOL

Darned if I can figure out what's funny.

> 73 de John / K2INY

Unless it's a 6 week old Tech Plus with a vanity "old-timey" callsign
trying to sound like an old time sage. That sounds like someone with
"bragging rights" disease.

If that's true you're in for a short and unfulfilling time in ham radio.

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2112. WTB manual for Johnson Viking 275 Ant. Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: candoandys@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000420002416.17260.00002587@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 113475

Call Andy, K6RY in Fresno, CA

2113. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
Message-ID: <c82tfss722qsed1pam55dsu15ql9f36300@4ax.com>
Source record: 113476
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote:

>I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
>and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
>the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person.

I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2114. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FE97C8.45C4CE4F@bctv.com>
Source record: 113477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> David Stinson wrote
> >I was listening on 40 meters to two hams
> >who had just "upgraded" to Extra Class.
> >[dumb Extra post]
>
> Robert Casey wrote
> >I was a Tech, he a general or higher.
> >[dumb General or higher post]
>
> How come we never see any dumb Novice or dumb Tech posts??

Because they don't claim to be radio gods. Some of the higher ratings
DO.

2115. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FE96BC.BDAAD33F@bctv.com>
Source record: 113478
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote:
>
> >I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
> >and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
> >the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person.
>
> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)

. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?

2116. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cncdoc <mike.griffin8@gte.net>
Message-ID: <yZwL4.960$gw6.277038@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 113479
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LOL. It's comedy night, haven't laughed this much in a while.

cncdoc
Wildcat! Services
http://www.unlooping.com

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message news:38FE96BC.BDAAD33F@bctv.com...
>
>
> Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
> >
> > "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote:
> >
> > >I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my
computer
> > >and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the
warranty if
> > >the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person.
> >
> > I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
>
> . . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?

2117. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dm5t8$727$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>I'm not saying the damned technical references are one way or the other,
>hell it would all be mostly Greek to me. Just because the Handbook "was the
>greatest selling technical publication in the country" doesn't necessarily
>mean it was good--it may mean that everything else available was that
>bad...that's all I was querying about.
>73 de W5TIT - Kim

For all time? Since the beginning of book publishing all technical
books were bad? That's what you're really asking.

Again, in 1970, Time Magazine published an all-time best-seller list.
The only technical entry on this all-time best-seller list was the ARRL
Handbook. It was in good company -- the Bible and Dr. Spock's book were
also on that non-fiction list.

I suppose such news really grinds League bashers, eh Kim?

Jeff KH6O

2118. Re: Q & Z signals used by the US Military

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Silverwood <kb6ojs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.13683fbd34f239039897e9@news.gte.net>
Source record: 113481
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.morse,alt.ham-radio.nocode,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38FDAF96.C5E06317@ix.netcom.com>, ac6v@ix.netcom.com says...
> For example I doubt if you would ever hear this on the Ham Bands -
> "QAU - I am about to jettison fuel" hi hi

Could be -- getting rid of the coffee consumed during an all-nighter?

--

-- // Steve //

Steve Silverwood, KB6OJS AOL Instant Messaging: "stevesilverwood"
Fountain Valley, CA MSN Messenger: "kb6ojs"
Email: kb6ojs@arrl.net Web: http://home1.gte.net/kb6ojs

2119. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjohn@ameritech.com
Message-ID: <5s8tfscvin5g9q6d8d94gmuc11263gk9e3@4ax.com>
Source record: 113482
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ahhh, don't worry about the "chip" in your car unless you piss off the
mechanic. I work at a Ford dealer and damn near every 5.0 Mustang that
has the "used" look has been moded. Take care of they guys that work
on the car, and for the most part they will not turn you in for it.
NOW if a rod goes through the side of the block, and the tach is stuck
on 14,275 rpm, they just might get upset with you.....<BG>
But otherwise don't worry about it.

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 21:31:27 -0400, "Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com>
wrote:

>I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
>and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
>the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to have
>to actually live next door to me?
>
>Builder
>"
>

2120. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen <Tiredofspam@noaddress.org>
Message-ID: <K3yL4.1717$RQ1.239741@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 113483
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Go home Joe!
You go home now!
Why you here fighting, your girlfriends and wives are having affairs!
We no want your help Joe!

I hate propaganda crap.....

"Bilgates Remailer" <noreply@securenym.net> wrote in message
news:200004200017.e3K0Hu622482@anon.securenym.net...
> A deadbeat ham writes in alt.dss.hack:
>
> > I pirate signals from DIRECTV and I am a ham radio
> > operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
> > I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
> > satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
> > other hams who do this crooks.
>
> > Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
> > contributions the hams made during pre/post war, and
> > in the 60's/70's. Development along the AX.25 lines,
> > Oscar, and all of the really *major* diasters around
> > the world. Huricanes in the South, mud slides/quakes,
> > Mt St. Hellens, Kobaie (sp ?). etc. etc.
>
> Hams who STEAL cable and satellite services are nothing but scum. You
dirty
> the honour of Amateur Radio by committing the crime of THEFT OF SERVICES.
>
> Do you think that Hiram Percy Maxum would approve of what you are doing?
>
> Any HAM who steals is nothing but a DIRT BALL. A high tech shoplifter.
>
> Sure HAMS do great things. But scum bags like you who steal from DIRECTV
> give every ham radio operator a black eye!
>
> Do you think that BARRY GOLDWATER would pat you on the back for being
> a thief, or would he SPIT IN YOUR EYE?
>
> How can you look your children in the face and say "Daddy is a good
> man! Daddy is a HAM. Daddy STEALS from DIRECTV by pirating their
> signal!"
>
> How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the eye? You

> are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time you
> rip off DIRECTV.
>
> Shame on you all.
>

2121. AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dq2of$3j0$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113184

Yes, at this time of year we realize that despite some mistakes, the man's done a nice job. Why? Do you remember just a few years back when anti-Semitic KV4FZ and his loco Nazi nut friend, KA4MUJ, used to get on with their own twisted and demented Passion plays, beating the drum against Jewish kosher hams etc? Herbie used to egg on the idiot and the Fort Lauderdale puppet would dance and flail away each time Herbie yanked a string. Some of the most hideous anti-Semitism came from the orifice of MUJ while encouraged, nurtured and sponsored by the Virgin Islands despot. IT'S OVER! Yes even I had to pay a price but IT'S OVER and I'd do it again and so would Rich and Douglas and everyone else who stood up to those monsters and with the help of Riley, BURIED THEM! Now the conjunction of the Passover and the Easter is a time for reflection and understanding on ham radio instead of one for recrimination and hatred. I'll bet my last buck that if someone came on .313 spouting off religious and racial hatred, Riley would have him off and quick. It took a long time for the FCC to act to stop the religious intolerance heard daily on .313 and by God almighty, IT'S GONE. Thanks Riley!
Doc,AF2Y

2122. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dq2hm$l4h$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> I suggest to my students that they should do *all* the problems in each
>> section of a chapter that we cover in class. I suggest that they make
>> and utilize index cards containing definitions and difficult-to-understand
>> concepts, and refer back to those cards frequently. I suggest that they
>> begin an assignment immediately after class rather than waiting until the
>> day the assignment is due. I suggest that they begin studying for an exam
>> at least one week prior to the test date, and suggest they give them-
>> selves at least two weeks of study in preparation for a final exam. I
>> suggest that they arrive on time and not skip any classes.
>>
>> These are all suggestions, but all are necessary in order to pass any
>> of my classes.

>Jeff, I didn't do any of the above except for arriving on time and I
>passed all my classes

But you've never passed any of my classes...
Jeff

2123. AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dq2hv$na3$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113186

Yes, at this time of year we realize that despite some mistakes, the man's done a nice job. Why? Do you remember just a few years back when anti-Semitic KV4FZ and his loco Nazi nut friend, KA4MUJ, used to get on with their own twisted and demented Passion plays, beating the drum against Jewish kosher hams etc? Herbie used to egg on the idiot and the Fort Lauderdale puppet would dance and flail away each time Herbie yanked a string. Some of the most hideous anti-Semitism came from the orifice of MUJ while encouraged, nurtured and sponsored by the Virgin Islands despot. IT'S OVER! Yes even I had to pay a price but IT'S OVER and I'd do it again and so would Rich and Douglas and everyone else who stood up to those monsters and with the help of Riley, BURIED THEM! Now the conjunction of the Passover and the Easter is a time for reflection and understanding on ham radio instead of one for recrimination and hatred. I'll bet my last buck that if someone came on .313 spouting off religious and racial hatred, Riley would have him off and quick. It took a long time for the FCC to act to stop the religious intolerance heard daily on .313 and by God almighty, IT'S GONE. Thanks Riley!
Doc,AF2Y

2124. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39008f18.4250309@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 21 Apr 2000 17:05:44 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>
>>There was a time when stealing a test was considered immoral. People reacted
>>to that perceived immorality.
>
>That black-cloaked figure Bash chose to place on the cover of his
>books shows that even he felt what he was doing was not correct.

Or maybe he just thought it'd be a funny comentary
and/or just tick some people off.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2125. Re: KEHN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dq3il$m8h$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113188

In article <390087f8.222612@news.earthlink.net>, <elian@float.com> wrote:
>As for the stupid 20 WPM code 'announcement' every hour...

So what's it say?

73, Jeff KH6O

2126. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Holden" <msholden@ct2.nai.net>
Message-ID: <3900973B.7BAC2406@ct2.nai.net>
Source record: 113189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Well, for hahas, I printed one at 800dpi on a tek phaser 360 printer.
With a loupe, it's possible to read the text, but at that magnification,
the dots that make up the colored bars are a distraction.

Part of the problem is they're putting so much information on one page,
that even if you could print it at actual size, (42 by 26.88) the type
would be smaller than you'd use for a normal letter.

Perhaps the Government Printing office sells copies of this chart?

Rick Matthews wrote:

> BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>
> >Has any/everyone seen this?
> >http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
> >
> >I've been looking for such a thing for several yrs (on an off)...
> >Seems to have EVERYTHING included.
> >
>
> Don't forget to print a few copies on your color printer.

2127. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5WLS@SpamCop.net
Message-ID: <8F1D80E13K5WLSemailcom@192.168.44.3>
Source record: 113190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark S. Holden <msholden@ct2.nai.net> wrote:

>Perhaps the Government Printing office sells copies of this chart?
>

In fact, they do! (Thanks to John Tucker!)

http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.html

2128. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ftdgsp0.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 10:44:14 -0500, David Stinson wrote:

>While sitting here working away at my office,
>I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.
>
>I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and others talk
>about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the inside scoop,"

And I have this Bridge for sale .... in Florida... <ggg>

>Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of disciples,
>you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.

What makes you think that these folks are disciples other
than their own self-description?

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

2129. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ftdh001.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113192
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 17:26:43 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:

>>>There was a time when stealing a test was considered immoral. People reacted
>>>to that perceived immorality.
>>
>>That black-cloaked figure Bash chose to place on the cover of his
>>books shows that even he felt what he was doing was not correct.
>
>Or maybe he just thought it'd be a funny comentary

Yup....

>and/or just tick some people off.

And guess who was on the top of the list......

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

2130. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK; Hey Lloyd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3900B7DB.4EA54144@ahole.com>
Source record: 113193

How about sticking your head where the sun don't shine!

Brother Lloyd wrote:
>
> I am reviivng this webpage.
>
> Take a look!
>
> http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/
>
> Long Live the B.A.R.F!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2131. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <39009CCC.6A2EA82@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Phil Kane wrote:

> What makes you think that these folks are disciples other
> than their own self-description?

I thought I made the " *if* this is true " extremely plain, Phil.
Perhaps you might read more closely next time-
could save us both some effort.

73 D.S.

2132. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <eJ4AOXR6YoAtA=5FwdPfVXFsuKwp@4ax.com>
Source record: 113195

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 04:39:08 -0400, "Scott Verity"
<sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:

>Just a thought ... ever consider taking this file to a local print shop like
>KINKO'S and making a poster?
>Scott KC2FBV

Ever thought about just sending them the $6.00 for your own color
copy?

Jim
KG4GXP

2133. FS Tentec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Little <ve6ci@telusplanet.net>
Message-ID: <3900A300.19178496@telusplanet.net>
Source record: 113196

I have a very nice tentec Scout with all the band modules except for
160. Also would trade the Scout and a Yaesu Ft25000 for a Icom IC706.

Don
Alberta/Canada

Please email ve6ci@rac.ca

2134. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3900A4BB.FAD5C30B@bctv.com>
Source record: 113197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote
> >But I'm bashful...
>
> Funny, I always thought you were unabashed...

Actually, I always figured that Bash was how he got his license.

Ever notice how it's the marginally-capable who scream the loudest in this sort of discussion? Clearly, he knows that he barely made it and thus anyone who makes it with less effort is to be reviled.

2135. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3900A3F7.4114F55C@bctv.com>
Source record: 113198
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

p928s wrote:
>
> The Keeper <keeper36@hotmail.com> wrote in message

> > >my antique porsche 928 eats Iroc Z28 camaros even when it isn't towing a
> > >Mustang!
> > >
> > Wana run that pig ?
>
> Waste of my time and your gas :-)

So, what you're saying is that you need to work on your car but his
engine runs . . ?

2136. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dq9plsho1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The problem is that Seymour-see less-still a putz KJB has this obsessive hatred of WB2OTK while Rich thinks of him as a Seymour- see less- putz. He's ancient and angelic who gets his jollies from gossip since his wife is as ancient as he and Viagra is useless. What ticks me off about Seymour is not that he's a gossiper because I am the same thing on the Internet but rather his preposterously reticent attitude about not becoming involved which he actually lives for. The juxtaposition of meddling, rumor mongering, sarcasm and troublemaking cloaked in the mantle of innocence, naivete and indifference. WA9KJB has always resented Rich referring to him as braindead which isn't true. Just the cerebral cortex is missing. At any rate I find Seymour's act to be entertaining and everytime I hear his routine I think of Sinatra's famous ballad, "Send In the Clowns."
AF2Y

In article <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> While sitting here working away at my office,
> I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.
>
> I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and others talk
> about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the inside scoop,"
> and "people are going to be surprised" blah blah blah...
> And of course, they never, ever spell out what their
> so-called "insider information" is all about.
>
> Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.
> Frankly, I think this kind of gossiping amongst
> a few chosen people about such grave matters
> is wrong. Childishly taunting "I know something
> you don't know! Naah Naah Boo Boo!" when you're
> talking about accusing people of crimes is unacceptable behavior.
> Loose talk and jumping to conclusions
> can lead to injustice (AC5IU comes to mind).
>
> Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of disciples,
> you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.
> Listening to these guys dance with glee over their
> "secret knowledge" is unseemly.
>
> 73 DE Dave AB5S

2137. Re: AF2Y: my apology to this forum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dqa9q$90s$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113200

I apologize for accidentally resending this post. To get online the modem dials into a Wayne, New Jersey number which had been faulty most of the day. We have been getting severe storms in North Jersey and when I called MindSpring I was told that an entire grid had been taken out which explained the on again-off again business. What happened is that the original post through Microsoft Outlook Express went into my OUTBOX instead of being launched as SENT MAIL and when power was restored, it took off twice because I had diddled with it twice before calling MindSpring for an explanation. I know that reposting is a no-no and hence an apology is in order. Finally if one doesn't want to accept my apology, stick it where the sun don't shine. AF2Y

In article <8dq2of$3j0$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

> Yes, at this time of year we realize that despite some mistakes, the man's
> done a nice job. Why? Do you remember just a few years back when
> anti-Semitic KV4FZ and his loco Nazi nut friend, KA4MUJ, used to get on with
> their own twisted and demented Passion plays, beating the drum against
> Jewish kosher hams etc? Herbie used to egg on the idiot and the Fort
> Lauderdale puppet would dance and flail away each time Herbie yanked a
> string. Some of the most hideous anti-Semitism came from the orifice of MUJ
> while encouraged, nurtured and sponsored by the Virgin Islands despot. IT'S
> OVER! Yes even I had to pay a price but IT'S OVER and I'd do it again and so
> would Rich and Douglas and everyone else who stood up to those monsters and
> with the help of Riley, BURIED THEM! Now the conjunction of the Passover and
> the Easter is a time for reflection and understanding on ham radio instead
> of one for recrimination and hatred. I'll bet my last buck that if someone
> came on .313 spouting off religious and racial hatred, Riley would have him
> off and quick. It took a long time for the FCC to act to stop the religious
> intolerance heard daily on .313 and by God almighty, IT'S GONE. Thanks
> Riley!
> Doc,AF2Y

2138. Re: FT: Kenwood TH-22a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hbanka <hbanka@nvinet.com>
Message-ID: <3900AE2E.92781CEB@nvinet.com>
Source record: 113201
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

send me a pict im looking for a basic 2 meter radio if its a old one the price better be worth while

"L.A. Computers" wrote:

> aquired this radio and dont have a use for it ....would like to trade it for
> an RCI 2970-or 2950....or any radio close to these...all seems to
> work....but i think the battery may be dead...runs fine on org wall
> adapter.....here is a link to the specs for this radio...case you dont
> allready know...

2139. Info help on Phillips antique radio circa 1935-45?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.O. Galloway" <tgallNOSPAM@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8dqb44$2ng$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 113202

I have an old Philco radio model #46-480. I would like to find out how much its worth but don't know where to look. It's a stand up type that receives AM. FM and shortwave 9.3mhz to 15.5mhz. It's the type you see on the Waltons TV show.

I thought I remembered an article in QST a couple of years ago about someone in Maryland that restored these units, but I couldn't find the article.

If someone could direct me to some info or somebody else that might know, it would be most appreciated.

Thanks all.
T.O. Galloway
gonsailn@bellatlantic.net

2140. Question about Hope Currier (1952-1996), Managing Editor 73 mag

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous <federalreservebostonNOfeSPAM@juno.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0881334c.2fd887ee@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>
Source record: 113203

We were friendly with Hope when she lived in Massachusetts, and
she was our tour guide when someone else in the travel company
fixed us up with a trip to Lima, Peru. We learned of her passing
somewhat after the fact. 73 magazine must have had an obituary,
but the local libraries don't get the mag.

Can anyone supply information? Thanks.

David

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2141. Re: AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dqe12$hl6$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113204

I'll tell you what Johnny. YOU get on .313 and start with your anti-Semitic
crap and watch yourself become a permanent SWL.

In article <3900b924.37370972@news.mindspring.com>, (John) wrote:

> On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 10:27:46 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> Crap snipped....
>
> You get back on 14.313 and you'll see who gets buried, old man.

2142. Re: AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3900b924.37370972@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113205

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 10:27:46 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

Crap snipped....

You get back on 14.313 and you'll see who gets buried, old man.

2143. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004212100140.239-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 113206

On 21 Apr 2000, TooManyRadios wrote:
> In article <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004210728420.115-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>, "D.
> Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org> writes:
>
> >Actually, he's not "illegal" in the sense that Congress passed a law a long
> >time ago that indicates that any Cuban that makes it to shore may not be
> >deported - assumed political asylum.
>
> Doubtful that a six-year-old understands the concept of "political asylum."

Understanding is not a condition of the law. Only making to the U.S. shoreline
is.

2144. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#RhoQQ9q$GA.237@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>Nope, Bash was effective in obtaining the contents of the test
>without stealing. He relied on the memories of the test takers
>and was a good reporter.

Insider trading is similar. You get somebody on the inside to give you the company secrets, and then use the illicit information to make a profit on the stock market. These days that will get you a few years. But of course it's not stealing...

>Was there ever a time when having a good memory was immoral?

Depends on what you've been reading... :-)

>That he wasn't probably means that the courts would not have
>considered it to be theft.

You'll have to ask Phil. I doubt that Bash would have been charged with theft. More likely something federal sounding like obstructing a testing process (a made up example). That It never got to the courts doesn't mean no laws were broken. Phil said it was a political decision (not legal decision) not to prosecute if I remember right...

2145. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <exDrSQ9q$GA.232@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>My ONLY point was
>to offer another perspective which was that
>the legallity of Bash's efforts was never tested

We agree that Bash was not prosecuted. Was that point ever in question??

>[we can] Specuate all we want,
>but there is NO absolute answer now, nor will there
>ever be.

I think the original statement I made was that I thought that the uproar was because most people *thought* that what Bash did was immoral, unthinkable and illegal...

Do you remember any large group of people, say the ARRL, defending Bash for doing the moral legal thing by stealing the FCC tests and publishing them for profit...

2146. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <O7$STQ9q$GA.232@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>Sorry, you can't steal from the government on the same basis
>that you can be accused of doing so by a college proffessor.
>Copyright can be used to protect the college proffesor's test...

When has a student caught for stealing a test ever been prosecuted for a copyright violation? Expelled maybe. Copyright? Not likely. My analogy may not be perfect, but it's pretty close. Stealing a test, by whatever method, physically or fraudulently, is wrong. That's what the uproar was about...

>that didn't make it illegal...
>That's what makes for court decisions in the first place.

I can cite you many examples of people who break the law and are never prosecuted in a court. They have broken the law nevertheless. That Bash was not hauled into court is not proof that he didn't break the law...

2147. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000421172144.17407.00001576@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 113210

I don't think you should revive anything, especially any of the slanderous defamatory stuff you used to put on the I-net. Think about it Davies. One day you ask for people to forgive you, be your friend, and the next day your starting shit with people all over again. (excuse the language).

2148. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1a197b30.66e5dcf3@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 113211

'Said it before, say it again. If the hired guns had been
that touchy and sensitive at Waco, a lot of American kids
would still be alive. KZ5B

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2149. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net>
Message-ID: <3900CACA.DCA8B7DB@mlecmn.net>
Source record: 113212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Rick Matthews wrote:
>
> Mark S. Holden <msholden@ct2.nai.net> wrote:
>
> >Perhaps the Government Printing office sells copies of this chart?
> >
>
> In fact, they do! (Thanks to John Tucker!)
>
> http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.html

Or you can ask for a free one from
http://www.omega.com/literature/posters/

--
Lyle, K0LR

http://www.computerpro.com/~lyle

2150. VISIT - http://www.ab7sl.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <ctj92@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <8dqi90slg1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 113213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

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10. Prescott,Arizona page - full of photos
11.Online Logbook - see who I have worked.
12. Music Page
13. Guestbook - leave your thoughts and remarks for all to read
14. Free-For-All Links Page - leave a public link to your site.

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Add YOUR SITE to my -- PUBLIC -- Links page
http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724

2151. Has Roger learned his lesson?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frg9600 <frg9600@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <r04M4.72404$q67.1213359@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113214

http://www.rrsta.com/rain/fcc/0letters/wisemanwarn.html

2152. Re: AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3900cf5b.43058749@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113215

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 16:35:19 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>I'll tell you what Johnny. YOU get on .313 and start with your anti-Semitic
>crap and watch yourself become a permanent SWL.

I've never even been on 313 you dumb bastard. I hope you get back on
though, because when you do somone is going to hand you a NAL.

2153. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Redwire <graydogsNOgrSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0906e0c4.59708e5c@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com>
Source record: 113216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

That chart is included once a year in "Communication World" and
several other communications industry house magazines. I work
for a Cable company and we post the new one each year on our
head-end door. We fight over who gets to take the old one home.

If you work for a phone company, cable company, cell company,
or any other such business check out the house organ magazines
laying around the office. It will be in one of them once a year.
It folds out to about 36 X 42 inches.

You can also order it somewhere....A government office I think.

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2154. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 59)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000421183931.01750.00000078@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 113217

The 59th episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled " What would you like in your coffee ? "
is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
Check out the archive too... to see the rest.
And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

"The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb"
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
or
http://members.aol.com/ScannerDweeb
A comic strip about radio scanning.
Special monthly episodes can be seen
in Popular Communications magazine !

2155. beat this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: darth-peter <ffm@home.nl>
Message-ID: <0X4M4.2680$uh7.812498@news1.dbsch1.nb.nl.home.com>
Source record: 113218

smashing pumpkins meet`s dik voor mekaar>>check the uncut @ :

www.fuckfm.nl

2156. Re: VISIT - http://www.ab7sl.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <3900db4b.12708407@news.guam.net>
Source record: 113219
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 14:47:13 -0700, "Charles" <ctj92@primenet.com>
wrote (again):

>Drop by and visit AB7SL-Ham Radio Pages

Hey Chuck,
Maybe you could put a 'What's New' clicker on the main page.
We're wearing out our mice trying to find these 'updates'.....

73, Jim KH2D

2157. FA Matched pair 4cx800a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4th@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18890-3900E1AF-1@storefull-107.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113220

I have on ebay a matched set of Svetlana 4cx800a tubes. These tubes have never been used, and carry a 90 limited warranty from the Russian distributor. The tubes are Soviet military surplus, and are built to their very rugged specifications. The following amps use this tube. Alpha 91b and 99, QRO 2500, Acom 2000, and the new Emtron from Australia. These tubes are also a good conversion tube for the MLA 2500 Dentron that runs the impossible to find 8875 tubes. There is a conversion on the Svetlana website for the MLA 2500 using these tubes. I have a picture of one of the tubes on the auction site. If you want a steal on a great pair of tubes, go bid on these. The current bid is only $200.00 and a single tube like this sells for $179.00 at RF Parts, and they don't even offer a matched pair. So someone will walk away with a steal on these tubes more than likely. Maybe it will be you!
73
Tom W4TH
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=312479556

2158. FT-100 or IC-70||g ?? DCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: X X <devil666@netzero.com>
Message-ID: <3900DA68.A5448C3E@netzero.com>
Source record: 113221

Hi group.
I would like to get your opinion about these two radios.
FT 100 has DCS tone code/encode . How important and useful is this ?
Ft also has wider RX , this doesn't concern me .

Which one would you advice to get between them.

2159. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eI9bMgqGA.228@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

n2ey@aol.com wrote
>The insulted person is right. Why use phrases on-air that make no
>sense? Why not speak plainly, and use straight, simple English?

So when are you going to stop using "CQ" on SSB...

2160. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: George McCouch <GEO-MAC@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <GEO-MAC-61CAC0.21212221042000@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 113223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <8dkf5pijg1@nnrp1.deja.com>, n2ey@aol.com wrote:

> In article <38FD57B7.D7C42F3E@IEEE.org>,
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > What rig
> > is uncovered in the story? Is it an HF rig or a VHF rig?
>
> Heathkit SB-100. 80-10 meters, 100 W output, kit made in the early-mid
> 1960s.
>
> It has been described as "vintage" and "antique" but it's really not
> that old. And it's a pretty decent rig for the money.
>
> The rig in "Contact" was a Collins KWM-2. Couldn't tell if it was
> winged or meatball, though.
>
> 73 de Jim, N2EY
> --
> FISTS #4360
> BIT #0001
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

Funny how the mind plays tricks on you. I would have bet that the rig in Contact! was a Yaesu Ft 101. Now I have to watch it again to be sure :)

73 George
W3GEO

2161. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39011992.1585CF29@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >Jeff, I didn't do any of the above except for arriving on time and I
> >passed all my classes
>
> But you've never passed any of my classes...

You were teaching classes in the 50s? That's when I passed mine.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2162. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fte6g31.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 01:50:32 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:

>therefore, not guilty of anything. As I said before...
>the fact that Bash was NOT prosecuted and, therefore,
>never found guilty simply "suggests" (i.e. it doesn't
>prove) the FCC may have been internally unconvinced
>of their ability to get a conviction.

We (FCC staff members, both attorneys and non-attorneys) who cared enough about the matter were convinced that the problem was that the now-deceased attorney who would have had to bring the charges was just too damn lazy to do it.

We disputed the case heatedly with this person and at no time was the phrase "you don't have a case" used - it was "I'm not interested" which we knew was code for "It's too much work for me to do anything about it". We had been up to that plate before.....

Very personalized - and demoralizing. 'Nuff said.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

2163. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39011B11.84C1D2E1@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> Stealing a test, by whatever method, physically or fraudulently, is wrong.

Your argument is similar to the one casinos use against card-counters
playing Blackjack. The casinos claim, and the state of Nevada backs
them up, that it is illegal and wrong to mentally calculate your odds
while playing Blackjack.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2164. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben <benf@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8drbb2$u68$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113227
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hahaha....A 5.7L IROC Chevy outrunning a Mustang, hahaha...That'll be the day...haha....although it was very funny.....hahahaha...funny.....

Ben

"p928s" <p928s@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:ytZL4.339$_Q2.56439@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net...
>
> The Keeper <keeper36@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:e7e0gsc7qrghdske8dpa1jl7582i2lfd7d@4ax.com...
> > On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 01:47:14 GMT, "p928s" <p928s@hotmail.com> wrote:
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> > >
> > >The keeper <Keeper36@Hotmail.com> wrote in message
> > >news:38ff488d.2723572@news.supernews.com...
> > >> On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
> > >> wrote:
> > >>
> > >> >Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> > >> >
> > >> >>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> > >> >>
> > >> >>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> > >> >
> > >> >Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
> > >> >
> > >> >---
> > >> >Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please
> post
> > >responses to
> > >> >this newsgroup.
> > >>
> > >> I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs
for
> > >> lunch :)
> > >
> > >my antique porsche 928 eats Iroc Z28 camaros even when it isn't towing
a
> > >Mustang!
> > >
> > Wana run that pig ?
>
> Waste of my time and your gas :-)

>
>

2165. Re: OK to Sell?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: coast@prosperity.org
Message-ID: <39013808.51AD0FEC@prosperity.org>
Source record: 113228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

jbr@randomc.com wrote:
>So, keep those for sale and wanted to buy posts of individual receivers
>coming in r.r.shortwave and in r.r.swap. I've been monitoring this group
>since 1995 and I have yet to see any mention of any voting for anything
>related to a group charter or whether or not we should allow individuals to
>post receivers, parts, manuals, or accessories for sale, swap, or wanted.

I strongly disagree with your comments quoted above.

Many of the mailings lists that are part of the current rec.radio hierarchy can trace their origins going back to 1972 or even earlier!

The rec.radio.shortwave newsgroup was voted on, approved and created in 1989.
(Again, before Webtv was invented)

In 1990 and 1991 there were reorganizations of several radio related newsgroups. This was done after group members discussed, voted and approved the reorganizations, charters and faqs.

In 1998, there was straw poll to see if there was a desire to modify the charters and/or the rec.radio newsgroups. The members are very happy with the CURRENT charters and faq.

I have been a member of the mailing lists that preceded the current rec.radio newsgroups since 1985. The mailings lists STILL exist today for all rec.radio newsgroups except for two groups. (rec.radio.swap is one of those two non mailing lists groups)

BECAUSE the mailing lists STILL exist for all but two rec.radio newsgroups, I would hope that you can understand the the very real NEED to have charters and faqs.

The charters and faqs serve several purposes, including:

1. Protects the entire rec.radio hierarchy from commercial advertising.
2. Protects discussion newsgroups from FS and WTB posts.
3. Protects the rec.radio.swap newsgroup from "discussions" and only allows FS, WTB and FA posts.
4. Defines specifically what is on topic or off topic for the various newsgroups.

The charters and faqs are living documents, in the sense that they have been updated and modified at various times in the past several years.

In fact, the faq for rec.radio.swap newsgroup was just modified on April 15th!
(It is now defined how to post For Auction items in rec.radio.swap newsgroup)

The charter is posted MONTHLY for the rec.radio hierarchy AND the faq for rec.radio.swap.

Read the charters for ANY newsgroup before you post in that particular newsgroup AND/OR mailing list.

Grant
---------this thread really belongs in rram instead of rrs.

2166. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#scKpBrGA.265@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>What difference does it make to the logic. One
>isn't guilty by virtue of popular or unpopular opinion.

I never said he was guilty, only that he was perceived
by many to have broken the law, and that he may have...

2167. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <O#mPqBrGA.265@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bill Sohl wrote
>You and I are entitled to our opinions, in the
>eye of the law, Bash has never been charged and is,
>therefore, not guilty of anything. As I said before...
>the fact that Bash was NOT prosecuted and, therefore,
>never found guilty simply "suggests" (i.e. it doesn't
>prove) the FCC may have been internally unconvinced
>of their ability to get a conviction.

I agree to everything you say here. But...
Nothing you say above proves that Bash didn't break the law.

2168. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3900B323.2F2405AC@oio.net>
Source record: 113231

Doc,
The INS finally got around to doing what it should have
done almost 5 months ago. If they(INS) hadn't 'fooled' around
for nearly five months, in a false 'humanitarian' gesture, NONE
of this foolishness would have taken place. That the court
systems in Florida helped in this last five months of political
'making-hay', is shameful.
As for 'how' this 'raid' was carried out, I really don't
expect you to understand the 'mechanics' of it. Your not
'able' to understand because you have never been involved
with things of this nature(I don't think you have,at any rate).
From what little I know about the so called 'raid', it was
handled properly, and with restraint. There wasn't anyone
injured, was there?
I assume you've seen the photographs of the officer with
his finger "off" the trigger? If you've not had any of this
sort of training, or have never heard/read about any of this
kind of training, then I really don't expect you to understand
just what that 'finger' position meant. And I really don't
think it would do any good to try to explain, it's too much
of an 'emotional' issue to you, for you to listen to, much
less understand. It's enough to say that that officer was
as far from 'hurting' anyone there, as he could possibly be.
The grandparents/uncle/etc. had no 'right' to custody of
the child. The father DID have right of custody. This should
have been done a long time ago. Are the 'Commies' wrong,
even when they're right??(careful how you answer that one!)
As for the people who burn the American flag, I'm glad
I wasn't there. I don't need to go to jail, and I would have.
Paul

2169. Re: Take a break, read somethin funny for a change!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3901206D.BC26BBE8@oio.net>
Source record: 113232

Jeeves brother Ren Hoeck,
And YOU think it's time for US to take a break?
'Doc

2170. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8doit8$78k@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 113234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu> wrote:
: >Brian wrote:
: >> Jim wrote:
[snip]

: Now that I think about it, when I was 8 (1962) I was hanging out
: in my neighbor's garage (he was and still is WA6AIG) paging through
: QST magazines, watching him homebrew VHF (220 Mc) transmitters and
: beam antennas, all the while listening to the nation's first repeater
: (K6MYK) as "background music."

: 73, Jeff KH6O

Close, but no smelly cee-gar;
The first repeater was W1AWW (later W1HMO) in 1932 on 5 meters, as per
"FM and REPEATERS for the Radio Amateur", First Edition, Third Printing,
1976, page 10.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

2171. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8doko4$36i$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:

>: all the while listening to the nation's first repeater (K6MYK)

>The first repeater was W1AWW (later W1HMO) in 1932 on 5 meters, as per
>"FM and REPEATERS for the Radio Amateur", First Edition, Third Printing,
>1976, page 10.

That runs counter to the ARRL's obituary of Art Gentry:

ARTHUR M. GENTRY, W6MEP, SK
The ham that gave each and every one of us the
ability to communicate over repeaters has died at
age 89. Arthur M. Gentry, W6MEP, passed away
about three weeks ago in Beaver, Oregon of natural
causes. Only a month earlier he and his wife
Millie, K6JJN, had moved to Oregon to be with
their grandchildren.
It was back in the late 1940's that Art Gentry
began experimenting with receiver designs that
would permit hearing signals on the same band that
a nearby high power transmitter was operating. By
the late 1950's he had developed the needed
hardware to put the first practical voice repeater
into operation from atop Mt. Lee overlooking Los
Angeles, California. Gentry's designs were adopted
by both the Amateur and Commercial Land Mobile
services and lead to a revolution in voice relay
communications that prospers to this day.
In addition to his developing repeater
technology, W6MEP also helped to pioneer the
technical side of covering breaking news stories.
One of his most significant contributions was in
the design of the KTLA Telecopter for Golden West
Broadcasters. This was the first remote broadcast
facility ever installed on board a helicopter and
is the fore-runner to the news choppers of today.
Bill Arens, N6NMC who has operated the repeater
for the past six years says that he has submitted a
request to the FCC to grant him special
dispensation. This, so that the callsign W6MEP can
remain on what is the oldest continuous operation
repeater in the world.

73, Jeff KH6O

2172. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dolii$46r$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed wrote
>Jeff wrote:
>>Cecil wrote:
>>>Jeff wrote:

>>>> Did they take my suggestion as an instruction?

>>> I never did.

>> That's why you've never passed any of my classes. =:o

>My teachers were a bit more direct. Those things that I needed to pass
>their classes were presented to me as requirements. Those things that would
>enrich my learning experience were presented as suggestions.

I suggest to my students that they should do *all* the problems in each
section of a chapter that we cover in class. I suggest that they make
and utilize index cards containing definitions and difficult-to-understand
concepts, and refer back to those cards frequently. I suggest that they
begin an assignment immediately after class rather than waiting until the
day the assignment is due. I suggest that they begin studying for an exam
at least one week prior to the test date, and suggest they give them-
selves at least two weeks of study in preparation for a final exam. I
suggest that they arrive on time and not skip any classes.

These are all suggestions, but all are necessary in order to pass any
of my classes. Calling them "requirements" would entail enforcing them
-- something which could be a bit difficult ("I'll be visiting your
homes to make sure you've all begun studying for next week's exam.")

73, Jeff KH6O

2173. New ham's POV on CW & April 15th Upgrading

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Verity KC2FBV <sverity@hoflink.com>
Message-ID: <sfvohhrcl6e136@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113237

Last year, I was fortunate to enough to discover the joys of ham radio. An instructor at the local club (Extra Class) was kind enough to welcome me into the Technician level class he was teaching even though the class was halfway through. Despite the fact that I'd missed much, he encouraged me to "keep plugging".
On April 25th 1999 (Marconi's birthday) I had earned my Technician ticket.

With his guidance, and that of the club's Vice President (General Class), I began emulating proper net etiquette. They have always been patient with me and have always informed me if I have made any errors. They've also been supportive of my when I've handled a situation properly (My first roundtable discussion comes to mind).

The General Class operator was kind enough to invite me to the club's station to operate HF while he acted as control operator (as per FCC requirements) during a CQ WW contest.

Neither of these hams have paraded their accomplishments in anyone's face. Although they are, proud of their earned privileges they are equally eager to share their knowledge and expertise with myself and anyone sincerely interested in learning.

In late March 2000, I was fortunate enough to take, and pass both my 5 WPM test and the General Class written test.
On April 15th, I was able to upgrade to a General Class License.

At first, I wasn't sure if I wanted to continue with CW ... but after the work I put behind just 5 WPM I found myself oddly attracted to it. I'm sure the CW operators remember that first magical spark when you don't hear dits and dahs ... but letters.
Well, it's happened ... though my copy is still a little like Swiss cheese on certain characters, I find myself listening to what CW transmissions that I can.

Personally, I'll never look down on those who earned their tickets before I did.
There's so much that I know I can learn from them and I will always be mindful of this.

Just because the FCC has lowered the license requirements doesn't mean we have to lower our standards of the challenges we can accept. I've been listening to faster, more experienced CW operators and though my copy gets rough at 10 WPM, I find myself improving slowly but surely. The club I'm involved with still has the old code test tapes (13 WPM and faster) and I'd still like to try my hand someday, when I'm more comfortable, to gauge my improvement in copying CW ... an unofficial test but a chance to see if I'm

un to the challenge.

I wish I'd come across ham radio while I was in high school ... still better late than never.
You won't hear any "10 codes" coming from this operator.

Thank you for your time & 73 to one and all,

Scott KC2FBV/AG

2174. Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.E. 352" <american-eagle352@NOSPAMiwon.com>
Message-ID: <38fff28a@dnews.gisco.net>
Source record: 113238

Should be: "Alien" Gonzalez... as in illegal. Gee...I hope Janet and the boys will remember this when the next boatload of refugees decide to moor in Miami. Tax dollars well spent... NOT!

A.E. 352

2175. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <8dqdm2$2hk$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article
<EAC9577E5D485BD5.2951407C8F10222C.98C7B14CBE4148F1@lp.airnews.net>,
"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> How 'bout when someone says, on the air "turn my house around"
(meaning they
> are going to reorient their beam antenna)?

I have never heard that phrase used in my 32 years of hamming. It makes
no sense - the antenna is what turns.

> I remember a near vocal fight that
> broke out here on a local repeater for someone "daring" to use that
term on the
> air.

I don't like it, but I can't see fighting about it.

> Why, it was nothing short of a CB term and did not belong on ham radio
> (the insulted's words, not mine...) : /

The insulted person is right. Why use phrases on-air that make no
sense? Why not speak plainly, and use straight, simple English?

73 de Jim, N2EY

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2176. Re: New ham's POV on CW & April 15th Upgrading

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqdtu$2kh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113240

In article <sfvohhrcl6e136@corp.supernews.com>,
"Scott Verity KC2FBV" <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
> Last year, I was fortunate to enough to discover the joys of ham
radio.
> An instructor at the local club (Extra Class) was kind enough to
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> into the Technician level class he was teaching even though the class
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> requirements) during a CQ WW contest.
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> work I put behind just 5 WPM I found myself oddly attracted to it.

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> the CW operators remember that first magical spark when you don't
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> and dahs ... but letters.
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> I can.
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> rough at 10 WPM, I find myself improving slowly but surely. The club
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> involved with still has the old code test tapes (13 WPM and faster)
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> still like to try my hand someday, when I'm more comfortable, to
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> improvement in copying CW ... an unofficial test but a chance to see
if I'm
> un to the challenge.
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> I wish I'd come across ham radio while I was in high school ... still
better
> late than never.
> You won't hear any "10 codes" coming from this operator.
>
> Thank you for your time & 73 to one and all,
>
> Scott KC2FBV/AG
>
>
Scott,

You are the type of person we are looking for in Amateur Radio. One
that is persistant and willing to learn. Welcome indeed!!

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2177. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000421024826.14293.00003121@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 113241

>Hey Lllllloyd!!!
>
>Did you know Jesus was a JEWISH CARPENTER?
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>

Hey, Vietnam Dan,

Playing "You're an Anti-semite" card again I see. It wont work this time.
There was no reference to his religion in my reply! Why you have to insert
that in there is beyond me. There was not a "anti-semetic" tone to the post.

Guess even you can't fix stupid!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2178. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <38fffc0e.14265686@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 113242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I was NOT in favor of restructuring, however I find it very
interesting how so many people are badmouthing those who are taking
advantage of it. "They aren't hams", "They are all lazy", etc. What
I find most interesting is many (not all, so turn the flame throwers
off) are NOT what I, and many others, would consider "real hams".
Yes, they can pound a key. Yes, they collect that paper. Yes, they
have DXCC on 5 bands. However, what are they doing in the way of
public service? The last time I looked, our organization was called
the Amateur Radio SERVICE. If you perform public service, good, I am
NOT talking about you, but if you are one of these whining, doom
saying, the sky is falling, and amateur radio is dead types (seems I
heard the exact same thing about incentive licensing) and do NOT
perform any public service, maybe YOU need to think about who is the
"real ham"

Howard N3TNQ

On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 17:38:11 -0500, John <> wrote:

>On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 21:32:56 GMT, w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
>>> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
>>requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my General
>>class ticket. I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
>>pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago. It's not
>>an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long overdue! I
>>have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw op.,
>>but he never tried to force it on me. He would be delighted to see me
>>get my new privileges!
>>Michael
>>
>So what you're saying is that you were too lazy to try again. Now you
>can take a handout and be 1/4 of a ham. Idiot.

2179. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don MacMillan <dmacmillan@*NO>
Message-ID: <R8TL4.9769$QX1.402853@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 113243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Great chart! I was able to open it online....

Does anyone know how to save a copy of the .pdf file for use offline? (I would like to take it to work and open it there on a puter with a nice color printer...and save it on a disk for future reference.)

Thanks!

DM

> BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> news:dqIL4.8$sY1.517@news.swbell.net...

> | Has any/everyone seen this?
> | http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
> |
> | I've been looking for such a thing for several yrs (on an off)...
> Seems to
> | have EVERYTHING included.

2180. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004210728420.115-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 113244

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000, A.E. 352 wrote:
> Should be: "Alien" Gonzalez... as in illegal. Gee...I hope Janet and the
> boys will remember this when the next boatload of refugees decide to moor in
> Miami. Tax dollars well spent... NOT!

Try posting this on "misc.immigration"

Actually, he's not "illegal" in the sense that Congress passed a law a long time ago that indicates that any Cuban that makes it to shore may not be deported - assumed political asylum.

2181. Re: New movie about Ham Radio Operators to be released soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004210730230.115-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 113245

Old news. We knew about March 1 that this movie was coming out.

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000, John Stivic wrote:
> for details go here: http://www.frequencymovie.com

2182. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Reeve <don236@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8dp0q1$39vs$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 113246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

"Don MacMillan" <dmacmillan@*NO SPAM*mailandnews.com> wrote in message
news:R8TL4.9769$QX1.402853@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net...
> Great chart! I was able to open it online....
>
> Does anyone know how to save a copy of the .pdf file for use offline?

Just click on the floppy disk icon towards the upper-left-hand area and it's
possible. I did it myself for later printing.

And it is too detailed to print on a single page (reference another post).
I tried it on my 1440 dpi printer and the print was too small to be useful.
I'll have to come up with a plan B. Nice chart, and thanks to the original
poster!

Donald Reeve

2183. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <38FFF0AA.775404DB@oio.net>
Source record: 113247

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A.E.,
Alien = yes,
Remember = no.
Well spent = NEVER
'Doc
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2184. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
Message-ID: <sg053lakl6e116@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113248

Just a thought ... ever consider taking this file to a local print shop like KINKO'S and making a poster?
Scott KC2FBV

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message news:_2SL4.202$sY1.8902@news.swbell.net...
> Dunno.. My cheapo printer's capable of a measly 600dpi, and most everything
> on that chart's too small to read when shrunk to fit on a single peice of
> paper..
>
> "Rick Matthews" <K5WLS@SpamCop.net> wrote in message
> news:8F1CED18AK5WLSemailcom@192.168.44.3...
> > BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> >
> > >Has any/everyone seen this?
> > >http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
> > >
> > >I've been looking for such a thing for several yrs (on an off)...
> > >Seems to have EVERYTHING included.
> > Don't forget to print a few copies on your color printer.

2185. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5WLS@SpamCop.net
Message-ID: <8F1D25165K5WLSemailcom@192.168.44.3>
Source record: 113249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>Dunno.. My cheapo printer's capable of a measly 600dpi, and most
>everything on that chart's too small to read when shrunk to fit on a
>single peice of paper..

Exactly.

When I first found that chart I wasted most of a day trying to print it,
or a part of it.

Let me know if you figure out how to do it.

Rick Matthews
K5WLS

2186. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqlsobcd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113250
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I would be your neighbor.
I'd help you acomplish your lofty goals.
I'd even buy cable, steal all the pay channels, and pipe it into your house, and we would split the bill.
Let's turn a computer into a linux firewall, plug it into a cable modem, and hook it to a router to add a new meaning to the term "Network Neighborhood"!

The last neighbor that complained about my landscaping, I put a toilet in the front yard next to thier yard filled with flowers, and landscaped around. Those yard nuts just about had a stroke.

Radio Oger

In article <8dlmo8$4n$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"Builder" <Builder@yomamma.com> wrote:
> I'm a dirt ball! Not only am I Ham that steals TV. I overclock my computer
> and I installed a ECU upgrade chip in my Audi S4 that voids the warranty if
> the dealer finds out. I'm a very bad person. How would you guys like to have
> to actually live next door to me?
>
> Builder
> "
>
>

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Giving a straight answer every time.

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Before you buy.

2187. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqmli$c26$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113251
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I don't have a satelite reciever, but many fellow engineers and myself spent considerable time hacking cable and satelite boxes, and making the info available.

Stop whining, and enjoy the fruits of our labor.

Oh... by the way... you can make free payphone calls by putting a 6.5 megahertz crystal in a radio shack pocket dialer and pulsing the star key. Each pulse is a nickle. And for you Jeff...(you know who you are) this device is legaly refered to as an "Access Device" and is strictly forbidden by Federal Law. I don't own one... so why should I care.

Have Fun!!

Radio Oger

In article <200004200017.e3K0Hu622482@anon.securenym.net>,
Bilgates Remailer <noreply@securenym.net> wrote:
> A deadbeat ham writes in alt.dss.hack:
>
> > I pirate signals from DIRECTV and I am a ham radio
> > operator. I worked hard to get my ham ticket and
> > I am proud to be a ham. Just because I pirate
> > satellite signals is no reason to call me and all
> > other hams who do this crooks.
>
> > Also, what he probably doesn't realize is all of the
> > contributions the hams made during pre/post war, and
> > in the 60's/70's. Development along the AX.25 lines,
> > Oscar, and all of the really *major* diasters around
> > the world. Huricanes in the South, mud slides/quakes,
> > Mt St. Hellens, Kobaie (sp ?). etc. etc.
>
> Hams who STEAL cable and satellite services are nothing but scum. You
dirty
> the honour of Amateur Radio by committing the crime of THEFT OF
SERVICES.
>
> Do you think that Hiram Percy Maxum would approve of what you are
doing?
>
> Any HAM who steals is nothing but a DIRT BALL. A high tech
shoplifter.

>
> Sure HAMS do great things. But scum bags like you who steal from
DIRECTV
> give every ham radio operator a black eye!
>
> Do you think that BARRY GOLDWATER would pat you on the back for being
> a thief, or would he SPIT IN YOUR EYE?
>
> How can you look your children in the face and say "Daddy is a good
> man! Daddy is a HAM. Daddy STEALS from DIRECTV by pirating their
> signal!"
>
> How can any of you so called "Hams" look your peers in the eye? You
> are scum and you ruin the good name of Amateur Radio every time you
> rip off DIRECTV.
>
> Shame on you all.
>
>

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2188. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Keeper <keeper36@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <e7e0gsc7qrghdske8dpa1jl7582i2lfd7d@4ax.com>
Source record: 113252
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 01:47:14 GMT, "p928s" <p928s@hotmail.com> wrote:

>
>The keeper <Keeper36@Hotmail.com> wrote in message
>news:38ff488d.2723572@news.supernews.com...
>> On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>> >
>> >>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
>> >>
>> >>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
>> >
>> >Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
>> >
>> >---
>> >Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post
>responses to
>> >this newsgroup.
>>
>> I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs for
>> lunch :)
>
>my antique porsche 928 eats Iroc Z28 camaros even when it isn't towing a
>Mustang!
>
Wana run that pig ?
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2189. NEW HAMS TRYING REAL HARD TO DO RIGHT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dqn8hclq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113253

THE NEW GUYS ARE DOING THE BEST THEY CAN THERE VERY POLITE AND TRYING
TO BE ACCEPTED. IM GOING TO GIVE THEM A CHANCE THERE BETTER OPPS THAN A
LOT OF SOME 40 YEAR OLD TIMMERS IVE HERD GIVE THEM A CHANCE.

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2190. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lonnie Juli <lonniej@idt.net>
Message-ID: <390040AE.7E5352BA@idt.net>
Source record: 113254
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeff is right about this antenna, but for us here in NY who have weather (instead of climate) it may be impractical in the colder months.

73,

Lonnie N2EXU

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Lonnie Juli <lonnie@lonniejuli.com> wrote:
> >The purests in the group may disagree, but I've used a G5RV, various dipoles
> >(folded, trapped, etc.) and I'm not a big fan of multi band dipoles. Any of
> >these have to be cut to the right length and have traps installed or you need a
> >tuner. Traps can be very lossy. A tuner does not solve the problems of
> >transmission line loss and you often end up with the transmission line
> >radiating a good portion of the signal (and not in the direction you wanted).
> >G5RVs are very prone to this as it's part of the design.
>
> One type of multi-band dipole that works very nicely is the design
> in which one connects jumpers across in-line insulators when wanting
> to do a band change. Yes, it means a trip outside on a ladder to change
> bands, but in operation, its performance is no different than a single-
> band dipole.
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> It looks something like this:
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> coax feed
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> Each () insulator has a jumper; when all insulators are jumpered,
> the dipole is set for say, 80m. With the two outer jumpers on each
> end disconnected, the dipole is set for 40m. Et cetera.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

2191. Re: 97.115 Third party communications.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqpel$f1m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113255

In article <38FFD99D.B07D4202@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>
> Dan,
> The question would seem to be, was 'OTK's license
> revoked or suspended, or still in 'process' for some
> action?
> If the answer is 'no', then theres notheing wrong
> with it.
> 'Doc
>
Correct...and the answer to all of the above is a resounding NO.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2192. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <A38080AFA1CBC75D.B62DE5E4D6CBF20C.E51898F2C57F5A55@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in message
news:#J#gQX1q$GA.271@cpmsnbbsa04...
> W6RCecilA wrote
> >Someone reported that the FCC only had a couple of
> >general exams. If that is true, it is easy to see why everyone
> >was angry at Bash. It meant that one didn't have to learn most
> >of the material in the ARRL License Manual.
>
> If that is true...
>
> Your logic still escapes me. If the ARRL license manual was proven
> inaccurate and too tough, shouldn't people have been mad at the ARRL for a
> faulty license manual instead of the messenger Bash for discovering it??
>

It's "not popular" to get mad at the ARRL...it's much easier to make others
the bad guys...

Kim W5TIT

2193. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqpl4$f3p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113257

In article <20000421024826.14293.00003121@ng-ch1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> >Hey Lllllloyd!!!
> >
> >Did you know Jesus was a JEWISH CARPENTER?
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
> >
>
> Hey, Vietnam Dan,
>
> Playing "You're an Anti-semite" card again I see. It wont work this
time.
> There was no reference to his religion in my reply! Why you have to
insert
> that in there is beyond me. There was not a "anti-semetic" tone to
the post.
>
> Guess even you can't fix stupid!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>
Lllllllloyd !!!!

Unlike YOU, I have NO PROBLEM remembering all your anti-semite posts in
the past. What goes around comes around. And your right, especially
in YOUR case.....You just cain't fix stupid.

Let me give you some more advice little boy.....don't come to a fight
disarmed.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2194. Re: NEW HAMS TRYING REAL HARD TO DO RIGHT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqpsffkj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113258

In article <8dqn8hclq1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
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> TO BE ACCEPTED. IM GOING TO GIVE THEM A CHANCE THERE BETTER OPPS THAN
A
> LOT OF SOME 40 YEAR OLD TIMMERS IVE HERD GIVE THEM A CHANCE.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
I totally agree. I knew you would see it right Mike.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2195. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqpvt$fl7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113259
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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In article <390040AE.7E5352BA@idt.net>,
lonnie@lonniejuli.com wrote:
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> Lonnie N2EXU
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> > >these have to be cut to the right length and have traps installed
or you need a
> > >tuner. Traps can be very lossy. A tuner does not solve the
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> > >transmission line loss and you often end up with the transmission
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> > the dipole is set for say, 80m. With the two outer jumpers on each
> > end disconnected, the dipole is set for 40m. Et cetera.
> >
> > 73, Jeff KH6O
>
>
Jeff's heart is in the right place. And it will and does work.
However I can see me in a ARRLDX moving the taps...NOT. HI HI.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2196. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39005000.AFF38222@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> I suggest to my students that they should do *all* the problems in each
> section of a chapter that we cover in class. I suggest that they make
> and utilize index cards containing definitions and difficult-to-understand
> concepts, and refer back to those cards frequently. I suggest that they
> begin an assignment immediately after class rather than waiting until the
> day the assignment is due. I suggest that they begin studying for an exam
> at least one week prior to the test date, and suggest they give them-
> selves at least two weeks of study in preparation for a final exam. I
> suggest that they arrive on time and not skip any classes.
>
> These are all suggestions, but all are necessary in order to pass any
> of my classes.

Jeff, I didn't do any of the above except for arriving on time and I
passed all my classes (except Texas Government). Sounds to me like your
"suggestions" are much more than suggestions. It reminds me of what
my father used to say just before he bounced me off the wall - "If
I wuz you, I wouldn't do that any more."
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2197. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3900515D.D23E9D9B@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> Your logic still escapes me. If the ARRL license manual was proven
> inaccurate and too tough, shouldn't people have been mad at the ARRL for a
> faulty license manual instead of the messenger Bash for discovering it??

If I remember right, the majority of the license manuals were based on an FCC study guide so the fault was 100% on the FCC. The FCC published the faulty study guide. By keeping the exams a secret, seems the FCC tried to get by with just a couple of exams. Bash collected the clues, solved the mystery, and exposed the FCC's little secret. The premises may be questionable, but if they are true, seems the logic is OK.

> The uproar is the same as that caused when students steal a
> professors exam paper and make the questions and answers available to
> themselves and other students, in an effort to pass the test without
> actually having to do the work of learning the material...

When I taught, I solved the problem through many multiple exams which is what the FCC should have done.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2198. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3900533F.A46EDF59@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> Not exactly. Bash effectively stole the test just as students steal a test
> from a college professor.

Nope, Bash was effective in obtaining the contents of the test
without stealing. He relied on the memories of the test takers
and was a good reporter.

> There was a time when stealing a test was considered immoral.

Was there ever a time when having a good memory was immoral?
Is polling voters to see how they voted considered "stealing"
the results of an election? Seems you are engaging in petitio
principii.

> That he wasn't doesn't prove that stealing a
> government test is right...

That he wasn't probably means that the courts would not have
considered it to be theft.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2199. Give it a break, it's getting boring!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "steven.haynes1" <steven.haynes1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <39005A4E.6F1FB735@ntlworld.com>
Source record: 113263

Why don't you lot just give it a rest on the subject

Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab -
FREE upgrade with purchase of
membership!

You are all making this newsgroup a rather boring site, set up a
separate group to whine amongst yourselves.

2200. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3900586f.5804455@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 22:50:43 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>Bash just offered the direct questions which others (AMECO,
>>etc.) already offered, albeit not necessarily in exactly the
>>same format.
>
>Not exactly. Bash effectively stole the test just as students steal a test
>from a college professor.

Sorry, you can't steal from the government on the same basis
that you can be accused of doing so by a college proffessor.
Copyright can be used to protect the college proffesor's
test...NOT SO for government documentation...which
includes tests.

>>I suspect more people were upset over
>>what he did, rather than what, if any, impact he actually had.
>
>There was a time when stealing a test was considered immoral. People reacted
>to that perceived immorality.

They can perceive whatever they want and consider
it anything they want...that didn't make it illegal which
was the only thing that counted when all was said and done.

>>In the end, the FCC never went after Bash which certainly
>>suggests the FCC didn't expect to win
>
>Phil, our retired FCC man, says it was a political decision. He certainly
>could have been charged. That he wasn't doesn't prove that stealing a
>government test is right...

I didn't say it proved anything...I said:
"the FCC never went after Bash which certainly
suggests the FCC didn't expect to win..."

Phil is entitled to his opinion...as are all people,
lawyer and non-lawyer alike.
I respect Phil's opinion but repectfully disagree.
Indeed, had it gone to court there most certainly would
have been no problem finding opposing legal
councel that would have defended Bash against

the FCC charges. That's what makes for court
decisions in the first place.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2201. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39005877.5812186@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 22:50:06 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>Unthinkable or cheating was a matter of person opinion.
>
>So is illegal. Many people who break laws are never prosecuted. Is Clinton
>not a perjurer because he was not (yet) prosecuted...

I don't disagree at all. What is your point?
The fact remains that Bash was NOT prosecuted.
We can speculate as to why until hell freezes
over and be no more in agreement or disagreement
than now. I have my opinion, Phil Kane has his,
others have their own. It is a mute point and
will never be resolved. My ONLY point was
to offer another perspective which was that
the legallity of Bash's efforts was never tested
(no pun intended) and as such, can not be stated either
way with any certainty. Specuate all we want,
but there is NO absolute answer now, nor will there
ever be.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2202. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000421094636.00590.00006299@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 113266

In article <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004210728420.115-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>, "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org> writes:

>Actually, he's not "illegal" in the sense that Congress passed a law a long
>time ago that indicates that any Cuban that makes it to shore may not be
>deported - assumed political asylum.

Doubtful that a six-year-old understands the concept of "political asylum."

2203. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000421094637.00590.00006300@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 113267

In article <38fff28a@dnews.gisco.net>, "A.E. 352"
<american-eagle352@NOSPAMiwon.com> writes:

>Should be: "Alien" Gonzalez... as in illegal. Gee...I hope Janet and the
>boys will remember this when the next boatload of refugees decide to moor in
>Miami. Tax dollars well spent... NOT!

That kid isn't going anywhere. Butch Reno talked tough last week, then backed down as usual. Clinton doesn't have the gonads to order the law enforced because of politics. He doesn't want to ailenate "the Cuban/American community" in Miami, since that would likely cost Algore the all-important win of Florida in the upcoming presidential election.

This is also the reason why action is not being taken against Lazaro Gonzales. He has refused to comply with orders to give up the child and has publicly stated that the Feds will have to come and get him. He should be indicted on charges of kidnapping and inciting civil disobedience.

2204. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <487100C0D700DC68.38F4997AE9EF48A0.44C181B7ADB121E9@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 21:08:11 -0400, "Fred Stuart"
<fstuart1@maine.rr.com> wrote:

>Larry,
>I used to repair organs also. I mainly did warrantee work on Baldwin but
>also repaired many Hammonds including the mechanical tone generators. I
>still remember when I took my son when he was 4 yyears old on a house call
>with me and he spilled the can of tuner oil on the rug and it spread like
>crazy!
>
>73 de Fred KE1BB / AE

Oops....

I had to go to flourescent drop lites after I burned, and replaced, a
new living room carpet with my bulb trouble lite. Never again.

I have lots of nice old Hammonds and Baldwin organs to service.
Probably around 500??

Larry W4CSC

2205. Re: Was it Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: lesbian lovetriangle <kz1zipperqueen@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <g4ZL4.54647$y4.1812146@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113269

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dpcag$v4i$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Was it legal for W4RCL to extend his ham ticket to (ex) W(b)2OTK
> at OTK's ham shack. Was the station license valid and would it carry
> over to include OTK's QTH.

Does zipper-queen David have any
semblance of a life apart from
lookin like an ass on ham radio?

> Was 'RCL actually in control of the transmitter? Could he have
> prevented OTK from transmitting if OTK violated any rules.Was RCL
> familiar with the equipment to stop transmission?

I s David in love with OTK? Does he long to snuggle
up, hop up on his shoulders from a running start and
say "Oh I love you Richard you big hulky hairy studmuffin!"

> I timed an OTK/RCL transmission at 12 minutes and 15 seconds which
> ended with OTK signing HIS call!!
> We would like to know.

Hey David! we would like to know:

1. Have you had that cat-head-sized cyst removed
from the side of your neck yet? (your parasitic
"Siamese twin") Don't that thing throbbing and
quivering like it has a mind of it's own scare
you? like something IN your body out of the movie
Alien..?

2. Do you still long to have your lesbian lover neighbors
strip you down naked, put a studded dog collar around
your neck and walk you around the house on all-fours..?

Mistress Zena Whipmaster Extraoridnare: "If you a good
doggie Davey, you can kiss my knee-high black leather
boots. But if you a bad doggie, you get the whip" CRACK!!!

Dog-collared David: "Oh yes my mistress may I have another??"
WHOOSH..CRACK!!!!! "AAARGH! more more! let me eat Alpo
from a dog bowl Mistress! PLEASE oh PLEASE" CRACK!!!!!!

{as ZQ grovels at the feet of his leather-clad "friends"...]

BAAAWAAAA HA HA HA HA HA HA HAHAWWW!!

2206. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dpn1e$67h$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Howie baby, everything remains to be seen. It's far too early to assess the ramifications, reverberations and repercussions of figuratively giving away tickets but anyone who denies that lowering standards to increase numbers is beneficial, is guilty of self delusion.

In article <38fffc0e.14265686@news.pacbell.net>, h-watson@pacbell.net (Howard Watson) wrote:

> I was NOT in favor of restructuring, however I find it very
> interesting how so many people are badmouthing those who are taking
> advantage of it. "They aren't hams", "They are all lazy", etc. What
> I find most interesting is many (not all, so turn the flame throwers
> off) are NOT what I, and many others, would consider "real hams".
> Yes, they can pound a key. Yes, they collect that paper. Yes, they
> have DXCC on 5 bands. However, what are they doing in the way of
> public service? The last time I looked, our organization was called
> the Amateur Radio SERVICE. If you perform public service, good, I am
> NOT talking about you, but if you are one of these whining, doom
> saying, the sky is falling, and amateur radio is dead types (seems I
> heard the exact same thing about incentive licensing) and do NOT
> perform any public service, maybe YOU need to think about who is the
> "real ham"
>
> Howard N3TNQ
>
> On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 17:38:11 -0500, John <> wrote:
>
>>On Thu, 13 Apr 2000 21:32:56 GMT, w4hij@my-deja.com wrote:
>>
>>
>>>> Back in 1984 I took the General class written exam but due to the
>>>requirement to pass 13wpm in an antiquated mode I was denied my General
>>>class ticket. I look forward to April 15th when I can fill out a form,
>>>pay a fee and get the ticket I was denied all those years ago. It's not
>>>an upgrade or a gift, it's payment of a debt that's long overdue! I
>>>have a vanity call, it was my father's and he was a top notch cw op.,
>>>but he never tried to force it on me. He would be delighted to see me
>>>get my new privileges!
>>>Michael
>>>
>>So what you're saying is that you were too lazy to try again. Now you
>>can take a handout and be 1/4 of a ham. Idiot.
>

2207. Re: Online Exam test???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <37121C1F4110CFE7.D90D34456E731EEC.712BC4EA2CA390E9@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113271

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 08:51:20 -0400, mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net (Ramsay D. Seielstad) wrote:

>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>
>
> Thank you Larry, that was exactly what I was looking for. I'd
>'browsed' through a few other times and kept getting sidetracked
>by other interesting stuff and never saw the link.
>
> Even took two exams while I was there and did 84 & 89% so it
>looks like I'm ready, although I now have a better idea what my
>weaknesses are too. I'll brush up on those and take a few more
>practice tests between now and the next testing session (I
>missed the one last night due to other obligations!!!)
>
> Now I can start looking at all the equipment catalogs and
>figuring out what will be a good starter rig.
>
>
Yep, you're more than ready. An old friend who was an advanced and 80 years old ACE'd the Extra test after spending a few hours on qrz's test site.....Not bad for 80.

Plenty of room for more.....as soon as we get rid of this split band nonsense.

Larry

2208. Re: Was it Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dpmku$35s$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113272

According to my dear friend KE4TEW, one of the finest hams to ever hold a ticket, guesss who was jamming W2OTK yesterday? WA4KBX, Old Joe, who ran for mayor of Bunghole, South Carolina. Maybe Riley took notice of Briar Fox hiding in the bushes?

In article <8dpcag$v4i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> Was it legal for W4RCL to extend his ham ticket to (ex) W(b)2OTK
> at OTK's ham shack. Was the station license valid and would it carry
> over to include OTK's QTH.
> Was 'RCL actually in control of the transmitter? Could he have
> prevented OTK from transmitting if OTK violated any rules.Was RCL
> famalier with the equipment to stop transmission?
> I timed an OTK/RCL transmission at 12 minutes and 15 seconds which
> ended with OTK signing HIS call!!
> We would like to know.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2209. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP STILL BORES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dpnbn$t40$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113273

Bob,
Since when does one expect decency from a lowlife redneck? It's like asking
John Rocker to be a foster parent to an Indian child.
Doc

In article <12973-38FFB792-30@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Sherins@webtv.net wrote:

> W4FQF, Call me what you will, but let's post some relevance to reality.
> I am definitely not a LAWYERWANNABE, being retired with no interest in
> becoming anything new. Holding me up to redicule for knowing something
> about law is patently unfair.
>
> I put a great deal into my posts, though my answer to you came easily.
> Whatever my mental failings--at 61 I'm not the mental gymnast I was at
> 21, I do try my best to research and express.
>
> While I addressed your posts critically, I kept the commentary
> respectful. You have failed to debate the issue raised while you've
> employed the personal attack.
>
> In my view, you could spark self improvement by moving your rhetoric up
> a notch.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

2210. Re: I now know why summers EVE retro-graded.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dpnfvsjk1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113274

We can hope. If David keeps stirring up trouble, he'll restest once and become a Novice and twice to become a Vanished.

In article <8dnvrv$hd4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

> On the rare occassion that I bother to listen to 14.313 I heard David,
> THE INCREDIBLE SHRINKING BRAIN, trying to stir up the crap once again.
>
> It seems he thinks that its illegal for a licensed ham to allow an
> unlicensed person use the ham bands under the "third party rules".
>
> He makes the case that Bob (W4RCL) drove up to visit Rich, EX
> WB2OTK/W2OTK. And that Bob fired up Rich's rig. Of course the
> transmission was identified as W4RCL.
>
> Lets hear it guys, this should break the posters record. But give me a
> couple of days....I need to buy another Kevlar vest.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
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>
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2211. Re: Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Nordman <kb0ucp@ll.net>
Message-ID: <sg0pds5hl6e43@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113275

I used Code Quick and went from no code to 5 wpm in 12 days. I loved the
program. I then went on to my 13wpm after that!!
"Charles" <charles@ab7sl.com> wrote in message
news:8dlf64$2d7$1@nnrp02.primenet.com...
> I tried many CW tutor programs. I finally settled on Morse Tutor Gold. It
> tutored me on my PC all the way past 20wpm. I also at the beginning used
> Gordon West code tapes from Radio Shack. The tapes were cheap and gave me
a
> good start but Morse Tutor Gold did the rest along with regular
disciplined
> practice sessions. After making Extra I gave the tapes and software to
our
> local radio club for their classes . I do not recall where I purchased
Morse
> Tutor Gold.
>
> --
>
> Charles T Johnston - AB7SL
> charles@ab7sl.com
> _____________________
>
> AB7SL- Ham Radio Pages
> http://www.ab7sl.com
> Add YOUR SITE to my -PUBLIC- Links page
> http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724
> _____________________
>
> "james" <jhustead@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:2drL4.170$Ca1.58419@news1.atlantic.net...
> > Whats a good program (computer) or audio tape, cd to learn morse code?
> >
> > James KE4QYS
> >
> >
>
>

2212. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: p928s <p928s@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ytZL4.339$_Q2.56439@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 113276
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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The Keeper <keeper36@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:e7e0gsc7qrghdske8dpa1jl7582i2lfd7d@4ax.com...
> On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 01:47:14 GMT, "p928s" <p928s@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> >
> >The keeper <Keeper36@Hotmail.com> wrote in message
> >news:38ff488d.2723572@news.supernews.com...
> >> On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
> >> wrote:
> >>
> >> >Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> >> >
> >> >>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> >> >>
> >> >>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> >> >
> >> >Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
> >> >
> >> >---
> >> >Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please
post
> >responses to
> >> >this newsgroup.
> >>
> >> I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs for
> >> lunch :)
> >
> >my antique porsche 928 eats Iroc Z28 camaros even when it isn't towing a
> >Mustang!
> >
> Wana run that pig ?

Waste of my time and your gas :-)
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2213. Re: Dear Abby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <09c051ba.71874e07@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 113277

Dagnabit, Jeff. A big question I forgot to ask: Can a person
be proficient in both codes? i.e., 16 or more wpm. I don't
see how. Too, knowing as much as you do, how in the world
did you end up in Honolulu?

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

2214. Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 113278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

While sitting here working away at my office,
I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.

I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and others talk
about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the inside scoop,"
and "people are going to be surprised" blah blah blah...
And of course, they never, ever spell out what their
so-called "insider information" is all about.

Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.
Frankly, I think this kind of gossiping amongst
a few chosen people about such grave matters
is wrong. Childishly taunting "I know something
you don't know! Naah Naah Boo Boo!" when you're
talking about accusing people of crimes is unacceptable behavior.
Loose talk and jumping to conclusions
can lead to injustice (AC5IU comes to mind).

Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of disciples,
you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.
Listening to these guys dance with glee over their
"secret knowledge" is unseemly.

73 DE Dave AB5S

2215. A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000421124324.19755.00002604@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 113279

I am reviivng this webpage.

Take a look!

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

Long Live the B.A.R.F!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2216. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerBeep <snide@snide.com>
Message-ID: <390078D3.4DA9@snide.com>
Source record: 113280

A.E. 352 wrote:
>
> Should be: "Alien" Gonzalez... as in illegal. Gee...I hope Janet and the
> boys will remember this when the next boatload of refugees decide to moor in
> Miami. Tax dollars well spent... NOT!

This has got to be America! Millions of dollars spent on an alien snot nosed kid from a tenth rate country! The entire country coming to a standstill. That brat is going to have the world given him on a silver platter---hey... it's Harvard or Yale for sure! Well... let us give it ten years or so to see if it was all worth it! That brat better become a brain surgeon! Then again, he already has an excuse if he ends up in a drug bust or some anti-social behaviour or crime--- he was traumatized as a child back in 2000! I'll be around to see it---if the story is covered in the media instead of being quietly set aside. This story isn't over---it still has the potential of hitting the fan and you can bet it's going to splatter good and plenty, far and wide!

But I'm being negative... bad me... lets all hope that that after he completes a stellar performance in public school he will continue his success at Harvard get married and have a model family while occupied with important work caring for the destitute become a politician and help us re-discover the idealism, morality and greatness that once was this country.

2217. KE6HN Wacko <<----

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: elian@float.com
Message-ID: <390087f8.222612@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113281

First of all..There are NO CONTROL OPERATORS on 147.435 Mhz. repeater in L.A. Dave Witt, KE6HN, your 'discussion' group is a joke! You are NOT a Control Op. Period. Roy has stated that NONE of you are control ops.! There are helpers, maintenance personnel, controller programmers, but THERE ARE NO CONTROL OPS.

You may feel important, but your 'job' if any, is programming the controller for Roy.....

As for the stupid 20 WPM code 'announcement' every hour...

HOW MANY USERS CAN COPY 20 wpm?? OR, how many users even give a shit.??? When you talk, it goes on and on and on, until everyone forgets the original conversation...Basically, YOU'RE AN IDIOT.!!!!

Living in a 'bread truck'.....MOONWALKER Dave, is a perfect name for you....Do you know where that name started.????

2218. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dq1p8kfv1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:

>There was a time when stealing a test was considered immoral. People reacted
>to that perceived immorality.

That black-cloaked figure Bash chose to place on the cover of his
books shows that even he felt what he was doing was not correct.
Jeff KH6O

2219. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dq22fkqs1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113283

Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
>Just a thought ... ever consider taking this file to a local print shop like
>KINKO'S and making a poster?
>Scott KC2FBV

If they charge more than $6, then buy a copy from the GPO -- that option
is provided for at that web site.

2220. Re: tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8do5o1nlq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113304

In article <8dnn8e$u45$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

> But wait a minute LRod. Would you string up a straight 75 meter dipole
> in your backyard when knowing it measured, for example, 80' x 100'?

Well, first of all, yes. There's just enough room in 80' x 100' to get a dipole for 3.800 MHz. up diagonally.

But, more to the point, I can tell you from extensive personal experience, that what looks from the ground like would be enough room may not be so once you're 40' or 50' in the air. For example, it's not easy to measure the heights of trees. He may have thought say 50' was high enough, and once the tower was up, it turned out it wasn't, and he couldn't go higher with the tower.

The real point is there wasn't enough information in the original post to determine what was the reason, and it was unfair to cast aspersions, that being the case.

Besides, a quick check of one of the callsign servers with old call information shows that his call was issued in 1984. I think he's earned more respect than your comment gave.

LRod

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2221. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sol_schidthaus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8doci8ump1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <dqIL4.8$sY1.517@news.swbell.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> Has any/everyone seen this?
> http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
>
> I've been looking for such a thing for several yrs (on an off)...
Seems to
> have EVERYTHING included.

Actually, it doesn't have the frequencies the Air Force and CIA use to communicate with the flying saucers that make test flights over the Nevada desert from the Groome Lake (AKA Area 51) facility late at night. I think that they use some super-secret kind of digital spread-spectrum modulation, too.

Sol Schidthaus
Huntsville, Alabama

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2222. Was it Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dpcag$v4i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113306

Was it legal for W4RCL to extend his ham ticket to (ex) W(b)2OTK
at OTK's ham shack. Was the station license valid and would it carry
over to include OTK's QTH.
Was 'RCL actually in control of the transmitter? Could he have
prevented OTK from transmitting if OTK violated any rules.Was RCL
famalier with the equipment to stop transmission?
I timed an OTK/RCL transmission at 12 minutes and 15 seconds which
ended with OTK signing HIS call!!
We would like to know.

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2223. Re: How to be a UnaBasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <8dpovl$c3t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113307
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <38FDDB7F.C19477EC@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> Hans,
> Not bad. I may regrret asking, but what's a Grade 'A'
> UnaBasher?
> 'Doc (ex: AA5AN Ger# 1172)
>

Hi Doc,

There are none!

73, Hans,
G#515

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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.

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Before you buy.
~~~

2224. Re: Was it Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dpqev$df7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113308

In article <8dpcag$v4i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> Was it legal for W4RCL to extend his ham ticket to (ex) W(b)2OTK
> at OTK's ham shack. Was the station license valid and would it carry
> over to include OTK's QTH.
> Was 'RCL actually in control of the transmitter? Could he have
> prevented OTK from transmitting if OTK violated any rules.Was RCL
> famalier with the equipment to stop transmission?
> I timed an OTK/RCL transmission at 12 minutes and 15 seconds which
> ended with OTK signing HIS call!!
> We would like to know.
MIND YOUR OWN BIZ YOU F++++N GOOF YOU GOT ENOUF PROBS TO WORRY ABOUT.
KEEP STICKEN YOUR NOSE UP JOHNS ASS BUT YOU LIKE MENS ASS HOLES.
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2225. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <8dq2tbmis1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113309
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article
<73C9428DDB37A826.1E9D3D808425CBA9.92A40814ACCA9033@lp.airnews.net>,
"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> n2ey@aol.com wrote in article <8dn384$g9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> > In article
> > <0849B47869E256E5.1DD8ABB241B057C0.C6BD6D666E9A28CE@lp.airnews.net>,
> > "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > > "David Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
> > > news:38FE389C.F8BDA511@ix.netcom.com...
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on
phone! ;-)
> > > >
> > >
> > > We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people
referring
> > to
> > > themselves as "we"!
> >
> > The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
> >
>
> Hmmmm, you "guys" do seem to equate to other "things" as an extension
of
> yourself...eh? :o

When one has designed, built, aligned, tested, debugged, repaired and operated a rig from day one, it does indeed become somewhat of an extension of oneself - by both genders. It was common in the old days for a rig to be the personal creation of the ham who owned it. That sort of thing still exists today, in some hamshacks.

Aaron Jones' explanation is probably closest to the facts, though.

73 de Jim "we are not amused" N2EY

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BIT #0001

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2226. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: p928s <p928s@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <CqOL4.1126$v%.234911@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 113310
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The keeper <Keeper36@Hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:38ff488d.2723572@news.supernews.com...
> On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> >
> >>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> >>
> >>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> >
> >Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
> >
> >---
> >Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post
responses to
> >this newsgroup.
>
> I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs for
> lunch :)

my antique porsche 928 eats Iroc Z28 camaros even when it isn't towing a
Mustang!

2227. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dof6c$qp6$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
>> Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:

>>>I'm not saying the damned technical references are one way or the other,
>>>hell it would all be mostly Greek to me. Just because the Handbook "was the
>>>greatest selling technical publication in the country" doesn't necessarily
>>>mean it was good--it may mean that everything else available was that
>>>bad...that's all I was querying about.

>>For all time? Since the beginning of book publishing all technical
>>books were bad? That's what you're really asking.
>>Again, in 1970, Time Magazine published an all-time best-seller list.
>>The only technical entry on this all-time best-seller list was the ARRL
>>Handbook. It was in good company -- the Bible and Dr. Spock's book were
>>also on that non-fiction list.
>>I suppose such news really grinds League bashers, eh Kim?

>OH, OK, you're taking this to be League Bashing...

Not at all. I said that such news would grind League bashers; at no
time did say you were guilty of League bashing. After all, you've
never uttered a single word against the League, have you? Yes? No?

>that cracks me up.

We knew that already! =:o

> I can't
>draw pictures for you, Jeff--you'd get way too interpretive with that too...

The inference you were drawing was that all technical books for all
time were bad.

You're correct -- you can't draw.

73, Jeff KH6O

2228. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dog48$rh9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu> wrote:
>Brian wrote:
>> Jim wrote:

>> > Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
>> > Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
>> > was about 8 years old.

>> Good grief. Poking your pacifier in to the outlet doesn't qualify.

>Ahhh, you must have learned the hard way. Eight is kind of old for you
>to have still been using your pacifier though. At 8 I was building
>crystal radios and hanging long wire antennas up on the roof. Picked-up
>KFI loud enough to drive a loudspeaker with it! At the time I didn't
>know that shouldn't be possible. I hooked it up to the phones too. It
>competed nicely with the dial tone. :-) Little did I know that 34
>years later I would get a ham license.

Now that I think about it, when I was 8 (1962) I was hanging out
in my neighbor's garage (he was and still is WA6AIG) paging through
QST magazines, watching him homebrew VHF (220 Mc) transmitters and
beam antennas, all the while listening to the nation's first repeater
(K6MYK) as "background music." I too had built crystal sets and had
completely dismantled an All American Five to "see how it worked."
Building my first Heathkit was still two years away, though.

73, Jeff KH6O

2229. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sol_schidthaus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dq6f0qlc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Let's not get scatological about my last name.

Obviously, you need to listen to Art Bell late at night and become more informed about Area 51. I would expect there to be some real interesting monitoring opportunities in the Nevada desert if someone could figure out the modulation system that the captured space aliens who are imprisoned there revealed to the US government when they taught us how to build flying saucers.

It's just a thought.

Sol Schidthaus
Huntsville, Alabama

In article <TWOL4.112$sY1.6008@news.swbell.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> When did they start allowing 2yr olds in here?
> Your sense of humor can't be that lacking...
>
> Hmmm.. Your last name's not German for Sh*t-house, is it?...
> HAHA!!!
>
> <sol_schidthaus@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8doci8>
> > Actually, it doesn't have the frequencies the Air Force and CIA use
to
> > communicate with the flying saucers that make test flights over the
> > Nevada desert from the Groome Lake (AKA Area 51) facility late at
> > night. I think that they use some super-secret kind of digital
spread-
> > spectrum modulation, too.
> >
> > Sol Schidthaus
> > Huntsville, Alabama
> >
> >
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2230. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5WLS@SpamCop.net
Message-ID: <8F1CED18AK5WLSemailcom@192.168.44.3>
Source record: 113314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>Has any/everyone seen this?
>http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
>
>I've been looking for such a thing for several yrs (on an off)...
>Seems to have EVERYTHING included.
>

Don't forget to print a few copies on your color printer.

2231. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <38FFC51E.46A0C11C@bctv.com>
Source record: 113315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT wrote:
>
> Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in article
> <#vXuZevq$GA.295@cpmsnbbsa04>...
> > n2ey@aol.com wrote
> > >The use of "we" in that context refers to "the rig and I".
> >
> > Ham radio grew up around broadcast radio, and took some of it's traditions.

Close, but no kewpie.

Ham radio was around for years before the broadcast industry came along.

However, so many of the people who got into ham radio IMAGINED
themselves big-time radio stars, they took on some of the mannerisms.

2232. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <removenow@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <h0jvfsckvfrrtubrbnten20rtok6ec9kvl@4ax.com>
Source record: 113316
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keeper36@Hotmail.com (The keeper) wrote:

>On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:49:08 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati <uio9@email.com>
>wrote:
>
>>Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>>
>>>> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
>>>
>>>. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
>>
>>Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
>
>I know my 1986 like new condition red Iroc Z28 5.7L eats mustangs

dust

>for lunch :)

You have my sympathies. ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2233. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dohqq$3g$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu> wrote:
>car I recall. Hey Jeff, did you have Don Schwinn for physics? ;-)

For both physics and an astrospace class he offered! Our final exam for the astro class was the FAA private pilot written exam. What a teacher he was! He had us building and launching dry-fuel model rockets.

Remember the weather station he had set up? We'd call in daily weather observations to KAPX, they'd record our reports, then broadcast them.

Can you imagine a teacher getting away with a full-size poster of bikini-clad Rachel Welch in today's classroom?

Did you have Griggs for oceanography?

Ah, the memories of San Clemente High (with North Beach just 3 minutes away).

73, Jim!
Jeff KH6O (Class of '72)

2234. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP STILL BORES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq80u$s2p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113318

In article <8do3sclhj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> After the hackney remarks from "DR HATE", "SLOPE HEAD", the "LAWYER
> WANNABE"

Translation: "I've run out of material."

>and other assorted misfits, the fact remains that this
> newsgroup is boring. Just a hangout for people who have qrmed their
> way into being banished by Mr Hollingsworth from operating on their
> favorite qrming frequencies.

Bwhahahhahahahaha! You think so, Polly??? <evil laugh>

>(They gave their calls when qrming, what a
> bunch of nitwits!!)

Unlike YOU, who QRMed for years and years until you were cornered by
hams in your ghetto.

>Stupid is as stupid does..

What your habitually drunk father said to you as he sodomized you, no
doubt.

> Boring, boring, boring......
>
> Nuff said
>
> W4FQF QRMing Since 1952.....

Poor, poor Polly....the original uneracheiver boy.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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2235. Re: Was it Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq84f$sa5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113319

In article <8dpcag$v4i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> Was it legal for W4RCL to extend his ham ticket to (ex) W(b)2OTK
> at OTK's ham shack. Was the station license valid and would it carry
> over to include OTK's QTH.
> Was 'RCL actually in control of the transmitter? Could he have
> prevented OTK from transmitting if OTK violated any rules.Was RCL
> famalier with the equipment to stop transmission?

Poor fagboy!

> I timed an OTK/RCL transmission at 12 minutes and 15 seconds which
> ended with OTK signing HIS call!!

Did you use your Mickey Mouse watch?

> We would like to know.

What you don't know would fill the Encyclopedia Brittanica.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2236. Re: I now know why summers EVE retro-graded.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq87g$sj5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113320

In article <8dnvrv$hd4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> On the rare occassion that I bother to listen to 14.313 I heard
David,
> THE INCREDIBLE SHRINKING BRAIN, trying to stir up the crap once again.
>
> It seems he thinks that its illegal for a licensed ham to allow an
> unlicensed person use the ham bands under the "third party rules".
>
> He makes the case that Bob (W4RCL) drove up to visit Rich, EX
> WB2OTK/W2OTK. And that Bob fired up Rich's rig. Of course the
> transmission was identified as W4RCL.
>
> Lets hear it guys, this should break the posters record. But give me
a
> couple of days....I need to buy another Kevlar vest.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Toiletlassi can't do anything better.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2237. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq8a5sjq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113321

In article <A9EL4.68303$q67.1087328@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"M Esponoza" <mespoz66@gulfnet.com> wrote:
>
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote in message
> news:8dmqd5$6b4$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > In article <38FE5069.90E41F00@oio.net>,
> > W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > w4fqf,
> > > Bye bye... so long. And as they say here in "Red Neck"
> > > country... 'Don't let the door knob hit'cha where the good
> > > Lord split'cha!'.
> > > 'Doc
> >
> >
> > Don't go there..Polly would probably_like_it.
>
> R.O.T.F.L.M.A.O. :) :) :) :) :) :) :) :)

<bows>

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2238. Re: 97.115 Third party communications.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq8ekskt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113322

In article <8do0ep$i1b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> (a) An amateur station may transmit messages for a third party to:
> (b) The third party may participate in stating the message where:
> (1) The control operator is preent at the control point and is
> continously monitoring and supervising the third party's
participation;
> and
> (2) The third party is not a prior amateur service licensee
> whose license was revoked; suspended for less than the balance of the
> license term and the suspension is still in effect; suspended for the
> balance of the license term and relicensing has not taken place; or
> surrendered for cancellation following notice of revocation.
> suspension or monetary forfeiture proceedings. The third party may
not
> be the subject of a cease and desist order which relates to amateur
> service operation and which is still in effect.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Obviously, the incredible shirnking brain can't read. We already know
his mental capacity for comprehension is in the negative numbers.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2239. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8doifhql1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>some Extras were so bashable.

But I'm bashful...

2240. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8doiadmh1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>How 'bout when someone says, on the air "turn my house around" (meaning they
>are going to reorient their beam antenna)? I remember a near vocal fight that
>broke out here on a local repeater for someone "daring" to use that term on the
>air. Why, it was nothing short of a CB term and did not belong on ham radio
>(the insulted's words, not mine...) : /

The air traffic controllers at Honolulu International Airport will
advise pilots that they've "turned the airport around" when our almost
constant (95% of the year) NE trade winds diminish and the southerlies
pick up. Reef Runway 4 becomes Runway 22.

Jeff KH6O

2241. Re: AF2Y: a dip for restructuring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq8j0snf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113325

In article <8dnnq2$k4n$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Keep away from Masons, Lloyd. One will eat you. Oh yeah, they're
really
> something to fear. Why do we fear people? Because it's easier than
> understanding. I never met a bad Mason in my life except a dopey one
named
> Wesley Woe Woe Cue. Lloyd fears Masons and yet he comes from Iowa
which has
> a city named Mason. They allowed his rightwing church to hold a
function and
> he still loathes them? What's with you N0VFP?

Mongolilllyod is in search of a flea dip.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2242. Re: AF2Y Third time's a charm !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq8n7suu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113326

In article <8dneq5$3fe$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Roger, how do you know that the slimeball is Youngblood? I thought he
posts
> from that el cheapo service called SUNET. What tracing route did you
use,
> ARINSWhois?

Try CyberKit.

>But then again consider this: I think his wife, Norskie Thunder,
> did give him the old heave ho out of bed and he's become a vagabond
road
> runner in a watermelon wagon along I-95. He's bitter, sullen and
angry and
> longs for the day when he can return to a civilized way of life
instead of
> having to machete his way through the dense foliage of frustration
and
> despair. And all through it he is somewhat buoyed by the eloquent
words of
> his beloved friend, "Queenie...Queenie..I got the
> best...heh...heh...heh...ho..hee...he..
Pittsburgh...Pittsburgh.....mommy
> and Misty...heh...heh...breckie..."

Queenie the laughing hyena?
From what I understand, the FRG person is a butt-buddy of Mongolillyod,
who's in search of a flea dip for himself.
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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2243. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq8v7$t93$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113327

In article <lVnL4.45172$y4.1604260@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Feel the power" <screwschrew@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> <w4fqf@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dkvr5
$63v$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > This news group is boring! Same old sexual remarks by
> > "Slopehead" from (SNIP)
>
> No George, you are bored since 14313 is
> now dead and there's nobody on there for you to try
> and stir up the shit as you've been doing for
> Years.
>
> > Can't anyone come up with something worth
> > while. I am afraid I will not be checking the postings
> > any more if it does not improve.
>
> I rest my case.
>
> Hey, what ever happened to Billy-Jerk?
> Did he finally drop dead from a stroke or something..?
> (please say yes) FQF & Billy-Jack Show: "Tweedle-Dip shit
> and Tweedle-Dumber still" Poster boys for all that is stupid.

The scientific community is still buzzing about the Anti-information
event horizon that exists in and around Memphis, TN. It emits more
stupidity than the largest known black hole.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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2244. Re: THIS NEWS GROUP IS BORING!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dq91n$t9g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113328

In article <13124-38FE1A53-22@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:
> W4FQF,
>
> With due respect, frankly, I haven't found your posts interesting
> either. We can only post to the best of our ability, hoping that we
can
> all spiral our intellects.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Except in Polly's case, there IS NO intellect.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2245. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8doiui$1c8$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113329
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lonnie Juli <lonnie@lonniejuli.com> wrote:
>The purests in the group may disagree, but I've used a G5RV, various dipoles
>(folded, trapped, etc.) and I'm not a big fan of multi band dipoles. Any of
>these have to be cut to the right length and have traps installed or you need a
>tuner. Traps can be very lossy. A tuner does not solve the problems of
>transmission line loss and you often end up with the transmission line
>radiating a good portion of the signal (and not in the direction you wanted).
>G5RVs are very prone to this as it's part of the design.

One type of multi-band dipole that works very nicely is the design
in which one connects jumpers across in-line insulators when wanting
to do a band change. Yes, it means a trip outside on a ladder to change
bands, but in operation, its performance is no different than a single-
band dipole.

It looks something like this:

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coax feed
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Each () insulator has a jumper; when all insulators are jumpered,
the dipole is set for say, 80m. With the two outer jumpers on each
end disconnected, the dipole is set for 40m. Et cetera.

73, Jeff KH6O

2246. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38ffd0cf.2531321@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113330
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 11:28:22 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>1 - The tests are really no diiferent today than for
>>almost the past 50 years...
>
>So how come all the uproar over Bash if things didn't change...

Bash just offered the direct questions which others (AMECO,
etc.) already offered, albeit not necessarily in exactly the
same format. I suspect more people were upset over
what he did, rather than what, if any, impact he actually had.
In the end, the FCC never went after Bash which certainly
suggests the FCC didn't expect to win or at the least
was uncertain enough about the outcome that they just
weren't going to bother.

After all...how many ways can you ask what the
unit of resistance is?

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2247. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <38ffd1bb.2767207@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 23:02:20 GMT, W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC)
wrote:

>On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 14:01:58 GMT, billsohl@interactive.net (Bill Sohl)
>wrote:
>
>>Becoming a real "technician" today involves
>>considerably more than just a ham license.
>>Indeed, the "front-line" techs today are more
>>just "black-box" changers and circuit board
>>swappers. They do NOT fix anything as
>>we did 40 years ago.
>>
>>Reality, what a trip:-)
>>
>>Cheers,
>>Bill K2UNK
>>
>I'm a front-line tech who fixes things....
>
>Why, just today I replaced a cracked plate resistor in a 12AX7 preamp
>in a 1957 Hammond 'D' organ in a church in rural SC. That made the
>organ a LOT louder! I sold 'em a couple of brand new Svetlana 6BQ5s,
>too! The ones that were in it were those old, unreliable, tubes that
>had been playing every Sunday, until recently, since 1957. They had
>"Hammond" printed on the side....original equipment.....
>
>We "front line techs" do a lot of component level
>troubleshooting.....just not on computerized ham gear that's, mostly,
>unrepairable, even in the manufacturer's shop!
>Larry W4CSC.....

Larry,
I am talking about the everyday "techs" employed in
industry (e.g. cable TV people; telephony maintenance
people; some consumer elctronics repair, auto
electronics repair, avionics, etc.)

If your day job offers you the opportuity to repair
a tube type organ, I'd say you are far more specialized
than you give yourself credit for. Such repair work
is not commonplace today. Indeed, most would call
you a specialist because you are able to work on those

old tube type stuff...even if the electronics is, in reality,
simpler.

Consider the PC of today. Repair of circuit boards
just isn't done. Even if a motherboard goes, the unit
is too complex to isolate the chip and a new board is
the instant (and cheaper) path to take.

>PS- Last year one of these old Hammonds was hit by lighting. IT came
>in on the powerline, blasted a hole in the wooden cabinet at the power
>plug, came out into the concrete floor, burning a hole in the cabinet
>bottom in about 6 places. The power cord was toasted. It was the
>only component that was. The organ's still playing just fine....(c;

Great.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2248. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dok7e$2k2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>I doubt that
>any of the material contained in the 1957 Handbook is the same
>text as the 2000 Handbook.

No one said that the 1957 edition alone was an all-time best
seller. A technical book, by definition, must be updated at
a rate proportional to the rate at which advancements take
place within its field. But you know this.
Jeff KH6O

2249. Re: What's the Frequency, Kenneth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000421000747.16421.00001508@ng-bd1.aol.com>
Source record: 113333

<<So in this movie, is some doofus calling Dianna Ross on the radio? >>

You're thinking of PHENOMENON (John Travolta) where Forrest Whittaker is a ham who uses a Kenwood TS940 to call "CQ Dianna Ross" and later interrupts some 10MHz military RTTY traffic. Sort of a doofus.

Jodie Foster's call letters in the movie CONTACT were "W9GFO" when she used her KWM-2.

W1GFH, Joe

2250. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <39021080.E0AE073A@snet.net>
Source record: 112984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Andy White wrote:
>
> On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 13:31:10, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> > Bill Sohl wrote:
> > > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> > > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > > I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> > > an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> > > My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> > > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> > > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> > > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
> >
> >
> > You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
> > repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
>
> Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
> you want to bounce off the moon and such

Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.

Barry
--
****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2251. CTCSS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <YdoM4.79952$W5.885959@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 112985

What exactly is CTCSS?

Repeater listing...
147.060 -.600 7digits*/# 100.000Hz

Ok, I know the 7digits*/# is turning of the auto patch.
The 100.00Hz is CTCSS, but what is it?
Do I have to set it up in both RX and TX? or just TX?
Thanx in advance
--
EDDY

2252. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39020DAD.6240D21F@bctv.com>
Source record: 112986
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
> >>
> >> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >> Really? Even with all the aerodynamic drag from that DSS dish mounted
> >> >> on your roof? ;-)
> >> >
> >> >Even in Low.
> >>
> >> Only wussies and cripples drive an automatic. ;-)
> >
> >Third group: Those who like to pass by Mustangs.
>
> The only way that could happen is if you drove your Camaro past a Ford
> dealer's lot. ;-)

Well, it IS a stretch of the imagination to suggest that those Mustangs
might run long enough to get out the dealer's driveway, but I was giving
you the benefit of the doubt.

> >BTW, I'm a cripple. You got a problem with that? ;)
>
> Only if you're in a wheelchair...

Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?

2253. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3902101E.A11F53DC@snet.net>
Source record: 112987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Brendan K Callahan wrote:
> They are two different things to me, used for different purposes.
> Also, how many ppl with cell phones, stop to help ppl in need on
> freeways? What percentage? And think of how many ham operators

Why stop? My cell phone allows me to place a free call to the Samaritan truck or State Police, which I do all the time.

The last time I stopped to offer help, the "motorists" climbed a fence, jumped in another car, and split. It wasn't their car, they were breaking into it. Luckily, they weren't armed. FWIW, this was NOT in a bad area, it was on Rt. 84 in a suburban area of Connecticut. Since then, I don't stop, I call professionals.

Barry
--
****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2254. Re: Elian was snatched(to Paul)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt39sfrl1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112988

Paul,
Reno, Clinton and the INS HAD to do what HAD to be done and I understand that. If I, you and everyone else must obey the law of the land, then why not the Miami Gonzalezes? And I'm positive the kid was not harmed in any way as proven by the INS female who took control of him immediately after being snatched. What I say is that one must relive the mistakes of history if nothing had been done to correct them years ago. Remember when we invaded Grenada to save the kids in the med school? We should have coordinated an attack on Cuba too. If the USA felt threatened in OUR SPHERE OF INFLUENCE i.e. North America, we've acted but NOT regarding Cuba. And to think that we are now appeasing a bearded commie s.o.b. who would have been laughing had Russian missiles been launched from his soil to rain death upon us. I and millions of other Americans didn't like what happened today but it was unavoidable by our OWN making. The reunion however guarantees nothing. The kid may have a violent reaction to poppa as he calls him? Or maybe poppa will ask for political asylum which would shut Castro's mouth while jeapordizing every other related Gonzalez on the island? Whatever happens I saw that Reno and everyone in the Dept. of Justice, the Prez and the INS had gone out of their way with patience and understanding and LAW MUST BE OBEYED, period.
Doc,AF2Y

2255. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39020E3F.CD0A0CEF@bctv.com>
Source record: 112989

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Radiosigs wrote
> >Had we taken out Castro when we could have, never would such a mess have
> >happened. We tolerated a cancer at out toe and it spread. I decided. I'm not
> >voting for Clinton any more.
>
> No you won't vote for Clinton anymore but you'll damn sure vote for Algore
> won't you.

Actually, I expect that this will cost Gore at least a million votes.

2256. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt3jqvmj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112990

Don,
Why don't you pack up and get out of the USA? It's cute to insult the
premier law officer in the land and the President too? You're a goddamned
ingrate rightwing fink who doesn't appreciate the liberality of this land. I
don't like what happened today in Mimai but EVERY OPTION had been offered
and rejected by the Gonzalezes and who the devil are they to defy the law?
Whom do those Cubans think they are burning our flag?
Doc

In article <nUkM4.1190$JN3.7315@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "Richard McCollum"
<rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote:

>
> "Donald Burkhart" <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote in message
> news:20661-3901D38F-31@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
>> People like N0BK make me want to vomit! Openly supporting "Field
>> Marshal" Reno and Heir Clinton...
>>
>> Where's the ADL when you really need 'em!
>>
>> Don B.
>>
> And where is a functioning brain when you really need one?
>
> Dick
>
>

2257. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt3nv$49b$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112991

A good bet since the G.O.P rejected John McCain, a DECENT, MIDDLE OF THE ROAD candidate. You want make something out of it?

In article <20000422141804.15220.00001797@ng-fh1.aol.com>, kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Radiosigs wrote
>>Had we taken out Castro when we could have, never would such a mess have
>>happened. We tolerated a cancer at out toe and it spread. I decided. I'm not
>>voting for Clinton any more.
>
> No you won't vote for Clinton anymore but you'll damn sure vote for Algore
> won't you.
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
>

2258. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000422165808.20071.00001942@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 112992

Speaking of attorneys, Elian's father has Klintoon's attorney. I wonder how
that happened, and why.

Ke8hh wrote

>Sounds like a typical drug raid to me.
>
> Happens everyday across >America.

So does that make it any more correct?

> If it's important enough to ignore our 4th and 5th Amendment
>rights to "protect us from drugs" (usually marijuana--that assassin of
>children's innocence!!!), it's certainly important enough to ignore
>them to remove a child from a hostage situation and reunite him with
>his father.
Why have them at all(Constitutional rights) if they'll be ignored on a whim?
>>Maybe if AlGore is elected, he'll keep Reno as attorney general. We can
>always
>>hope.
>
> Better than Bush.

NOT ON HIS BEST DAY

He'll probably turn the job over to one of
>his corporate attorneys with instructions to ease off on consumer
>protection.

You mean like comrade Klinton? He's had a batallion of attorneys working for
him since day one. Not to mention a few "known" drug dealers.

> Rick--ke8hh

Liberals are sooo open minded,
that they let their brains fall out.

2259. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39020FF1.98142D1F@bctv.com>
Source record: 112993

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
> >
> >
> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> > >
> > > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched
> up
> > > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried
> to
> > > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of
> Yanks
> > > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but
> his
> > > father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no
> > > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if
> they
> > > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
> > > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would
> not
> > > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion
> concludes,
> > > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
> > > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
> > > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
> >
> > The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
> > roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
> > family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
> >
> > IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
> >
> > I am ashamed of what my government has become.
>
> Gee whiz and gosharootee, Keith. It didn't look really sanitary, did it.
> Of course it looked like Black Squads, the Gestapo, and every other police
> action of a similar stripe -- the considerations are the same. That the INS
> might have been a tad amateurish about it only shows that they don't do it
> enough to be REALLY good at it. Whether one is doing a cell extraction, a
> drug raid, a death squad caper, or the execution of a legal order, these
> rules apply:
>

> A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a
> nice warm bed.

Well, the good guy was ripped out of what has become his home, and given
to a man he feared, who intends to take him back to a "paradise" that
shoots people whose only crime is wanting to leave.

> The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees hands
> not much is going to happen one way or the other.

. . .in a perfect world. This is not a perfect world.

As you said, these guys aren't all that expert at this sort of thing.

> The gun points where one
> is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or
> waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it is
> done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very sound
> planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.

So did the SS.

> Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or will
> not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long.

There's that word, "lawful." There was a government that once issued a
"lawful" order that all members of a particular religion be exterminated
(that's the word that was used). Men, women, children, to be
EXTERMINATED simply for being members of a particular faith.

And before you say that couldn't happen here, it DID happen here. The
governor of Missouri sent TROOPS to exterminate the Mormons.

"Lawful" orders are any orders issued by the people who make or
interpret the law.

2260. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt40lrlj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112994

Where was George W. during this debacle? Asleep or indifferent or uninformed? I heard nothing out of "Curly" from Austin. Maybe he's working on the 1/20/01 inauguration speech he'll never need? But then again the economy may go to hell between now and November which will be the ONLY way he'd ever beat Gore. Stay tuned.

In article <20000422142347.28148.00002565@ng-ft1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> Radiosigs says:
>>I'm not voting for Clinton any more.
>
> Good call, Radiosigs. Hopefully the Cuban-Americans in Miami and everywhere
> else will follow your lead and NOT vote for AlGore.
>

2261. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt4l1nod1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112995

This guy actually believes I didn't know Clinton is limited to two terms? Sheesh! You don't like assassinations of commies? Ever hear of Salvador Allende of Chile? Who did him in, the Mickey Mouse Club? Yet I never used that term. Fidel could have been asked politely to step aside as we ringed his palace. Cuba, a small independent country, was Russia's BASE OF OPERATIONS in North America and the launching pad for her nuclear missiles, remember? I remember those October '62 days VIVIDLY since I was in New York City and no one was sure there would be a tomorrow. Cuba, that sweet little independent country, had a force on Grenada all set to interdict our oil supplies coming from Margarita Island Venezuela. Reagan did something about it. Cuba, that sweet little island, had troops in Angola, Ethiopia and Eritrea trying to help communize Africa. Have you forgotten? Sweet independent Cuba, the supplier of weapons to the commie Sandinistas in Nicaragua. Castro and Daniel Ortega were buddy buddy planning to communize and take control of Central America and the Panama Canal. Yep, guess you're right. Nothing should have been done to take over that sweet little independent island.
Doc,AF2Y

In article
<BF252740A546EDD8.3ED8116BAD9889CD.206AF0FFC0B41175@lp.airnews.net>,
ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:

> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 13:38:40 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>>Had we taken out Castro when we could have, never would such a mess have
>>happened.
>
> In other words, if we assassinated the leader of a sovereign
> nation we would be better off?
>
> Peculiar set of values you have.
>
>>We tolerated a cancer at out toe and it spread.
>
> Translation: We didn't destroy a small, independent, country
> completely--only its economy--and we should have taken it over to
> protect _our_ interests?
>
> Who elected US god??????
>
>> I decided. I'm not
>>voting for Clinton any more.

>
> Neither is anyone else. This is his second term. He can't run
> again, remember????
>
> Sheesh!
>
> Rick--ke8hh
>
> --
>
> Rick Adams
> ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net
> adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
> Department of Social Sciences
> Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
> "... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
> will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
> Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2262. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390210BD.8811F2A9@bctv.com>
Source record: 112996

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote in message
> > SNIP
> > If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to
> > interview the boy and his father.
> > He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His
> > Mother died trying to get him here.
> > Just a thought.
> >
>
> 1) The kid is an illegal.
> 2) The kid is a Cuban citizen.
> 3) IF the kid was of legal age AND a US citizen, THEN he would have US
> "rights".

The US Supreme Court has unanimously and consistently found that the
rights under law of a US citizen in US territory are also held by a
non-citizen in US territory.

2263. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerBeep <snide@snide.com>
Message-ID: <390207F3.69F9@snide.com>
Source record: 112997

W5LZ wrote:
>
> Doc,
> The INS finally got around to doing what it should have
> done almost 5 months ago. If they(INS) hadn't 'fooled' around
> for nearly five months, in a false 'humanitarian' gesture, NONE
> of this foolishness would have taken place. That the court
> systems in Florida helped in this last five months of political
> 'making-hay', is shameful.

WORD TO THE WISE!!! This country has had all of it's attention placed on the 'EG' situation while who knows what happened in the rest of the world, Congress and White House! Better get your focus back where it belongs... who knows what the F**K happened for the past 5 months! I've already learned that when situations like these happen it makes for an opportune time for all kinds of 'backdoor' finagling---don't be a sucker and fall for this crap!

2264. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25258-39021206-63@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112998

Rick: Perhaps you need to listen to more of Rush Limbaugh and Matt Drudge on 970, WKHM. I'm sure you'd learn all about the special "perks" your fellow communist party members enjoy in Cuba! (i.e. an extra five gallons of gas per month, an extra roll of TP and toothpaste per month, etc.)

Keep on teaching your socialism over at JCC. That's why my kids go to a good conservative school. (Spring Arbor) Do we have your permission to take some of your quotes and use them in "The Voice of the People"???

Don B.

2265. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39021349.F77473B2@bctv.com>
Source record: 112999

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote in message
> > SNIP
> > If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to
> > interview the boy and his father.
> > He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His
> > Mother died trying to get him here.
> > Just a thought.
> >
>
> 1) The kid is an illegal.
> 2) The kid is a Cuban citizen.
> 3) IF the kid was of legal age AND a US citizen, THEN he would have US
> "rights".

The US Supreme Court has unanimously and consistently found that the
rights under law of a US citizen in US territory are also held by a
non-citizen in US territory.

2266. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerBeep <snide@snide.com>
Message-ID: <390208C8.1716@snide.com>
Source record: 113000

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> The US Supreme Court has unanimously and consistently found that the
> rights under law of a US citizen in US territory are also held by a
> non-citizen in US territory.

Futhermore, is is unanimous and consistent in the US territory that certain individuals have more rights that others---in this instance---aliens.

2267. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3902144F.54939F9B@bctv.com>
Source record: 113001

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Don,
> Why don't you pack up and get out of the USA? It's cute to insult the
> premier law officer in the land and the President too?

It's an American tradition.

Especially when they break the law that they are supposed to
administrate.

> Whom do those Cubans think they are burning our flag?

Yeah, how DARE they act like there is FREEDOM in the United States!

2268. Re: Elian was snatched(to doc)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000422173256.22241.00003308@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 113002

af2y wrote
>Reno, Clinton and the INS HAD to do what HAD to be done and I understand
>that.
I think it was an INS "ruling" that they were violating doc, not law.
If I, you and everyone else must obey the law of the land, then why
>not the Miami Gonzalezes? And I'm positive the kid was not harmed in any way
Now how can you be so "positive?" Psychologically he may be a wreck. Which he
probably is from "everything" that has been going on.

>as proven by the INS female who took control of him immediately after being
>snatched. What I say is that one must relive the mistakes of history if
>nothing had been done to correct them years ago. Remember when we invaded
>Grenada to save the kids in the med school? We should have coordinated an
>attack on Cuba too. If the USA felt threatened in OUR SPHERE OF INFLUENCE
>i.e. North America, we've acted but NOT regarding Cuba. And to think that we
>are now appeasing a bearded commie s.o.b. who would have been laughing had
>Russian missiles been launched from his soil to rain death upon us. I and
>millions of other Americans didn't like what happened today but it was
>unavoidable by our OWN making.
When you say "by our own making" you are mistaken. Some would have done things
differently.
The reunion however guarantees nothing. The
>kid may have a violent reaction to poppa as he calls him? Or maybe poppa
>will ask for political asylum which would shut Castro's mouth while
>jeapordizing every other related Gonzalez on the island? Whatever happens I
>saw that Reno and everyone in the Dept. of Justice, the Prez and the INS had
>gone out of their way with patience and understanding and LAW MUST BE
>OBEYED, period.
I don't suppose anyone thought of just knocking on the door and saying hand him
over, we're he to take him to his father. Of course I'm sure that the
"intelligence" that the US Marshals had told them how well armed they we're in
that house. That had to be the reason for the full assault gear and weapons.
Hell, I've seen less hardware in raids where they "knew" the occupants were
dangerous. As for the finger off the trigger, that's training, nothing more. He
obviously thought that he'd have no reason to shoot but could have just as
quickly with or with the finger being inside the trigger guard. sheesh !
>Doc,AF2Y

2269. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: SuperDave <SuperDave@Goes.Crash>
Message-ID: <39021903.DD3A7311@Goes.Crash>
Source record: 113003
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?

Because the wheelchair's faster than the Camaro? <shrug>

Dave
--
"I am not a CROOK." -- Dick Nix'

PS. I just quit smoking and I'm grumpy as hell. Don't like it, too
bad.

2270. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000422174232.22241.00003310@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 113004

Why would he (Bush) want to get involved in "another" Klintoon/Gore/Reno debacle?
You see Algore keeping his distance don't you? Especially after he realized he came down on the wrong side and then flip -flopped - a couple of timmes. LOL
Doc, when he's the Pres., and he will be, then he'll be involved. OK.

2271. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malenypmh@hot.net
Message-ID: <39020c5c.207911063@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 113005

AMEN! Well said and true as true could be!

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 19:03:56 GMT, pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

>I've posted these sentiments to a couple of threads, but I think they
>bear a more public airing in their own thread:
>
>A lot of current hams - Generals through Extras - are understandably
>upset (even incensed) that new hams and especially long-time lower
>grade hams have an easier path to upgrade than they, themselves, did.
>It is true that the upgrade path is significantly easier without 13-wpm
>and 20-wpm requirements than it was just a month ago.
>
>BUT, the truth is that this isn't the first time that license upgrade
>requirements were 'dumbed down' and many of today's so-called "Real
>Ham" complainers are, themselves, beneficiaries of earlier rounds of
>dumbing down - and are holders of earlier versions of 'welfare'
>licenses.
>
>Once upon a time you had to take a written license test that combined
>the requirement of drawing over a dozen circuit diagrams (requiring in-
>depth knowledge of electrical theory and circuit design), and the
>requirement of answering a number of essay-style questions (requiring
>even wider in-depth knowledge). Also, to pass the code requirement,
>the examinee had to show the ability to copy accurately at speed and
>also to send accurately at speed with a straight key. Neither test
>allowed for any guessing or prior memorization of the answers - you
>really had to know your stuff.
>
>In later years, the powers that be dumbed down the tests dramatically.
>The written tests became strictly multiple-choice - with public
>printing of the exact question pools, complete with answers available
>to anyone who wanted to memorize his way into a higher class.
>
>The code test was dumbed down even more. Now, all you had to do was to
>answer (or guess) 7 out of 10 questions (sometimes fill-in-the-blank,
>but more often the easier multiple-choice format). No more requirement
>to copy accurately. No more test of sending skill at all (ignoring the
>fact that Part 97 of Title 47 CFR still specifies that a sending test
>must be part of the code test requirements).
>
>Unless you took all of your licensing and upgrade tests before the era
>of the dramatically easier multiple-choice tests, YOU, TOO, ARE A
>WELFARE HAM, and really have no call to be complaining about the
>logical next step of the dumbing-down process!

>
>So, unless all you last-generation welfare hams are willing to make a
>truly noble gesture and publicly burn your dumbed-down multiple-choice
>licenses, please stop the public pissing and moaning. Welcome the new
>welfare recipients into the fold and try to help them grow into skilled
>and conscientious operators - as the previous "Real Hams" once did for
>you.
>
>73 de John / K2INY
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

2272. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20350-39021839-21@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113006

Excuse me? And you're an instructor at a junior college level? What court gave Janet Reno authority? And wasn't that recently overturned by a higher court? And didn't "Field Marshal" Reno ignore that court decision?

Perhaps a VOP letter is in order here...

Don

2273. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtaeq$2jf$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113007

In article <8dsbo901rg7@enews4.newsguy.com>,
tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L. Bryant) wrote:

> You have this carefully, well-thought presentation of the allegations
> against him, but you destroy all of your credibility by refering to
> him as "porkbutt" throughout the text.

There are at least two problems with your analysis.

First, if you think n0vfp had anything to do with procucing this material, you haven't read any of his material. He is incapable of it. He is also notorious for posting stuff that isn't his without crediting who's it is.

Second, it is neither careful nor well-thought out. Moreover, its only purpose is to fan the flames of a situation that has effectively been resolved with the surrender of the subject's license. Sure, there are some malcontents that would like it to continue, and you can read their efforts at stirring up trouble right here on r.r.a.m.

Basically, when you add it all up, it's nothing but a troll post. You can generally assume that from anything by n0vfp.

LRod

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2274. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390221AD.688EE986@bctv.com>
Source record: 113008
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SuperDave wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?
>
> Because the wheelchair's faster than the Camaro? <shrug>

. . .and the Camaro just passed by your ponymobile. Yeah, I'd be upset too! ;)

2275. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ftfmw40.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 113009
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 06:56:20 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:

>Yep, let's just agree to disagree...cause I am equally
>certain that Bash would have had no problem getting
>a defense attorney...probably from the ACLU.

"Getting a defense attorney"...sure, no problem. There are loads of them around. Making a winning defense is another matter.

"From the ACLU" .... don't hold your breath.

A colleague who has been a brief-writer for the ACLU for over 15 years convinced me that they look at the pizzazz value of a case first and will walk away from a "good" case if it doesn't have any. The Great Dick Bash matter has zero appeal outside the amateur community.

Peace, brother.....

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

2276. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtape$2ma$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113010

In article <8dt6j5$u9q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> Keep it up Doc, and you WILL get planted. Your place is easy in and
> easy out. You keep it up as above, and you will be in court like
> Herb.
>
> Pitbull

Yawn.

LRod

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2277. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt9lv$k1u$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113011

<Malenymph@hot.net> wrote in message
news:3901ab8d.183123639@news.idsi.net...
> On 19 Apr 2000 16:47:03 -0000, Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
> (A REAL Ham) wrote:
>
> > Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> >types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> >upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll
be
> >run off.
>
> 0 2 4 6 8 10
> /
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> /
> TROLL-O-METER
>
Really? I found this to be a rather lifeless outing for A REAL Ham.
Audiences have become jaded to the old CB slurs and are expecting more
pizzazz from their trolls. Eschewing apostrophes, A REAL Ham briefly takes
the reader inside the MD 20-20-sloshed mind of today's cranky ham radio
operator. There is no character development, precious little plot, and a
tired message. This has all been done before, by more skillful trolls with a
flair for the art form. Even authentic, heartfelt hate and sheer dumbfsckery
cannot compensate for lack of skill. A REAL Ham must learn the basics before
he can expect to enrage his targets consistently.

C. L. Coolsmith's rating: 1 1/2 rat's asses (out of a possible 4)

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

2278. Re: CTCSS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtbci$393$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113012

In article <YdoM4.79952$W5.885959@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
"EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
> What exactly is CTCSS?
>
> Repeater listing...
> 147.060 -.600 7digits*/# 100.000Hz

Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System. It's a subaudible tone that's continuously transmitted whenever the transmitter is keyed, and in the receiver a tone detector, upon receiving the correct tone will open the squelch in the receiving radio.

Motorola's trade name is "Private Line", which is short cut to PL and is the name most hams use to describe CTCSS. GE's name for the same arrangement is Quiet Channel and RCA's name is Channel Guard (or vice versa).

There is a system of standard tones and code names (for example, 100 Hz is 1Z) that you should be able to find in the ARRL Repeater Directory, or possibly somewhere on the 'net. Some radios will allow the frequency to be programmed directly, some use a digital/binary system, and some use the standard code names.

Most VHF (and some HF) radios sold in the last 15 years have PL transmit capability built in. Usually a PL decoder is an option or just not available. It's usually easer to add aftermarket encoding than aftermarket decoding. Check the manual of your radio for capabilities and methods of use.

In the early years of repeaters, PL was used to make a repeater "private", a concept many amateurs find contrary to the idea of amateur radio. Within the last 15 years it's used more to resolve co-channel or nearby same-channel interference problems. It's also sometimes used to resolve 2A-B intermod symptoms.

Hope this helps.

LRod

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2279. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: SuperDave <SuperDave@Goes.Crash>
Message-ID: <39022B1A.A26BFAE8@Goes.Crash>
Source record: 113013
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> . . .and the Camaro just passed by your ponymobile. Yeah, I'd be upset
> too! ;)

No pony's here... You'd be lucky to stay close enough to my old
Cougar to even tell what it is..

I don't even race it anymore really.. I made it too fast to run all
out on the streets..

Oh, and don't think your little tinfoil toy can keep up either.. I've
watched people try to build a Camaro to keep up. There ain't enough
structure to the cars to hold them together with the hp's necessary to
keep up with me... Maybe with a 9inch rear end and a rear frame, but
not with them puny little 7.whatever inchers you guys get...

Dave
--
"I am not a CROOK." -- Dick Nix'

PS. I just quit smoking and I'm grumpy as hell. Don't like it, too
bad.

2280. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtc0t$434$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113014

In article <25258-39021206-63@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

> Rick: Perhaps you need to listen to more of Rush Limbaugh and Matt
> Drudge on 970, WKHM.

Bwahahahahahaha.

Citing those two as reputable, responsible sources speaks volumes.

> I'm sure you'd learn all about the special "perks" your fellow
> communist party members enjoy in Cuba! (i.e. an extra five gallons of
> gas per month, an extra roll of TP and toothpaste per month, etc.)

Yeah, and they're so knowledgable, too.

Bwahahahaha.

You can always tell a ditto-head, but why would you want to.

LRod

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2281. Re: W2RCL TO MARRIE INTO THE WHITTEN FAMLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <36e993ce.bf00f9bd@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 113015

In article <8dskmd$bh3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com talked out of his ass:
> In article <8dsiu3$9li$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8dqqfe$g7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > W2RCL IS GOING TO MARRY RICHES OTHER DAUGHTER BOB SAYS SHE
IS A REAL
> > > DOG BUT IT WILL GET ME IN THE FAMLEY. BOB AND STAR LEG THE
NEW
> COUPLE.
> > > RICH GETS A BUILT IN CONTROL OPP.
> > >
> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > > Before you buy.
> > >
> >
> > Is it the booze, or are you that illiterate?
> SHUT THE FUCK UP FAT ASS DUMBASSMAN

So it IS illiteracy. Thought so.
And a obese slob like you Guernsey cow shouldn't point fat
fingers at anybody.
Is it true that you are deferred from wearing a helmet when you
race because of the thickness of your skull?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2282. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39022a0d.1418623@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 13:31:10 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>> It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
>> what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
>> Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
>> at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
>> telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
>> I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
>> an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
>> My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
>> me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
>> traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
>> to me is $0 per minutes of use.
>
>You talk worldwide on 2m?

Never said I did that. Some people talk worldwide mobile
on HF.

>What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
>repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?

Why do I care about the costs of someone else's repeater?

>You're talking apples and oranges.

You have no clue at all about what you are talking about.

Bill K2UNK

2283. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39022a8c.1545410@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 16:50:08 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

>Andy White wrote:
>>
>> On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 13:31:10, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> > Bill Sohl wrote:
>> > > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
>> > > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
>> > > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
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>> > > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
>> > > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
>> > > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
>> >
>> > You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
>> > repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
>>
>> Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
>> you want to bounce off the moon and such
>
>Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.

Hogwash. I offered my own personal experiences
as to why ham radio is enjoyable.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2284. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <neinnein@gespammen.de>
Message-ID: <f5c4gssk6pb9bfibstq3gqap5b5bofcciu@4ax.com>
Source record: 113018
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SuperDave <SuperDave@Goes.Crash> wrote:

>Keith Wood wrote:
>>
>> Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?
>
> Because the wheelchair's faster than the Camaro?

Even when the wheelchair is towing a Mustang it's faster than a
Camaro!

ROFLMAO

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2285. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <03323eec.c1a4dbaa@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 113019

In article <8dsmtqdmf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-
deja.com> wrote:
>In article <20000421172144.17407.00001576@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>> I don't think you should revive anything, especially any of
the
>slanderous
>> defamatory stuff you used to put on the I-net. Think about it
Davies.
>One day
>> you ask for people to forgive you, be your friend, and the
next day
>your
>> starting shit with people all over again. (excuse the
language).
>>
>Just goes to show you how ignorant he really is. And
>Lllllloyd...THANKS!! Ive been waiting for you to screw up
again. Now
>your mine asshole.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Get him, Dan!

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2286. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <neinnein@gespammen.de>
Message-ID: <a7c4gso82kr7icqfqjhq9uusb7f9eah966@4ax.com>
Source record: 113020
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>> >BTW, I'm a cripple. You got a problem with that? ;)
>>
>> Only if you're in a wheelchair...
>
>Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?

Sorry, that was kind of an obscure reference. You'd have had to have
been reading alt.dss.hack about a month ago to get it. Basically some
guy got all bent out of shape, accusing someone else of being
prejudiced against him because he was handicapped and in a wheelchair,
when in reality the guy in the wheelchair had never mentioned it
before and the guy he was accusing had no way of knowing he was in a
wheelchair IRL. Does that make sense?

Like I said, you had to be there. ;-)

For the record, I have no problem whatsoever with you or anyone else
being a cripple or being in a wheelchair.

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to
this newsgroup.

2287. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <041d1178.c3027f28@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 113021

In article <8dsn9f$o14
$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

<snip>

>I wonder what you
>two would do if Rich retested, passed and got back on the air?
SUICIDE? Hell
>why not since turnabout is fair play. You're killing ham radio,
aren't you?
>AF2Y

We couldn't get that LUCKY for them to commit suicide.

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2288. Shortwave Radio Listening Resources, Writings, FRG100 Control Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: algorithm_server@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <39023229.12544856@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 113022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.hobbies.boyscouts,misc.education.science,k12.ed.science

A collection of shortwave listening resources for the beginner and for juveniles, as well as general radio references for all ages can be found at

http://www.inwit.com/inwit/links/shortwaveradiolistening.html

The site includes a regularly-updated shortwave listening log, writings on how to write reception reports and obtain QSL cards, contact addresses and web/webcast links for station worldwide, useful radio-related web links including pointers to radio kit sites, and source code modules for computer control of the Yaseu FRG-100 Communications Receiver using the FIF-232C Computer-Aided Transceiver (CAT) System.

The site is soon to include writings on

Lightning and Protection
The Frequency Bands
Antennas
Propagation and the Atmosphere
Number Calling Stations

2289. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <000c4b4b.c3d3f757@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 113023

In article <8dt6j5$u9q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com
wrote:
>>In article <8dsn9f$o14$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
<snip>

>Keep it up Doc, and you WILL get planted. Your place is easy
>in and easy out. You keep it up as above, and you will be in
>court like Herb.
>
> Pitfool

And the INCREDIBLE SHRINKING BRAIN enlightens the masses with
his uninformed opinions.

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2290. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce or Tracy <bljacobs@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 113024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
so keep a close eye on them.

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 15:21:59 GMT, "Evone Goolagonge"
> <hellothere@gulfnet.com> wrote:
>
> >Listen to the Miami Police Radio and hear LIVE!
> >
> >http://www.policescanner.com/policeMPD.stm
> >
> >
> >
> THANKS! Wish I'd been monitoring at 4AM this morning......They're
> talking about Swat and I can hear a cop choking on tear gas on his
> radio on Flagler at 42 avenue right now! Amazing.
>
> Larry W4CSC....

2291. Re: Want to Buy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <03885508.c7343333@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 113025

In article <8dt1j6$p59$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com
wrote:
>I need a tuning capacitor,C2, to use in my homebrew 4-1000.
This cap
>should be voltage rated 4500vdc or so. 3900pf to 8400 pf.
Have got
>U.S. dollars to trade.

That is if Shamu Jane will let you spend them......

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2292. Re: Want to Buy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dteac$6bc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113026

In article <8dt1j6$p59$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> I need a tuning capacitor,C2, to use in my homebrew 4-1000. This cap
> should be voltage rated 4500vdc or so. 3900pf to 8400 pf. Have got
> U.S. dollars to trade.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>
Hey David....this is a for real one....you know ham to ham....Try FAIR
RADIO IN LIMA OHIO or Surplus Sales of Nebrasks. Know Surplus Sales is
on the net.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2293. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <078ba46e.c88bc380@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 113027

In article <8dtape$2ma$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-
deja.com> wrote:
>In article <8dt6j5$u9q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>> Keep it up Doc, and you WILL get planted. Your place is easy
in and
>> easy out. You keep it up as above, and you will be in court
like
>> Herb.
>>
>> Pitbull
>
>Yawn.
>
>LRod

Yeah, really..who needs Sominex<tm> when we have this guy!

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2294. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gold142 <pension99@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#XpeaRLr$GA.206@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 113028

Let me examine the use of the word "scumbag". It seems to have been recently reinvigorated by Bob Grant, the rather right wing radio celebrity when he started using it to describe the ex-governor of New York Mario Cuomo. What I think you mean when you use in the context of "anyone who was an technician plus..." is that such a person is "scum"--- a low, worthless person. Scumbag is more precisely a prophylactic and although it conjures up a rather disgusting picture it is meaningless in the way you have chosen to use it.
Now that we have cleared that up, we can address the phrase "don't come on my frequency..." First of all I take issue with the concept of "my frequency" but rather than discuss that here, tell where your frequency is, and if my General Class license allows me to go there I will join you some day...for now perhaps we could examine your use of the word "come" as in "don't come on my frequency"- what exactly did you mean by that?

<Malenymph@hot.net> wrote in message
news:3901ab8d.183123639@news.idsi.net...
> On 19 Apr 2000 16:47:03 -0000, Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
> (A REAL Ham) wrote:
>
> > Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
> >types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
> >upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll
be
> >run off.
>
> 0 2 4 6 8 10
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> /
> TROLL-O-METER
>

2295. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39023644.28C44578@bctv.com>
Source record: 113029
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SuperDave wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > . . .and the Camaro just passed by your ponymobile. Yeah, I'd be upset
> > too! ;)
>
> No pony's here... You'd be lucky to stay close enough to my old
> Cougar to even tell what it is..

Well, if it's an original Cougar (built on the original Mustang
frameset), then you might be correct. If it's one of the newer ones,
I'll just let off the gas until I can read "raguoC" in the mirror.

2296. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lawrence & Bev Borgford <borgy@sk.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <nTqM4.2574$4JC.6029594@tomcat.sk.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 113030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

http://www.apbnews.com/

try the above websie more choices

2297. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390237D3.A365747C@bctv.com>
Source record: 113031
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >> >BTW, I'm a cripple. You got a problem with that? ;)
> >>
> >> Only if you're in a wheelchair...
> >
> >Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?
>
> Sorry, that was kind of an obscure reference. You'd have had to have
> been reading alt.dss.hack

Ah. I'm not in a.d.h, I'm in r.r.a.m, so I would have missed the ref.

> about a month ago to get it. Basically some
> guy got all bent out of shape, accusing someone else of being
> prejudiced against him because he was handicapped and in a wheelchair,
> when in reality the guy in the wheelchair had never mentioned it
> before and the guy he was accusing had no way of knowing he was in a
> wheelchair IRL. Does that make sense?

THe progression makes sense. The guy's attitude does not, but who's
counting?

> Like I said, you had to be there. ;-)
>
> For the record, I have no problem whatsoever with you or anyone else
> being a cripple or being in a wheelchair.

Good thing, or I'll run over your toes. ;)

For the record, I am neither permanently crippled (I hope), nor am I
always in a wheelchair. I have good days where I am up and around, and
bad days where I can't get out of bed without more pain than it's
worth. On a good day, I pop the T-tops and hit the highway, on the bad
days I wonder if there will be a good day before I run out of food. ;)

2298. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422195601.08502.00001087@nso-fq.aol.com>
Source record: 113032

In article <B50F840AE19FAA43.EAE2E763C563F900.73F9E4BE8D9C159E@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) writes:

>Where DO you live without telephone service?? It even works at the
>South Pole!

I recently (last summer) spend 5 days on a fishing trip in extreme
northwestern Ontario, where there was no phone service, cell or otherwise

N9GSU

2299. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20349-39023B6E-78@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113033

A lot more credible than the main stream press which tried to pass off a milder photo of the Nazi attack this morning. Glad Drudge exposed the media conspiracy, LRod. Because of those two entirely different photos, millions got to see how the left manipulates the press.

You can always tell a commie, too...LRod. When they buy a bucket of KFC, they only ask for "left" wings...

Don B.

2300. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <dta4gs051p0f2k9j9hnjjl1sf1btk9hajn@4ax.com>
Source record: 113034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net> wrote:

>> Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
>> you want to bounce off the moon and such
>
>Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.

It can be done fairly easily using his own equipment.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

2301. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <clrM4.1522$JN3.9797@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113035

"Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
news:39020FF1.98142D1F@bctv.com...
>
>
> Richard McCollum wrote:
> >
> > "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> > news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
> > > > IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
> > A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a
> > nice warm bed.
>
> Well, the good guy was ripped out of what has become his home, and given
> to a man he feared, who intends to take him back to a "paradise" that
> shoots people whose only crime is wanting to leave.
>
> > The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees
hands
> > not much is going to happen one way or the other.
>
> . . .in a perfect world. This is not a perfect world.
>
> As you said, these guys aren't all that expert at this sort of thing.
>
> > The gun points where one
> > is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or
> > waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it
is
> > done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very
sound
> > planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.
>
> So did the SS.
>
> > Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or
will
> > not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long.
>
> There's that word, "lawful." There was a government that once issued a
> "lawful" order that all members of a particular religion be exterminated
> (that's the word that was used). Men, women, children, to be
> EXTERMINATED simply for being members of a particular faith.
>
> And before you say that couldn't happen here, it DID happen here. The

> governor of Missouri sent TROOPS to exterminate the Mormons.
>
> "Lawful" orders are any orders issued by the people who make or
> interpret the law.

As I recall, the Mormons were pretty good at massacre themselves or at the very least some very non-professional execution of self-defense rights. That part of history is not pretty and is pretty indefensible.
But it proves only that no structural system prevents mankind from being bozos. We have had lynchings, intimidations by the carload, wrongful executions (many if one extrapolates from existing data), and miscarriages of justice beyond measure. The question is what else does one do?

First two things have to happen. Issues have to be de-politicized; you simply cannot decide each case one at a time on the luck of the draw. A legal system must be predictable or it is a sham. Predictability implies a certainty of enforcement. (kind of leaves out California). Second, there has to be an area beyond the will of the majority whether you call it a Bill of Rights or the Ancient Rights of Englishmen or the Three Laws of Robotics.

The Missouri Governor led a lynch mob, pure and simple knowing full well that the Federal Government had neither the will nor the means (or for that matter at the time - the laws) to oppose him. Lawful?
Hardly. I would also point out that religion meant a bit more at the time, particularly it would seem in upstate New York where not only the LDS but the various offshoots of Captain Miller came out of at roughly the same time. Something in the water :-)

It has often been noted that in the event of a successful invasion, little changes down at the Police Department. That was my point, extractions are pretty much all alike.

So far as I can tell, Elian was being used as a hostage in a political confrontation. Being a child of 6, his opinions might be interesting but hardly decisive. The politics can be settled later - as they were in Missouri. Cases like this make for interesting politics and bad law.

Should you ever in your pursuit of Mormon history end up in Florence NE (now part of Omaha) give me a call. I won't even offer to buy you a beer. :-)

Dick

2302. Carl & Jerry episodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fuzzy or Shirley Duenkel <fuzzy@duenkel.com>
Message-ID: <VwsM4.2786$5b3.778926@homer.alpha.net>
Source record: 113036

I LOVE those old Carl and Jerry episodes, and am missing most of the 1959, 1960, 1961 issues. Anyone know where I can get them? I'd gladly pay for your trouble to photocopy those episodes.

Fuzzy

fuzzy@duenkel.com

2303. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3902561B.D2681081@icss.net>
Source record: 113037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> > I wrote:
> > > Might not be a bad idea for you to try reading some for yourself.
> > > Technical books are technical books. I've been into electronics since I
> > > was about 8 years old.
>
> > Good grief. Poking your pacifier in to the outlet doesn't qualify.
>
> Ahhh, you must have learned the hard way. Eight is kind of old for you
> to have still been using your pacifier though. At 8 I was building
> crystal radios and hanging long wire antennas up on the roof. Picked-up
> KFI loud enough to drive a loudspeaker with it! At the time I didn't
> know that shouldn't be possible. I hooked it up to the phones too. It
> competed nicely with the dial tone. :-) Little did I know that 34
> years later I would get a ham license.
>
> 73, Jim AC6XG

You got a late start, then made it to Old Phart very quickly. Congrats.

2304. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <390256EE.705D18AA@icss.net>
Source record: 113038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Brian wrote
> >Oh, you want anecdotal evidence of stupid Novice's and
> >Tech's?
>
> No. My point was that Extra bashing is just as bad as Tech bashing. And both
> sides do bash regularly. What will be interesting will be to see what
> happens when many change sides. Cecil used to be the biggest Extra basher
> around. Now that he is one...

I suspect that he will continue to bash inept and/or arrogant Extras. Is there something wrong with that?

> >But those old licensing
> >exams sure let a lot of imbeciles upgrade.
>
> Was that because of the code test or the faulty exams... :-)

The faulty technical exams coupled with an ability to twitch your hand a certain way has enabled many to make it to Old Phartism.

2305. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <39025B7F.C5D96892@icss.net>
Source record: 113039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley wrote:

> Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> > What took you so long Jim????????
>
> That's how long it took me to finally hook up with some hams to show me
> the ropes. My elmers. Of course I wouldn't take much advice from them
> at the time - too proud I guess. But I give them the credit.

For...?

> I had
> plenty else going on before that - playing music, getting an education,
> building a career and a family, paying a mortgage...

Excuses? Where's Larry, Jeff, and Jim when you need the ole "LAZY" lecture?

2306. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39025141.76B7@rpi.edu>
Source record: 113040

ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
>
> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 14:24:39 -0400, "Scott Verity"
> <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
>
> >Elian Gonzales was taken (at gunpoint) from the home in Florida where he was
> >staying.
> >Though the news says no one was hurt ... they neglected to mention his uncle
> >(great uncle?) being struck with the butt of a gun while his house was being
> >INVADED WITHOUT A WARRANT at 5 AM.
>
> It isn't exactly "invasion" when individuals refuse to turn
> over a child to law enforcement authorities after being ordered to do
> so by the courts. More precisely, if the situation wasn't so
> politically volatile, they would undoubtedly have been charged with
> kidnapping, contempt of court, and a host of other charges. It's only
> the desire of the administration to keep Florida in Gore's pocket (the
> Cuban refugee community in Miami has a lot of political influence)
> that kept them from doing just that.
>
> >Has anyone noticed that the press isn't being allowed to see the boy but
> >they've released photos of the boy with his father (smiling) ... don't
> >believe it all folks.
>
> Why _should_ they be allowed to continue the media circus?
> It's about time to let the boy go home peacefully with his father.
>
> >My bets are on either a staged photo and/or a digital photo editing ...
> >which can do wonders.
>
> Your bet is based on your prejudice against Cuba and nothing
> else.
>
> >Anyone here could appear in a photo with anyone they want.
>
> Sure--Clinton could even appear with Monica Lewinsky if he
> wanted to.
>
> On second thought . . .
>
> >Heck, Forrest Gump shook JFK's hand in a movie ... or did we forget that
> >already?
>
> Paranoid, aren't you?

>
> >If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to
> >interview the boy and his father.
>
> Not to burst your bubble, but freedom of the press doesn't
> mean that the government can force people to submit to interviews with
> them. The kid and his father have a _right_ to privacy.
>
> >He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His
>
> Really?
>
> I take it you oppose age of consent laws, curfews, laws which
> forbid children from running away from home, truancy laws, compulsory
> education, etc.
>
> Or is it just this _one_ child you believe should have special
> rights?
>
> >Mother died trying to get him here.
>
> Dad went through hell trying to get him back. So what?
>
> Would you stand up as strongly for an illegal immigrant from,
> for example, Mexico who slipped into the US--or would you insist on
> deportation?
>
> Think about it.
>
> Rick--ke8hh
>
> --
>
> Rick Adams
> ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net
> adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
> Department of Social Sciences
> Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
> "... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
> will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
> Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

I have to go along with Rick here -- The overreaction of the Miami Cuban community is understandable due to their strong personal feelings about the Castro regime, but it just doesn't make sense to treat this case so much differently than any other case of illegal immigration. Yes, I know that there are special rules in place for refugee Cubans, but I think that this boy has been more abused as a political football and

anti-Castro lightning rod than he ever was in Cuba or as a castaway on the high seas....

With respect to the enforcement action - I think it was pretty obvious to all that the Miami "family" was fighting a delaying action and was not negotiating in good faith. They may have had good intentions, but they should have realized that the law was not on their side and they couldn't win this one. Instead, they chose to subject this kid to the inevitable forceful extraction that they know would come (an action made necessary by the "family") if the government was to retain any credibility in law enforcement or international relations.

A sad situation all around.

Curt Breneman
Associate Professor of Chemistry
RPI
KC2EBP

2307. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39025259.754C@rpi.edu>
Source record: 113041

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> >
> > It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
> >
> > The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of screwing
> > around for 5 months.
> >
> > How would you as a father feel if that was your son?
>
> I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> be sent back to a slave state?

Maybe the father doesn't see it like that. Shouldn't he have the right
to make that judgement? I think it's pretty clear that he isn't just
following a Castro script on this one...

Curt Breneman
RPI Chemistry
KC2EBP

2308. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39025418.6FFE@rpi.edu>
Source record: 113042

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched up
> > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried to
> > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of Yanks
> > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but his
> > father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no
> > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if they
> > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
> > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would not
> > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion concludes,
> > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
> > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
> > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
>
> The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
> roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
> family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
>
> IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
>
> I am ashamed of what my government has become.

What would you think of a government that selectively enforces laws -
and would allow difficult cases like this one go unenforced because they
are afraid of the public relations backlash? That would be repugnant.
We live in a nation of laws, and a group of protesters should not be
allowed to hold the nation hostage for fear of possibly offending
someone. The "Miami relatives" force action, and then whine about it on
national TV. It makes me sick.

Curt Breneman
RPI Chemistry
KC2EBP

2309. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <bJtM4.1699$JN3.10257@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113043

"Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
news:390256C2.422A56C2@bctv.com...
>
law
> >
> > As I recall, the Mormons were pretty good at massacre themselves or at
the
> > very least some very non-professional execution of self-defense rights.
>
> Oh, really? Just which massacres were done by or at the direction of
> the Mormon leadership?
>
> And, even if there were some, how does this justify ordering the deaths
> of children, pregnant women, the aged infirm . . ?

Right at the moment I do not remember the precise name but I believe it contained 'Meadows'. Seems that a wagon train was pretty well done in (children, pregnant women, etc.) by a band of yo-yos authorized by (and reported to later) Brigham Young and some Indians recruited for the purpose. There were rumors of some troops coming from Colorado. Things got totally out of hand. Like a lot of other things probably best not denied but probably also better not judged by 21st Century standards. Even shows up on the Real West series now and again so it is not all that obscure.

Are you aware that one of the upshots of all that was that Missouri has at a state level some of the more serious (some say Draconian) laws about Church/State separation in the US. Giving one's employees off for Good Friday is illegal in 7 states; it is a felony in Missouri.

Drop over to http://www.economist.com to get a very good summary of how the rest of the world looks at the great elian caper, at least before the hostage was released to his father. They devote both an editorial and a major story to it. I am pretty sure both are available to non-subscribers. Just hit 'current issue' on the left menu.

Why would any sane human being come to Nebraska in March?? You got away with it this time but don't expect it often :-).

Dick

2310. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <BRtM4.1708$JN3.10392@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113044

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote in message
news:39025259.754C@rpi.edu...
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> > >
> > > It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
> > >
> > > The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of
screwing
> > > around for 5 months.
> > >
> > > How would you as a father feel if that was your son?
> >
> > I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> > be sent back to a slave state?
>
> Maybe the father doesn't see it like that. Shouldn't he have the right
> to make that judgement? I think it's pretty clear that he isn't just
> following a Castro script on this one...
>
> Curt Breneman
> RPI Chemistry
> KC2EBP

There is also the minor matter of the Hague Convention on International
Child Abduction. There is absolutely no question of law on this one -- he
belongs to and with his father and Janet Reno's only mistake was letting it
get this far.

Dick

2311. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <cuuM4.1746$JN3.9955@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113045

I see I am not the only one who hits the wrong button.

You got it!

Dick

"KK4TL" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000422233004.19046.00002965@ng-fh1.aol.com...
> Mountain Meadows?
>
> LW

2312. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <e1U0voNr$GA.305@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 113046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote
>One cannot prove that Bash didn't break the law.

Tell that to those who claim that because Bash wasn't prosecuted, it
automatically follows that he didn't break the law.

2313. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3902797B.F8688C99@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote
> >One cannot prove that Bash didn't break the law.
>
> Tell that to those who claim that because Bash wasn't prosecuted, it
> automatically follows that he didn't break the law.

Just yesterday, I broke the law and didn't get caught.
I forgot to take my proof of insurance with me.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2314. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Morisseau <dpm3@postnet.com>
Message-ID: <39027CF1.914897F3@postnet.com>
Source record: 113048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Bob Norton wrote:

> Better than allowing them to be kidnapped by welfare-leech drunks and their
> disco-slut daughters to be used as poster children for the Cuban American
> Nazi Front.

Your kind of racist remarks are an embrassment to this newsgroup. Why
don't you and your worthless white-trash ilk slither back under the rock from
whence your mother spawned you and die. This would be a better country without
the likes of you and your kind, so why don't you head for Cuba and enjoy the
kind of freedom you condemn others to live in?

--
Milepost 15 - just west of the crest of Mo-Pac's Kirkwood Hill!
Dan Morisseau, N7ZXL - 38ï¿½34'30"N, 90ï¿½25'40"W
Watkins Johnson HF-1000: 60' Random Wire & Palomar Loop
ICOM R-7000: Discone
ICQ: UIN# 5313018

2315. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjohn@ameritech.com
Message-ID: <tev4gss42vke946kipeojrt2372vumqhqd@4ax.com>
Source record: 113049
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ONLY in your dreams!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 22:03:25 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>
>
>SuperDave wrote:
>>
>> Keith Wood wrote:
>> >
>> > Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?
>>
>> Because the wheelchair's faster than the Camaro? <shrug>
>
>. . .and the Camaro just passed by your ponymobile. Yeah, I'd be upset
>too! ;)

2316. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Prometheus <bperciNObpSPAM@midusa.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <06247292.f72ab693@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com>
Source record: 113050

One only needs to listen to the bitter old farts on 75 or the competition to be named top LID on 14.313 daily to see that the hobby was dying and being overrun with second class ops and third-rate human beings. (The postings of the "Bitter Bastard Brigade" here are further proof of the level of idiocy in the hobby.)

Hopefully the sore losers will vacate the airwaves and all of those "welfare" licencees will make the hobby interesting again.

BTW-"radiosigs", whats your CW speed? How often are YOU on the CW portion of the bands. Probably couldn't keep up with one of those new "welfare" ops.

If I had to guess, I bet I've heard you on 75, screaming at somebody to get off of "your" frequency 'cause you've got a sked to whine about your hemmorhoids and lumbago with the rest of the sore losers.

Get a life, douchebag. Or better yet, get off the air.

Believe me--you and your ilk won't be missed.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

2317. can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KingKevin11 <bouvierrogersNOboSPAM@msn.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0678259e.80e5311a@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>
Source record: 113051

i just want to know if you can call people at there home phone # with
ham radios

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2318. Cell Phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KingKevin11 <bouvierrogersNOboSPAM@msn.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1a6791b6.82b3e6c4@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>
Source record: 113052

Can ham Radios be used as Cell Phones

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2319. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390164A4.212347A3@oio.net>
Source record: 113053

KingKevin11,
Yes, you can. Usually on VHF (2 meters), on repeaters,
there are things called 'autopatches'. This is a connection
between the repeater and the telephone lines. You can 'dial'
a phone number, and the 'repeater' calls the number. Thats
not a very good description of how it really works, but can
give you an idea of what happens.
'Doc

2320. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390229C5.8AD75D3F@oio.net>
Source record: 113054

carkenord,
It's the same as it's always been, it hasn't changes
at all. None of the frequency sub-bands have changed.
'Doc

2321. Re: mf_luder: Does anyone understand what this idiot is saying?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39022AD6.A49DB0EC@oio.net>
Source record: 113055

John,
Don't try to understand. Not sure HE understands
what he's trying to say! One of those things you must
'overlook'.
'Doc
PS - I do agree with him about the ARRL, though. Learned
from personal experience that they couldn't care less
about their members/non-members, or anyone else if
they don't provide the ARRL with something they want.

2322. ARRL domain name records hijacked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb2101@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8zqqhf$XY55$2@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 00:54:59 -0700, "Jesse W. Cooper" <Cooper911@msn.com>wrote:

: It certainly appears as if they are down, I have had the same result =
: myself!

It is a classic case of domain name hijacking, apparently perpetrated
through netfirms.com -- a Canadian registration firm.

What happens is this: Someone breaks into a domain name registry and
changes the IP address record so that www.arrl.org maps into the wrong
IP address. The incorrect mapping propagates throughout the DNS system,
and pretty soon the real www.arrl.org "disappears".

As I write this, a traceroute to www.arrl.org winds up at netfirms.com,
and a whois inquiry listings netfirms domain name servers as the primary
ARRL servers! Clearly, somebody at the ARRL has either forgotten about
putting a password on their domain name administration records, or else
has had their Network Solutions password stolen.

The current record (note the update date) is included below, because it
will be necessary for someone to use the one address which probably
works (or a telephone) to contact one of the people below and have them
restore the proper address mappings.

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Registrant:
The American Radio Relay League (ARRL-DOM)
225 Main Street
Newington, CT 06111-1400

Domain Name: ARRL.ORG

Administrative Contact:
Summer, David (DSQ363) pwsmaster@HOTMAIL.COM
ARRL
323 asdga
asdg , CT 23622
232-566-8665
Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
Bloom, Jonathan (JB8278) jbloom@ARRL.ORG
American Radio Relay League
225 Main Street
Newington, CT 06111
860-594-0276 (FAX) 860-594-0259
Billing Contact:

Boucher, Robert (RB5396) rboucher@ARRL.ORG
American Radio Relay League
225 Main Street
Newington, CT 06111
860-594-0227 (FAX) 860-594-0298

Record last updated on 22-Apr-2000.
Record expires on 21-May-2000.
Record created on 20-May-1992.
Database last updated on 23-Apr-2000 20:01:21 EDT.

Domain servers in listed order:

NS1.NETFIRMS.COM 216.32.198.6
NS2.NETFIRMS.COM 216.32.198.7

2323. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3901a875.3118447@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 12:06:18 GMT, "Beefhead" <mona6357@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI] <ham@w3eax.umd.edu> wrote in message
>news:8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu...
>> And as for amnazing things...
>> Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
>> via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)
>
>But it is no longer UNIQUE and this is the root issue here.

It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
to me is $0 per minutes of use.

>It used to be that ham radio operators we the ONLY people
>in the neighborhood who could communicate in realtime with
>people in other States and Countries, from either their car
>or home.

You have to go back to the 40s or earlier for that
to be true. International telephone capability has
been around for a VERY long time.

>This is no longer the case today. The public now has Internet, Cellular
>Telephones, E-Mail, Chat Rooms, FRS Walkie-Talkies. Soon it will be
>HDTV and Cable Providers co-joined with the Internet.

>The UNIQUENESS of ham radio has been supplanted by newer
>and much less expensive communications technology,
>which is readily available to the General Public, from WalMart
>to Radio Shack and everyplace in-between. Again this is the reality of
>today.

But there never was a host of newbies lining up to
become hams anyway. All the kids are more technology
oriented than in the past as is the general public.

The JOB is for US to seek out those youngsters and
people who, for whatever reasons, DO find an interest
in ham radio and what it offers. Indeed, it must offer
something to us or we wouldn't have the over 1/2 million
licensed hams we do in this country.

All is NOT doom and gloom for ham radio in
comparison to other technolgy interests. Ham radio
always had only a niche market following and that
still exists.

>Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE.
>And that gentlemen, regardless if you
>choose to accept it or not, is the plain truth of this whole issue.
>I may also add that in lieu of all these
>personal communications devices, why should the public
>care about ham radio?

The public never did care. The hams are the ones that
care. The public cares when we step up to those
occasional emergencies and become IMPORTANT in their
daily lives.

>Even Citizens Band radio is in decline! It's OBSOLETE technology also,
>unless you drive on the Interstates alot.

Actually, FRS does better for the family today anyway.

>> No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
>> and the other guy and miles of "ether."
>
>Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet,
> and via Packet Radio side-by-side. Guess which
>service will deliver it faster and more efficiently?

The PURPOSE of ham radio is NOT to be that medium
which is in competition with the internet's transport ability.
Let me also turn your question around...which service
will provide you wth the ability to communicate in
the middle of a widespread flooded area with NO electric
power from the commercial sources?

>> Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,
>
>That is as technologically obsolete as the tube type radios many
>hams still run and just as inefficent also. Sorry to
>keep harpin on this, but it's the truth that you hams NEED
>to hear. Don't believe it? Read any article written by
>Wayne Green in the past 5 Years

So please tell us all why the police, fire, rescue squads don't just
abondon radio communications and go to all that wizz-bang
internet and/or cell phones? It wouldn't have anything to

do with conventional radio still being the best for their
purposes would it?

>concerning the outlook for this hobby. He's one of the FEW gems we have in
>this hobby that
>knows anything about what is really going on, and how ham radio will
>probably be dead by 2015.

If you mean Wayne Green, then you need help.
Ham radio will change, it has changed and it will
survive. Of that I am certain.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2324. Re: AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsldt$c5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113085

In article <8dq2of$3j0$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Yes, at this time of year we realize that despite some mistakes, the
man's
> done a nice job. Why? Do you remember just a few years back when
> anti-Semitic KV4FZ and his loco Nazi nut friend, KA4MUJ, used to get
on with
> their own twisted and demented Passion plays, beating the drum against
> Jewish kosher hams etc? Herbie used to egg on the idiot and the Fort
> Lauderdale puppet would dance and flail away each time Herbie yanked
a
> string. Some of the most hideous anti-Semitism came from the orifice
of MUJ
> while encouraged, nurtured and sponsored by the Virgin Islands
despot. IT'S
> OVER! Yes even I had to pay a price but IT'S OVER and I'd do it again
and so
> would Rich and Douglas and everyone else who stood up to those
monsters and
> with the help of Riley, BURIED THEM! Now the conjunction of the
Passover and
> the Easter is a time for reflection and understanding on ham radio
instead
> of one for recrimination and hatred. I'll bet my last buck that if
someone
> came on .313 spouting off religious and racial hatred, Riley would
have him
> off and quick. It took a long time for the FCC to act to stop the
religious
> intolerance heard daily on .313 and by God almighty, IT'S GONE. Thanks
> Riley!
> Doc,AF2Y
>
Well said Doc. A lot of these folks here and on the radio were not
there when all of that was going on. And maybe this will open a few
eyes.

And you know how it goes Doc, when you fight pigs your gonna get some
dirt on ya.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2325. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3901B066.1D815C73@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
> Nothing you say above proves that Bash didn't break the law.

In law and in logic, the onus of proof is upon he who asserts
the positive. You cannot prove that you are not a murderer.
Does it follow that makes you a murderer?

One cannot prove that Bash didn't break the law. One can only
attempt to prove that he did break the law. If you will quote
the law that he allegedly broke, then we can make a rational
judgement.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2326. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsmipdcj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> While sitting here working away at my office,
> I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.
>
> I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and others talk
> about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the inside scoop,"
> and "people are going to be surprised" blah blah blah...
> And of course, they never, ever spell out what their
> so-called "insider information" is all about.
>
> Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.
> Frankly, I think this kind of gossiping amongst
> a few chosen people about such grave matters
> is wrong. Childishly taunting "I know something
> you don't know! Naah Naah Boo Boo!" when you're
> talking about accusing people of crimes is unacceptable behavior.
> Loose talk and jumping to conclusions
> can lead to injustice (AC5IU comes to mind).
>
> Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of
disciples,
> you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.
> Listening to these guys dance with glee over their
> "secret knowledge" is unseemly.
>
> 73 DE Dave AB5S
>
What we have here is the continuation of the "Big Lie Syndrome". You know the one that goes something like this; If you tell a lie long enough and loud enough someone will believe it.

This comes under the B.A.R.F. 20 meter operating tactics manual. Page 2, paragraph 1e. Subtitled; How to baffle them with bullshit.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2327. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsmtqdmf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113088

In article <20000421172144.17407.00001576@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> I don't think you should revive anything, especially any of the
slanderous
> defamatory stuff you used to put on the I-net. Think about it Davies.
One day
> you ask for people to forgive you, be your friend, and the next day
your
> starting shit with people all over again. (excuse the language).
>
Just goes to show you how ignorant he really is. And
Lllllloyd...THANKS!! Ive been waiting for you to screw up again. Now
your mine asshole.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2328. Icom 735 -- PPL unlocks VCO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Leo Pszenitzki"
Message-ID: <UOiM4.1045$JN3.7332@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Has anyone out there had any experience with Icom 735 phase lock loops coming unlocked (mostly two higher freq vco,s) ?

Indication of the unlock is rx will start to garble and shortly later the tx will begin to garble --- but will continue to tx a raspy signal. ssb and cw both.

It has been a chronic problem ---- the ppl coming unlocked -- I have been sucessful in getting it back in lock by tweeking the cap for the freq range that comes unlocked-- there are four vco,s. It will stay operating properly for two to six months when it comes unlocked again. I have tried heat and cooling and tempature does not seem to be a factor. Vibration , mechanical shock in the oscillator area (banging with a screwdriver handle) does not change things.

Has anyone else experienced this ??? How did you solve it ??

Leo --- W8CIJ --- email zkidad@bitstorm.net

2329. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dsbo901rg7@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 113090

In article <20000421124324.19755.00002604@ng-ba1.aol.com>, n0vfp@aol.comnospam says...
>
>I am reviivng this webpage.
>
>Take a look!
>
>http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/
>
>Long Live the B.A.R.F!

You have this carefully, well-thought presentation of the allegations against him, but you destroy all of your credibility by refering to him as "porkbutt" throughout the text.

Tom - N8ECW

2330. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000422105441.05842.00001613@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 113091

Clinton, Algore, and the rest of that adminisration have got to go. It seems to me that the father could have made a concession or two and went to Miami. Of course he couldn't do that castro wouldn't approve and neither would Clinton.
I say whatever we could, or can do to slap Castro around a little, do it. Of course it seems that Clinton is supporting the commies agenda.
>If anyone wants to see the type of NAZI Clinton government
>heir-Swartzbard supports, please go to:
>
>http://www.drudgereport.com
>
>A picture says a thousands words. (And please note the quote from Reno
>right above the photo about the finger "not being on the trigger".)
>
>God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>Don B.
>
>

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

2331. MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Evone Goolagonge <hellothere@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <rsjM4.57293$y4.1936542@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Listen to the Miami Police Radio and hear LIVE!

http://www.policescanner.com/policeMPD.stm

2332. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <diverd4777@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3901C26F.C9C60A6F@aol.com>
Source record: 113093
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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> >
> >Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE.

Rubbish!

KISS technology will keep this around for decades.

2333. Re: Amateur historians (was Sherman anti trust act)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb2101@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8zqqhf$XY54$2@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113094

On 22 Apr 2000 00:18:04 GMT, "Thomas H. White" <whitetho@ipass.net> wrote:

: Jeffrey Herman wrote:
: > I'm sorry, but with the grave errors you've committed, you have no
: > credibility.
:
: I'll be willing to vouch for the overall credibility of his post.

Thanks for the supporting post, Tom. You have put up an excellent web site, and anyone who has even a passing interest in radio history owes it to himself to visit it.

It is worth repeating that the URL is http://ipass.net/~whitetho

2334. Re: Icom 735 -- PPL unlocks VCO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clif@AVVid.com" <clif@avvid.com>
Message-ID: <BE2CFF5A02C202B9.F7BE19131C9A68DB.202E7637B5C76611@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Very common. Replace the plastic trimmer caps with ceramic ones. See the
Icom website under FAQ for the description and fix.

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Clif Holland, KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
For more information visit our website:
http://www.avvid.com
or call:
1-800-214-5779
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2335. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <BiteMe@Spammers.com>
Message-ID: <PWjM4.52373$lg.247075@news1.rdc1.tx.home.com>
Source record: 113096
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Excellent response Bill.

I enjoy the use of the internet and consider it to be an
invaluble resource. I simply enjoy using radios. I
can't explain it. Maybe it's the fasination that a signal
can be transmitted hundreds and even thousands
of miles and still be picked out of the thousands of other
signals in the air.

I've noticed that the beginning of this thread was posted
to several radio newsgroups. Why would someone so
down on amateur radio be interested in any type of radio?
Won't they all be obsolete soon?

One other thing. My cable modem does not reach my
vehicles and I'm not sure if I would use it in the first
place. With the traffic around here your eyes need to
be on the road. I have changed my route to and from
work on numerous occasions thanks to other hams
on the road.

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David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - nospam@home.com
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://members.home.net/hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Use my last name in e-mail address above for replies.

2336. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <hZjM4.1127$JN3.8023@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113097

"Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
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>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched
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> > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried
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> > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of
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they
> > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
> > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would
not
> > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion
concludes,
> > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
> > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
> > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
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> The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
> roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
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> IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
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> I am ashamed of what my government has become.

Gee whiz and gosharootee, Keith. It didn't look really sanitary, did it.
Of course it looked like Black Squads, the Gestapo, and every other police
action of a similar stripe -- the considerations are the same. That the INS
might have been a tad amateurish about it only shows that they don't do it
enough to be REALLY good at it. Whether one is doing a cell extraction, a
drug raid, a death squad caper, or the execution of a legal order, these
rules apply:

A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a
nice warm bed.
B: If force is to be used, bring enough to ensure that no one is tempted to

do anything stupid.
C: Maintain the initiative. Get the doors open and the occupants concentrated quickly, again so no one has the chance to barricade or do anything stupid.
D: Intelligence is never 100 percent.

The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees hands not much is going to happen one way or the other. The gun points where one is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it is done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very sound planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.

Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or will not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long. On a human level, being a natural parent does bring some rights with it that in a system of law have to be enforced by the state or there is no system of aw -- a lawful court declined to interfere because there is no legal basis for interference. On a political level, the boy was a hostage and the hostage was extracted, pure and simple.

Sorry it didn't look good for the cameras. Lancing boils is not a pretty sight.

Note also that the Great Fort Hood Flash experiment shows the Feds did NOT fire at Waco.

Dick McCollum N0BK

2337. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <root@209.10.197.134>
Message-ID: <e9j3gs4sud6slagplerm4c6usdq9kfmnp9@4ax.com>
Source record: 113098
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>>
>> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>>
>> >> Really? Even with all the aerodynamic drag from that DSS dish mounted
>> >> on your roof? ;-)
>> >
>> >Even in Low.
>>
>> Only wussies and cripples drive an automatic. ;-)
>
>Third group: Those who like to pass by Mustangs.

The only way that could happen is if you drove your Camaro past a Ford
dealer's lot. ;-)

>BTW, I'm a cripple. You got a problem with that? ;)

Only if you're in a wheelchair...

<How's that for an old thread tie-in? ;->

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2338. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dsl08hqg1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113099

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
>roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
>family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.

It was a van, not a truck. The boy was being tightly held by a
woman agent -- at no time was the boy thrown. You're spewing
your usual lies.

>IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?

Yup. Re-uniting a boy and his dad.

>I am ashamed of what my government has become.

Unless of course, it had been your son. Witnesses report that father
and son are very happy finally being together again.

Jeff

2339. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20661-3901D38F-31@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113100

People like N0BK make me want to vomit! Openly supporting "Field Marshal" Reno and Heir Clinton...

Where's the ADL when you really need 'em!

Don B.

2340. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20662-3901D2C9-17@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113101

If I was the boys father, I'd CELEBRATE his new found freedom in the U.S. and let him remain there! Any loving father would do this!

Don B.

2341. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sg3mfq1l6e173@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Saving it is a bit more complicated then the new ham tests.

To save it, go to file menu and click save. (or click the picture of the floppy.)

In article <R8TL4.9769$QX1.402853@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, "Don MacMillan" <dmacmillan@*NO SPAM*mailandnews.com> wrote:
>Great chart! I was able to open it online....
>
>Does anyone know how to save a copy of the .pdf file for use offline?
>
>> BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
>> news:dqIL4.8$sY1.517@news.swbell.net...
>
>> | Has any/everyone seen this?
>> | http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
>> |
>> | I've been looking for such a thing for several yrs (on an off)...
>> Seems to
>> | have EVERYTHING included.
>
>
>

2342. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <nUkM4.1190$JN3.7315@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 113103

"Donald Burkhart" <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:20661-3901D38F-31@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> People like N0BK make me want to vomit! Openly supporting "Field
> Marshal" Reno and Heir Clinton...
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> Where's the ADL when you really need 'em!
>
> Don B.
>
And where is a functioning brain when you really need one?

Dick

2343. AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dsn9f$o14$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113104

This morning I got a call from Tom and fellows..let's rally around the guy. He has an appointment with a top cardiologist next week to evaluate things after possibly suffering a silent heart attack and since this a special time of year with Easter and Passover coinciding, how about all my brother Christians and Jews saying a special prayer that the intitial diagnosis was wrong and that his main trouble having shown up on the EKG was because of jockey shorts 1 size too small?
Tom told me about an incident the other day which caused quite a flap. I can't hear Gettysburg, PA from my QTH and had no knowledge of Riley's appearance on .313. I guess he overheard that stupid bigmouth from S.C., Joe KBX, saying how illegal it was for W2OTK to have been on the air and Riley shut Bungadumb up really fast. Hey Joe, why don't you and your old fart friend Seymour-see less-he's still a schmuck, SHUT UP? Neither of you knows the rules and regs and yet you try to pass yourselves off as Riley's henchmen. Just shut up and give everybody a rest! Gee I wish Riley would look the other way and let me take you and Seymour apart right on .313 and here's why. Everybody wants this war to die out except you two, Polly and BadBlood, Stevie Wonder Tiger Woods MXL, Toiletsi and Big Mouth Herbie who was on again bad mouthing Mrs. Hoffman. But the biggest offensive troublemakers must be Joe Bungadung and Seymour Clueless. I wonder what you two would do if Rich retested, passed and got back on the air? SUICIDE? Hell why not since turnabout is fair play. You're killing ham radio, aren't you?
AF2Y

2344. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3901E1DE.38633140@snet.net>
Source record: 113105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Bill Sohl wrote:
> It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> to me is $0 per minutes of use.

You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?

You're talking apples and oranges.

Barry
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****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2345. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

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Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3901E14C.DA1A59C8@snet.net>
Source record: 113106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Mike Castrucow wrote:
> But when the internet gets hacked or
> your computer crashes the ham radio operators that are prepared will still
> be communicating on the airwaves.
>
> 73 de Mike VE7MK
>
> ve7mk@rac.ca

Without hams, y2k would have been a disaster! <G>

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From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dso87$6mo$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113107

Yeah and I'd be interested in George W. Bush's comments about today
providing he knows what's going on. Maybe Quayle can call him and explain.
Dumb dee dumb dumb.

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>
> Sorry it didn't look good for the cameras. Lancing boils is not a pretty
> sight.
>
> Note also that the Great Fort Hood Flash experiment shows the Feds did NOT
> fire at Waco.
>
> Dick McCollum N0BK
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>

2347. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dsoad$6mo$2@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113108

You idiot. It's HERR, not HEIR!

In article <20661-3901D38F-31@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

> People like N0BK make me want to vomit! Openly supporting "Field
> Marshal" Reno and Heir Clinton...
>
> Where's the ADL when you really need 'em!
>
> Don B.
>

2348. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dso1sujq1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113109

Had we taken out Castro when we could have, never would such a mess have happened. We tolerated a cancer at out toe and it spread. I decided. I'm not voting for Clinton any more.

In article <3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

> The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
> roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
> family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
>
> IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
>
> I am ashamed of what my government has become.

2349. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <1713FFE94D5D0DFB.9950ECB8B7544D0E.046B326706434DFE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113110

On 22 Apr 2000 00:25:59 -0400, ham@w3eax.umd.edu (Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI]) wrote:

>
>And as for amnazing things...
>
>Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
>via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)
>
>No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
>and the other guy and miles of "ether."
>
>Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,
>--
>Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI

My Palm Pilot beeped the other day while I was in Office Depot. It was my buddy in Melbourne, Australia calling me on ICQ. Does that count?.....(c;

Larry W4CSC via broadband.

2350. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <B50F840AE19FAA43.EAE2E763C563F900.73F9E4BE8D9C159E@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113111

On 22 Apr 2000 12:14:38 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:

>In article <_AgM4.56936$y4.1923689@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
>"Beefhead" <mona6357@hotmail.com> writes:
>
>>Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet, and via Packet
>>Radio
>>side-by-side. Guess which service will deliver it faster and more
>>efficiently?
>
>And, please try to communicate with me real time, via the internet, where this
>are no phone lines, and no cell phone service.
>
>N9GSU

No phone? No cells? Oh, you live in Nepal! No, darn, Nepal HAS
cellular service. Hmm....must be Tuvalu. No, the satellites cover
Tuvalu pretty good.

Where DO you live without telephone service?? It even works at the
South Pole!

Larry W4CSC/AE via broadband

2351. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <27307E85FA465E35.75ECF9E166176241.6896FE79D1E83634@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 15:21:59 GMT, "Evone Goolagonge"
<hellothere@gulfnet.com> wrote:

>Listen to the Miami Police Radio and hear LIVE!
>
>http://www.policescanner.com/policeMPD.stm
>
>
>
THANKS! Wish I'd been monitoring at 4AM this morning......They're
talking about Swat and I can hear a cop choking on tear gas on his
radio on Flagler at 42 avenue right now! Amazing.

Larry W4CSC....

2352. Re: Icom 735 -- PPL unlocks VCO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3901E723.9E90B421@IEEE.org>
Source record: 113113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Leo Pszenitzki wrote:
> Has anyone else experienced this ??? How did you solve it ??

I had the same problem with an IC-725 and simply sent it back to
ICOM for repair.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2353. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000422141804.15220.00001797@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 113114

Radiosigs wrote
>Had we taken out Castro when we could have, never would such a mess have
>happened. We tolerated a cancer at out toe and it spread. I decided. I'm not
>voting for Clinton any more.

No you won't vote for Clinton anymore but you'll damn sure vote for Algore
won't you.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

2354. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422142347.28148.00002565@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 113115

Radiosigs says:
>I'm not voting for Clinton any more.

Good call, Radiosigs. Hopefully the Cuban-Americans in Miami and everywhere else will follow your lead and NOT vote for AlGore.

2355. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422143014.05838.00001567@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 113116

My feeling is that all the radio signals that are in the air are free to decode if you are smart enough to do it. It won't cost the Satellite company $$ since the signals are already in the air anyways and many hams are to cheap to subscribe so there is really no loss of revenue to the Satellite companys like Direct TV etc. I actually take my hat off to people who can figure out how to decode the stuff.
73's TIM

2356. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brendan K Callahan <god@pcpartner.net>
Message-ID: <8dsrd4$8ro$1@ins21.netins.net>
Source record: 113117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Scanner nuts ought to pay attention to at *least* one thing about ham radio--being licensed as an amateur, is also being "licensed" in many states, to have a mobile scanner.

I just built a 80m CW QRP rig--for less than $20. Most of the parts were laying around. Try to connect to the internet and communicate with ppl with about 13 parts or so, (and a part is not a "motherboard" or a modem--I'm talking discrete components) hand built in your home, and battery operated.

Not only that, I simply *love* the hobby. And I love the internet.

They are two different things to me, used for different purposes. Also, how many ppl with cell phones, stop to help ppl in need on freeways? What percentage? And think of how many ham operators would stop to help? Public Service is a very big part of ham radio. I live in the midwest--what good are your cell phones, and internet connections, when the towers have been destroyed by a tornado?? Or the CO has been moved a few blocks by one?

Maybe I'm sounding a little defensive. Ham radio is not for everyone, but for those of us who think it is worthwhile, are the ones who will be there in an emergency. And when there aren't any emergencies, we have fun talking to ppl all over the world, sometimes with home built equipment, as well as local ppl. I know I can travel to most places in the US, and with a handheld 2m radio, get directions, help, a friendly conversation with random ppl. Can't do that with a cell phone, not as easily. <imagines someone picking up a cell phone, and talking into it, going, "hey, anyone know of a good chinese rest. around town? And how do I get there from here?">

Cell phones have their place--and so does ham radio.

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*Brendan K Callahan K EES god@netins.net
*
* Chaos, Panic, Disorder
* (Looks like my work here is done)

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news:_AgM4.56936$y4.1923689@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI] <ham@w3eax.umd.edu> wrote in message

> news:8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu...

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2357. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
Message-ID: <sg3s0gqgl6e172@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 113118

TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000421094637.00590.00006300@nso-fi.aol.com...
> In article <38fff28a@dnews.gisco.net>, "A.E. 352"

> That kid isn't going anywhere. Butch Reno talked tough last week, then
backed
> down as usual. Clinton doesn't have the gonads to order the law enforced
> because of politics. He doesn't want to ailenate "the Cuban/American
> community" in Miami, since that would likely cost Algore the all-important
win
> of Florida in the upcoming presidential election.
>
> This is also the reason why action is not being taken against Lazaro
Gonzales.
> He has refused to comply with orders to give up the child and has publicly
> stated that the Feds will have to come and get him. He should be indicted
on
> charges of kidnapping and inciting civil disobedience.

Elian Gonzales was taken (at gunpoint) from the home in Florida where he was
staying.
Though the news says no one was hurt ... they neglected to mention his uncle
(great uncle?) being struck with the butt of a gun while his house was being
INVADED WITHOUT A WARRANT at 5 AM.

Has anyone noticed that the press isn't being allowed to see the boy but
they've released photos of the boy with his father (smiling) ... don't
believe it all folks.
My bets are on either a staged photo and/or a digital photo editing ...
which can do wonders.
Anyone here could appear in a photo with anyone they want.
Heck, Forrest Gump shook JFK's hand in a movie ... or did we forget that
already?

If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to
interview the boy and his father.
He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His
Mother died trying to get him here.
Just a thought.

2358. Re: Learning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <NrmM4.79761$W5.881720@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113119

What areas are you having problems with?
I just went through the same thing. Study and learn Ohms law, this is
a MUST!
In my area they put courses on, although I didn't take it, I still
might.
Ask your questions here I'm sure you will get a response.
I just passed my basic last Sunday.

Oh, do lots of on-line tests! They really help.
--
EDDY

Howard Watson <h-watson@pacbell.net> wrote in message
news:39012c35.92109309@news.pacbell.net...
| Hopefully I won't get too much flack for this question. :) When
I
| first became interested in Amateur Radio, I was told to obtain a
copy
| of Now You're Talking and study and learn it. I did. I was told
to
| get a copy of the code tapes and some computer programs and learn
at
| least 5 wpm. I did (and better) My question is how the heck do
you
| learn all the stuff you are supposed to know as a General +
licensee?
| Simply memorizing the answers is not enough for me. I would
actually
| like to learn this stuff. What do I study? Where do you find an
| elmer willing to teach this? Its not as if you can go out and buy
the
| Advanced version of NYT and learn and listen like I did for the
lower
| licenses. I have spent much time listening before I ever even
keyed
| up on HF. Same thing with VHF & UHF. BUT the material we are
talking
| about here, you can sit and listen forever and not pick up a
fraction
| of it. Where does one go from here? And please no responses
simply
| comprised of "find yourself an elmer and learn from him/her" LOL
| cause with all my long winded rambling I guess basically thats what
| I'm trying to find.

|
| Howard N3TNQ

2359. Come Visit my new Free Speech discussion group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Cource <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <3901F485.30FDC8C0@nowhere.com>
Source record: 113120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

If you like to voice your opinion and are tired of someone MODERATING it then you need to come to the below link and subscribe to the KcTown taver, True its out of Kc but ANY one can join fron ANYWHERE and there are no rules .... just dont threaten to KILL anyone , Heh come on by and say HI!!! see you there

Larry Harris

:
http://www.egroups.com/group/KcTownTavern

2360. Want to Buy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dt1j6$p59$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113121

I need a tuning capacitor,C2, to use in my homebrew 4-1000. This cap should be voltage rated 4500vdc or so. 3900pf to 8400 pf. Have got U.S. dollars to trade.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2361. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422145504.05072.00003291@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 113122

Trigger? Yep, according to Reno, nobody's finger was on the trigger at Waco, either.

Innnn-teresting .. the feds crashed into the home without a warrant, pointing guns. To take an un-armed child from un-armed relatives. This is a great country. For the power-hungry, anyway.

Maybe if AlGore is elected, he'll keep Reno as attorney general. We can always hope.

2362. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <w6dkn@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <fGmM4.560$WE4.114744@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 113123

Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote in message
> SNIP
> If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to
> interview the boy and his father.
> He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His
> Mother died trying to get him here.
> Just a thought.
>

1) The kid is an illegal.
2) The kid is a Cuban citizen.
3) IF the kid was of legal age AND a US citizen, THEN he would have US
"rights".

But the simple matter is, he is a Cuban citizen, and should be returned to
his father and his country. It makes no difference what we may think of
Cuba, to do any different would create a precedent which would weaken our
ability to protect and/or recover US citizens traveling outside of the US.

73 de W6DKN

2363. Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dt1o5$p60$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113124

This is a Ham Radio internet sight. We donnot give TWO CRAPS about the little Cuban Kid.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2364. Re: Need help getting started again after 40 years

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3901fb7a.241389772@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 113125

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 02:47:31 GMT, thorh@worldnet.att.net (Thor Hallen)
wrote:

>I recently retired after 35 years as an electronic and IC design
>engineer. I plan to resume my ham radio hobby after letting my general
>class license (K5AGE) lapse in 1960 while I was in the service. I
>plan to work HF SSB using a modern base station. I am considering
>purchase of the ICOM 756 Pro with AC supply through the local Ham
>Radio Outlet in Portland, OR. Any comments on this rig or HRO?
>
>I am also considering using a commercial, self-supporting, multi-band
>vertical due to space limitations. Are these a good compromise
>considering space and versatility?
>
>I would also appreciate suggestions on the best way to renew my
>license. Is general class what I need to work all HF bands with SSB?
>Is the code requirement still 13 wpm? Can I take the license exam in
>the Portland, OR area?

one the max code test speed is now 5wpm and If you could prove you had
a Novice licesne at some point in time you don't have to take even
that Sir (the general license does not prove but with the FCC go
figure the ARRL has asked the fcc to accept all lapsed coded but as
afar as I know the FCC has answered yet. As to Portland OR most
likely

Check at ARRL.org wander the link and you will find a means to search
for test dates and location near you
>
>Thanks,
>Thor Hallen

2365. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: iso50@execpc.com
Message-ID: <39020635$0$40268@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 113126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 13:31:10, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
wrote:

>
>
> Bill Sohl wrote:
> > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> > an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> > My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
>
>
> You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
> repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?

Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
you want to bounce off the moon and such

2366. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <BF252740A546EDD8.3ED8116BAD9889CD.206AF0FFC0B41175@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113127

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 13:38:40 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Had we taken out Castro when we could have, never would such a mess have
>happened.

In other words, if we assassinated the leader of a sovereign
nation we would be better off?

Peculiar set of values you have.

>We tolerated a cancer at out toe and it spread.

Translation: We didn't destroy a small, independent, country
completely--only its economy--and we should have taken it over to
protect _our_ interests?

Who elected US god??????

> I decided. I'm not
>voting for Clinton any more.

Neither is anyone else. This is his second term. He can't run
again, remember????

Sheesh!

Rick--ke8hh

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2367. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <5ACBF9063F8F2F69.0E5300E18B60476B.BFCA96B4849CDFD1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113128

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 14:24:39 -0400, "Scott Verity"
<sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:

>Elian Gonzales was taken (at gunpoint) from the home in Florida where he was
>staying.
>Though the news says no one was hurt ... they neglected to mention his uncle
>(great uncle?) being struck with the butt of a gun while his house was being
>INVADED WITHOUT A WARRANT at 5 AM.

It isn't exactly "invasion" when individuals refuse to turn
over a child to law enforcement authorities after being ordered to do
so by the courts. More precisely, if the situation wasn't so
politically volatile, they would undoubtedly have been charged with
kidnapping, contempt of court, and a host of other charges. It's only
the desire of the administration to keep Florida in Gore's pocket (the
Cuban refugee community in Miami has a lot of political influence)
that kept them from doing just that.

>Has anyone noticed that the press isn't being allowed to see the boy but
>they've released photos of the boy with his father (smiling) ... don't
>believe it all folks.

Why _should_ they be allowed to continue the media circus?
It's about time to let the boy go home peacefully with his father.

>My bets are on either a staged photo and/or a digital photo editing ...
>which can do wonders.

Your bet is based on your prejudice against Cuba and nothing
else.

>Anyone here could appear in a photo with anyone they want.

Sure--Clinton could even appear with Monica Lewinsky if he
wanted to.

On second thought . . .

>Heck, Forrest Gump shook JFK's hand in a movie ... or did we forget that
>already?

Paranoid, aren't you?

>If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to
>interview the boy and his father.

Not to burst your bubble, but freedom of the press doesn't
mean that the government can force people to submit to interviews with

them. The kid and his father have a _right_ to privacy.

>He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His

Really?

I take it you oppose age of consent laws, curfews, laws which
forbid children from running away from home, truancy laws, compulsory
education, etc.

Or is it just this _one_ child you believe should have special
rights?

>Mother died trying to get him here.

Dad went through hell trying to get him back. So what?

Would you stand up as strongly for an illegal immigrant from,
for example, Mexico who slipped into the US--or would you insist on
deportation?

Think about it.

Rick--ke8hh

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2368. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <D791DFB55DB74C01.3F30A911C52CAD44.7570ACBDD1FBBB94@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113129

On 22 Apr 2000 18:55:04 GMT, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

>Innnn-teresting .. the feds crashed into the home without a warrant, pointing
>guns. To take an un-armed child from un-armed relatives. This is a great
>country. For the power-hungry, anyway.

Sounds like a typical drug raid to me.

Happens everyday across America.

If it's important enough to ignore our 4th and 5th Amendment
rights to "protect us from drugs" (usually marijuana--that assassin of
children's innocence!!!), it's certainly important enough to ignore
them to remove a child from a hostage situation and reunite him with
his father.

>Maybe if AlGore is elected, he'll keep Reno as attorney general. We can always
>hope.

Better than Bush. He'll probably turn the job over to one of
his corporate attorneys with instructions to ease off on consumer
protection.

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2369. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <7124C39F1720BE26.7E02DF537AAD8BE4.119D1F1F73E05B1E@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113130

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 12:26:49 -0400 (EDT), BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

>If I was the boys father, I'd CELEBRATE his new found freedom in the
>U.S. and let him remain there! Any loving father would do this!
>
>Don B.

Ok--then send your children to the Netherlands immediately--ANY impartial expert will quickly inform you that the Dutch have more freedom than do US citizens--or citizens of nearly any OTHER country, for that matter.

Surely you want the best for your kids, right?

Or is it just nations whose politics you _personally_ disagree with that you target as places where parents should send their kids away?

Notice the TV interview with Elian's father in which he stated that in Cuba the schools are safe from violence, there is universal health care, and there is no drug problem (among other features)? To _him_ the freedom to attend school and return home safely is a more important right for his son than the ability to go to Disney World. Since Cuba _does_ have those features, keeping _your_ kids here instead of sending them there must mean that you don't want them to be safe and healthy. Doesn't sound like the decision of a "loving father" to me!

In other words, jingoism is offensive and can "bite back."

Rick--ke8hh

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2370. Re: NEW HAMS TRYING REAL HARD TO DO RIGHT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dt2e9$2j5$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113131

Mike is right. I even changed my mind. This morning I told only one of them
to go to hell after giving me a 10-4.

In article <8dqn8hclq1@nnrp1.deja.com>, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

> THE NEW GUYS ARE DOING THE BEST THEY CAN THERE VERY POLITE AND TRYING
> TO BE ACCEPTED. IM GOING TO GIVE THEM A CHANCE THERE BETTER OPPS THAN A
> LOT OF SOME 40 YEAR OLD TIMMERS IVE HERD GIVE THEM A CHANCE.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2371. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dt6j5$u9q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113132

In article <8dsn9f$o14$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> This morning I got a call from Tom and fellows..let's rally around the
guy.
> He has an appointment with a top cardiologist next week to evaluate
things
> after possibly suffering a silent heart attack and since this a
special time
> of year with Easter and Passover coinciding, how about all my brother
> Christians and Jews saying a special prayer that the intitial
diagnosis was
> wrong and that his main trouble having shown up on the EKG was because
of
> jockey shorts 1 size too small?
> Tom told me about an incident the other day which caused quite a flap.
I
> can't hear Gettysburg, PA from my QTH and had no knowledge of Riley's
> appearance on .313. I guess he overheard that stupid bigmouth from
S.C., Joe
> KBX, saying how illegal it was for W2OTK to have been on the air and
Riley
> shut Bungadumb up really fast. Hey Joe, why don't you and your old
fart
> friend Seymour-see less-he's still a schmuck, SHUT UP? Neither of you
knows
> the rules and regs and yet you try to pass yourselves off as Riley's
> henchmen. Just shut up and give everybody a rest! Gee I wish Riley
would
> look the other way and let me take you and Seymour apart right on .313
and
> here's why. Everybody wants this war to die out except you two, Polly
and
> BadBlood, Stevie Wonder Tiger Woods MXL, Toiletsi and Big Mouth Herbie
who
> was on again bad mouthing Mrs. Hoffman. But the biggest offensive
> troublemakers must be Joe Bungadung and Seymour Clueless. I wonder
what you
> two would do if Rich retested, passed and got back on the air?
SUICIDE? Hell
> why not since turnabout is fair play. You're killing ham radio, aren't
you?
> AF2Y
>Keep it up Doc, and you WILL get planted. Your place is easy in and
easy out. You keep it up as above, and you will be in court like Herb.

> Pitbull

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2372. Need info on 2m ant for Lexus RX-300 SUV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422163901.16024.00002652@ng-ck1.aol.com>
Source record: 113133

Looking for experiences of people who have installed various types of 2m antennas on a Lexus RX-300 SUV. For example, do the through the glass ones work with the tinting? Any interference with fuel injection and/or ABS computers? Also looking for convenient mounting locations and routing of cable. Thanks.

73

Evan

2373. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dqvldldv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> And of course, they never, ever spell out what their so-called
> "insider information" is all about.

It's because they don't have any.

> Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.

Mighty big if. Read on.

> Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of disciples,
> you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.

Discretion isn't the word I'd use; credibility and credentials are two that come to mind. None of those that you mentioned have either in my opinion.

Besides, setting aside for a moment any possible mistrust of a government official, should anyone with even a scintilla of common sense believe that the party charged with the cleanup would employ some of the offenders, when there are far more reliable, accurate, and CREDIBLE resources available?

Does the parable about the fox guarding the hen house (however misapplied) put this in perspective?

> Listening to these guys dance with glee over their "secret knowledge"
> is unseemly.

Actually, it's the dancing that's unseemly. The listening is just irritating.

You were on the right track when you mentioned the school kids and nah, nah, nah, nah, nah. That's just about the maturity level being displayed. They want listeners to think they are very important people, when in truth, they couldn't carry the restroom key of most anyone else on the bands.

Don't worry about it. They're as knowledgable about the future as n0vfp. Remember last year when he said that he KNEW WB2OTK was getting a NAL? He was very specific about that, and very wrong.

It's been my experience that the jackass with the loudest bray is the one with the least pull.

LRod

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2374. Re: 97.115 Third party communications.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dr0m6mbh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113135

In article <8do0ep$i1b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

> (a) An amateur station may transmit messages for a third party to:
> (b) The third party may participate in stating the message where:
> (1) The control operator is preent at the control point and is
> continously monitoring and supervising the third party's
> participation;
> and

That apparently was the case.

> (2) The third party is not a prior amateur service licensee
> whose license was revoked;

Wasn't revoked.

> suspended for less than the balance of the license term and the
> suspension is still in effect;

The whole discussion will hang on the word "suspend" and its
derivatives. The letter of 8 July used the word "modification" in regard
to priveleges on HF, but left VHF priveleges intact. The ARRL used the
word "suspend", but not the FCC letter.

> suspended for the balance of the license term and relicensing has not
> taken place; or

Same discussion, and clearly relicensing has not taken place, so this
doesn't apply in any case.

> surrendered for cancellation following notice of revocation.
> suspension or monetary forfeiture proceedings.

There was no revocation or monetary forfeiture proceedings, so the
discussion above with regard to "suspend" still applies.

> The third party may not be the subject of a cease and desist order
> which relates to amateur service operation and which is still in
> effect.

Although a letter was sent on 23 July that warned about unlicensed
activity, that probably isn't strictly a "cease and desist" order.

So, bottom line, if he was suspended, he can't do it; if he wasn't, he
can. My guess is there will be some legal work done on this.

LRod

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2375. Re: Amateur historians (was Sherman anti trust act)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas H. White" <whitetho@ipass.net>
Message-ID: <71074C0D1122059C.E0DC9602DEF1A0D8.96F6EB334E8FB471@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113136

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article <8dh771fhb1@news.hawaii.edu>...
>
> John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >In answer to Jeff Herman's comments about amateur radio history as
> >reported by Desoto and others, there are some problems with relying on
> >such texts.
> >The book by Clinton B. Desoto was last published in 1981, and is a
> >nearly out of print item which Amazon requires up to six weeks to
> >deliver. It is unreviewed on Amazon, even though it's been around for
> >at least 20 years.
> >It certainly is obscure, at the very least.
>
> John, DeSoto wrote his book back in the 1920s or 1930s (my copy
> is in Nevada); a *reprint* was made in '81. Those reprints were
> available at ham radio stores (I bought mine at Henry Radio
> in L.A. in the mid-80s). He lived through the era of the new
> science of radio and was able to draw from publications, news
> reports, attendance at conferences, et cetera. Why would Amazon
> conduct a review on a book published some 70-80 years ago?
>
> >And then there's the matter of Desoto's livelihood and allegiances;
> >namely, the fact that he was a part of the ARRL Headquarters staff.
> >That would seem to me to make it very difficult, if not impossible, for
> >him to be an objective historian.
>
> As he details in the preface, the book was written *before* he went
> to work at the League. For some reason which I can't recall (again,
> my copy is in Nevada) he was not able to find a publisher. He goes
> on to say that once he began employment at the League, they agreed
> to publish his work even though parts of it were critical of the
> League.

According to the book's "Publishers' Note", DeSoto *began* writing "200
Meters and Down" before starting to work for the ARRL, but continued
to work on the manuscript for "several years" while employed by the ARRL,
drawing on additional ARRL resources, before the ARRL published the book
in 1936.

> >The ARRL itself was known for being less than objective in its early
> >years. Having claimed the first coast to coast radio relay for itself,
> >the League conveniently ignored the fact that another relay league
> >championed by Hugo Gernsback had already accomplished a coast to coast
> >relay the previous year. In fact, the ARRL was the second organization
> >of amateurs to form, the first apparently being the one that Gernsback

> >championed in his magazines -- the Radio League of America (RLA).
>
> This casts a shadow of a doubt on everything you've written, for
> Gernsback's organization was the "Wireless Association of
> America." He claimed he had 10,000 members in 1909, when in fact,
> there were only about 600 transmitting amateurs in existence.

The Wireless Association of America was the first organization formed
by Gernsback, while he was the editor of Modern Electrics. The Radio League
of America was formed in 1915, and was affiliated with his later magazine,
Electricial Experimenter.

In 1909, the term "amateur" normally covered both sending and receiving
activities, so the number of amateurs was much greater than the number of
transmitters they operated. It was common in this period to see
references about the estimated number of amateurs, then how many of them
operated transmitters in addition to receiving. (It's always interesting
to see the references to "Amateur Receiving Stations")

In January, 1910, Outlook Magazine estimated the number of amateur
transmitters in the U.S. as 4,000.

> >The
> >ARRL and the RLA were reported as being bitter rivals, with the ARRL
> >apparently being the instigator of the whole affair through its QST
> >editorial pages, and through one article "The Danger Signal Up" which
> >warned against joining such organizations as the RLA.
>
> The League wasn't born until April 6, 1914. The first issue of
> QST appeared December 1915. By then, Gernsback's WAA was no longer
> in existence. Where are you getting your information from?

That information came from some full text articles from Electricial
Experimenter and QST magazines which I recently added to the Pioneering
Amateurs section on my web page at:
http://www.ipass.net/~whitetho/index.html
And again, it was the Radio League of America that was involved--as you
note, the Wireless Association of America was no longer in existance.

> >During this
> >period of time, neither organization was particularly objective, and it
> >is clear that anything written by members of either organization must be
> >taken with a grain of salt.
>
> Your opinions are based on falsehoods. DeSoto's work was written
> before he went to work for the League.

Again, much of what DeSoto wrote came after he started working for the
ARRL. And, in order to provide a full review of early amateur radio, I've
found it more important than DeSoto apparantly did to carefully review the
activities of Hugo Gernsback and the Radio League of America. In particular,
I wonder why DeSoto never reviewed Gernsback's claim to be the person to

suggest the 200 meter amateur wavelength.

I recently spent two days at the Library of Congress in Washington, DC photocopying articles from Gernsback's three publications--Modern Electrics, Electrical Experimenter, and Radio Amateur News--and found them to be tremendously valuable resources for information on early radio, both amateur and professional.

> I'm sorry, but with the grave errors you've committed, you have no
> credibility.

I'll be willing to vouch for the overall credibility of his post.

> 73, Jeff KH6O

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whitetho@ipass.net == Thomas H. White == Cary, NC
Radio History web page: http://ipass.net/~whitetho/index.html

2376. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dqrobhve1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 113137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark S. Holden <msholden@ct2.nai.net> wrote:
>Perhaps the Government Printing office sells copies of this chart?

You can click on a link that will take you to the GPO -- the order
form will already be filled out for you.
Jeff KH6O

2377. Radio Shack HTX-10 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cvfrayedknot@cs.com
Message-ID: <20000421205318.13844.00001403@ng-fp1.news.cs.com>
Source record: 113138

Does anyone have the pin out for the HTX-10 mic? I am on the road
and wish to connect the rig to my computer but do not even have a meter
to test it with! Please respond via email.

Mark Hilliard, CV "Frayed Knot"
Digital Pro 70 Nature & Nautical Galleries:
http://www.orneveien.org/n2hhr/

2378. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <removenow@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <i1v1gscfpchruh818pild8dt3bakmgvfhd@4ax.com>
Source record: 113139
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>>
>> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>>
>> >> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
>> >
>> >. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
>>
>> Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
>
>Nope. No "Mustang" made can stay that close to my taillights.

Really? Even with all the aerodynamic drag from that DSS dish mounted
on your roof? ;-)

>BTW, if it was made after 1972, it's not a Mustang!

You're right - it was a Cobra.

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2379. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <removenow@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1tu1gs46uvelc2loa1k9smem9bisi8q527@4ax.com>
Source record: 113140
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:

>The last neighbor that complained about my landscaping, I put a toilet
>in the front yard next to thier yard filled with flowers, and landscaped
>around. Those yard nuts just about had a stroke.

Good thing you don't live in my neighborhood. The Homeowners'
Association would run your ass out on a rail for that! ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2380. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Message-ID: <3900FCC4.10BAD270@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Source record: 113141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

n2ey@aol.com wrote:

> > Why, it was nothing short of a CB term and did not belong on ham radio
> > (the insulted's words, not mine...) : /
>
> The insulted person is right. Why use phrases on-air that make no
> sense? Why not speak plainly, and use straight, simple English?

It's no different from people saying I'm going to "turn up the wick" to indicate an increase in power. They are colloquial expressions which are strictly speaking incorrect, but understood by many people. In fact if "straight, simple English" is the criteria, we would have chastise people who use "QTH" and other terms because these terms aren't "straight, simple English" either. We don't because while they are unnecessary, we understand them. The difference is that they as "ham speak", not the dreaded "CB speak".

The real problem is the ignorant individual who had the gall to try to impose his/her prejudices on others. If the conversation wasn't with him, then it was none of his business as such terms aren't illegal. If it was addressed to him, then a simple "what are you talking about?" would have been sufficient.

Mark.

2381. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39010435.1763800@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 13:54:37 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>Sorry, you can't steal from the government on the same basis
>>that you can be accused of doing so by a college proffessor.
>>Copyright can be used to protect the college proffesor's test...
>
>When has a student caught for stealing a test ever been prosecuted for a
>copyright violation? Expelled maybe. Copyright? Not likely. My analogy may
>not be perfect, but it's pretty close. Stealing a test, by whatever method,
>physically or fraudulently, is wrong. That's what the uproar was about...

The basis for the expulsion is still a violation
of law (i.e. copyright), and/or school rules. Schools
have historically been able to establish rules of conduct
that often go beyond the fundamentals of law.
The fact remains that the FCC could NOT expell
Bash in any case.

>>that didn't make it illegal...
>>That's what makes for court decisions in the first place.
>
>I can cite you many examples of people who break the law and are never
>prosecuted in a court. They have broken the law nevertheless. That Bash was
>not hauled into court is not proof that he didn't break the law...

You and I are entitled to our opinions, in the
eye of the law, Bash has never been charged and is,
therefore, not guilty of anything. As I said before...
the fact that Bash was NOT prosecuted and, therefore,
never found guilty simply "suggests" (i.e. it doesn't
prove) the FCC may have been internally unconvinced
of their ability to get a conviction.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2382. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <390105d7.2182276@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 13:53:11 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>My ONLY point was
>>to offer another perspective which was that
>>the legallity of Bash's efforts was never tested
>
>We agree that Bash was not prosecuted. Was that point ever in question??
>
>>[we can] Specuate all we want,
>>but there is NO absolute answer now, nor will there
>>ever be.
>
>I think the original statement I made was that I thought that the uproar was
>because most people *thought* that what Bash did was immoral, unthinkable
>and illegal...
>
>Do you remember any large group of people, say the ARRL, defending Bash for
>doing the moral legal thing by stealing the FCC tests and publishing them
>for profit...

What difference does it make to the logic. One
isn't guilty by virtue of popular or unpopular opinion.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2383. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay N4AOX <wyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39010A6A.2C0B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 113144
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >I doubt that
> >any of the material contained in the 1957 Handbook is the same
> >text as the 2000 Handbook.
>
> No one said that the 1957 edition alone was an all-time best
> seller. A technical book, by definition, must be updated at
> a rate proportional to the rate at which advancements take
> place within its field. But you know this.
> Jeff KH6O

Hi Jeff, Cecil,
Just happen to have the '57 one on the shelf. The list price was
$3.50. At that price the '00 one would become a best seller. ;-)

73,
Clay N4AOX

2384. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <39011E6D.E28BF24F@home.com>
Source record: 113145

I had only one confrontation with a new General. He said that he had
been waiting for years for the chance to operate in a real HF contest. I
had to tell him that if he had really wanted to do it as much as he said
he did, he would have put out the effort to earn the license. I really
don't feel like I am suffering from sour grapes, but some guys just seem
to ask for it.
Gary
AB5RM

2385. Antique Radio Decals & Dial Scales

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rockseaent@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000421235930.16331.00000251@ng-xb1.aol.com>
Source record: 113146

We have dial scales for antique radios from Addison to Zenith plus a selection of water slide decals. A number of new dials have been added: Bendix 110W, Philco 37-34, 37-89, 46-501; RCA T8-14, C8-15, 10T1, 103; Stewart Warner 01-5H7, Western Air Patrol 6M2T and more.

A free Antique Radio & Phonograph Pocket Resource Guide is available on request.

A current price list can now be downloaded from our web page at: http://members.aol.com/RockSeaEnt/

Thanks, Mike

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2386. Re: W2RCL TO MARRIE INTO THE WHITTEN FAMLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <EQ9M4.73578$q67.1244195@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113147

What an inane post. I can't even understand half of what this guy is saying.
"It's not the heat, it's the illiteracy."

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dqqfe$g7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> W2RCL IS GOING TO MARRY RICHES OTHER DAUGHTER BOB SAYS SHE IS A REAL
> DOG BUT IT WILL GET ME IN THE FAMLEY. BOB AND STAR LEG THE NEW COUPLE.
> RICH GETS A BUILT IN CONTROL OPP.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2387. Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu>
Source record: 113148

Many people have never heard of ham radio; most people under the age of
30 fall into this category.

As for letting people down, I would tend to believe that it's far worse
to not let people know we exist that to possibly let them be let down
by some fantasy that doesn't happen...

And as for amnazing things...

Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)

No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
and the other guy and miles of "ether."

Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,
--
Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI
541-684-9970 Eugene, OR Land o' much rain
If you find me on the air, I'm probably in my car
ham@w3eax.umd.edu http://w3eax.umd.edu/~ham

2388. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com>
Message-ID: <vq92gsoddgh2ubqs6qjfqhre5dq7st73vs@4ax.com>
Source record: 113149

Amen! My Extra is over 20 years old. And yeah, I too am a "welfare" Extra.

Get over it, folks. The regulations are a fact of life. If this issue bothers you enough to pull the welcome mat away from the newcomers, you really ought to check your blood pressure. You probably aren't far from having a heart attack. (But hey, if you're determined to be a hard-ass, maybe a heart attack will help you realize what the really important things in life are)

It's just a hobby. It's not worth getting worked up over. You want to keep morse code alive? USE IT! And give others a good example to follow. Posting nasty messages on usenet is no way to attract talent.

73,

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

2389. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Calguire <calguire@tcfreenet.org>
Message-ID: <39012D96.43BB@tcfreenet.org>
Source record: 113150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Lyle Koehler wrote:
>
> Or you can ask for a free one from
> http://www.omega.com/literature/posters/
>

Is that site still around? I was referred to that same web site over four years ago. I signed up for the free chart twice, but never received one. Is this company still in business, and still giving away free charts?

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/_____ _____/ Tony Calguire
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2390. Re: NEW HAMS TRYING REAL HARD TO DO RIGHT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <KZ9M4.73725$q67.1244791@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113151

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dqn8hclq1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> THE NEW GUYS ARE DOING THE BEST THEY CAN (Punc. - Period) THERE (SP -
They're) VERY POLITE AND (Gram. - "are") TRYING
> TO BE ACCEPTED. IM (SP - I'm) GOING TO GIVE THEM A CHANCE (Punc. - Period)
THERE (Gram. - are) BETTER OPPS THAN A
> LOT OF SOME (Gram, which one, "lot of" or "some"?) 40 YEAR OLD TIMMERS
(SP- "Timers" and poor choice of words. S/B 40-year-old old-timers or
equiv.)IVE HERD (SP- heard. Punc. - Period) GIVE THEM A CHANCE.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2391. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <39012adf.91767085@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 113152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Luckily I am not guilty. :) I never said it was beneficial. I am
just arguing against those who denigrate the individual operators and
those who are threatening to leave. If we are going to bad mouth
anybody, it should be the FCC, NOT the hams. Those who swear they
will not stay with ham radio because of restructuring sound too much
like "if we won't play by my rules, I won't play at all". We should
be concentrating on teaching (I still have much to learn) and working
on getting it changed back IF that is what people want.

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 10:03:30 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Howie baby, everything remains to be seen. It's far too early to assess the
>ramifications, reverberations and repercussions of figuratively giving away
>tickets but anyone who denies that lowering standards to increase numbers is
>beneficial, is guilty of self delusion.
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2392. Learning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <39012c35.92109309@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 113153

Hopefully I won't get too much flack for this question. :) When I first became interested in Amateur Radio, I was told to obtain a copy of Now You're Talking and study and learn it. I did. I was told to get a copy of the code tapes and some computer programs and learn at least 5 wpm. I did (and better) My question is how the heck do you learn all the stuff you are supposed to know as a General + licensee? Simply memorizing the answers is not enough for me. I would actually like to learn this stuff. What do I study? Where do you find an elmer willing to teach this? Its not as if you can go out and buy the Advanced version of NYT and learn and listen like I did for the lower licenses. I have spent much time listening before I ever even keyed up on HF. Same thing with VHF & UHF. BUT the material we are talking about here, you can sit and listen forever and not pick up a fraction of it. Where does one go from here? And please no responses simply comprised of "find yourself an elmer and learn from him/her" LOL cause with all my long winded rambling I guess basically thats what I'm trying to find.

Howard N3TNQ

2393. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39012FD0.E47EC74F@bctv.com>
Source record: 113154
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
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> >Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
> >>
> >> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >> I'm worse than you - I had my Mustang GT up to 100MPH today. ;-)
> >> >
> >> >. . .being towed by a Camaro . . ?
> >>
> >> Couldn't have been YOUR Camaro... ;-)
> >
> >Nope. No "Mustang" made can stay that close to my taillights.
>
> Really? Even with all the aerodynamic drag from that DSS dish mounted
> on your roof? ;-)

Even in Low.
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2394. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8drf93$j1f$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113155

Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
news:39011E6D.E28BF24F@home.com...
> I had only one confrontation with a new General. He said that he had
> been waiting for years for the chance to operate in a real HF contest. I
> had to tell him that if he had really wanted to do it as much as he said
> he did, he would have put out the effort to earn the license.

Are you issuing your own licenses for HF?

> I really
> don't feel like I am suffering from sour grapes, but some guys just seem
> to ask for it.

Here I am.

Hope this helps.

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It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Celebrating four years as part of the problem with the internet.

2395. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <removenow@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dui2gs0juif457hmbinibbhoii4gvst48k@4ax.com>
Source record: 113156
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>> Really? Even with all the aerodynamic drag from that DSS dish mounted
>> on your roof? ;-)
>
>Even in Low.

Only wussies and cripples drive an automatic. ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2396. WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "d.hodgson" <ve3kfq@home.com>
Message-ID: <39014CAF.8F0514FD@home.com>
Source record: 113157

need manual for standard c508 dualband, can't find mine since I moved.

thanks
ve3kfq@home.com 73's

2397. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39014be0.1012141@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 20:24:03 -0700 (PDT), "Phil Kane"
<nospam@nospam.spam> wrote:

>On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 01:50:32 GMT, Bill Sohl wrote:
>
>>therefore, not guilty of anything. As I said before...
>>the fact that Bash was NOT prosecuted and, therefore,
>>never found guilty simply "suggests" (i.e. it doesn't
>>prove) the FCC may have been internally unconvinced
>>of their ability to get a conviction.
>
> We (FCC staff members, both attorneys and non-attorneys) who
> cared enough about the matter were convinced that the problem
> was that the now-deceased attorney who would have had to bring
> the charges was just too damn lazy to do it.
>
> We disputed the case heatedly with this person and at no time
> was the phrase "you don't have a case" used - it was "I'm not
> interested" which we knew was code for "It's too much work for
> me to do anything about it". We had been up to that plate
> before.....
>
> Very personalized - and demoralizing. 'Nuff said.

Yep, let's just agree to disagree...cause I am equally
certain that Bash would have had no problem getting
a defense attorney...probably from the ACLU. How any
such case might have actually then ended up just
can't be certain.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2398. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39014d32.1350670@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 113159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 22:59:02 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>You and I are entitled to our opinions, in the
>>eye of the law, Bash has never been charged and is,
>>therefore, not guilty of anything. As I said before...
>>the fact that Bash was NOT prosecuted and, therefore,
>>never found guilty simply "suggests" (i.e. it doesn't
>>prove) the FCC may have been internally unconvinced
>>of their ability to get a conviction.
>
>I agree to everything you say here. But...
>Nothing you say above proves that Bash didn't break the law.

I thought I made that clear in what I said above.
Neither opinion can be substantiated today.
We can only agree to disagree.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2399. Re: Learning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsa2f$d7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113160

I think you've hit on the best method already; listen, listen, listen. That doesn't mean that's all you do. By all means get on and operate. Make some friends, work some DX, try some contests.

But whenever you hear a conversation that sounds like it has some meat to it, listen. Sometimes there'll be a lot of substance in it, sometimes, there'll be a lot of bs, and sometimes the folks will have it so wrong you won't believe it. But take in everything and as you get a larger database of information, you can learn better which bs to discard.

This is true of VHF as well. You should be able to hear some locals and get an idea of who knows stuff and who doesn't.

Then comes phase two. Ask. If you hear someone talking that sounds like they have knowledge that you want, ask them about it.

Reading is the second best method. In addition to monthly magazines, pick up a book or two on operating, theory, specialty information, etc.

One thing to remember, this isn't university. There is a lot of information that gets promulgated that isn't correct, because there isn't a system of checks and balances or peer review like in academia. Trust, but verify.

All of this won't happen overnight. That's the value in being old and grumpy; you've had time to gather all this information in.

Good luck.

LRod

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2400. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39017333.9BDECC05@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113161

"D. Stussy" wrote:
>
> Actually, he's not "illegal" in the sense that Congress passed a law a long
> time ago that indicates that any Cuban that makes it to shore may not be
> deported - assumed political asylum.

Actually, that should read, "...assumed political asylum, if the
person desires it." Since a six year child is not able to make an
informed decision in this regard, children were normally excluded from
this in the past (they were routinely returned to their parents unless
some other overriding factor came into play).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2401. Re: W2RCL TO MARRIE INTO THE WHITTEN FAMLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dsddr$3h2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113162

In article <EQ9M4.73578$q67.1244195@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
> What an inane post. I can't even understand half of what this guy is
saying.
> "It's not the heat, it's the illiteracy."
YOU SHOULD WORRY ABOUT YOUR WIFE NOT ME ON HERE SHE BOINKING THE DOG
NEXT DOOR YOU HAVE NO DICK THERE WORK WITH THAT FUCK HEAD
> <nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8dqqfe$g7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > W2RCL IS GOING TO MARRY RICHES OTHER DAUGHTER BOB SAYS SHE IS A REAL
> > DOG BUT IT WILL GET ME IN THE FAMLEY. BOB AND STAR LEG THE NEW
COUPLE.
> > RICH GETS A BUILT IN CONTROL OPP.
> >
> >
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2402. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dseb8$4m1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> While sitting here working away at my office,
> I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.
>
> I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and others talk
> about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the inside scoop,"
> and "people are going to be surprised" blah blah blah...
> And of course, they never, ever spell out what their
> so-called "insider information" is all about.
>
> Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.
> Frankly, I think this kind of gossiping amongst
> a few chosen people about such grave matters
> is wrong. Childishly taunting "I know something
> you don't know! Naah Naah Boo Boo!" when you're
> talking about accusing people of crimes is unacceptable behavior.
> Loose talk and jumping to conclusions
> can lead to injustice (AC5IU IS A GOOF QRMER comes to mind).
>
> Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of
disciples,
> you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.
> Listening to these guys dance with glee over their
> "secret knowledge" is unseemly.
>
> 73 DE Dave AB5S
>

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2403. Re: Learning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg4fet@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422071404.19259.00001575@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 113164

Most of the information you want to find can be found on the net. I went through the same thing you are, and I recieved my ticket in NOV 99. The time since has been spent researching what I had questions about as I was studying. My "elmer" gave me a very old copy of the ARRL handbook and that is a wealth of information including circut diagrams and homebrew projects.
Good Luck in Your search for knowledge,
Sandor KG4FET

2404. Re: FT-100 or IC-70||g ?? DCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg4fet@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422072729.19259.00001576@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 113165

>FT 100 has DCS tone code/encode . How important and useful is this ?

Depends on if you have repeaters in that area that use DCS rather then CTSS.
It does make for a nice conversation with a like equipt radio so you can "page"
the other unit. This is what the FRS radios use as their privacy codes.

>I would like to get your opinion about these two radios.
I personally use the FT-100 as my base radio currently and have enjoyed it so
far. The radio has been a great performer on uhf/vhf for me. If you plan to
use it on AM or CW I would get the optional filters for these modes. I have
listen on the HF bands and the reciever is very good for my situation. We will
see in a week or so how well it does on TX in HF. I could not be happier with
a radio I don't think. I have and would again recommend this radio to any one
looking for a good rig for base or mobile operation. I would be happy to
answer any specfic questions you have on the FT-100.
Sandor KG4FET

2405. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beefhead <mona6357@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <_AgM4.56936$y4.1923689@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI] <ham@w3eax.umd.edu> wrote in message
news:8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu...
> And as for amnazing things...
>
> Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
> via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)

But it is no longer UNIQUE and this is the root issue here.

It used to be that ham radio operators we the ONLY people
in the neighborhood who could communicate in realtime with
people in other States and Countries, from either their car
or home.

This is no longer the case today. The public now has Internet, Cellular
Telephones, E-Mail, Chat Rooms, FRS Walkie-Talkies. Soon it will be
HDTV and Cable Providers co-joined with the Internet.

The UNIQUENESS of ham radio has been supplanted by newer and much less
expensive
communications technology, which is readily available to the General Public,
from WalMart
to Radio Shack and everyplace in-between. Again this is the reality of
today.

Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE. And that gentlemen, regardless
if you
choose to accept it or not, is the plain truth of this whole issue. I may
also add that in lieu
of all these personal communications devices, why should the public care
about ham radio?
Even Citizens Band radio is in decline! It's OBSOLETE technology also,
unless you drive
on the Interstates alot.

> No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
> and the other guy and miles of "ether."

Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet, and via Packet
Radio
side-by-side. Guess which service will deliver it faster and more
efficiently?

> Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,

That is as technologically obsolete as the tube type radios many hams still run and
just as inefficent also. Sorry to keep harpin on this, but it's the truth that you hams NEED
to hear. Don't believe it? Read any article written by Wayne Green in the past 5 Years
concerning the outlook for this hobby. He's one of the FEW gems we have in this hobby that
knows anything about what is really going on, and how ham radio will probably be dead by 2015.

> Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI
> 541-684-9970 Eugene, OR Land o' much rain
> If you find me on the air, I'm probably in my car

Your a nice guy Scott, buy your sadly misinformed about the realities
of technological obsolence facing ham radio in the Year 2000.

2406. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422081438.01871.00000312@nso-cp.aol.com>
Source record: 113167

In article <_AgM4.56936$y4.1923689@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Beefhead" <mona6357@hotmail.com> writes:

>Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet, and via Packet
>Radio
>side-by-side. Guess which service will deliver it faster and more
>efficiently?

And, please try to communicate with me real time, via the internet, where this
are no phone lines, and no cell phone service.

N9GSU

2407. Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ds4qn$p2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 113168

The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched up and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried to barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of Yanks don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but his father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if they refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would not cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion concludes, both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red, White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you? CUBA LIBRE SI.....CUBA FIDELISTA NO! MUERTE A LAS COMMUNISTAS EN TODO EL MUNDO Y FELICES PASQUA PARA LOS RADIOAFICIONADOS NORTEAMERICANOS Y SUDAMERICANOS!

2408. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14894-39019A9C-12@storefull-136.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 113169

If anyone wants to see the type of NAZI Clinton government
heir-Swartzbard supports, please go to:

http://www.drudgereport.com

A picture says a thousands words. (And please note the quote from Reno
right above the photo about the finger "not being on the trigger".)

God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Don B.

2409. Re: tribander for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <3901A04E.AD02BEA2@sgi.net>
Source record: 113170

The guy obviously has a problem with life it self. Here's a ham trying to make a deal and another chastising him for the antenna size. That's utter bull shit. Some people will never grow up.

LRod wrote:

> In article <8dnev3$i4m$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> > You didn't check for the necessary turning radius or nearby obstacles
> > before buying? Are you a welfare Extra?
>
> C'mon Doc, that's not fair.
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2410. Re: W2RCL TO MARRIE INTO THE WHITTEN FAMLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsiu3$9li$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113171

In article <8dqqfe$g7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> W2RCL IS GOING TO MARRY RICHES OTHER DAUGHTER BOB SAYS SHE IS A REAL
> DOG BUT IT WILL GET ME IN THE FAMLEY. BOB AND STAR LEG THE NEW COUPLE.
> RICH GETS A BUILT IN CONTROL OPP.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Is it the booze, or are you that illiterate?
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2411. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <3901A16C.C97F67@sgi.net>
Source record: 113172

It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.

The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of screwing around for 5 months.

How would you as a father feel if that was your son?

Donald Burkhart wrote:

> If anyone wants to see the type of NAZI Clinton government
> heir-Swartzbard supports, please go to:
>
> http://www.drudgereport.com
>
> A picture says a thousands words. (And please note the quote from Reno
> right above the photo about the finger "not being on the trigger".)
>
> God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> Don B.

2412. Does FRG still shag sheeP?? (Was:Re: Has Roger learned his lesson?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsj3e$9m8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113173

In article <r04M4.72404$q67.1213359@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"frg9600" <frg9600@earthlink.net> wrote:
> http://www.rrsta.com/rain/fcc/0letters/wisemanwarn.html

Go back to your sheep.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2413. Re: Mr. H: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsj86$9oo$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8dseb8$4m1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
<flush!>

You gotta forgive ND8V, he suffers from years of inhaling carbon
monoxide fumes, coupled with ingesting copious amouts of transmission
and brake fluid.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2414. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsjb7$a09$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113175

In article <3901A16C.C97F67@sgi.net>,
Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
>
> The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of
screwing
> around for 5 months.
>
> How would you as a father feel if that was your son?

It's still a sad commentary on life in the United States today.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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2415. Re: A "Tribute" to WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dsjel$a7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113176

In article <20000421124324.19755.00002604@ng-ba1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> I am reviivng this webpage.

"Reviving," stupid

> Take a look!
>
> http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/
>
> Long Live the B.A.R.F!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
> http://www.3950.net/
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.qth.com/dwm/
> http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm
>

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2416. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Castrucow <castrucw@junction.net>
Message-ID: <8ds8rt$82f$1@news.junction.net>
Source record: 113177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Beefhead <mona6357@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:_AgM4.56936$y4.1923689@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI] <ham@w3eax.umd.edu> wrote in message
> news:8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu...
> > And as for amnazing things...
> >
> > Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
> > via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)
>
> But it is no longer UNIQUE and this is the root issue here.
>
> It used to be that ham radio operators we the ONLY people
> in the neighborhood who could communicate in realtime with
> people in other States and Countries, from either their car
> or home.
>
> This is no longer the case today. The public now has Internet, Cellular
> Telephones, E-Mail, Chat Rooms, FRS Walkie-Talkies. Soon it will be
> HDTV and Cable Providers co-joined with the Internet.
>
> The UNIQUENESS of ham radio has been supplanted by newer and much less
> expensive
> communications technology, which is readily available to the General
Public,
> from WalMart
> to Radio Shack and everyplace in-between. Again this is the reality of
> today.
>
> Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE. And that gentlemen,
regardless
> if you
> choose to accept it or not, is the plain truth of this whole issue. I may
> also add that in lieu
> of all these personal communications devices, why should the public care
> about ham radio?
> Even Citizens Band radio is in decline! It's OBSOLETE technology also,
> unless you drive
> on the Interstates alot.
>
> > No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
> > and the other guy and miles of "ether."
>

> Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet, and via
Packet
> Radio
> side-by-side. Guess which service will deliver it faster and more
> efficiently?
>
> > Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,
>
> That is as technologically obsolete as the tube type radios many hams
still
> run and
> just as inefficent also. Sorry to keep harpin on this, but it's the truth
> that you hams NEED
> to hear. Don't believe it? Read any article written by Wayne Green in the
> past 5 Years
> concerning the outlook for this hobby. He's one of the FEW gems we have in
> this hobby that
> knows anything about what is really going on, and how ham radio will
> probably be dead by 2015.
>
> > Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI
> > 541-684-9970 Eugene, OR Land o' much rain
> > If you find me on the air, I'm probably in my car
>
> Your a nice guy Scott, buy your sadly misinformed about the realities
> of technological obsolence facing ham radio in the Year 2000.
>
>
>

A mild contadiction to above remarks. In our area the number of ham radio operators has at least tripled in the last twenty years. The big changes are the methods and frequencies used at the present time. Technology has certainly helped a lot to promote ham radio. Even most hams have not heard of internet linking via ham radio. Over the last two years it has been and is still being developed by a few hams I know in the area. With as tittle as a hand held radio I can communicate to many cities in Canada, and a number of them that are on line in the United States. More are coming on line all the time. Eventually it will be world wide. I am all for the internet as it provides me with information and entertainment, and now with a brand new and very unique form of communications. But when the internet gets hacked or your computer crashes the ham radio operators that are prepared will still be communicating on the airwaves.

73 de Mike VE7MK

ve7mk@rac.ca

2417. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <3901a6b3.353100656@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 113178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 12:06:18 GMT, "Beefhead" <mona6357@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>
>Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI] <ham@w3eax.umd.edu> wrote in message
>news:8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu...
>> And as for amnazing things...
>>
>> Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
>> via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)
>
>But it is no longer UNIQUE and this is the root issue here.
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>It used to be that ham radio operators we the ONLY people
>in the neighborhood who could communicate in realtime with
>people in other States and Countries, from either their car
>or home.
>
>This is no longer the case today. The public now has Internet, Cellular
>Telephones, E-Mail, Chat Rooms, FRS Walkie-Talkies. Soon it will be
>HDTV and Cable Providers co-joined with the Internet.
>
except that, generally, it's considered poor form to ring someone you
dont know up with your cell phone in new zealand. ham radio is
designed for that purpose; cell phones arent. and radio is its own
technology. just as there are computer geeks there are radio geeks. we
enjoy building stations, towers, antennas, knowing propagation,
etc...these are aspects that other technologies cannot replace.

>
>Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE. And that gentlemen, regardless
>if you
>choose to accept it or not, is the plain truth of this whole issue. I may
>also add that in lieu
>of all these personal communications devices, why should the public care
>about ham radio?
>Even Citizens Band radio is in decline! It's OBSOLETE technology also,
>unless you drive
>on the Interstates alot.

those of us on the ham radio maritime mobile service net who
participated in the rescue of a young boy on a sailboat off the coast
of honduras know this is wrong. the boy's family was attacked by
pirates and he was shot. the ONLY successful means of communications

his family had was amateur radio.

as i was sitting in my shack last sunday morning, N4QDB/C6A called on
our frequency. he stated a boater nearby had a heart attack and they
needed an emergency phone patch to the coast guard to authorize a
night flight to a hospital in the bahamas. i quickly patched them
through and the flight was on its way in minutes.

these are merely 2 concrete, real examples of why ham radio is not
obsolete...merely philosophizing about the obsolesence of ham radio is
meaningless in the face of the reality of its usefulness.

>
>Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet, and via Packet
>Radio
>side-by-side. Guess which service will deliver it faster and more
>efficiently?

try to get help for your bleeding kid at 3 AM 200 miles off the coast
of honduras with the internet. try to get help for a sick kid in the
jungles of honduras on the internet...

ham radio helped. the internet didnt.

>

2418. Re: W2RCL TO MARRIE INTO THE WHITTEN FAMLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dskmd$bh3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113179

In article <8dsiu3$9li$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8dqqfe$g7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> > W2RCL IS GOING TO MARRY RICHES OTHER DAUGHTER BOB SAYS SHE IS A REAL
> > DOG BUT IT WILL GET ME IN THE FAMLEY. BOB AND STAR LEG THE NEW
COUPLE.
> > RICH GETS A BUILT IN CONTROL OPP.
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> >
>
> Is it the booze, or are you that illiterate?
SHUT THE FUCK UP FAT ASS DUMBASSMAN
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
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>

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2419. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malenymph@hot.net
Message-ID: <3901ab8d.183123639@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 113180

On 19 Apr 2000 16:47:03 -0000, Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
(A REAL Ham) wrote:

> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
>types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
>upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be
>run off.

0 2 4 6 8 10
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TROLL-O-METER

2420. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3901A96B.C598EE85@bctv.com>
Source record: 113181
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >> Really? Even with all the aerodynamic drag from that DSS dish mounted
> >> on your roof? ;-)
> > >
> > >Even in Low.
> >
> > Only wussies and cripples drive an automatic. ;-)

Third group: Those who like to pass by Mustangs.

BTW, I'm a cripple. You got a problem with that? ;)

2421. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3901AB19.823143EF@bctv.com>
Source record: 113182

Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
>
> It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
>
> The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of screwing
> around for 5 months.
>
> How would you as a father feel if that was your son?

I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
be sent back to a slave state?

2422. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com>
Source record: 113183

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched up
> and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried to
> barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of Yanks
> don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but his
> father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no
> special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if they
> refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
> exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would not
> cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion concludes,
> both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
> Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
> White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?

The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.

IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?

I am ashamed of what my government has become.

2423. W2RCL TO MARRIE INTO THE WHITTEN FAMLEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dqqfe$g7r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113233

W2RCL IS GOING TO MARRY RICHES OTHER DAUGHTER BOB SAYS SHE IS A REAL
DOG BUT IT WILL GET ME IN THE FAMLEY. BOB AND STAR LEG THE NEW COUPLE.
RICH GETS A BUILT IN CONTROL OPP.

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2424. "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: carkenord@juno.com
Message-ID: <8dvtdm$o04$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112834

Please.......

For an "Advanced" class license holder, what part of the 15 meter band
is allocated to SSB operation??

Is there a website where all the amateur freq. allocations are listed?

Thank you......... KA0FPJ

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2425. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dvsc8$7l9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112835

<ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net> wrote:
><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>>I decided. I'm not voting for Clinton any more.

>Neither is anyone else. This is his second term. He can't run
>again, remember????
>Sheesh!

Rick, do we need to hit you over the head with a two-by-four?
Doc was chewing on his tongue when he wrote that.

73, Jeff KH6O

2426. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dvskl$7s2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112836

<ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net> wrote:
>BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

>>If I was the boys father, I'd CELEBRATE his new found freedom in the
>>U.S. and let him remain there! Any loving father would do this!

>Ok--then send your children to the Netherlands

...to be raised by two men married to each other. =:o

Jeff

2427. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dvsqi$7ul$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112837
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please drop rec.radio.amateur.misc from your follow-ups.

In article <39020DAD.6240D21F@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
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>Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
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>> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
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>> >> >> on your roof? ;-)
>> >> >
>> >> >Even in Low.
>> >>
>> >> Only wussies and cripples drive an automatic. ;-)
>> >
>> >Third group: Those who like to pass by Mustangs.
>>
>> The only way that could happen is if you drove your Camaro past a Ford
>> dealer's lot. ;-)
>
>Well, it IS a stretch of the imagination to suggest that those Mustangs
>might run long enough to get out the dealer's driveway, but I was giving
>you the benefit of the doubt.
>
>> >BTW, I'm a cripple. You got a problem with that? ;)
>>
>> Only if you're in a wheelchair...
>
>Why do you have a problem that I'm in a wheelchair some of the time?

2428. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dvtbn$8gg$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112838

In article <8dt6j5$u9q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> Keep it up Doc, and you WILL get planted. Your place is easy in and
> easy out. You keep it up as above, and you will be in court like
> Herb.

The Illinois State Attorney of Cook County, has proposed legislation prohibiting harrassment or threats on the Internet. From the reported proposed penalty, threatening or harrassing via the Internet would be a Class 4 felony in Illinois, punishable by up to 3 years in prison.

STRICT LAWS URGED FOR NET STALKING
SACRAMENTO -- Federal and state laws should be strengthened to help curb the growing problem of online stalking, a U.S. Justice Department report recommends. Internet service providers, which link users to e-mail and the World Wide Web, report a growing number of complaints about harassing and threatening behavior online, the report said.
Honolulu Advertiser, 9/16/99

73, Jeff KH6O

2429. Re: AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dvucnoni1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I don't know about whom you're talking.

In article <8dvkggerc1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> Doc, when you worked that "qualified individual" (FCC words) who was
> kept out of ham radio so long and unfairly (FCC paraphrase) by the 13
> wpm code test, I do hope you suggested he read one of the fine business
> ARRL books.
>
> I do want them to stay in >>business<< as long as it takes for everyone
> to despise SOMETHING about them and their "policies".
>
> God can save ham radio, but I won't be listening to it:
>
> I've arrivanated at the destinatory place so 73's, all the best, hope to
> work you again, 73's, que ass el for my 20 dollar W A S certifeecut,
> 73's, best to you and the wife, the dog, and the cat and I hope to hear
> you on 2 meters, so 73's again and all the best from this end, see you
> down the log, over and out, 73's in case I didn't say it already.
>
> BOO DOOO BLEEP DO BLEEP
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2430. ICOM 32-E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony barber <tony.barber@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <39037E47.B1C@virgin.net>
Source record: 112840

Operating manual req...or copy of...Thanks, Tony

2431. Yaesu FT707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony barber <tony.barber@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <39037E86.4EAF@virgin.net>
Source record: 112841

operating manual or copy of required...Thanks, Tony.

2432. Re: The Elian thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dvur6$c2n$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112842

LRod, it breaks down to this. In life we have to know when to hold and when to fold. The Gonzalezes didn't so the Feds folded 'em. Case closed. Maybe. I hope Elian has a nice time growing up as a young Communist Pioneer and Bill and Janet can take credit for it but then again the kid might still stay to grow up as a Capitalist Pioneer hawking drugs for his surrogate family in Habanita Miami? Olay? Ov vey!

In article <8dtt1sltq1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

> So the Miami Gonzalez' must take responsibility for any trauma suffered
> by Elian (or themselves) and for making it necessary for the government
> to carry out the procedure that they did. They are the ones that brought
> this about. At any point in the proceedings all they had to do was say,
> "we will surrender Elian to his father in accordance with the law of the
> land we were in such a hurry to come to and live in."
>
> Just tell me, oh government haters, what would you have done? Give me a
> complete scenario.
>
> LRod

2433. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dvv33$e2t$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jerk. She spells her name Yvonne Goolagong.

In article <rsjM4.57293$y4.1936542@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Evone Goolagonge" <hellothere@gulfnet.com> wrote:

> Listen to the Miami Police Radio and hear LIVE!
>
> http://www.policescanner.com/policeMPD.stm
>
>
>
>

2434. kam all mode trade or fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hcrane@thezone.net
Message-ID: <390386d4.66503223@news.thezone.net>
Source record: 112844

for sale kam all mode ver 5.0 all hookups for vhf and hf
all 3 manuels comes with 1 ch radio. willing to trade for
handheld radio or other items. everything comes with the kam
all you need to run it power suply cables computer cables
software. ect everythng you need in miint condition.
email offers. or trades. i wll pay shipping if your in canada if your
in the U.S with with split the shipping . fair enough but i am will to
trade anythnig of interest. so please make offers thanks.

2435. mf_luder: Does anyone understand what this idiot is saying?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3903802b.219421302@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112845

His posts are like an out of order scrabble game. Does anyone
understand what he's trying to say?

2436. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <390381D2.25B409F2@IEEE.org>
Source record: 112846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> Larry W4CSC wrote
> >How sad it is that the old Extras are the ones killing ham
> >radio.....
>
> From one incident you have determined that *all* the old Extras are at
> fault?
>
> >not those awful CBers and "welfare hams"
>
> And all hams in the new HF upgrade group are pure?
>
> Arnie, meet your opposite number...

Well, somebody has to be at the 20 sigma point.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2437. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000423192048.01419.00001745@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 112847

It's been a busy and interesting thread. Kudos to Radiosigs for breaking the story on here. Looks like he may have beaten Drudge to the scoop. Wonder if its possible to win a Pulitzer for a use-net post.

Anyway, congrats, Radiosigs. Keep the pot stirred.

2438. KE6HN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: elian@cuba.com
Message-ID: <390387e0.25278526@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112848

MOONWALKER still thinks he is a Control Op..!! Hahaha
KE6HN..Go back to the bread-truck....

2439. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: twatson410@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000423193350.17282.00003455@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 112849

>s there a website where all the amateur freq. allocations are listed

ARRL has a nice chart.

2440. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390385D0.4060FDFF@bctv.com>
Source record: 112850

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:

> > How many Cuban hams have you worked in the last few years? How many
> > Cubans have you met? Just what do you KNOW about Cuba, as opposed to
> > what you are told by those who support the Castro government?
>
> Actually, I've worked a number of Cuban hams over the past months.
> There doesn't appear to be any organized supression of ham radio
> activity if that's what you are implying...

Try discussing inner tubes to Key West and see what they have to say.
Write it down, then bring it up next time with another Cuban. I've
heard that they have a set of responses on a prompt card.

I KNOW that the few of their media people who are given permission to go
off the islands are given a handful of canned responses to offer --
Cuban expatriate reporters and photojournalists use these as a way of
determining if someone really DID work in broadcast news there.

2441. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <621C17B37BAD5541.12F4807E2CB5ED90.909B253DA4609163@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 12:16:27 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Larry W4CSC wrote
>>How sad it is that the old Extras are the ones killing ham
>>radio.....
>
>From one incident you have determined that *all* the old Extras are at
>fault?
>
>>not those awful CBers and "welfare hams"
>
>And all hams in the new HF upgrade group are pure?
>
>Arnie, meet your opposite number...
>
No, not at all. I AM saying the ones sitting on the bottom of the
Extra CW bands ARE some of the sour grapes Extras who are trying to
cause knee-jerk reactions to blame innocent newbies. It isn't
illegal, by the way to sign /AE to make it APPEAR as if you are a
newbie....

Same old sour grapes, trolling the ham bands for victims.

Larry W4CSC

2442. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: genno <wm9h@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <39038a6a$0$19899@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 112852

GO JEFF GO..

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8dvsc8$7l9$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> <ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net> wrote:
> ><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> >>I decided. I'm not voting for Clinton any more.
>
> >Neither is anyone else. This is his second term. He can't run
> >again, remember????
> >Sheesh!
>
> Rick, do we need to hit you over the head with a two-by-four?
> Doc was chewing on his tongue when he wrote that.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

2443. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <F1FF671A6E1D8BA4.70B07D806D5E65E9.0C5FAD649B879912@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112853

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 08:08:38 -0500, "Richard McCollum"
<rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote:

>
>BTW, Larry, do you think that between the two of us we might be old enough
>for the low end of 75??
>:-)
>
>Dick McCollum N0BK
>
Hmm....possibly if we were to operate ONE station, together, where we
can ADD our ages to qualify.....(c;

All in good fun. It's a shame so many hams have so much road rage
they can't enjoy the hobby.....pity.

Larry W4CSC - I think I'm going to rename my boat "W4CSC". Then I can
use my ham license call on marine VHF and REALLY create havoc!

"Ashley Marina this is W4CSC, Over?"

(sssssssssss open squelch)....(c;

2444. Re: Elian and his Kooky Relatives PARODY PAGE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39038BE2.CF7A5AB3@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jose-A Jose-B wrote:
>
> Yes, you just KNEW it was comming down the Pike.
>
> Didn't you??? BAAAA HA HA HA!!!!!
>
> clickinzie here---> http://www.geocities.com/stopmiami/
>
> this page is a HOOT!

Yep, if you haven't read the page, I highly recommend it. It will give you several good laughs, and leave you wanting more.

By the way, also read the comments (link at top of page). Yes, I added a comment.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2445. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <10D78A3ED4B467F3.DE306556A0B3C757.9C19617311C3EFBA@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112855

Dan, you are a TINY minority of Extra-class hams. Very tiny, indeed.

Tell you what. Look around the next hamfest you go to at the
nametags. Guess which Extras ever stood in front of a repeater and
which haven't. Listen for a month to the local club repeater, looking
up the calls of all the "technicians" who keep it all running on QRZ
and record their license class.

See why they call it "Technician Class", yet?

Larry W4CSC

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 21:04:18 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>Of course, all this means nothing in ham radio wallowing in the swill
>> of CW vs No CW. All these great functions are installed and
>> maintained by low-life no-code technicians who can't copy 20 wpm, but
>> are excellent systems engineers and technicians. The no-coders are
>> the ones, not the Extras, who devote countless hours climbing 2000'
>> towers to put up amazing antennas, building facilities (even buildings
>> themselves) to house it all in, installing new equipment, spending
>> hours configuring software, pulling hardline up the tower, etc. They
>> are always to be ridiculed on HF and amateur newsgroups and webpages
>> by those not so gifted, whos only claim to fame and control in their
>> lives is that they can copy 20wpm Morse, but haven't a clue when it
>> comes to paging terminals, receiver voters, UHF remote base links,
>> topo coverage mapping, TNCs on digital modes, FM transmitters,
>> duplexers, diplexers, magic rings and remote recievers so the HT in
>> WalMart can call home on the autopatch running only 100mw. No, they
>> can copy CW....just like the guys on spark!
>>
>> How sad......
>> Larry W4CSC
>> Old goat since 1957 with enough brains to get the hell out of the way
>> so the no-coders can put up a system for me to enjoy......
>>
>>
>Hey old goat, or should that be ignorant old goat? Just out of
>curiosity who the hell put all this together in the first place? Yeah
>thats right the Technicians, the Generals, the Advanced and believe it
>or not the EXTRA's also. Sure wish I would have known I was such a
>problem. I never would have built my linked 2m repeater to 29.6 and
>52.525 FM. I never would have helped work on the CHEAHA repeater here
>on the highest mountain in Alabama.
>
>And I would also like to apologize for being on SSTV in the early 70s

>when we used P7 Phospor tubes and NO COMPUTERS. I'm also sorry for
>building up a functional RTTY setup, without computers and modems. And
>I'm especially sorry for working the early OSCAR satellites with my
>modified Gonset transmitter and homemade 2 meter array.
>
>And finally I'm so sorry to have been ONE OF THE FIRST 2m packet
>stations in ALABAMA and also on 10m 1200 baud. And yes I use and LOVE
>CW. So stuff your attitude where its dark. People like you are whats
>wrong with Ham Radio today. An old grump with no life.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

2446. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <D3383834F06AD607.881F63BB506184C0.921786D6EDCFA23A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112856

Parental wishes, prior to the communist state getting in involved, was
for him to escape to a better life in the United States.

HIS MOTHER DIED TRYING TO CARRY OUT THAT WISH!!

Geez, we are dumb, some times.
Larry W4CSC

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 14:13:15 -0400, "Prof. Curt M. Breneman"
<brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:

>Donald Burkhart wrote:
>>
>> I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came
>> back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge.
>> But that wasn't what I was talking about.
>>
>> SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
>> at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
>> the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
>> the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
>> little head off!!!
>>
>> To defend these Reno Hitler-ites is inexcusable! What happened to the
>> phrase: "Never forget?"
>>
>> Don
>
>I'm curious, Don...
>
>If it had been up to you, when would you have decided that enough was
>enough, and prompted police action? Never? If so, then you've defined
>a scenario where a small determined group in a siege situation can win.
>This kind of precedent cannot be allowed!
>
>On the other hand, I agree that the kid would probably have a better
>life in the US, but that doesn't override parental wishes.
>
>Curt Breneman
>KC2EBP
>
>(p.s. It's not fair to call the Federal Agent a "Nazi". In rational
>moments, you must agree that these kinds of forces are necessary for
>certain kinds of high-risk law enforcement. Imagine what the country
>would be like if we didn't have means to deal with dangerous entry

>situations.)

2447. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <E852A11B296751A6.842516CAEC8E6FFA.C11D1C82437B2271@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112857

WOW! YOU'RE RIGHT! I just looked at both pictures...

Of course, half of what you are told by the Israelis in Washington is "faked", isn't it? No news here.....

Larry

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 12:11:42 -0400, "Scott Verity" <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:

>In all the discussion that's going on about Elian it's been mentioned that
>the happy photo with the father was possibly faked.
>Do I think it was faked? Possibly not.
>However, I do believe that the photo was taken PRIOR to Elian's arrival in
>America.
>
>Why?
>
>It's amazing ... in a photo of the raid as Elian was being hauled out no one
>seems to have noticed a missing tooth.
>
>What's the big deal?
>
>In the photo released by the lawyers, his tooth has AMAZINGLY returned to
>his mouth!
>
>The family wasn't armed and the last time an attack occured with peace talks
>ensuing was PEARL HARBOR!
>The only difference is that the side that commmited the underhanded attack
>was Janet Reno's storm troopers.
>
>Don't kid yourself, Reno CAN'T act without the PRESIDENT'S authorization.
>
>I thought the day of unauthorized N*A*Z*I breakins was over.
>
>The U.S. government wants guns out of the hands of the citizens for our
>"protection".
>Wasn't that one of Adolph's 1st measures taken?
>Those who don't remember history are bound to repeat it.
>
>
>

2448. Re: Another night of QRM on 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000423195817.15258.00003446@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 112858

kk7ho wrote:

>
> If I recall correctly there have been a few that have been "warned" and
>most
>of the jamming stopped.
>

Yes, but I don't think those warnings were for jamming the Liberty Net. I suppose you could count the warning that WA9KJI received, but I believe that was for an incident that occured just prior to the Liberty Net, and besides, the warning was rescinded.

But now that I think about it, I remember hearing that W9ART received a warning. I don't remember if that was for jamming the Liberty Net or not .... so maybe I am wrong.

At any rate, the smaller amount of jamming lately is not due to any direct FCC enforcement on 3950, rather it is due to the jammer's getting cold feet. Saturday's jammer must have been wearing thermal socks, however.

2449. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39038F3E.9C92F39A@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112859

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> And why are people still fleeing
> to Miami, 40 years later?

For the same reason thousands of other people, from countries with all types of governments, come to this country each year - money.

> Just what do you KNOW about
> Cuba, as opposed to what you are told
> by those who support the Castro government?

You're the one making all kinds of claims about life in Cuba, so lets turn this around. Just what do you know about Cuba, as opposed to what you were told by those who are opposed to the Castro government?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2450. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3903947E.9D63C9BB@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112860

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
> at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
> the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
> the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
> little head off!!!

Man, you must have very poor eyesight. The photo you're talking about on that page is the exact same photograph that has been shown everywhere (including on the front page of my local newspaper).

Anyway, no matter which copy you look at, the agent's finger is not on the trigger. In fact, on the enlarged versions, you can even see that the safety switch is in the locked position.

As for where the gun is pointed, it looks to me like it was aimed at the arm of Donato Dalrympie (the man in the green shirt holding the boy). The gun is aimed at the arm simply because that would have been the only clear non-lethal shot the agent could have taken at the adult (Donato was holding the boy in front of him).

But regardless, my friend. What does any of this matter? Even if the gun safety was off, the finger on the trigger, and the gun pointed at the boy, how does this effect the fact that nobody was injured during the raid?

All this nonsense is just an attempt to distract from the fact that the boy belonged with the father, not the relatives. And distract from the truth that raid was legal, done properly, and successful.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2451. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerBeep <snide@snide.com>
Message-ID: <390387BD.540C@snide.com>
Source record: 112861

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > And why are people still fleeing
> > to Miami, 40 years later?
>
> For the same reason thousands of other people, from countries with all
> types of governments, come to this country each year - money.

I'd like to flee from the US---BUT JUST TRY TO FIND A COUNTRY THAT WANTS AMERICANS!!! Even the Aussies don't want anything to do with us---and they are prolly the only ones in the world that like naive Americans---don't believe me, check with Australian immigrations!!! So, why are we suckers for the rest of the world!!!

2452. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3903995F.2D4F4A60@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112862

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Actually, the jackbooted thugs are courtesy of the Nixon
> Administration. So are both of the two main anti-gun groups, which were
> started with the "assistance" of the same "retired" CIA agent.

Yes, but they were passive police agencies at the time (in other words, they didn't do actual enforcement themselves - they were supposed to allow local law enforcement make the arrests). Reagan changed that to allow these agencies to directly enforce laws. Because of those changes, now we have these agents knocking down doors and making arrests.

Now some might consider this a minor change, but it is always dangerious when you have someone from outside an area enforcing the laws (in fact, if you read the Declaration of Independence, you will see that it was a big issue even back then).

However, even more important is the manner in which these agents are trained to enforce laws, and the rules they must follow in the field. These are the direct result of Reagan's war on drugs.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2453. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <wSMM4.3871$JN3.12690@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112863

"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:F1FF671A6E1D8BA4.70B07D806D5E65E9.0C5FAD649B879912@lp.airnews.net...
> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 08:08:38 -0500, "Richard McCollum"
> <rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote:
>
> >
> >BTW, Larry, do you think that between the two of us we might be old
enough
> >for the low end of 75??
> >:-)
> >
> >Dick McCollum N0BK
> >
> Hmm....possibly if we were to operate ONE station, together, where we
> can ADD our ages to qualify.....(c;
>
> All in good fun. It's a shame so many hams have so much road rage
> they can't enjoy the hobby.....pity.
>
> Larry W4CSC - I think I'm going to rename my boat "W4CSC". Then I can
> use my ham license call on marine VHF and REALLY create havoc!
>
> "Ashley Marina this is W4CSC, Over?"
>
> (sssssssssss open squelch)....(c;
>

Except for the fact that the FAA doesn't use the zero, I might try it on an
airplane.

Used to use it all the time on models and could depend on some soul to
inform me of that fact. The unusual transmitter flags from 53 Mhz also
tended to irritate the Model Police.

If we do 75, your call sign is more believable so you can add my age to
yours. As I believe you admitted to 54 on another posting, my 56 makes us
110 -- might qualify as a newbie :-)

Dick N0BK

2454. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39039BAE.69C1CC65@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112864

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> You should study some history before claiming to know history.
>
> Nixon created them.

When I used the word "created" in that context, I was trying to say
that Reagan and Bush "made them what they are." I didn't mean that
Reagan or Bush "started" these organizations or their law enforcement teams.

The simple fact remains, before Reagan and Bush expanded the authority
of INS, ATF, and others, to include direct law enforcement (as opposed
to passive law enforcement as Nixon designed), we didn't have government
"jack-booted thugs" kicking in the doors of people's homes.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2455. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <C3ACE68F0F29B994.63659FD8C32F2C32.5E7614CF1C10B12F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112865

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 16:48:58 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>So there is no excuse for your ignorance. You have the resources right
>there.

Yup!

And I use them _correctly_ as well.

>Uh . . .no. Check with the people who teach law enforcement at your
>school. A law enforcement officer (which is all that Reno is) must have
>authority granted by warrant to make a raid on a home.

Not if it is known that a crime is in progress within the
confines of that house, and that a hostage may be present (both of
which were known in this case).

And I don't _have_ to check with someone who teaches law
enforcement--I teach both Criminology and Criminal Justice Psychology
myself (among other subjects such as Political Science, Sociology and
Psychology).

>
>> 3. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority overturned by a court? No.
>
>A couple of lines up, you say she doesn't NEED authority!

You are the one who stated her authority was overturned, not
me. I was merely correcting your error.

>> 3a. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority to seize Elain overturned?
>> No, again.
>
>Yep. The Wednesday court appeal put her authority to take Elian in
>abeyance.

Nope. It stated that he could not be deported and must be
available for the hearing--the ruling did NOT state that he could not
(or should not) be returned to the lawful custody of his natural
father.

>>
>> 1/12/2000 Reno ruled that Elain should be returned to father's
>> custody.
>
>Reno has no authority to rule on ANYTHING. Judges rule. She is just a
>laywer -- the most that she can do is determine whether or not to bring
>a case before a judge.

An administrative ruling, in the absence of a specific law or
legal ruling, has the force of law. She is the lawfully appointed head
of the Department of Justice and therefore had the legal (and ethical)
obligation to determine whether probably cause existed to believe a
crime was being committed and what law enforcement response should be
enacted. In the absence of a court ruling, her decision that the boy
legally belonged in the custody of his natural father (under Federal
regulation to meet the obligations of the court order) and that the
Miami relatives were holding him illegally was a law enforcement
decision and well within her responsibilities as Attorney General.

>Uh . . .the United States doesn't recognize Cuban judicial opinion.
>Thus, the Cuban judge who awarded custody has no legal standing in this
>country.

A Cuban judge didn't _need_ to rule on custody. International
law specifies that in the event of the death of a parent, custody
immediately reverts to the surviving parent unless (a) duly enacted
laws of the country in which the child is residing specify otherwise
(they don't in the USA) or; (b) custody is specifically assigned to
another party by a court or relevant governmental agency in the
country in which the child is residing. Thus it is _US_ law that
required his return to his father, not Cuban law.

>> Rick Adams
>> ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net
>> adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
>> Department of Social Sciences
>
>Oh. Social "Science." I take back what I said about having no excuse
>for ignorance.

Really?

What department did you _think_ political science and criminal
justice were taught--humanities?

Pity you didn't take any social science course--it might have
helped you to understand your society and nation a bit better.

Rick, ke8hh

--

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Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2456. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <E26EC89A3E673963.4EDA1CF19ABAAC96.281B5771CEC369F1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112866

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 12:11:42 -0400, "Scott Verity"
<sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:

>In all the discussion that's going on about Elian it's been mentioned that
>the happy photo with the father was possibly faked.
>Do I think it was faked? Possibly not.
>However, I do believe that the photo was taken PRIOR to Elian's arrival in
>America.
>
>Why?
>
>It's amazing ... in a photo of the raid as Elian was being hauled out no one
>seems to have noticed a missing tooth.
>
>What's the big deal?
>
>In the photo released by the lawyers, his tooth has AMAZINGLY returned to
>his mouth!

Take a closer look.

The missing tooth is on the lower jaw.

In the picture with his father, you can only see the _upper_
teeth, not the lower ones (which were visible in the first photo
because his mouth was open).

>Don't kid yourself, Reno CAN'T act without the PRESIDENT'S authorization.

Tell that to Monica Lewinsky or to Kenneth Starr.

>I thought the day of unauthorized N*A*Z*I breakins was over.

They were--but the right wing keeps getting stronger, so
they'll probably be back soon.

>The U.S. government wants guns out of the hands of the citizens for our
>"protection".

Or for that of our kids--happen to notice how many schools
were closed on Thursday?

>Wasn't that one of Adolph's 1st measures taken?

No, that was burning books--something the right wing
extremists _already_ want to do with anything that might contradict
their very narrow world view.

>Those who don't remember history are bound to repeat it.

You mean we have another inquisition coming?

THAT I can believe.

Rick, ke8hh

--

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2457. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3903A1D0.B207C613@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112867

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> <snip> I tend to be of the opinion
> that Fidel would have been Fidel pretty
> much with or without us but our conduct
> left everything to be desired. <snip>

Ha Ha, probably true. But, without all the rheteric, and barriers, we might have had a better opportulity to reel this guy in (at least a little). And we might have had a nice place to spend winter vacations.

But regardless, it is nonsense to view Castro as any type of threat to the United States like some Americans do (remember the movie "Red Dawn"). Heck, the Florida National Guard is almost as large as Castro's entire military.

My point is that much of the world we face today is the result of choices that were made many years ago. And not all of those choices were the best we could have made. Whatever the case, we should not stay locked in those choices forever. We have to look each day to see if other possible choices exist, and then pick the best choice for our needs today.

But the only way to do that is to get past the rhetoric and find the truth. Only then can we make wise choices about our future.

> So yeah, I have a bit of a problem with
> leadhead sloganeering: it gets
> people killed.

Couldn't agree more. Well said.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2458. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e07pm$5ud$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112868

Question: what would Castro have done had a six year old kid named Jimmy
Smith from Miami washed up on the beach in Havana while his old man and his
new wife and baby sat home somewhere in Florida?
AF2Y

In article <39017333.9BDECC05@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart
<stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

>
>
> "D. Stussy" wrote:
>>
>> Actually, he's not "illegal" in the sense that Congress passed a law a long
>> time ago that indicates that any Cuban that makes it to shore may not be
>> deported - assumed political asylum.
>
>
> Actually, that should read, "...assumed political asylum, if the
> person desires it." Since a six year child is not able to make an
> informed decision in this regard, children were normally excluded from
> this in the past (they were routinely returned to their parents unless
> some other overriding factor came into play).
>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2459. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: myshkin@bway.net
Message-ID: <3903a5d8$1_4@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 112869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com>,
bljacobs@hiwaay.net says...
>
>Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
>so keep a close eye on them.

No, they may decide your kids are better off with their father than
surrendered to kidnappers.

--
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Flashman, VC, KG

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2460. Re: POLICE CALL on CD-ROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John LeMay <jlemay@nospam.njmc.com>
Message-ID: <8e090f$m1k$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 112870
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Instead of using this as a forum to blast Pozilla, why not try and be a bit more construtive? Personally, I realize this is a relatively immature (in other words "new") product and I would expect a few bugs. (Anyone remember products such as Windows 3.0, WordPerfect 6.0, etc.)

Try to explain the problem you are having with the product and see if someone here may be able to help out. Otherwise, quit griping and enjoy your new paperweight.

In article <3903650B.3D988AAB@sympatico.ca>, Howie WOLCHOK <howie1@sympatico.ca> wrote:
>
> --------------50EAC3178A1D8D8C8E607872
> Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii Content-Transfer-Encoding:
> 7bit
>
> I purchased a CD-ROM covering all 9 volumes of Police Call, 1999 1st
> edition from Grove Electronics in Feb. 2000 for $34.95 US.
>
> I cannot get the CD to install properly and have had virtually NO
> support from "Pozilla Software" who is the writer of this data base.
>

2461. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: myshkin@bway.net
Message-ID: <3903a80a_4@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 112871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3902FA28.8B5DFD00@worldnet.att.net>, PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net says...
>>
>> How about a child is better off with his father.
>>
> That would depend on his father. In this case, Elian's father
>hasn't seen the kid in 3 years.

Whoops! What propaganda have you been reading or, for that matter, propagating?

The father saw the child many times a week. He discovered he was missing when he went to pick him up from school.

A child belongs with jios father. PERIOD!!!!! Damin it! What sort of family values people are you?

I say this from the perspective of a father who had his son seriously interfered with by non-official do gooders who had an agenda that had nothing to do with his best interests. My son eventually died. So don't talk to me about substituting for the father's judgment for what is best for the child.

Bravo Reno!

Best thing the father could now do is spirit himself and his family out of the country and back to their homeland. But no. They will now be held prisoner. In this country.

--
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2462. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <9FB1C7AADE716BF4.9C3ED00A591B7CF4.9346780408FB5C17@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112872

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 21:26:19 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Question: what would Castro have done had a six year old kid named Jimmy
>Smith from Miami washed up on the beach in Havana while his old man and his
>new wife and baby sat home somewhere in Florida?

Probably the same thing Clinton did--order him returned to his
natural father as soon as possible.

Did you think he would have kept him? Why?

Rick--ke8hh

--

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2463. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3903A802.7276EDD1@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112873

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > The "Black Squads" were more likely members of Batista's government,
> > and are now living in Miami.
>
> Dwight, you haven't the slightest idea what you are talking about, so
> perhaps you should stop.

Oh, come on, Keith. I intentionally left the topic of "Black Squads"
open just so you could fill us in. Don't just drop provocative, evil
sounding, names into a discussion without giving the details. Tell us
how the raid on the Gonzalez home reminded you of the "Black Squads" in Cuba.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2464. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <4C8C51EE9AA2B9FF.808541B86C368FEA.08723D481E66E106@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112874

On 23 Apr 2000 22:14:45 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

><ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net> wrote:
>>BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
>
>>>If I was the boys father, I'd CELEBRATE his new found freedom in the
>>>U.S. and let him remain there! Any loving father would do this!
>
>>Ok--then send your children to the Netherlands
>
>...to be raised by two men married to each other. =:o

Which is healthier--two men married to each other and accepted
as such by their community or two men shot in the back of the head and
left on a rail road track by a homophobe in Texas?

I know my choice--how about you?

Rick

--

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2465. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <AF06F08F68FFB423.EA0A8C5379CBFBF1.7059EDE407D9E22C@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112875

On 23 Apr 2000 22:10:16 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

> <ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net> wrote:
>><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>>>I decided. I'm not voting for Clinton any more.
>
>>Neither is anyone else. This is his second term. He can't run
>>again, remember????
>>Sheesh!
>
>Rick, do we need to hit you over the head with a two-by-four?
>Doc was chewing on his tongue when he wrote that.
>
>73, Jeff KH6O

Around _this_ newsgroup, I take _nothing_ for granted. It's
not only possible, it's actually likely, that at least some of the
participants _do_ believe Clinton could run for re-election. If the
"Weekly World News" club here can believe in a UN takeover, a Masonic
plot, or the Black Helicopter Brigade, why wouldn't they believe that
Clinton could be re-elected?

Rick, ke8hh

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2466. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: myshkin@bway.net
Message-ID: <3903b232_4@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 112876
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <39027CF1.914897F3@postnet.com>, dpm3@postnet.com says...
>
>
>
>Bob Norton wrote:
>
>> Better than allowing them to be kidnapped by welfare-leech drunks and their
>> disco-slut daughters to be used as poster children for the Cuban American
>> Nazi Front.
>
> Your kind of racist remarks are an embrassment to this newsgroup.

But he is right, you know.

--
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2467. WTD: Manual For Galaxy Saturn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sg7eq25bcdo50@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112877
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

looking for the above manual willing to cover cost...even a photo copy would
be helpful

2468. Re: POLICE CALL on CD-ROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Piero Sassu <n3fvg@worldlynx.net>
Message-ID: <3903C503.DBB023B8@worldlynx.net>
Source record: 112878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://www.strongsignals.net/pastnews.htm

April 16
I just received the following from Melissa Goldman, wife of
Adam Goldman, President of Pozilla Software:

Adam wanted me to send you an e-mail. He was hospitalized
last Monday with a collapsed lung and the office has been temporarily
closed. While the doctors have released him from the
hospital, he has been ordered to bed rest for a couple of weeks. In the
interim, the
office is closed. If you could release a statement that
the office is closed and why it is closed, that would be very
appreciated. Please let
people know that e-mail will be answered at least once a
day until his health improves. I am doing the best I can to keep things
running
like now, but since I do not have the extensive knowledge
of scanners and the software that my husband has, I am very limited on
what I
can reply to. Please assure everyone that Pozilla is still
around and we will do our best to facilitate our customers.

I'm sure I speak for all of us in the scanner community when I
offer our heartfelt wishes for a fast recovery, Adam! Take care of
yourself and we'll be
here, waiting patiently, when the time comes for you to climb
back in the saddle!

Congratulations to Tony Gargano for taking delivery of a
Japanese version of the Icom IC-R3! Perhaps he will be kind enough to
share his thoughts on
the radio with us over the next, few days. That is if he can
pick up on the manual written in Japanese! ;-)

And yes, today was the day that Strong Signals reached the
1,000,000 hit mark! I want to thank all of you who have helped make this
THE place to
be on the Internet when it comes to radio monitoring! We have
all done a lot to help each other where we can, and I think the results
speak for
themself. Thanks for all your support, and long live the
monitoring hobby!

2469. need satellite [tiny] tx / rx ideas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark Savage Turner <turner@rome.ICS.UCI.EDU>
Message-ID: <200004230959.aa14519@gremlin-relay.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 112879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone out there know of very small 2 m / 440 / or even 1.2
transmitters and receivers, preferably xtal controlled and
low power (1/2 - 1 watt out) for the tx, no need for high
sensitivity for the rx. We need to transmit simple PL
tones and, of course, ID in morse, basic stuff like that.
Separate rx for control.

We have the Alinco DJ-CxT "credit card" radios for prototyping
and things work for our minimum configuration, but the complexity
of initializing the rigs and resets leads us to simplify at this
point.

Appreciate any pointers at all.

Clark S. Turner WA3JPG
Associate Professor of Computer Science
Cal Poly State University
San Luis Obispo, CA. 93407

2470. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390320DD.9B4ADA3B@bctv.com>
Source record: 112884

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
>
> In article <4593-3902EAC1-8@storefull-138.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> BurkSWL@webtv.net says...
> >
> >And let us all not forget, that on this anniversary week of the Colo.
> >high school shooting, with Heir-Clinton's PR against children and
> >guns...
> >
> >Heir-Clinton and his "Field Marshal" Reno decided to stick a MACHINE GUN
> >in the face of a SIX YEAR OLD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! (And
> >everyone wonders where the school violence comes from???!!!)
> >
> >Don
> >
>
> I don't think anyone can look at that picture, and not cringe.

True -- but while some of us cringe over what HAPPENED, others cringe
about the PUBLICITY.

> Yes, the agents were enforcing an order to turn the boy over to the his father,

. . .which order was IN ABEYANCE PENDING APPEAL.

> and Elian's Miami relatives were making that difficult. However, opposing
> government policy, and even being an outright pain in the ass is no call for an
> armed assualt.
> Then again, given Butch Reno's track record, I guess we should be thankful that
> the house didn't get burned down.
>
> Tom - N8ECW

Well, they at least had the gas, so I guess they just couldn't find
anyone who would loan them a tank!

2471. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39032304.89A09904@bctv.com>
Source record: 112885

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> > be sent back to a slave state?
>
> Slavery does not exist in Cuba today.

Hmmmm . . .Webster's says this:

Main Entry: slav·ery
Pronunciation: 'slA-v(&-)rE
Function: noun
Date: 1551
1 : DRUDGERY, TOIL
2 : submission to a dominating influence
3 a : the state of a person who is a chattel of
another b : the practice of slaveholding

Main Entry: 1slave
Pronunciation: 'slAv
Function: noun
Etymology: Middle English sclave, from Old
French or Medieval Latin; Old French esclave,
from Medieval Latin sclavus, from Sclavus
Slavic; from the frequent enslavement of Slavs
in central Europe
Date: 14th century
1 : a person held in servitude as the chattel of
another
2 : one that is completely subservient to a
dominating influence
3 : a device (as the printer of a computer) that
is directly responsive to another

> Castro banned slavery shortly
> after ousting the Batista government, and the members of that government
> fled to Miami.

And why are people still fleeing to Miami, 40 years later? And why is
Castro spending all those millions of dollars to machinegun those who
try?

How many Cuban hams have you worked in the last few years? How many
Cubans have you met? Just what do you KNOW about Cuba, as opposed to

what you are told by those who support the Castro government?

2472. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39032449.44440BDF@bctv.com>
Source record: 112886

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> KK4TL wrote:
> >
> > Trigger? Yep, according to Reno, nobody's finger was on the trigger at Waco,
> > either.
>
> Man, to see people link this to Waco really pisses me off. Janet Reno
> was totally wrong in Waco. She allowed the armed federal agents to
> attempt to sneak into the compound with nothing more than a minor
> weapon's violation as justification.

Boy, do YOU need a history lesson!

1) Reno wasn't even Atty General when the initial assault took place

2) The initial assault was planned during the last days of the Bush
Administration, and the leadership were all Bush leftovers

3) One doesn't "sneak" by driving up a road and opening fire.

No wonder you haven't the slightest idea what you are talking about
regarding Cuba.

2473. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39032484.B6EE293A@bctv.com>
Source record: 112887

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > The INS acted like Castro's "Black
> > Squads" <snip>
>
> The "Black Squads" were more likely members of Batista's government,
> and are now living in Miami.

Dwight, you haven't the slightest idea what you are talking about, so
perhaps you should stop.

2474. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39032509.FE3C63D2@bctv.com>
Source record: 112888

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
>
> In article <3902C559.220FEE31@sccoast.net>, stewartx@sccoast.net says...
> >
> >
> >Donald Burkhart wrote:
> >>
> >> God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!
> >
> >
> > By the way, before you get too excited about the "jack-booted thugs,"
> >let me remind you that it was Reagan and Bush who created them.
>
> <snip>
>
> WRONG! If you're going to blame someone, blame congress. Up until 1994,
> congress had been controlled by the Democrats. This included the Reagan and
> Bush years.

Actually, the jackbooted thugs are courtesy of the Nixon
Administration. So are both of the two main anti-gun groups, which were
started with the "assistance" of the same "retired" CIA agent.

2475. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390325C6.BF8A8170@bctv.com>
Source record: 112889

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Gee, Perfesser, maybe they know something that you don't. After all,
> > they are the ones who braved gunboats, sharks, exposure and drowning to
> > leave the Carribean Revolutionary Worker's Paradise.
>
> Or perhaps you don't know something that you should. Many of the
> older cubans living in Miami (the ones who fled as Castro took over, and
> who now own many of the business in the Miami area), are potential war
> criminals if relations are ever normalized with Cuba.

Uh, Dwight . . ? I really really doubt that Elian's mother fled Cuba to
dodge a war crimes trial.

2476. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903278B.7639DA35@bctv.com>
Source record: 112890

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Scott Verity wrote:
> >
> > Elian Gonzales was taken (at gunpoint)
> > from the home in Florida where he was
> > staying.
>
> Elian was taken from the relatives at gunpoint. According to all
> ligitimate reports, at no time was a gun actually aimed at the boy.

Please point me to a "legitimate" report which states that there was
never a gun pointed at him.

Oh, BTW, I don't consider a report from the people who might have
pointed guns at Elian to be legitimate.

> > Though the news says no one was hurt
> > they neglected to mention his uncle
> > (great uncle?) being struck with the
> > butt of a gun while his house was being
> > INVADED WITHOUT A WARRANT at 5 AM.
>
> No mention of the uncle being struck with a gun has been reported
> anywhere that I've heard. Where did you hear this?

> Actually, I don't think a warrant is required if the police know that
> a crime is taking place inside the residence.

Well, a lot of what you think is wrong, so it is no surprise that you
DON'T think some things which are right.

You are currently 8 points toward the killfile, as being not worth
trying to talk with.

2477. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dvbe8$53g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112891

In article <8dv32p0118@enews4.newsguy.com>,
tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L. Bryant) wrote:

> WRONG! If you're going to blame someone, blame congress. Up until
> 1994, congress had been controlled by the Democrats. This included the
> Reagan and Bush years.

So let me see if I have this straight; the stuff that happened before 1994 was because of the Democrats, right? All those "feel good" years that you conservatives talk about during the Reagan administration then were due to the Democrats.

"Oh, no," you say, that was the great Reagan because he was the president.

Or, the corollary is; all the stuff you think is evil that has happened during the Clinton administration, since 1994 must be due to the wretched Republican congress.

"Oh, no," you say, it's all Clinton's fault, he is the President.

Oh I just love it when you people say this. You can't have it both ways, boys and girls. It's either congress or the president. You pick, I'll be happy to jump on it.

LRod

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2478. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903297A.DC98738E@bctv.com>
Source record: 112892

ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:

>
> 1. Yup, I teach at a community college. So?

So there is no excuse for your ignorance. You have the resources right there.

> 2. A _court_ didn't give Janet Reno permission. She is the
> Attorney General of the United States--her _duties_ in that office
> gave her the authority (which Clinton supported, btw).

Uh . . .no. Check with the people who teach law enforcement at your school. A law enforcement officer (which is all that Reno is) must have authority granted by warrant to make a raid on a home.

> 3. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority overturned by a court? No.

A couple of lines up, you say she doesn't NEED authority!

> 3a. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority to seize Elain overturned?
> No, again.

Yep. The Wednesday court appeal put her authority to take Elian in abeyance.

> Here's the chronology:
>
> 1/12/2000 Reno ruled that Elain should be returned to father's
> custody.

Reno has no authority to rule on ANYTHING. Judges rule. She is just a laywer -- the most that she can do is determine whether or not to bring a case before a judge.

> 4. _Attorney General_ Reno did _not_ ignore the order of the
> court. She is required to insure that Elian remain in the US until the
> hearing in May (unless the court order is lifted), something she has
> made it very clear is her intention. She was _also_ required to insure
> that Elian be returned to the individual who _legally_ has custody of
> him (in this case, his father), which she did.

Uh . . .the United States doesn't recognize Cuban judicial opinion. Thus, the Cuban judge who awarded custody has no legal standing in this country.

> Rick Adams
> ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net

> adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
> Department of Social Sciences

Oh. Social "Science." I take back what I said about having no excuse
for ignorance.

2479. Re: The Elian thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39032A3F.C4E9095D@bctv.com>
Source record: 112893

LRod wrote:
>
> Well, there sure has been a lot of rhetoric thrown around on this. A
> couple or three people have it almost exactly right, and then there are
> some that are so blinded by their political agendas that they can't see
> straight.
>
> How about looking at the situation this way: let's take Castro/Cuba out
> of the story entirely.

How do you propose to do that? He is here because his mother was
fleeing Cuba on inner tubes. She was on inner tubes because the Cuban
government wouldn't let her take a boat.

> Is the history of child custody rulings in this country reasonably
> consistent that a natural parent has an almost ironclad right to that
> custody?

No, actually. In fact, there are a great many natural parents who are
being kept from their children by government action of various types.

2480. Re: The Elian thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin John Hallsworth <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <956512186.27456.0.nnrp-08.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 112894

You lot in the US are getting so wound up !!!

Fact - Elians farther has right of custody
Fact - The "Miami Gonzalez' " were ordered to release Elian
Fact - Miami Gonzalez' had broken the law.

IMO they should be held and prosecuted for "Kidnap"

Now can someone explain the connection between
Elian Gonzalez and this newsgroup ?
is he a Ham ?

2481. ! WTD sinclair/science of cambridge

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <david@aoharrow.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8dvdorlfv4@newsg2.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 112895

Hi,

I am trying to locate a science of cambridge (Later to become sinclair) MK14 computer system.

The computer was avaiable in home built kit for in the UK and from what i am led to believe, most examples were sold to amateur radio enthusiast, as at this time they were the only people experimenting with electonics in the home build environment. (Hence my reason for posting in this NG)

If you have one, or spares, or indeed and sinclair items ie computers, calculators, radios, watches etc, working or otherwise, that you would like to sell, please email me as i cannot regularly get access to newsgroups.

I would also possibly be interested in early home computers from the 1970s and 1980s.

Thank you in advance.

david@aoharrow.freeserve.co.uk

Bye

2482. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390337E4.80D51945@bctv.com>
Source record: 112896

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Donald Burkhart wrote:
> >
> > God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!
>
> By the way, before you get too excited about the "jack-booted thugs,"
> let me remind you that it was Reagan and Bush who created them.

You should study some history before claiming to know history.

Nixon created them.

2483. Re: Take a break, read somethin funny for a change!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dvf3o$91i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112897

I would have burned the keyboard, the mouse, and the chair.... and
anything else that she touched.

BARF!

You know that the CB is full of those kinds of fat trolls.

In article <fBsM4.75971$q67.1323913@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Jeeves brother Ren Hoeck" <bluefifth@mail0012.net> wrote:
> OK all you hams. it's time to take a break from all this
> Pro-CW/Anti-CW, Frequency movie, Elian was abducted
> by goons, BARF, 14313, 3950 bullshit.
>
> Here's a real gem of a story I pulled off of stories.tasteless
> that I think all you kids and lids in the RF sandbox will
> like. Enjoy!
>
>

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>
> From: TheUnholyOne
> Subject: THE MASTURBATING FAT GIRL STORY
> Date: ----- --, 1999 --:-- PM
>
> Here's a Tasteless Tidbit (c) from a BBS I belong to. 'Twas a
> young woman relating an experience whilst working at a
> library. I cut and pasted it directly, without editing, and
> take no credit for it, except as its bearer.
>
> Enjoy...
>
> THE MASTURBATING FAT GIRL STORY
>
> when i was in high school i worked in the children"s room of the
> local public library. my job was to check books in and out, help
> with storytime, shelve books, and keep the computers in running
> order. the computer part also meant monitering the internet from
> time to time, blocking the appropriate sites, etc. well at this
> time at the library, chats were enabled. we had the same people
> coming in to chat all the time. one of these wasa size extra
> large 15 year old girl. yep, it"s your internet horror chat
> partner--- you know the type. the type who says she"s 18, has a
> perfect figure, blond hair and blue eyes and is a hot

> cheerleader. of course it"s all lies. she was 15, fat, mousy,
> and had coke-bottle glasses. i had complained to my supervisor
> about her having cybersex on the internet... IN the children"s
> room, NOT caring who was around reading the screen. but nothing
> was done about it, until one fateful night....
>
> it was a cold night out, late november. i was 8 pm, and i was
> waiting for the last hour to go by so i could go home. sure
> enough, in came "hotgrrl69" a.k.a. THE FAT GIRL. she sat down
> and started chatting. i knew she was getting her cybergroove on.
> but there was nothing i could do. it was hot in the library that
> night. the thermostat was set at about 78 degrees to keep the
> old biddies on the adult side warm. time went by slowly, and i
> was about to doze off at the circulation desk, when the smell
> came...
>
> yes, it was the sweaty smell of b.o. mixed with cheap perfume
> and rotten fish. i smelled it. my supervisor smelled it. the
> assistant smelled it. then we heard a moan from the computer.
> and another. the fat girl was sitting at the computer, taking
> turns fingering herself and typing. the odor was horrendous, the
> sight was even worse. right there, in teh children"s room, in
> front of the public, not-so-"hotgrrl69" was masturbating,
> getting her disgusting sexual fluids all over the keyboard and
> making the room smell like sweaty rank crotch. my supervisor
> pulled me around the corner into her office and said "go kick
> her off the computer. her privelages are suspended." i said "you
> kick her off. i don"t want to go near her." the assistant snuck
> away into the bathroom to hide. so i, being of the lowest rank,
> was blessed enough to have to go kick the girl off the computer.
> i want over, my nose plugged, and said "GET THE HELL OUT OF HERE
> YOU SICK FREAK!" as loud as i possibly could. the girl jumped
> up, started crying, and ran out of the library, pants unzipped
> and all, into the cold november night. i"m sure it was a sick
> sight of pale blubber jiggling down the road. i"m glad i didn"t
> have to see it. but the worst was yet to come...
>
> my supervisor made me clean the keyboard, because she claimed
> she didn"t know how. i told her how, but she wouldn"t listen. so
> i got some rubber gloves and heavy duty antibacterial industrial
> cleaner and cleaned the keyboard and the mouse about ten times.
> then i went into the bathroom and threw up repeatedly.
>
> thus ends our bedtime story of the masturbating fat girl.
>
> yum.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
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2484. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39033F30.20F1CD6E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 112898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Barry Burke Jr." wrote:
> My primary thought is the amateur radio
> service vs. current, easily obtainable communications tools.

Check with the hurricane area people when all other communications
tools are kaput.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2485. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <80AF735543FDBE96.7C2CEF9AA3ABC71E.1F84ADFE52B80281@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in message
news:eI9bMgqGA.228@cpmsnbbsa03...
> n2ey@aol.com wrote
> >The insulted person is right. Why use phrases on-air that make no
> >sense? Why not speak plainly, and use straight, simple English?
>
> So when are you going to stop using "CQ" on SSB...
>

I'm glad I read a few before I answered this...because it's exactly what I
was thinking when the question was asked....then let's all use full context
words and sentences on the air, please...

Kim W5TIT

2486. Re: Elian Unnnnn-Snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000423144112.19312.00003958@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 112900

>Or listen to David J. Smith and learn that it was free-masons dressed as
>federal agents who snatched him.
>

April 21, 2000

Dear Newswatch Magazine Listeners/Readers:

People in America cannot seem to realize that we are the TARGET for International Socialism/ Communism, the Illuminati's "visible" organization of destruction to FORCE the world into a one-world-government. They have planned since 1930 for the day when they would "pretend" weakness economically, politically, and militarily to put the West asleep, as if there were no more danger from them, as IF they had realized they could never reach their goal of world domination.

Meanwhile, their Illuminati bosses behind the scenes would continue to have them build their military in secret for the day they would have the superiority in all phases of the military. Why does America remain asleep when China has threatened to blow up Los Angeles twice with long range nuclear missiles?

How can our people not realize their threat to world peace has only lain dormant UNTIL the voters of America could be deceived into electing one of their own to DISARM us militarily? Russia and China would continue to build massive numbers of conventional and nuclear weapons - and supply the know how to build them to their subservient states, such as North Korea, Iran, Iraq, India, Pakistan, etc.

This mighty military buildup is for the final showdown with the United States of America. When Mikhail Gorbachev feigned such weakness as a leader and put up a wonderful show of vying for power in the old Soviet Union with Boris Yeltsin, he instructed the Communist Duma that it was only a facade and should be shown no concern by the Party. He stated that Russia left the world of Capitalism in 1917-1919 and would NEVER deviate from the Plan of world conquest for Socialism as the first step in achieving world Communism.

Socialism is the essential first step to eliminate the middle class property and business owners. This is why Communism KILLS! To rid the earth of the undesirable class. Congress in Washington, DC, is loaded with closet Socialist who are passing legislation to Socialize America without our knowledge.

The ACLU was founded in part by Marxist Roger Baldwin. Every victory by the ACLU in the courts of America are designed to undermine America's Institutions - CHRISTIAN Institutions. They scream about the "Separation of Church and State," yet there is NOT one phrase that even resembles it anywhere in the Constitution or in the writings of our founding fathers!

Thomas Jefferson, who had NOTHING to do with the writing of our Constitution because he was in France, wrote a private letter to a friend once and mentioned the phrase but NOT in the way it is being thrown around today. Socialist/Communist ACLU members and the ignorant attorneys that misuse the phrase to destroy all concept of God are misleading the American people. The 33% Freemason judges uphold their secret Plan to destroy Christianity off the face of the earth.

There is a war going on for the minds of men and women and their children. That battle is between Atheism and Christianity, between Capitalism and Socialism, between the free enterprise system and corporate socialism the world over. There is a siege of America and the British peoples from Communism, Socialism, Marxism, Corporate Socialism, Corporate Capitalism, Internationalism, the Bilderberger billionaires, the Marxist Council on Foreign Relations, the Atlantic Alliance, NATO, the United Nations, President Bill Clinton, British Prime Minister Tony Blair, the Rhodes Scholars, Yale University's Skull & Bones, the Jesuits, and on and on, to merge us into their glorified world government of TOTAL SLAVERY.

When you can't buy or have credit without a Social Security number that was to be absolutely private and NEVER used for identification, you will not and are not free. The money barons control us in every thing we hope to achieve. When the Federal Reserve System SETS interest rates to slow down the economy, they are throwing people out of work - keeping people from purchasing homes, automobiles, sending their kids to college, etc. The Bankers from the time America was settled wanted to CONTROL our money to prevent the nation from prospering and coming out from under their control. WHOEVER CONTROLS THE CREDIT OF A NATION CONTROLS BUSINESS AND COMMERCE AND FAMILIES LIVES!

There is always a lull before the storm. Americans think that peace has broken out and there are NO dangers left to threaten their lifestyle. WHAT A DELUSION! The world is more dangerous now than at any other time in history. There is a major problem when an Attorney General helps plan the burning of 86 innocent people to death without knowing them, but visits a 6 year old boy to send him back to Communism - when his mother divorced his father two years before he was born, and he only had occasional visits.

You can count on it - Elian is a diversion while the Clinton Administration is doing something else to eventually enslave us!

Sincerely,

David J. Smith

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2487. Re: Another night of QRM on 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000423144700.12416.00003051@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 112901

fredole@aol.com wrote:

>
>Yes, it happened again. Another night of deliberate QRM-ing
>of 3950's Liberty net. This time with organ music and record playing
>for hours starting at 11:00 Central time. When are they going
>to shut down the source of this QRM, which has been traced
>repeatedly to comming out of South Bend ?
>

If memory serves, I don't think the FCC has EVER cited anyone for jamming the Liberty Net. That is most curious considering that the Liberty Net is jammed EVERY time it is on the air, and that the FCC is certainly aware of the jamming.

One can only conclude that the FCC's enforcement actions, or lack thereof, include political considerations. Since the Liberty Net is often critical of Clinton and the federal government, my guess is that the FCC has been told to look the other way when the Liberty Net is jammed.

2488. AB5S, the wheat and the chaff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dvi33cba1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112902

AB5S:

People who don't know much have been passing the
"Extra" class forever. And it doesn't really matter.
In time, some will become technically proficient.
Most will learn the difference between "10-4" and "OK."
... (and a few will be "id-juts," but we'll overlook them).

...The good guys will surface and
the bad guys will be swept away.

======

As I said last week, those who have interest and enough mediocre knowledge to not destroy idiot-proof finals, to hang efficient antennas and become somewhat proficient operators, this small proportion of people will stay active.

Most of these newly upgraded hams are a flash in the pan. We all heard the flood of codeless techs when that joke was initiated. Hear many N or KC ro KB calls lately ? They made us all vomit with their chants of "I'm working on the code", but those of us not in La-La Land on antidepressants knew it wasn't true. We didn't believe the BS. We heard it so many times, we recognized it for the "I wanna fit in" chant it was.

Freddie Mercury declared, "I want it all and I want it now"; it got him far...

First bored with his life, then dead.

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2489. AB5S, the wheat and the chaff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dvi41ccn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

AB5S:

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"Extra" class forever. And it doesn't really matter.
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2490. Re: Another night of QRM on 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000423151140.17291.00000717@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112904

If I recall correctly there have been a few that have been "warned" and most of the jamming stopped. I'm sure you have even noticed that.
As for some type of government "hands off" policy concerning the jamming on the Liberty net. Don't be ridiculous. I think you give way too much importance to the net.
To say that the government "allows" the jamming to continue is to say that the net has some "effect" on the government that they don't like. I say that's absurd. The jammers on there now are "new" ones.
Guaranteed.
As for the signal supposedly coming from either place in Indiana - believe me - it isn't. I suspect that if it continues Riley will get them also. Only this year i don't think he's being so understanding or compassionate. We'll see.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

2491. N1RL: Economy Sized Know-nothing at All and all Around JERK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dvj3u$d3b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

How many more lies do we have to read from this idiot ? Several people I've talked to in the state of CT on HF have voiced the same idea: "put your hip waders on when you read what this guy says."

Another guy like K1 Zooming Moron who thinks he's a DJ.

Look, I don't mind working these new upgrades. They were the hams I talked to while they were in the Novice, General and Advanced portions.

This has less to do with new hams for me than an ARRL who thinks people with JD's, MD's, PhD's and Masters, or even a BA or BS are stupid enough to believe their B.S.

I'm an ARRL member, who knows they don't LISTEN. The problem that exists with most hams on air is the one that ARRL makes its policies by. Ignoring you, the member. But propaganda like this is absurd. Tongue in cheek GARBAGE that has no place in an "official journal" (mark me, it'll say this in June QST). It's also a lie. Been on 24.925 lately ?

Amateur Radio Survives Transition to Restructuring

NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 17, 2000--Despite
dire predictions from some quarters, the
"Big Day"--Saturday, April 15,
2000--dawned with nary a "10-4," a "roger
beep" or "echo box" to be heard on the
Amateur Bands.

Is this guy for real ? Anyone with the power of independent thought knows this will occur SLOWLY. What a fool. He'll be getting a recording from me on CD as soon as I start to hear it, with a nice note refreshing his feeble mind.

During the first weekend
of restructuring, fledgling Generals and
Extras were out in force on the HF bands,
trying out their upgraded privileges and
proudly appending the required "interim
AG" or "interim AE" to each ID.

How can you be proud of a hand out ? My degrees would be so much more valued and the skills so much more useful if I hadn't had to learn them.

ARRL Hudson Division Director Frank Fallon, N2FF, was among those
urging veteran hams to put out the welcome mat to all newcomers. ...
Fallon advised experienced hams to be generous with their help, to be

tolerant of mistakes and to be "friendly and tactful when you offer suggestions for improvement."

Frank ? Who was sending a repeated SSB "CQ Contest" in the CW portion of the "Gentleman's Band" ? Here's some tact. Keep your monotone DVR the hell out of the CW portion of the band, "A-1 op".

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2492. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <#qRZ0jVr$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 112906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Larry W4CSC wrote
>How sad it is that the old Extras are the ones killing ham
>radio.....

From one incident you have determined that *all* the old Extras are at
fault?

>not those awful CBers and "welfare hams"

And all hams in the new HF upgrade group are pure?

Arnie, meet your opposite number...

2493. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <el170jVr$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 112907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Barry Burke Jr. wrote
>"Indeed, what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.

I guess that's possible but I think many of us spend much more on ham radio
than on our phone bills...

>Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
>at the bill that you get once it comes in.

If you are using ham radio to avoid telephone bills then you are in
violation of U.S. rules. So any savings would be illegal...

2494. Re: The Elian thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000423152314.00590.00007395@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112908

In article <956512186.27456.0.nnrp-08.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>, "Martin John Hallsworth" <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk> writes:

>IMO they should be held and prosecuted for "Kidnap"

Also for obstruction of justice.

2495. ARRL Staff Members Proudly Show us their... Work Ethic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dvjub$e7g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

From horse's mouth...

Among ARRL Headquarters staff members caught up in the
restructuring upgrade wave are Penny Harts, N1NAG, Carole Dimock, N1NAM,
and Mary Lau, N7IAL, who upgraded to General, and Mike Tracy, KC1SX,
and John Bee, N1GNV who upgraded to Extra.

========
I know I said I wanted to hear more black operators, but not that lazy
bitchy receptionist. If she had to exist in the public realm,
she'd have been out on her ass 35 years ago, not sitting there watching
"The Price is Right" every day, answering the phone with a miserable,
tired sounding "A Double ARE EL" from 9 AM. This woman doesn't even
muster a damned "thank you" if you buy a book and keep her EMPLOYED. I
sent 3 other amateurs in besides myself- same thing EVERY time.

Mary Lau should be more concerned with her girth and keeping her husband
away from the types of laser experiments that likely precipitated his
stroke, rather than upgrading.

What kind of organization would allow its equipment to be used for such
purposes ? Anybody who knows anything about laser optics knows the
pressure generated on the eye by a laser focused into it can cause
pressure and a stroke.

Mike Tracy ought to get some telephone skills. Cro-magnon grunts went
the way of, well, you know...

John Bee ? Don't know anything about the guy, other than to say, "Hey
ICOM, I want to sell you more ads now ! I too upgraded and am a good
poster child for the new structure !"

So folks, what a shocker. ARRL staffers ("staffers": it makes
them sound like they're as important as Congressional employees) who
took advantage of a hand out ? That's the contents of their entire CV. A
hand out. Sitting on their asses, writing about nothing. Repeating
themselves ad nauseum for PAY.

[No, I'm not jealous, wise ass. Repetition for pay is for the braindead
working for retirement from ARRL, followed at 67 by a third "career" and
simultaneous government handouts, as a goal]

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2496. AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dvkggerc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112910
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Doc, when you worked that "qualified individual" (FCC words) who was kept out of ham radio so long and unfairly (FCC paraphrase) by the 13 wpm code test, I do hope you suggested he read one of the fine business ARRL books.

I do want them to stay in >>business<< as long as it takes for everyone to despise SOMETHING about them and their "policies".

God can save ham radio, but I won't be listening to it:

I've arrivanated at the destinatory place so 73's, all the best, hope to work you again, 73's, que ass el for my 20 dollar W A S certifeecut, 73's, best to you and the wife, the dog, and the cat and I hope to hear you on 2 meters, so 73's again and all the best from this end, see you down the log, over and out, 73's in case I didn't say it already.

BOO DOOO BLEEP DO BLEEP

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2497. Re: Elian and his Kooky Relatives PARODY PAGE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chas <chas0001@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dvl7nffl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <eBEM4.60811$y4.2049418@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Jose-A Jose-B" <eliangohome@miaminet.com> wrote:
> Yes, you just KNEW it was comming down the Pike.
>
> Didn't you??? BAAAA HA HA HA!!!!!
>
> clickinzie here---> http://www.geocities.com/stopmiami/
>
> this page is a HOOT!

And right on the money. Should have done this along time ago.

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2498. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <!@invalid>
Message-ID: <ukk6gsoquq72d0nkji3vbjqhh0lioagiju@4ax.com>
Source record: 112912

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 16:21:24 +0000, Keith Wood
<39032304.89A09904@bctv.com> wrote:

>> Castro banned slavery shortly
>> after ousting the Batista government, and the members of that government
>> fled to Miami.
>
>And why are people still fleeing to Miami, 40 years later? And why is
>Castro spending all those millions of dollars to machinegun those who
>try?

The same reason Haitians, Dominican Republicans and a host of other caribbean
nations are coming to America. They want a piece of the American Pie. If
Castro wasn't in power there still would be many Cubans coming to America.

When Castro loses power or dies you will see a great upheaval in Cuba
when the old landowners go back to reclaim their land, demanding back rent,
just as it occurred in some former Warsaw Pact countries.

I disagree with the way that Bill Clinton handled this whole situation
and was disappointed in him resorting to such tactics. All they had to do was
get a court order to make them comply, if they did not then the relatives would
have been held in contempt of court and jailed. Is this the way the government
wants to settle all disputes involving child custody? If so then the results
in the future could be deadly and disastrous.

--

Kevin
http://nworegon.htmlplanet.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL
and Ham Radio topics and links.

2499. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39035769.57DE613F@bctv.com>
Source record: 112913

Kevin wrote:
>
> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 16:21:24 +0000, Keith Wood
> <39032304.89A09904@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >> Castro banned slavery shortly
> >> after ousting the Batista government, and the members of that government
> >> fled to Miami.
> >
> >And why are people still fleeing to Miami, 40 years later? And why is
> >Castro spending all those millions of dollars to machinegun those who
> >try?
>
> The same reason Haitians, Dominican Republicans and a host of other caribbean
> nations are coming to America. They want a piece of the American Pie. If
> Castro wasn't in power there still would be many Cubans coming to America.

Maybe so, but would they be risking machineguns to do so?

2500. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39035AC2.ED6F4BD0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

JohnR wrote:
>
> "Peter Maus" <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
> news:3902FA28.8B5DFD00@worldnet.att.net...
> >
>
> > That would depend on his father. In this case, Elian's father
> > hasn't seen the kid in 3 years.
>
> Get your information straight. The father last saw his child on the Friday
> befor the ill-fated boat voyage. There have also been photos of Elian with
> his (then) 2-month old half-brother.

So it is claimed. There was also a picture published of a happy
Elian with his reunited father showing in his big smile, two teeth
that were clearly missing only a few hours before.

Getting STRAIGHT information is precisely the challenge in this
matter.
>
> I also left Miami two years ago because of the Banana Republic mentality.
> It's easy to criticize unless you have lived in the area--you begin to feel
> you don't live the US anymore.

Yes, I know. Been there, done that. I live in Chicago, and have
had conversations with Cuban ex patriates who left Miami for that
very reason. And their descriptions of life in Cuba directly
conflict with the sanitized Dan Rather version.

2501. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: iso50@execpc.com
Message-ID: <39035be0$0$19897@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 112915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 23 Apr 3900 09:23:35, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
wrote:

> > > > > > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> > > > > > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > > > > > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > > > > > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > > > > > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > > > > > I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> > > > > > an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> > > > > > My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> > > > > > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> > > > > > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> > > > > > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
> > > > > >
> > > > > >
> > > > > > You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
> > > > > > repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
> > > > >
> > > > > Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
> > > > > you want to bounce off the moon and such
> > > >
> > > > Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.
> > >
> > > I did and there isn't any referance to that. Maybe you should read it
> > > again
> >
> > Spoon feed mode on:
> >
> > "Indeed, what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > I have inveted in all my ham gear."
> >
> > Spoon feed mode off.

I hate to tell you this, but he isn't saying that he talks to the
world on 2M, rather that the cost of his phone bill is greater than
the cost of his radio equipment

2502. website !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Rea <aprea@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <gZIM4.7157$VR6.685530@news3.cableinet.net>
Source record: 112916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,uk.radio.amateur

take a look at http://jove.prohosting.com/~andyrea

there's some radio links n' stuff

--
Andy Rea

aprea@blueyonder.co.uk

Visit my web site http://jove.prohosting.com/~andyrea

2503. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dvogaiqa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112917

Of course, all this means nothing in ham radio wallowing in the swill
> of CW vs No CW. All these great functions are installed and
> maintained by low-life no-code technicians who can't copy 20 wpm, but
> are excellent systems engineers and technicians. The no-coders are
> the ones, not the Extras, who devote countless hours climbing 2000'
> towers to put up amazing antennas, building facilities (even buildings
> themselves) to house it all in, installing new equipment, spending
> hours configuring software, pulling hardline up the tower, etc. They
> are always to be ridiculed on HF and amateur newsgroups and webpages
> by those not so gifted, whos only claim to fame and control in their
> lives is that they can copy 20wpm Morse, but haven't a clue when it
> comes to paging terminals, receiver voters, UHF remote base links,
> topo coverage mapping, TNCs on digital modes, FM transmitters,
> duplexers, diplexers, magic rings and remote recievers so the HT in
> WalMart can call home on the autopatch running only 100mw. No, they
> can copy CW....just like the guys on spark!
>
> How sad......
> Larry W4CSC
> Old goat since 1957 with enough brains to get the hell out of the way
> so the no-coders can put up a system for me to enjoy......
>
>
Hey old goat, or should that be ignorant old goat? Just out of
curiosity who the hell put all this together in the first place? Yeah
thats right the Technicians, the Generals, the Advanced and believe it
or not the EXTRA's also. Sure wish I would have known I was such a
problem. I never would have built my linked 2m repeater to 29.6 and
52.525 FM. I never would have helped work on the CHEAHA repeater here
on the highest mountain in Alabama.

And I would also like to apologize for being on SSTV in the early 70s
when we used P7 Phospor tubes and NO COMPUTERS. I'm also sorry for
building up a functional RTTY setup, without computers and modems. And
I'm especially sorry for working the early OSCAR satellites with my
modified Gonset transmitter and homemade 2 meter array.

And finally I'm so sorry to have been ONE OF THE FIRST 2m packet
stations in ALABAMA and also on 10m 1200 baud. And yes I use and LOVE
CW. So stuff your attitude where its dark. People like you are whats
wrong with Ham Radio today. An old grump with no life.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2504. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerBeep <snide@snide.com>
Message-ID: <39035283.26CB@snide.com>
Source record: 112918

Kevin wrote:
>
> When Castro loses power or dies you will see a great upheaval in Cuba
> when the old landowners go back to reclaim their land, demanding back rent,
> just as it occurred in some former Warsaw Pact countries.

I'm happy someone remembers!!! Next time you spoon sugar in your coffee
remember that the world's largest sugar producer and one of our
countries most wealthy is Cuban---and lives in South Florida. Kevin...
don't forget the holdings that the Mafia had in Cuba with their gambling
casinos and allied 'trades' that was lost when Castro took over.
There's plenty more to this story than what Rush, and his lackey, Drudge
are saying.

2505. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <390361CB.A350935A@snet.net>
Source record: 112919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

wf3h@ptd.net wrote:
>
> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 10:22:08 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
> <nospam@snet.net> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >wf3h@ptd.net wrote:
>
> >> oh...well, i guess that says it all...as i suspected...sour grapes..
> >>
> >> he doesnt have a license...never operated...is unfamiliar with
> >> it...but knows its obsolete...
> >>
> >> such an expert!!
>
> I'll agree with you
> >completely on the values of HF on the high seas, and to underdeveloped
> >areas as you have cited.
>
> now THAT makes sense...we should keep the discussion in perspective.
> infrastructure like satellites, cell phone towers, etc, are fairly
> expensive and prone to attack (satellite rx/tx centers are, that is,
> not satellites :-))
>
> and those areas will always exist...
>
> My primary thought is the amateur radio
> >service vs. current, easily obtainable communications tools.
>
> but that was never its purpose. if thats the purpose of ham radio, it
> was obsolete the day it was born...

I think we agree! Nice talking to ya'

Barry
--
****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2506. Re: N1RL: Economy Sized Know-nothing at All and all Around JERK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <39036186.52F6986A@icss.net>
Source record: 112920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> How many more lies do we have to read from this idiot ? Several people
> I've talked to in the state of CT on HF have voiced the same idea: "put
> your hip waders on when you read what this guy says."
>
> Another guy like K1 Zooming Moron who thinks he's a DJ.

Why do you say that? Does he howl like Wolfman Jack?

> Look, I don't mind working these new upgrades. They were the hams I
> talked to while they were in the Novice, General and Advanced portions.
>
> This has less to do with new hams for me than an ARRL who thinks people
> with JD's, MD's, PhD's and Masters, or even a BA or BS are stupid enough
> to believe their B.S.
>
> I'm an ARRL member, who knows they don't LISTEN. The problem that exists
> with most hams on air is the one that ARRL makes its policies by.
> Ignoring you, the member. But propaganda like this is absurd. Tongue in
> cheek GARBAGE that has no place in an "official journal" (mark me, it'll
> say this in June QST). It's also a lie. Been on 24.925 lately ?
>
> Amateur Radio Survives Transition to Restructuring
>
> NEWINGTON, CT, Apr 17, 2000--Despite
> dire predictions from some quarters, the
> "Big Day"--Saturday, April 15,
> 2000--dawned with nary a "10-4," a "roger
> beep" or "echo box" to be heard on the
> Amateur Bands.
>
> Is this guy for real ? Anyone with the power of independent thought
> knows this will occur SLOWLY. What a fool. He'll be getting a recording
> from me on CD as soon as I start to hear it, with a nice note refreshing
> his feeble mind.

Can you turn back the clock about 30 years and make those CD recordings? It
started slowly 30 years ago. It may have even started with you.

> During the first weekend
> of restructuring, fledgling Generals and
> Extras were out in force on the HF bands,
> trying out their upgraded privileges and
> proudly appending the required "interim

> AG" or "interim AE" to each ID.
>
> How can you be proud of a hand out ? My degrees would be so much more
> valued and the skills so much more useful if I hadn't had to learn them.
>
> ARRL Hudson Division Director Frank Fallon, N2FF, was among those
> urging veteran hams to put out the welcome mat to all newcomers. ...
> Fallon advised experienced hams to be generous with their help, to be
> tolerant of mistakes and to be "friendly and tactful when you offer
> suggestions for improvement."

Sounds like some pretty good advice to me.

> Frank ? Who was sending a repeated SSB "CQ Contest" in the CW portion of
> the "Gentleman's Band" ? Here's some tact. Keep your monotone DVR the
> hell out of the CW portion of the band, "A-1 op".

Did you make a friendly and tactful suggestion to Frank, or do you
anonymously attack him on the policy newsgroup?

Who do you like?

2507. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dvpb8$jp1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112921

In article <8dso87$6mo$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
Why dont you silly ass nerds GET A LIFE

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2508. POLICE CALL on CD-ROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howie WOLCHOK <howie1@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3903650B.3D988AAB@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 112922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I purchased a CD-ROM covering all 9 volumes of Police Call, 1999 1st edition from Grove Electronics in Feb. 2000 for $34.95 US.

I cannot get the CD to install properly and have had virtually NO support from "Pozilla Software" who is the writer of this data base.

I have made countless calls from Feb. to present with unreturned calls.

So much for their help line and customer care. It is none existent.

Think twice before you throw your money away on this product.

So far it sits gathering dust, totally useless to me. It does NOT function!

Pozilla Software has a great "I don't care about the customer" attitude.

2509. Amateur Radio Discussion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Kost <k1hk@k1hk.org>
Message-ID: <app6gs81gr0t64aub4cdmjmrcl9tghntpe@4ax.com>
Source record: 112923

New Amateur Radio Discussion Board

http://www.k1hk.org/bb.shtml

73 de Hal (K1HK)

2510. Re: POLICE CALL on CD-ROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfwinstead <winstead@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <39036A0E.E8EA8D89@swbell.net>
Source record: 112924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

the April 16 news item at this link may explain part of the problem:

http://www.strongsignals.net/pastnews.htm

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> attitude.

2511. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39033D3B.5525@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112925

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came
> back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge.
> But that wasn't what I was talking about.
>
> SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
> at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
> the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
> the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
> little head off!!!
>
> To defend these Reno Hitler-ites is inexcusable! What happened to the
> phrase: "Never forget?"
>
> Don

I'm curious, Don...

If it had been up to you, when would you have decided that enough was
enough, and prompted police action? Never? If so, then you've defined
a scenario where a small determined group in a siege situation can win.
This kind of precedent cannot be allowed!

On the other hand, I agree that the kid would probably have a better
life in the US, but that doesn't override parental wishes.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

(p.s. It's not fair to call the Federal Agent a "Nazi". In rational
moments, you must agree that these kinds of forces are necessary for
certain kinds of high-risk law enforcement. Imagine what the country
would be like if we didn't have means to deal with dangerous entry
situations.)

2512. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39033DA3.30FF@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112926

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> > > be sent back to a slave state?
> >
> > Slavery does not exist in Cuba today.
>
> Hmmmm . . .Webster's says this:
>
> Main Entry: slaviï¿½ery
> Pronunciation: 'slA-v(&-)rE
> Function: noun
> Date: 1551
> 1 : DRUDGERY, TOIL
> 2 : submission to a dominating influence
> 3 a : the state of a person who is a chattel of
> another b : the practice of slaveholding
>
> Main Entry: 1slave
> Pronunciation: 'slAv
> Function: noun
> Etymology: Middle English sclave, from Old
> French or Medieval Latin; Old French esclave,
> from Medieval Latin sclavus, from Sclavus
> Slavic; from the frequent enslavement of Slavs
> in central Europe
> Date: 14th century
> 1 : a person held in servitude as the chattel of
> another
> 2 : one that is completely subservient to a
> dominating influence
> 3 : a device (as the printer of a computer) that
> is directly responsive to another
>
> > Castro banned slavery shortly
> > after ousting the Batista government, and the members of that government
> > fled to Miami.
>
> And why are people still fleeing to Miami, 40 years later? And why is
> Castro spending all those millions of dollars to machinegun those who

> try?
>
> How many Cuban hams have you worked in the last few years? How many
> Cubans have you met? Just what do you KNOW about Cuba, as opposed to
> what you are told by those who support the Castro government?

Actually, I've worked a number of Cuban hams over the past months.
There doesn't appear to be any organized supression of ham radio
activity if that's what you are implying...

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2513. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce or Tracy <bljacobs@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <39036AFC.4EA69947@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 112927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

There are no father's rights in Cuba. Why do you think his mother
died trying to give her child a better life.

I must admit, however, with the way congress is trying to control
every aspect of our lives these days, I am not entirely sure we
will be offering much better in the near future.

"M. Schneider" wrote:
>
> How about a child is better off with his father.
>
> "Bruce or Tracy" <bljacobs@hiwaay.net> wrote in message
> news:OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com...
> > Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
> > so keep a close eye on them.
> >

2514. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce or Tracy <bljacobs@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <39036B52.23F220D4@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 112928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Amen Brother.

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> "M. Schneider" wrote:
> >
> > How about a child is better off with his father.
> >
> > "Bruce or Tracy" <bljacobs@hiwaay.net> wrote in message
> > news:OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com...
> > > Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
> > > so keep a close eye on them.
> > >
>
> That would depend on his father. In this case, Elian's father
> hasn't seen the kid in 3 years. But that point is moot. Claims by
> the Gonzales family that the father called to alert them of Elian's
> coming by raft are also moot. As are the issues of his welfare in
> his father's custody. The father has already told us that he will
> return to his village, while Elian will go to Havana. He will not be
> with his father. He will be with the Cuban authorities who will
> erase the memories of the toys, the puppy, the trip to Disney, and
> his mother, before being put in the cane and tobacco fields as part
> of his 'education.'
>
> A boy, in most cases would be better off with his father. But
> that's not going to happen here. The only time the boy will spend
> with his father is the time prior to the plane landing in Havana. At
> which time Elian will spend his time with Castro's goons.

2515. 2000 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Nominations Deadline: MAY 30, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <39036641.19041693@news.swcp.com>
Source record: 112929

Do you know of a deserving youth Amateur Radio who could be a candidate for the 2000 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Award? This bit of information is for you. Please spread the word to all Amateur Radio operators and Amateur Radio clubs you know, and consider nominating that young individual who has contributed to the betterment of Amateur Radio. Nomination Deadline: MAY 30, 2000

The nominating period for 2000 "Young Ham of the Year Award" is now open. Originally known as the "Westlink Report Young Ham of the Year," this award program, now entering its second decade, is presented annually to a United States licensed Radio Amateur (Ham) who is 18 years of age or younger and who has provided outstanding service to the nation, his community or the betterment of the state of the art in communications through the Amateur Radio hobby/service. (Please see application form for details.) Any continental United States (48 contiguous states) FCC licensed Amateur Radio operator aged 18 and younger who has used Amateur Radio to significantly contribute to the benefit of the service, to the sate of the communications art, to their community or the nation is eligible to be nominated.

All nominations must be submitted BEFORE May 30, 2000 on an official application and accompanied by verification materials. Applications forms are available for a self addressed stamped envelope mailed to the 2000 Young Ham of the Year Award % Newsline, 28197 Robin Avenue Santa Clarita California 91350. These nominating applications are also available for electronic download from our website at http://www.arnewsline.org. With continued corporate sponsorship, the award presentation is scheduled take place this summer at the 1999 Huntsville Hamfest. The Huntsville Hamfest, Chaired by Mr. Scotty Neustadter, W4WW, is one of the nations largest and most popular Amateur Radio conventions. It is held annually the third weekend in August at the Von Braun Civic Center in downtown Huntsville and usually attracting some 7000 attendees.

2516. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dvqr4$5ve$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Dorkhead" <mona6357@hotmail.com>
>ham radio will probably be dead by 2015.

Your prediction is older than you are: In "...1922 many radio magazines which had catered to the transmitting amateur swung away from him, one even so far as to run an editorial ... prophesying the end of amateur radio." (From Fifty Years of ARRL.)

73, Jeff KH6O

2517. Re: VISIT - http://www.ab7sl.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <390370F0.89C9EF70@uakron.edu>
Source record: 112931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

Stop by and check it out!
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

Lou WA8PHD
http://www.ifip.com/

Charles wrote:

> Drop by and visit AB7SL-Ham Radio Pages which has recently been updated. You'll
> find....
>
> 1. Ham Radio Links - that actually work and are kept updated
> 2. Equipment Photos
> 3.AB7SL Biography
> 4. Personal Photos
> 5. Station Description
> 6. Software Downloads
> 7. The DX Page
> 8. IOTA List - downloadable
> 9. W7NH - Elmer Tribute
> 10. Prescott,Arizona page - full of photos
> 11.Online Logbook - see who I have worked.
> 12. Music Page
> 13. Guestbook - leave your thoughts and remarks for all to read
> 14. Free-For-All Links Page - leave a public link to your site.
>
> --
>
> Charles T Johnston - AB7SL
> charles@ab7sl.com
> _____________________
>
> AB7SL- Ham Radio Pages
> http://www.ab7sl.com
> Add YOUR SITE to my -- PUBLIC -- Links page
> http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724
> _____________________

2518. Re: The Elian thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Reeve <don236@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8dvrqu$161o$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 112932

"Martin John Hallsworth" <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk> wrote in message
news:956512186.27456.0.nnrp-08.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk...
>
> You lot in the US are getting so wound up !!!
>
> Fact - Elians farther has right of custody
> Fact - The "Miami Gonzalez' " were ordered to release Elian
> Fact - Miami Gonzalez' had broken the law.
>
> IMO they should be held and prosecuted for "Kidnap"
>
> Now can someone explain the connection between
> Elian Gonzalez and this newsgroup ?
> is he a Ham ?
>
>
It took me a while to figure that one out myself. It goes like this:

(1) He is short.

(2) Pictures exist of him waving.

2519. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8dvrmj$6nb$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112933

Donald Burkhart <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote:
>People like N0BK make me want to vomit! Openly supporting "Field
>Marshal" Reno and Heir Clinton...

They did exactly what I pay them to to.

The relatives, after being lawfully ordered to return the boy to
his dad, refused. At that point, they were guilty of kidnapping.
When the feds go in to rescue a kidnapped youth, they'll do it
with guns drawn. Accept it and get over it.

73, Jeff KH6O

2520. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39029468.7DC763B2@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112934

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> Rick: Perhaps you need to listen to
> more of Rush Limbaugh and Matt
> Drudge on 970, WKHM.

And you listen to Rush Limbaugh and Matt Drudge as your sources of information?

These two don't know any more about Cuba than a couple of stray dogs would know. Of course, ignorance does not keep either of them from running their mouths. What is really sad is that are some people who are so ignorant they actually listen to these guys like they actually have something worthwhile to say. I guess this proves that no matter how stupid you are, there is always someone out there that is more so.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2521. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39029867.A88203D0@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112935

KK4TL wrote:
>
> Trigger? Yep, according to Reno, nobody's finger was on the trigger at Waco,
> either.

Man, to see people link this to Waco really pisses me off. Janet Reno was totally wrong in Waco. She allowed the armed federal agents to attempt to sneak into the compound with nothing more than a minor weapon's violation as justification. When that resulted in a shootout (and the whole Waco incident that was to follow), she blamed everyone but herself.

This incident is nothing like Waco (and to say it is harms the public's positive view of the incident at Waco, what little positive view there is). In this case, a child was being held against the will of his parent (not so in Waco). Serious crimes were involved (not so in Waco). Potentially violent protesters, who did eventually turn violent, surrounded the home where the little boy was held (not so in Waco). The police entered the home after knocking on the door (not so in Waco). Nobody was injured (not so in Waco).

As much as I dislike Janet Reno, her agents obviously did the right thing this time. Its just sad that so few conservatives will let go of their hate of Reno long enough to see that.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2522. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3902991E.F0512618@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112936

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> The INS acted like Castro's "Black
> Squads" <snip>

The "Black Squads" were more likely members of Batista's government,
and are now living in Miami.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2523. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou <66stingray@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <mi65gs0d5jhj4p78kh1n5ri25kdocjedhu@4ax.com>
Source record: 112937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 23:32:49 -0500, Dan Morisseau <dpm3@postnet.com>
wrote:

>
>
>Bob Norton wrote:
>
>> Better than allowing them to be kidnapped by welfare-leech drunks and their
>> disco-slut daughters to be used as poster children for the Cuban American
>> Nazi Front.
>
> Your kind of racist remarks are an embrassment to this newsgroup. Why
>don't you and your worthless white-trash ilk slither back under the rock from
>whence your mother spawned you and die. This would be a better country without
>the likes of you and your kind, so why don't you head for Cuba and enjoy the
>kind of freedom you condemn others to live in?
I live in Miami and Bob is on the money about the Cuban Mafia. Long
live Fidel.

2524. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39029C28.35F7D30C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112938

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Cuba, a small independent country,
> was Russia's BASE OF OPERATIONS in
> North America and the launching pad
> for her nuclear missiles, remember?

And Turkey was one of America's "BASE OF OPERATIONS" in Europe and one of the lauching pads for our nuclear missiles, remember? Of course, I could just as easily use the words "germany," "italy," or "south korea," in that sentence. We had Russia completely surrounded with nuclear missiles (and we are the only countyr that has actually used nuclear weapons against another country). With all that in mind, it is really not that strange that they would want to use Cuba to do the same to us.

And, considering how we treated Castro after he came to power, it is not really that strange that he would turn to Russia. One can only imagine what might have happened if the warmongers of that time period had treated Castro differently.

> I remember those October '62 days
> VIVIDLY since I was in New York
> City and no one was sure there would
> be a tomorrow.
> Cuba, that sweet little independent
> country, had a force on Grenada all
> set to interdict our oil supplies
> coming from Margarita Island Venezuela.
> Reagan did something about it. Cuba,
> that sweet little island, had troops
> in Angola, Ethiopia and Eritrea trying
> to help communize Africa.

You're talking about stuff that happened thirty years after Castro came to power, and twenty years after the cuban-missile crisis. None of this stuff would have happened had we treated Cuba differently after Castro came to power.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2525. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <D2xM4.1889$JN3.9625@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

F.W.I.W. Ham radio provided needed emergency communications during the hurricane season last year when all other forms of communication, cellular, landline (including Internet), police and fire systems were shut down by floodwaters. I read of a young, teenaged ham operator who responded to his local EMA and provided non-stop communications via a 2meter rig and a mag-mount antenna for something like 2-3 DAYS! His was the only means of communication this area had in that period of time.

Most of the spotter groups here in the mid-west rely on 2m/70cm ham radios for weather reporting because these are the systems most likly to still be usable if/when severe weather strikes.

Even relatively small area disasters can disrupt normal communications. The Okla. City bombing is a case in point. The cell towers and landlines in the area were gridlocked and as such unusable in the first 3-6 hours after the bomb went off. Even police/fire/EMS radios were jammed with traffic and barely usable.

Practical example: I work in an industrial plant. This evening severe weather was forcast for parts of my state (Okla). I didn't have ready access to a phone, the internet was out of the question, as were TV and radio. But my trusty 2m HT kept me informed as to what the weather was doing. Cellphone? What would I do? Call the radio or TV station every fifteen minutes and ask "What's the weather doing now?".

Each technology has it's place. Don't count ham radio out yet.

Mark KD5JMF

2526. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <E5xM4.1891$JN3.8772@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

How about a child is better off with his father.

"Bruce or Tracy" <bljacobs@hiwaay.net> wrote in message
news:OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com...
> Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
> so keep a close eye on them.
>

2527. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Myopic <"Catch Me."@edu.com>
Message-ID: <3902b376_4@news5.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 112941

Yes! And there is always going to be those myopic types that think all is well....the illiterati that have not the ability to read the scrawlings on the wall...who bury their heads in the sand.
Liberal = Socialist

"Dwight Stewart" <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote in message news:39029468.7DC763B2@sccoast.net...
>
>
> Donald Burkhart wrote:
> >
> > Rick: Perhaps you need to listen to
> > more of Rush Limbaugh and Matt
> > Drudge on 970, WKHM.
>
>
> And you listen to Rush Limbaugh and Matt Drudge as your sources of information?
>
> These two don't know any more about Cuba than a couple of stray dogs
> would know. Of course, ignorance does not keep either of them from
> running their mouths. What is really sad is that are some people who
> are so ignorant they actually listen to these guys like they actually
> have something worthwhile to say. I guess this proves that no matter
> how stupid you are, there is always someone out there that is more so.
>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

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2528. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdaddyking <bigdaddyking@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8duftc$9i6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <nTqM4.2574$4JC.6029594@tomcat.sk.sympatico.ca>,
"Lawrence & Bev Borgford" <borgy@sk.sympatico.ca> wrote:
> http://www.apbnews.com/
>
> try the above websie more choices
>
>>>I listened for a few hours today from this site,it was ok,
but the pager intermod (mostly in Spanish)drove me nuts.I wonder
if the other sites were better..

BDK

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2529. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3902C559.220FEE31@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112943

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!

By the way, before you get too excited about the "jack-booted thugs," let me remind you that it was Reagan and Bush who created them.

Reagan, with his war on drugs, expanded the authority of more than a dozen government agencies (ATF, INS, IRS. etc.) to include direct law enforcement. Reagan arranged for the training of these new "jack-booted thugs." And his adminstration set the policies these "jack-booted thugs" would use in the field.

Bush continued with this effort by adding several more agencies (the Coast Guard, for example), and further extending the scope of authority given to these "jack-booted thugs."

And let me also remind you that it was Republicans, in both the House and Senate, who cheered when Reagan and Bush did this. These congressmen had no problem with these "jack-booted thugs" as long as they were kicking in the doors of drug dealers and "those" type of people.

Of course, when the "jack-booted thugs" started going after conservatives, then they started getting upset (not upset enough to actually do anything about it, but upset enough to get votes from gullible conservatives who are fooled into thinking they actually care).

And, in Waco and Ruby Ridge, those "jack-booted thugs" used the training they received under Reagan and Bush to impliment the field policies they also received under Reagan and Bush. The result is a lot of dead people.

Clinton, and Reno, just inherited these maniacs - they didn't create them. Blame the Republicans for that. The Clinton adminstration has done a lot to reel these "jack-booted thugs" in since those earlier incidents, and the relatively "clean" raid on the home this morning was the result (nobody was injured and no excessive force was used).

As a conservative, it pains me to have to admit that Clinton actually may have done something right this time. And it really pains me to ask why the Republicans in the Congress did not?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2530. Re: Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dukpr$e9b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112944

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dt1o5$p60
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> This is a Ham Radio internet sight.

No, dumbass, Deja is a usenet newsgroup "site." Rec.radio.amateur.misc
is a USENET newsgroup. Get a clue, moron.

> We donnot

Doughnots? Or is it "do not," or "don't?"

> give TWO CRAPS about the little Cuban Kid.

Just like we "don't" give a rat's ass about YOU, Tolietlassi.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2531. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dul1o$eb5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112945

"Dan/W4NTI" <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8dtf4s$7gr$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
<snip>
>
> Be carefull he may get mad and hit you with his purse.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Oh, whatever shall I do??? <SNICKER>

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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2532. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14026-3902D818-12@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112946

Amazing. Eight years of Heir Clinton-Gore and they STILL try to blame everything on "Reagan-Bush".

Well, when George W. gets in, I guess we'll have eight years of Clinton-Gore to blame. Our turn!

Don

2533. Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14026-3902DB6D-14@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112947

I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge. But that wasn't what I was talking about.

SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor little head off!!!

To defend these Reno Hitler-ites is inexcusable! What happened to the phrase: "Never forget?"

Don

2534. Re: Take a break, read somethin funny for a change!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <E5F9BE840FB6C08F.61A04F1C718C2821.D3D66A7608984C51@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112948

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 22:45:49 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>Jeeves brother Ren Hoeck,
> And YOU think it's time for US to take a break?
> 'Doc

He probably missed the best he would have ever had.....(c;

2535. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <DFD44014B07F5DBA.2CE37003A9694635.C4D38C8D0C5E433A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112949

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 23:44:22 -0700, KingKevin11
<bouvierrogersNOboSPAM@msn.com.invalid> wrote:

>i just want to know if you can call people at there home phone # with
>ham radios
>
Sure. We have 4 repeaters with autopatch around here on 2m and
440Mhz. You just can't talk about "business" on ham radio....unless
you're making a call for reservations at a motel, which was granted to
be ok or to a restaurant to reserve you a table....

Our club repeater works both ways. Incoming calls are screened by a
password DTMF sequence only licensed amateurs have. You can also call
the unpublished repeater number and leave kg4zzz a voice mail if noone
answers the phone call, it reverts automatically. Zzz then accesses
his repeater-based voice mail when he returns to the air.

It's much too complex with all the commands you have to memorize to
use it, though. It's much simpler just to use the cellphone which
forwards to my digital storage voice pager.

Some ham repeaters also support POCSAG or two-tone paging. The hams
have regular pagers set up on the repeater frequency and the repeater
has a paging terminal on the phone line, in addition to its voice
functions.

Of course, all this means nothing in ham radio wallowing in the swill
of CW vs No CW. All these great functions are installed and
maintained by low-life no-code technicians who can't copy 20 wpm, but
are excellent systems engineers and technicians. The no-coders are
the ones, not the Extras, who devote countless hours climbing 2000'
towers to put up amazing antennas, building facilities (even buildings
themselves) to house it all in, installing new equipment, spending
hours configuring software, pulling hardline up the tower, etc. They
are always to be ridiculed on HF and amateur newsgroups and webpages
by those not so gifted, whos only claim to fame and control in their
lives is that they can copy 20wpm Morse, but haven't a clue when it
comes to paging terminals, receiver voters, UHF remote base links,
topo coverage mapping, TNCs on digital modes, FM transmitters,
duplexers, diplexers, magic rings and remote recievers so the HT in
WalMart can call home on the autopatch running only 100mw. No, they
can copy CW....just like the guys on spark!

How sad......
Larry W4CSC
Old goat since 1957 with enough brains to get the hell out of the way

so the no-coders can put up a system for me to enjoy......

2536. Re: Cell Phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <E7A1BA2F15FFA163.09F196C5306DA066.4C16CB2E26658B41@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112950

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 23:51:18 -0700, KingKevin11
<bouvierrogersNOboSPAM@msn.com.invalid> wrote:

>Can ham Radios be used as Cell Phones
>
They could but most hams don't have the millions of dollars cellular
equipment costs to install it. Maybe some day we'll have cellular ham
radio when the cell companies want to dump old analog equipment they
no longer use on their increasingly digital systems. That's how hams
got interested in FM VHF/UHF....free equipment noone wanted.

Larry W4CSC

2537. Re: Elian was snatched(to doc)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8duqjl$9uk$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112951

My answer is this: you don't like Clinton. You don't like Reno. You don't like Democrats therefore anything done by one or a combination will evoke a hostile response. This is all political to you. The Justice Department, INS and Clinton showed more than enough patience, compassion, restraint and understanding but when confronted by an unrelenting, pompous, arrogant and defiant family, HAD to act in order to maintain respect for the law. I'm sure if a Republican Prez. were in the Oval Office and Reno were long gone, you would be praising government action to the sky whether the INS barged in adorned with riot gear or a tuxedo. The pix being circulated is one out of context. The agent was not pointing the weapon at the kid however government bashers will have a field day with it. If George W wins in November you'll think that Jesus himself came down to govern. If Gore wins, we'll get the same anti-government bullbleep we've heard since '92. Rush Limbaugh is certainly rooting for Gore or else that slob is out of a job. Who's he gonna bitch about and try to turn listeners against?
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000422173256.22241.00003308@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> af2y wrote
>>Reno, Clinton and the INS HAD to do what HAD to be done and I understand
>>that.
> I think it was an INS "ruling" that they were violating doc, not law.
> If I, you and everyone else must obey the law of the land, then why
>>not the Miami Gonzalezes? And I'm positive the kid was not harmed in any way
> Now how can you be so "positive?" Psychologically he may be a wreck. Which he
> probably is from "everything" that has been going on.
>
>>as proven by the INS female who took control of him immediately after being
>>snatched. What I say is that one must relive the mistakes of history if
>>nothing had been done to correct them years ago. Remember when we invaded
>>Grenada to save the kids in the med school? We should have coordinated an
>>attack on Cuba too. If the USA felt threatened in OUR SPHERE OF INFLUENCE
>>i.e. North America, we've acted but NOT regarding Cuba. And to think that we
>>are now appeasing a bearded commie s.o.b. who would have been laughing had
>>Russian missiles been launched from his soil to rain death upon us. I and
>>millions of other Americans didn't like what happened today but it was
>>unavoidable by our OWN making.
> When you say "by our own making" you are mistaken. Some would have done things
> differently.
> The reunion however guarantees nothing. The
>>kid may have a violent reaction to poppa as he calls him? Or maybe poppa
>>will ask for political asylum which would shut Castro's mouth while

>>jeapordizing every other related Gonzalez on the island? Whatever happens I
>>saw that Reno and everyone in the Dept. of Justice, the Prez and the INS had
>>gone out of their way with patience and understanding and LAW MUST BE
>>OBEYED, period.
> I don't suppose anyone thought of just knocking on the door and saying hand
him
> over, we're he to take him to his father. Of course I'm sure that the
> "intelligence" that the US Marshals had told them how well armed they we're in
> that house. That had to be the reason for the full assault gear and weapons.
> Hell, I've seen less hardware in raids where they "knew" the occupants were
> dangerous. As for the finger off the trigger, that's training, nothing more.
He
> obviously thought that he'd have no reason to shoot but could have just as
> quickly with or with the finger being inside the trigger guard. sheesh !
>>Doc,AF2Y
>
>

2538. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <D947C0F86B7951D3.33D541A89A3A0D84.C1F515ABDAED7CFF@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112952

Well, she's getting better, I must admit. They didn't burn down the house, this time, killing everyone, including the children, inside it.....

The Democrats are just trying to get GW Bush elected president. I think they are doing a damned fine job, don't you?

Larry W4CSC

Forget hell.......

USS Liberty - attacked by Israel. Please don't forget the brave sailors who died when our "friends" deliberately tried to sink her.

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 07:15:57 -0400 (EDT), BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

>I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came
>back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge.
>But that wasn't what I was talking about.
>
>SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
>at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
>the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
>the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
>little head off!!!
>
>To defend these Reno Hitler-ites is inexcusable! What happened to the
>phrase: "Never forget?"
>
>Don
>

2539. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <M5CM4.2047$JN3.11004@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112953

"Dwight Stewart" <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote in message
news:39029C28.35F7D30C@sccoast.net...
>
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > Cuba, a small independent country,
> > was Russia's BASE OF OPERATIONS in
> > North America and the launching pad
> > for her nuclear missiles, remember?
>
>
> And Turkey was one of America's "BASE OF OPERATIONS" in Europe and one
> of the lauching pads for our nuclear missiles, remember? Of course, I
> could just as easily use the words "germany," "italy," or "south korea,"
> in that sentence. We had Russia completely surrounded with nuclear
> missiles (and we are the only countyr that has actually used nuclear
> weapons against another country). With all that in mind, it is really
> not that strange that they would want to use Cuba to do the same to us.
>
> And, considering how we treated Castro after he came to power, it is
> not really that strange that he would turn to Russia. One can only
> imagine what might have happened if the warmongers of that time period
> had treated Castro differently.
>
>
> > I remember those October '62 days
> > VIVIDLY since I was in New York
> > City and no one was sure there would
> > be a tomorrow.
> > Cuba, that sweet little independent
> > country, had a force on Grenada all
> > set to interdict our oil supplies
> > coming from Margarita Island Venezuela.
> > Reagan did something about it. Cuba,
> > that sweet little island, had troops
> > in Angola, Ethiopia and Eritrea trying
> > to help communize Africa.
>
>
> You're talking about stuff that happened thirty years after Castro
> came to power, and twenty years after the cuban-missile crisis. None of
> this stuff would have happened had we treated Cuba differently after
> Castro came to power.

>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

You are a piker, Mr Stewart. How about French Indo China? Had Roosevelt lived (or bothered to tell Harry Truman) we would probably have kept the French from reclaiming the territories much as what was done with the Dutch East Indies, given the whole shooting match to Ho Chi Minh, and saved a lot of people my age from one very nasty conflict.

Were it not for political considerations and a senile Senator from North Carolina we would long since have pronounced Cuba below our threshold of interest as a great power and allowed economic reality to take its course. Much like we are doing with Nam while no one is watching. And don't tell me about MIAs: we just got back four sets of remains from Germany -- while they disarm another bomb. Hell, the French have a crew handling artillery shells from WWI and get an occasional skeleton.

I tend to be of the opinion that Fidel would have been Fidel pretty much with or without us but our conduct left everything to be desired. We have gone thru anti-Bolshevik flaps at various times, coming closer to a coup in 1917-1921 than we care to admit, putting most of Nazi intelligence on the OSS payroll, and using 'who lost China? (answer: Chaing Kai Shek)' as a slogan to beat up on everyone who was not a posturing foe of 'atheistic Communism'. Having been beaten up with that piece of crap by Republicans for years, it should not be too surprising that a Democrat (Kennedy - and the Nam is his, not LBJs) would take a stupid risk after everyone including MacArthur and Charles DeGaulle told him he was an idiot.

So yeah, I have a bit of a problem with leadhead sloganeering: it gets people killed.

Dick McCollum N0BK

2540. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <EEF08C346B380EE9.A491E242C8B24351.E7743BF6C5A55A88@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 17:52:12 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
>I say let's have some patience and welcome the new blood.
>We need them- Make no mistake about that.
>The "new" guys and gals are here to stay.
>They are our peers now-
>every bit as legitimate as you or I ever were.
>Fighting with them is fighting against ourselves.
>
>GL ES 73 OM DE Dave AB5S
>
>p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)

I have a friend, who I won't identify , who is VERY active on CW
working DX since WW2 when he was Chief Radioman aboard a diesel sub.
He made the comment to me that he had heard 5 wpm CW down in the Extra
bands plodding along since Apr 15th and was mad about those "new
Extras" for doing it.

I told him to listen to the calls carefully and look them up at
qrz.com. Aha.....more sour grapes. The stations trying to start
something were ALL old sour grapes Extras who had had their licenses
for too many years, not the newbies who could care less about the CW
bands. My friend's reaction to them, a knee-jerk "I wanna kill them",
isn't like him. He's one of the coolest old guys you'll ever meet
(he's 77, I'm only 54..(c;). The sour grapes are trying to start
trouble on the Extra CW bands so they can go back to the FCC and point
the fingers at the newbies, like little boys in a sandbox tattling to
the teacher. How silly and childish. FCC may get tired of this
childish nonsense and simply abolish CW, like they have on other
services. Backfiring on the troublemakers and punishing great,
totally innocent CW operators, like my friend, in the process.

How sad it is that the old Extras are the ones killing ham
radio.....not those awful CBers and "welfare hams" we've heard all the
whining about for the last year. Also, how stupid, eh?

Larry W4CSC
Hello?? Is anyone out there with any brains, any more??

2541. Re: Sour Grapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <%7CM4.2049$JN3.11121@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112955

"Prometheus" <bperciNObpSPAM@midusa.net.invalid> wrote in message
news:06247292.f72ab693@usw-ex0103-086.remarq.com...
" ops.
>
> If I had to guess, I bet I've heard you on 75, screaming at
> somebody to get off of "your" frequency 'cause you've got a sked
> to whine about your hemmorhoids and lumbago with the rest of the
> sore losers.
>
>
> Get a life, douchebag. Or better yet, get off the air.
>
> Believe me--you and your ilk won't be missed.

Another worthy pronouncement ex cathedra from the depths of an unidentified
navel.

2542. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4593-3902EAC1-8@storefull-138.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112956

And let us all not forget, that on this anniversary week of the Colo. high school shooting, with Heir-Clinton's PR against children and guns...

Heir-Clinton and his "Field Marshal" Reno decided to stick a MACHINE GUN in the face of a SIX YEAR OLD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! (And everyone wonders where the school violence comes from???!!!)

Don

2543. FS FT 50R accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Schulte WA8UET <schulte@bright.net>
Message-ID: <jyCM4.7017$t_3.95147@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 112957

I have a blown up Yasue FT 50 R that I will throw in with the accessories. Accessories include on 7.2 volt Yaesu battery pack, Yaesu speaker mic, and Yaesu DC cigarette lighter plug connector for mobile operation, wall charger.
Sent the ht back to Yaesu and it was not worth repairing.
Send your offer to me at schulte@bright.net
Your offer price will include shipping and insurance if you want it. Thank you, Joe WA8UET

2544. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <DvCM4.2056$JN3.10335@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112958

"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:DFD44014B07F5DBA.2CE37003A9694635.C4D38C8D0C5E433A@lp.airnews.net...
> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 23:44:22 -0700, KingKevin11
> <bouvierrogersNOboSPAM@msn.com.invalid> wrote:
>
> >i just want to know if you can call people at there home phone # with
> >ham radios
> >
> Sure. We have 4 repeaters with autopatch around here on 2m and
> 440Mhz. You just can't talk about "business" on ham radio....unless
> you're making a call for reservations at a motel, which was granted to
> be ok or to a restaurant to reserve you a table....
>
> Our club repeater works both ways. Incoming calls are screened by a
> password DTMF sequence only licensed amateurs have. You can also call
> the unpublished repeater number and leave kg4zzz a voice mail if noone
> answers the phone call, it reverts automatically. Zzz then accesses
> his repeater-based voice mail when he returns to the air.
>
> It's much too complex with all the commands you have to memorize to
> use it, though. It's much simpler just to use the cellphone which
> forwards to my digital storage voice pager.
>
> Some ham repeaters also support POCSAG or two-tone paging. The hams
> have regular pagers set up on the repeater frequency and the repeater
> has a paging terminal on the phone line, in addition to its voice
> functions.
>
> Of course, all this means nothing in ham radio wallowing in the swill
> of CW vs No CW. All these great functions are installed and
> maintained by low-life no-code technicians who can't copy 20 wpm, but
> are excellent systems engineers and technicians. The no-coders are
> the ones, not the Extras, who devote countless hours climbing 2000'
> towers to put up amazing antennas, building facilities (even buildings
> themselves) to house it all in, installing new equipment, spending
> hours configuring software, pulling hardline up the tower, etc. They
> are always to be ridiculed on HF and amateur newsgroups and webpages
> by those not so gifted, whos only claim to fame and control in their
> lives is that they can copy 20wpm Morse, but haven't a clue when it
> comes to paging terminals, receiver voters, UHF remote base links,
> topo coverage mapping, TNCs on digital modes, FM transmitters,
> duplexers, diplexers, magic rings and remote recievers so the HT in
> WalMart can call home on the autopatch running only 100mw. No, they
> can copy CW....just like the guys on spark!

>
> How sad......
> Larry W4CSC
> Old goat since 1957 with enough brains to get the hell out of the way
> so the no-coders can put up a system for me to enjoy......
>

While I do not quite qualify as an old goat in spite of getting licensed in 1954 I can but second the emotion. Having done a bit of repeater work -- mostly as an Extra -- the fact that the whole shebang started at 146.94 because Techs in the olden days had only 145-147 was not lost on anyone with the sense God gave a billy goat.

Getting the Extra the hard way, FCC examiner and all, plus a few years doing it has, if nothing else, allowed me to say with great authority that it is a great wonderment that this hobby survived Incentive Licensing at all. AMEN.

BTW, Larry, do you think that between the two of us we might be old enough for the low end of 75??
:-)

Dick McCollum N0BK

2545. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3902F8F0.7FA9C44B@snet.net>
Source record: 112959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 13:31:10 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
> <nospam@snet.net> wrote:
>
> >Bill Sohl wrote:
> >> It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> >> what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> >> Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> >> at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> >> telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> >> I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> >> an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> >> My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> >> me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> >> traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> >> to me is $0 per minutes of use.
> >>
> >>You talk worldwide on 2m?
>
> Never said I did that. Some people talk worldwide mobile
> on HF.
>
> >What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
> >repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
>
> Why do I care about the costs of someone else's repeater?
>
> >You're talking apples and oranges.
>
> You have no clue at all about what you are talking about.

You were comparing your PHONE BILL with the cost of your 2m equipment.
That's apples and oranges. YOU said a global cellular call would have a
large bill, as true as that is, it has nothing to do with 2m. I was
responding to your post.

Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
communications value is obsolete. We keep hearing about how the hams
will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil. The weak
spots in telecom are all exposed to weather, as in outside plant, and

with current diverse routing, even they aren't that weak. Once apon a time when there was ONE local phone company and ONE national connector, the chances of failure were much greater, and even then, it never really happened.

I listen to plenty of traffic on 2m, 6m, 1.25m, and shortwave. How many times can you guys do radio checks? <G> Unforunately, most hams are NOT all that knowledgeable when it comes to electronics these days. They THINK they are <G>, but most of them are simply appliance operating rag chewers. A typical ham's last piece of "electronic" experience was installing a mobile appliance in a vehicle. The only people I often hear talking about anything other than the weather or the last micron they adjusted their antenna are the losers on 3950 on Saturday night.

Could you fix, or at least troubleshoot to a proprietary component, your own HT?

I'm not a ham operator. I've studied all the tests, and every year I purchase the ARRL Handbook, as I am an electronics experimenter and it's a terrific resource. One of these days when I can actually get to a session, I'm going to take the simple Tech test, or whatever the current version of that is. I can pass test after test of the theory tests provided on the online test sites, for all of the license classes. I have ZERO interest in learning Morse code, so I'll never progress beyond the Tech, except for the commercial licenses which don't require code.

Barry
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****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2546. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3902F957.3E69B3B8@snet.net>
Source record: 112960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Andy White wrote:
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> On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 16:50:08, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
> wrote:
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> >
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> > Andy White wrote:
> > >
> > > On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 13:31:10, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
> > > wrote:
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> > > > >
> > > > > Bill Sohl wrote:
> > > > > > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> > > > > > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > > > > > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > > > > > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > > > > > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > > > > > I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> > > > > > an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> > > > > > My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> > > > > > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> > > > > > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> > > > > > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
> > > > > >
> > > > > >
> > > > > > You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
> > > > > > repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
> > > > >
> > > > > Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
> > > > > you want to bounce off the moon and such
> > > >
> > > > Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.
> > >
> > > I did and there isn't any referance to that. Maybe you should read it
> > > again

Spoon feed mode on:

"Indeed, what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
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telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
I have inveted in all my ham gear."

Spoon feed mode off.

Barry
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****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2547. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3902FA28.8B5DFD00@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"M. Schneider" wrote:
>
> How about a child is better off with his father.
>
> "Bruce or Tracy" <bljacobs@hiwaay.net> wrote in message
> news:OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com...
> > Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
> > so keep a close eye on them.
> >

That would depend on his father. In this case, Elian's father hasn't seen the kid in 3 years. But that point is moot. Claims by the Gonzales family that the father called to alert them of Elian's coming by raft are also moot. As are the issues of his welfare in his father's custody. The father has already told us that he will return to his village, while Elian will go to Havana. He will not be with his father. He will be with the Cuban authorities who will erase the memories of the toys, the puppy, the trip to Disney, and his mother, before being put in the cane and tobacco fields as part of his 'education.'

A boy, in most cases would be better off with his father. But that's not going to happen here. The only time the boy will spend with his father is the time prior to the plane landing in Havana. At which time Elian will spend his time with Castro's goons.

2548. Re: Elian Unnnnn-Snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000423095254.06019.00006657@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 112962

Good Call,

>But listen to The Great Liberty Net tonight for more damning commentary
>concerning the matter.

did'nt a chance to listen to them talk about that

>Or listen to David J. Smith and learn that it was free-masons dressed as
>federal agents who snatched him.
>

I dont know about that, but i think it'll be something about our rights being taken by the UN.

>Or listen to "Prophet" Stair and see how the Elian saga plays into a series
>of
>events marking the end of the world.

Oh yes, He will go on as saying "Mark my words....."

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4 NCI 2841
http://www.3950.net/
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.qth.com/dwm/
http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

2549. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <390303A5.61F85B7E@snet.net>
Source record: 112963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Bill Sohl wrote:
> I offered my own personal experiences
> as to why ham radio is enjoyable.
>
> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK

On that level, NOTHING becomes obsolete! <G>

Barry
--
*******************************************
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
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2550. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <39030419.E1146151@snet.net>
Source record: 112964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"M. Schneider" wrote:

> Practical example: I work in an industrial plant. This evening severe
> weather was forcast for parts of my state (Okla). I didn't have ready
> access to a phone, the internet was out of the question, as were TV and
> radio. But my trusty 2m HT kept me informed as to what the weather was
> doing. Cellphone? What would I do? Call the radio or TV station every
> fifteen minutes and ask "What's the weather doing now?".

What about S.A.M.E? AM/FM broadcasts to a pocket radio? The HT is a
great way to keep informed, but it's not the only way.

Barry
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****
nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
****

2551. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <390302f1.442288143@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 112965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 09:21:52 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

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>You were comparing your PHONE BILL with the cost of your 2m equipment.
>That's apples and oranges. YOU said a global cellular call would have a
>large bill, as true as that is, it has nothing to do with 2m. I was
>responding to your post.
>
>Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
>communications value is obsolete.

hmmm...wonder if KH2TD, the ham whose son was shot by pirates off
honduras would agree with that....or if the sailboat who called me
about a heart attack last week would agree....both these hams relied
on ham radio to save lives.

if its value as communications is obsolete, there are several people
who are alive today due to this 'obsolete' communictions.

We keep hearing about how the hams
>will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
>one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
>competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
>redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil.

of course, when I established a nightly communications schedule with
the virgin islands 3 yrs ago after theyd been hit by a hurricane and
had NO communications, or when we hams did likewise with puerto rico
last summer....

this sounds like sour grapes from someone who doesnt operate ham
radio. he's not familiar with it. all his 'knowledge' is
theoretical.

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>I'm not a ham operator. I've studied all the tests, and every year I
>purchase the ARRL Handbook, as I am an electronics experimenter and it's
>a terrific resource

oh...well, i guess that says it all...as i suspected...sour grapes..

he doesnt have a license...never operated...is unfamiliar with
it...but knows its obsolete...

such an expert!!

2552. French sstv site (in french and english)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerome <jerome.fsstv36@free.fr>
Message-ID: <5zDM4.2663$qC7.4102234@nnrp6.proxad.net>
Source record: 112966

I udapte my french sstv site at:

Http://jerome.fsstv36.free.fr

73'51 88 de 14FSSTV36

2553. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: SuperDave <SuperDave@Goes.Crash>
Message-ID: <39030660.33A20C33@Goes.Crash>
Source record: 112967
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keith Wood wrote:
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> Well, if it's an original Cougar (built on the original Mustang
> frameset), then you might be correct. If it's one of the newer ones,
> I'll just let off the gas until I can read "raguoC" in the mirror.

It's a 1970 with a couple of grand and a lot of time in the drivetrain (polished, chamfered, balanced, degreed for max compression, no chrome...) The only way you'd see me in your mirrors is as I was passing you after giving you a head start. But you'd have to look fast after you heard me coming... <G>

I'm thinking of doing a complete front end suspension replacement on it tho.. When you go that fast, it floats, and steering around a curve in the road is scary. (now you know why I don't run it full out on the streets.) Plus, getting rid of the monsterous shock towers would allow me to change the right side center spark plugs without tilting the motor.. I love headers for the flow, but they're a pain in the ass to work around..

With the compression, the cam, the cam timing all added in, the idle sounds like the beginning oh 'Hot For Teacher'(the drums) and the car shakes like a good harley should.. Women love it..

The body is gonna get painted next year, but I'll see about scanning in a picture of it the way it is.. (gotta find a scanner)

Dave
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"I am not a CROOK." -- Dick Nix'

PS. I just quit smoking and I'm grumpy as hell. Don't like it, too bad.

2554. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
Message-ID: <39030710.7A5570EB@snet.net>
Source record: 112968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

wf3h@ptd.net wrote:
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> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 09:21:52 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
> <nospam@snet.net> wrote:
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> >You were comparing your PHONE BILL with the cost of your 2m equipment.
> >That's apples and oranges. YOU said a global cellular call would have a
> >large bill, as true as that is, it has nothing to do with 2m. I was
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> about a heart attack last week would agree....both these hams relied
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> who are alive today due to this 'obsolete' communictions.
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> >one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
> >competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
> >redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil.
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> the virgin islands 3 yrs ago after theyd been hit by a hurricane and
> had NO communications, or when we hams did likewise with puerto rico
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> >purchase the ARRL Handbook, as I am an electronics experimenter and it's
> >a terrific resource
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> oh...well, i guess that says it all...as i suspected...sour grapes..
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> he doesnt have a license...never operated...is unfamiliar with
> it...but knows its obsolete...
>
> such an expert!!

Nope, not an expert, but not sour grapes either. This is a "discussion group", group correct? By sharing my opinion that dosen't agree with yours, I'm an "expert" with sour grapes? <G> I'll agree with you completely on the values of HF on the high seas, and to underdeveloped areas as you have cited. My primary thought is the amateur radio service vs. current, easily obtainable communications tools. That's where _I beleive_ (My opinion, hence discussion! <G>) the obsolete part to fit in. As for it being FUN, no doubt! The examples you cited? That's not where this thread started. It started on topics such as contacting others from the car on the way home from work.

Barry
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nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
No changes are needed to reply
http://www.bburke.com
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2555. FA ICOM IC-728 ALLMODE ENDS TODAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Parker <rparker@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <RWDM4.2036$qY2.39854@newscontent-01.sprint.ca>
Source record: 112969

SEE: http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=312322591

2556. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8dv2ia$ej3$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112970

Jake, you're on the right track but going from 20 to 5 was a bit much-don't
you concede that one point?

In article <vq92gsoddgh2ubqs6qjfqhre5dq7st73vs@4ax.com>, Jake Brodsky
<frussle@erols.com> wrote:

> Amen! My Extra is over 20 years old. And yeah, I too am a "welfare"
> Extra.
>
> Get over it, folks. The regulations are a fact of life. If this
> issue bothers you enough to pull the welcome mat away from the
> newcomers, you really ought to check your blood pressure. You
> probably aren't far from having a heart attack. (But hey, if you're
> determined to be a hard-ass, maybe a heart attack will help you
> realize what the really important things in life are)
>
> It's just a hobby. It's not worth getting worked up over. You want
> to keep morse code alive? USE IT! And give others a good example to
> follow. Posting nasty messages on usenet is no way to attract talent.
>
> 73,
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>
> Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
> "Beware of the massive impossible!"

2557. Another night of QRM on 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bioiobombew <fredole@aol.com>
Message-ID: <DqEM4.60456$y4.2048826@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112971

Yes, it happened again. Another night of deliberate QRM-ing
of 3950's Liberty net. This time with organ music and record playing
for hours starting at 11:00 Central time. When are they going
to shut down the source of this QRM, which has been traced
repeatedly to comming out of South Bend ?

2558. Elian and his Kooky Relatives PARODY PAGE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jose-A Jose-B <eliangohome@miaminet.com>
Message-ID: <eBEM4.60811$y4.2049418@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Yes, you just KNEW it was comming down the Pike.

Didn't you??? BAAAA HA HA HA!!!!!

clickinzie here---> http://www.geocities.com/stopmiami/

this page is a HOOT!

2559. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <C55DEE727C9619D1.3DDBA0D60A02E47D.11EEEC1196F3BDCE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112973

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 17:23:05 -0400 (EDT), BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

>Excuse me? And you're an instructor at a junior college level? What
>court gave Janet Reno authority? And wasn't that recently overturned by
>a higher court? And didn't "Field Marshal" Reno ignore that court
>decision?

Answers:

1. Yup, I teach at a community college. So?

2. A _court_ didn't give Janet Reno permission. She is the Attorney General of the United States--her _duties_ in that office gave her the authority (which Clinton supported, btw).

3. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority overturned by a court? No.

3a. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority to seize Elain overturned? No, again. Here's the chronology:

1/12/2000 Reno ruled that Elain should be returned to father's custody.
1/19/2000 Gonzalez filed a lawsuit to block his return to Cuba.
3/21/2000 U.S. District court dismissed the lawsuit.
4/12/2000 Reno met with the relatives and ordered them to surrender Elian to the government for transportation to his father in Washington (she had the legal right to do so).
4/13/2000 The relatives defied the order. They also obtained an order from a Federals Appeals Court that keeps Elian in the US (note that it does NOT place him in the relative's custody--it ONLY requires that he remain in the US--thus Reno's order is NOT reversed by the court). At this point, the family by refusing to surrender the child to the government technically became subject to prosecution for obstructing justice, kidnapping, and several other offenses.
4/19/2000 The Federal Court extended the order for Elian to remain in the US until a scheduled hearing in May. Remember: This hearing is to determine whether Elian _may_ stay in the US, not to determine custody, which by law belongs to his natural father.
4/22/2000 After last-minute negotiations with the family again broke down, Reno ordered a Federal raid on the premises which resulted in Elian being removed from them and reunited with his father.

4. _Attorney General_ Reno did _not_ ignore the order of the court. She is required to insure that Elian remain in the US until the hearing in May (unless the court order is lifted), something she has

made it very clear is her intention. She was _also_ required to insure that Elian be returned to the individual who _legally_ has custody of him (in this case, his father), which she did.

Any more questions you need answered so you can develop an _informed_ opinion of the matter--or is your mind so made up it only confuses you when someone presents you with the facts?

>Perhaps a VOP letter is in order here...

Go for it--that way _everyone_ can recognize that you don't know what you're talking about instead of just those on rram!

Incidently, _speaking_ of rec.radio.amateur.misc, this topic really has nothing to do with Amateur radio in the first place--and therefore I'll drop out of the thread permanently at this point. If you have any _other_ areas you want clarified, by all means send me private email and I'll be glad to answer your questions so you can understand the subject.

Rick, ke8hh
--

Rick Adams
ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net
adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2560. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <39031910.447952695@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 112974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 10:07:33 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

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>
>Bill Sohl wrote:
>> I offered my own personal experiences
>> as to why ham radio is enjoyable.
>>
>> Cheers,
>> Bill K2UNK
>
>On that level, NOTHING becomes obsolete! <G>
>

barry...

that's exactly right. thats why your argument is wrong.

2561. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <39031986.448071127@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 112975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 10:22:08 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

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>wf3h@ptd.net wrote:

>> oh...well, i guess that says it all...as i suspected...sour grapes..
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>> he doesnt have a license...never operated...is unfamiliar with
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>> such an expert!!

I'll agree with you
>completely on the values of HF on the high seas, and to underdeveloped
>areas as you have cited.

now THAT makes sense...we should keep the discussion in perspective.
infrastructure like satellites, cell phone towers, etc, are fairly
expensive and prone to attack (satellite rx/tx centers are, that is,
not satellites :-))

and those areas will always exist...

My primary thought is the amateur radio
>service vs. current, easily obtainable communications tools.

but that was never its purpose. if thats the purpose of ham radio, it
was obsolete the day it was born...

2562. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <xyzzy@plough.tv>
Message-ID: <jb66gsk95ddaepol114nbj814jusdfhq3v@4ax.com>
Source record: 112976
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SuperDave <SuperDave@Goes.Crash> wrote:

>Keith Wood wrote:
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>> Well, if it's an original Cougar (built on the original Mustang
>> frameset), then you might be correct. If it's one of the newer ones,
>> I'll just let off the gas until I can read "raguoC" in the mirror.
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> It's a 1970 with a couple of grand and a lot of time in the drivetrain
>(polished, chamfered, balanced, degreed for max compression,

What do you run it on, jet fuel? Compression ratios back then were
like 11.0:1 or 12.0:1; if you try to run it on today's gas, you get
yourself an oil pan full of piston chunks.

>no chrome...) The only way you'd see me in your mirrors is as I was
>passing you after giving you a head start. But you'd have to look fast
>after you heard me coming... <G>

I used to have a 1970 Cougar XR-7 convertible. It had a 351 Cleveland
engine and air conditioning. Only 1977 XR-7 converts were made in
1970, even fewer had factory air. That was an interesting car.

"Shutting down ricemobiles (and Camaros) is a martial art."
- Quai-Stang Kane
NOTE: Header address is bogus up the ying-yang. Please reply to newsgroup.

2563. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnR <jhhr1@NoSpam.net.com>
Message-ID: <8dv62a$1r7$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Peter Maus" <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:3902FA28.8B5DFD00@worldnet.att.net...
>

> That would depend on his father. In this case, Elian's father
> hasn't seen the kid in 3 years.

Get your information straight. The father last saw his child on the Friday befor the ill-fated boat voyage. There have also been photos of Elian with his (then) 2-month old half-brother.

I also left Miami two years ago because of the Banana Republic mentality. It's easy to criticize unless you have lived in the area--you begin to feel you don't live the US anymore.

2564. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <8dv45m02o9@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy

It's not quite that simple.

If you are using Internet Exploder, saving to a file from a PDF will leave
you an empty file.

Instead, go to the link to this file (or make a link), right click on the
link and select 'Save Target As...' from the menu.

--xpyttl

Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote in message ...
>
>
>Saving it is a bit more complicated then the new ham tests.
>
>To save it, go to file menu and click save. (or click the picture of the
>floppy.)

2565. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dv32p0118@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112979

In article <3902C559.220FEE31@sccoast.net>, stewartx@sccoast.net says...
>
>
>Donald Burkhart wrote:
>>
>> God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!
>
>
> By the way, before you get too excited about the "jack-booted thugs,"
>let me remind you that it was Reagan and Bush who created them.

<snip>

WRONG! If you're going to blame someone, blame congress. Up until 1994,
congress had been controlled by the Democrats. This included the Reagan and
Bush years.

Tom - N8ECW

2566. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8dv3o21118@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112980

In article <4593-3902EAC1-8@storefull-138.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net says...
>
>And let us all not forget, that on this anniversary week of the Colo.
>high school shooting, with Heir-Clinton's PR against children and
>guns...
>
>Heir-Clinton and his "Field Marshal" Reno decided to stick a MACHINE GUN
>in the face of a SIX YEAR OLD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! (And
>everyone wonders where the school violence comes from???!!!)
>
>Don
>

I don't think anyone can look at that picture, and not cringe. Regardless of what you think of the Elian Gonzalez affair, there was no call for such strong-arm tactics in a home where no violence had occured and no violence was threatened. Defying the government is not the same as committing a crime or posing a threat to others.
Yes, the agents were enforcing an order to turn the boy over to the his father, and Elian's Miami relatives were making that difficult. However, opposing government policy, and even being an outright pain in the ass is no call for an armed assualt.
Then again, given Butch Reno's track record, I guess we should be thankful that the house didn't get burned down.

Tom - N8ECW

2567. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
Message-ID: <sg68cc3pl6e172@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112981

In all the discussion that's going on about Elian it's been mentioned that the happy photo with the father was possibly faked.
Do I think it was faked? Possibly not.
However, I do believe that the photo was taken PRIOR to Elian's arrival in America.

Why?

It's amazing ... in a photo of the raid as Elian was being hauled out no one seems to have noticed a missing tooth.

What's the big deal?

In the photo released by the lawyers, his tooth has AMAZINGLY returned to his mouth!

The family wasn't armed and the last time an attack occured with peace talks ensuing was PEARL HARBOR!
The only difference is that the side that commmited the underhanded attack was Janet Reno's storm troopers.

Don't kid yourself, Reno CAN'T act without the PRESIDENT'S authorization.

I thought the day of unauthorized N*A*Z*I breakins was over.

The U.S. government wants guns out of the hands of the citizens for our "protection".
Wasn't that one of Adolph's 1st measures taken?
Those who don't remember history are bound to repeat it.

2568. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39031FC9.E8099267@bctv.com>
Source record: 112982

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:390256C2.422A56C2@bctv.com...
> >
> law
> > >
> > > As I recall, the Mormons were pretty good at massacre themselves or at
> the
> > > very least some very non-professional execution of self-defense rights.
> >
> > Oh, really? Just which massacres were done by or at the direction of
> > the Mormon leadership?
> >
> > And, even if there were some, how does this justify ordering the deaths
> > of children, pregnant women, the aged infirm . . ?
>
> Right at the moment I do not remember the precise name but I believe it
> contained 'Meadows'. Seems that a wagon train was pretty well done in
> (children, pregnant women, etc.) by a band of yo-yos authorized by (and
> reported to later) Brigham Young and some Indians recruited for the purpose.

Mountain Meadows, 20 years AFTER the Exterminating Order (which was in large part the cause of the massacre). There are several good books on this, obviously you have never read any of them.

So:

1) The Fancher party included a number of men from Missouri, who bragged for weeks and hundreds of miles about what they were heading to Utah to "finish the job." They quoted the Exterminating Order as their authority to do so.

2) The Fancher train was not travelling the normal route to California. They also apparently made a turn away from the main trail, which took them toward a small settlement (rather than the larger town that the trail went right through). This was seen as a threat to that settlement.

3) These men (and perhaps others) also mistreated a number of the Indians that they came in contact with. There are no specifics, but those comments recorded indicate that rape of Indians was one of their amusements.

4) Brigham Young, when advised of the claims and troubles, issued a directive that the train be permitted to pass unmolested, and in fact to

be given whatever help they might need to speed them to California.
This directive arrived hours too late to stop the small band of Mormons
who had gone with a LARGE band of Indians. The party which went out to
pass this commandment to the Mormons (and try to pacify the Indians)
arrived near the end of the attack, and did in fact force a halt to the
killing.

> There were rumors of some troops coming from Colorado. Things got totally
> out of hand. Like a lot of other things probably best not denied but
> probably also better not judged by 21st Century standards. Even shows up on
> the Real West series now and again so it is not all that obscure.

No, it isn't. As I said, there are several good books. There are also
references in many others.

> Are you aware that one of the upshots of all that was that Missouri has at a
> state level some of the more serious (some say Draconian) laws about
> Church/State separation in the US. Giving one's employees off for Good
> Friday is illegal in 7 states; it is a felony in Missouri.

This is probably little comfort to the spirits of those who were raped
and murdered under authority of the Exterminating Order.

> Drop over to http://www.economist.com to get a very good summary of how the
> rest of the world looks at the great elian caper, at least before the
> hostage was released to his father. They devote both an editorial and a
> major story to it. I am pretty sure both are available to non-subscribers.
> Just hit 'current issue' on the left menu.

Why should I care what the "rest of the world" thinks? I've seen a lot
of the "rest of the world" and I'm not impressed with their morality nor
how they see the relationship between government and the people.

Apparently, neither were my Befores, or I would have been born in
Europe.

> Why would any sane human being come to Nebraska in March?? You got away with
> it this time but don't expect it often :-).
>
> Dick

I had to go to Indiana, actually. Nebraska is in the way.

2569. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903204B.7D101467@bctv.com>
Source record: 112983

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote in message
> news:39025259.754C@rpi.edu...
> > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> > > >
> > > > It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
> > > >
> > > > The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of
> screwing
> > > > around for 5 months.
> > > >
> > > > How would you as a father feel if that was your son?
> > >
> > > I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> > > be sent back to a slave state?
> >
> > Maybe the father doesn't see it like that. Shouldn't he have the right
> > to make that judgement? I think it's pretty clear that he isn't just
> > following a Castro script on this one...
> >
> > Curt Breneman
> > RPI Chemistry
> > KC2EBP
>
> There is also the minor matter of the Hague Convention on International
> Child Abduction.

Cuba isn't signatory.

> There is absolutely no question of law on this one

The Federal courts don't agree with you.

> -- he
> belongs to and with his father and Janet Reno's only mistake was letting it
> get this far.

Would you send a black child back to 1855 Alabama?

2570. Re: NEW HAMS TRYING REAL HARD TO DO RIGHT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtegc$6rt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113057

In article <8dt2e9$2j5$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Mike is right. I even changed my mind. This morning I told only one
of them
> to go to hell after giving me a 10-4.
>
> ----------
> In article <8dqn8hclq1@nnrp1.deja.com>, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > THE NEW GUYS ARE DOING THE BEST THEY CAN THERE VERY POLITE AND
TRYING
> > TO BE ACCEPTED. IM GOING TO GIVE THEM A CHANCE THERE BETTER OPPS
THAN A
> > LOT OF SOME 40 YEAR OLD TIMMERS IVE HERD GIVE THEM A CHANCE.
> >
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
>
I have not heard anything of the sort from the interim guys. Come on
Doc.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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2571. Re: AF2Y: KE9RY's phone call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtf4s$7gr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113058

In article <041d1178.c3027f28@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>,
kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid> wrote:
> In article <8dsn9f$o14
> $1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> <snip>
>
> >I wonder what you
> >two would do if Rich retested, passed and got back on the air?
> SUICIDE? Hell
> >why not since turnabout is fair play. You're killing ham radio,
> aren't you?
> >AF2Y
>
> We couldn't get that LUCKY for them to commit suicide.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
>
>
Be carefull he may get mad and hit you with his purse.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Before you buy.

2572. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: iso50@execpc.com
Message-ID: <39024059$0$88605@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 113059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 16:50:08, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
wrote:

>
>
> Andy White wrote:
> >
> > On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 13:31:10, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >
> > >
> > > Bill Sohl wrote:
> > > > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> > > > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > > > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > > > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > > > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > > > I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> > > > an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> > > > My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> > > > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> > > > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> > > > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
> > >
> > >
> > > You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
> > > repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
> >
> > Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can, if
> > you want to bounce off the moon and such
>
> Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.

I did and there isn't any referance to that. Maybe you should read it
again

2573. Elian Unnnnn-Snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422204456.08116.00001718@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 113060

Not really.

But listen to The Great Liberty Net tonight for more damning commentary concerning the matter.

Or listen to David J. Smith and learn that it was free-masons dressed as federal agents who snatched him.

Or listen to "Prophet" Stair and see how the Elian saga plays into a series of events marking the end of the world.

Troll-o-meters on?

2574. Take a break, read somethin funny for a change!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeeves brother Ren Hoeck <blufifth@mail0012.net>
Message-ID: <fBsM4.75971$q67.1323913@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 113061

OK all you hams. it's time to take a break from all this
Pro-CW/Anti-CW, Frequency movie, Elian was abducted
by goons, BARF, 14313, 3950 bullshit.

Here's a real gem of a story I pulled off of stories.tasteless
that I think all you kids and lids in the RF sandbox will
like. Enjoy!

From: TheUnholyOne
Subject: THE MASTURBATING FAT GIRL STORY
Date: ----- --, 1999 --:-- PM

Here's a Tasteless Tidbit (c) from a BBS I belong to. 'Twas a
young woman relating an experience whilst working at a
library. I cut and pasted it directly, without editing, and
take no credit for it, except as its bearer.

Enjoy...

THE MASTURBATING FAT GIRL STORY

when i was in high school i worked in the children"s room of the
local public library. my job was to check books in and out, help
with storytime, shelve books, and keep the computers in running
order. the computer part also meant monitering the internet from
time to time, blocking the appropriate sites, etc. well at this
time at the library, chats were enabled. we had the same people
coming in to chat all the time. one of these wasa size extra
large 15 year old girl. yep, it"s your internet horror chat
partner--- you know the type. the type who says she"s 18, has a
perfect figure, blond hair and blue eyes and is a hot
cheerleader. of course it"s all lies. she was 15, fat, mousy,
and had coke-bottle glasses. i had complained to my supervisor
about her having cybersex on the internet... IN the children"s
room, NOT caring who was around reading the screen. but nothing
was done about it, until one fateful night....

it was a cold night out, late november. i was 8 pm, and i was
waiting for the last hour to go by so i could go home. sure
enough, in came "hotgrrl69" a.k.a. THE FAT GIRL. she sat down
and started chatting. i knew she was getting her cybergroove on.
but there was nothing i could do. it was hot in the library that
night. the thermostat was set at about 78 degrees to keep the
old biddies on the adult side warm. time went by slowly, and i

was about to doze off at the circulation desk, when the smell came...

yes, it was the sweaty smell of b.o. mixed with cheap perfume and rotten fish. i smelled it. my supervisor smelled it. the assistant smelled it. then we heard a moan from the computer. and another. the fat girl was sitting at the computer, taking turns fingering herself and typing. the odor was horrendous, the sight was even worse. right there, in teh children"s room, in front of the public, not-so-"hotgrrl69" was masturbating, getting her disgusting sexual fluids all over the keyboard and making the room smell like sweaty rank crotch. my supervisor pulled me around the corner into her office and said "go kick her off the computer. her privelages are suspended." i said "you kick her off. i don"t want to go near her." the assistant snuck away into the bathroom to hide. so i, being of the lowest rank, was blessed enough to have to go kick the girl off the computer. i want over, my nose plugged, and said "GET THE HELL OUT OF HERE YOU SICK FREAK!" as loud as i possibly could. the girl jumped up, started crying, and ran out of the library, pants unzipped and all, into the cold november night. i"m sure it was a sick sight of pale blubber jiggling down the road. i"m glad i didn"t have to see it. but the worst was yet to come...

my supervisor made me clean the keyboard, because she claimed she didn"t know how. i told her how, but she wouldn"t listen. so i got some rubber gloves and heavy duty antibacterial industrial cleaner and cleaned the keyboard and the mouse about ten times. then i went into the bathroom and threw up repeatedly.

thus ends our bedtime story of the masturbating fat girl.

yum.

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2575. Re: Carl & Jerry episodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422214822.07337.00001463@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 113062

>I LOVE those old Carl and Jerry episodes,

My all-time favorite:
The guys figure out how to produce different aromas by passing electricity through wires coated with various substances.
One of them takes this box on a date. When the movie shows pine trees, the aroma of pines floats through the movie theater. Same thing with a rose garden. At some point, he hits the wrong knob and fills the theater with the smell of burning rubber or something. Anyway, it is a disaster......

Second favorite:
The fellows are playing around with an oscilliscope. They have leads hooked to Jerry's head and are studying "brain waves". They compare the waves to a chart in a scientific manual. It appears that Jerry has rabies.
They later discover they are picking up signals from the nearby AC-powered clock on the wall. (whew! those shots are painful).

QRM

2576. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422215250.07337.00001466@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 113063

>> Also, how many ppl with cell phones, stop to help ppl in need on
>> freeways?

Very few people stop, these days. However, a high percentage of cell phone users take advantage of the free calling system for reporting emergencies.

Stopping to assist can be very dangerous. Yeah, it looks like a lady standing by a disabled car. Then two male accomplices come out of the bushes and hit you in the head.

2577. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390256C2.422A56C2@bctv.com>
Source record: 113064

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Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:39020FF1.98142D1F@bctv.com...
> >
> >
> > Richard McCollum wrote:
> > >
> > > "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> > > news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
> > > > > IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
> > > A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a
> > > nice warm bed.
> >
> > Well, the good guy was ripped out of what has become his home, and given
> > to a man he feared, who intends to take him back to a "paradise" that
> > shoots people whose only crime is wanting to leave.
> >
> > > The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees
> hands
> > > not much is going to happen one way or the other.
> >
> > . . .in a perfect world. This is not a perfect world.
> >
> > As you said, these guys aren't all that expert at this sort of thing.
> >
> > > The gun points where one
> > > is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or
> > > waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it
> is
> > > done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very
> sound
> > > planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.
> >
> > So did the SS.
> >
> > > Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or
> will
> > > not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long.
> >
> > There's that word, "lawful." There was a government that once issued a
> > "lawful" order that all members of a particular religion be exterminated
> > (that's the word that was used). Men, women, children, to be
> > EXTERMINATED simply for being members of a particular faith.
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> >
> > And before you say that couldn't happen here, it DID happen here. The
> > governor of Missouri sent TROOPS to exterminate the Mormons.
> >
> > "Lawful" orders are any orders issued by the people who make or
> > interpret the law.
>
> As I recall, the Mormons were pretty good at massacre themselves or at the
> very least some very non-professional execution of self-defense rights.

Oh, really? Just which massacres were done by or at the direction of
the Mormon leadership?

And, even if there were some, how does this justify ordering the deaths
of children, pregnant women, the aged infirm . . ?

> That
> part of history is not pretty and is pretty indefensible.
> But it proves only that no structural system prevents mankind from being
> bozos. We have had lynchings, intimidations by the carload, wrongful
> executions (many if one extrapolates from existing data), and miscarriages
> of justice beyond measure. The question is what else does one do?
>
> First two things have to happen. Issues have to be de-politicized; you
> simply cannot decide each case one at a time on the luck of the draw. A
> legal system must be predictable or it is a sham. Predictability implies a
> certainty of enforcement. (kind of leaves out California). Second, there
> has to be an area beyond the will of the majority whether you call it a Bill
> of Rights or the Ancient Rights of Englishmen or the Three Laws of Robotics.
>
> The Missouri Governor led a lynch mob, pure and simple

No. Boggs was misled by third-generation information, and willing to
bring things to a rapid conclusion rather than taking the time to
consider his actions. Once committed to a course of action which he
realized (too late) to be abhorrent, his only options were to admit his
error or pour more resources into the plan and execute it at an
accelerated pace, then bluster to hide his incompetence.

Kind of like Janet Reno, both in Waco and Miami, and Clinton following
those two abuses of Federal power.

> So far as I can tell, Elian was being used as a hostage in a political
> confrontation. Being a child of 6, his opinions might be interesting but
> hardly decisive. The politics can be settled later - as they were in
> Missouri.

The Exterminating Order was not repealed for nearly 150 years. I don't
think that Elian has that long to wait.

> Cases like this make for interesting politics and bad law.
>
> Should you ever in your pursuit of Mormon history end up in Florence NE (now

> part of Omaha) give me a call. I won't even offer to buy you a beer. :-)

I went through there just a month ago, actually.

2578. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtn2efhi1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113065

In article <8dt3jqvmj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Don,
> Why don't you pack up and get out of the USA? It's cute to insult the
> premier law officer in the land and the President too? You're a
goddamned
> ingrate rightwing fink who doesn't appreciate the liberality of this
land. I
> don't like what happened today in Mimai but EVERY OPTION had been
offered
> and rejected by the Gonzalezes and who the devil are they to defy the
law?
> Whom do those Cubans think they are burning our flag?
> Doc
>
> ----------
No Doc every option WAS NOT taken. They could very easly just let the Supreme court handle it. But no....they had to show US who was in charge. And boy they sure did....Just like WACO, and Ruby Ridge. Boy they sure showed us didn't they?

You know I used to call them Commies and Socialists, but I was wrong...They really are Goose Stepping NAZI STORMTROOPERS and YOU OF ALL PEOPLE should be able to see that.

And as for burning the flag....hell after what they THOUGHT this country stood for and seeing this episode...who can blame them?

Dan/W4NTI

--
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2579. 50 MHz DX Bulletin #016

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: OZ6OM <remove_oz6om@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <4htM4.2451$oI.141459@news.worldonline.dk>
Source record: 113066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,relcom.radio.ham

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform interested that the latest
edition of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #00-016 is now
uploaded at my website, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
usually is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM / OZ7M "Matt"

2580. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtoqdhaq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113067

In article <20349-39023B6E-78@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

> A lot more credible than the main stream press which tried to pass off
> a milder photo of the Nazi attack this morning. Glad Drudge exposed
> the media conspiracy, LRod. Because of those two entirely different
> photos, millions got to see how the left manipulates the press.

So let me see if I have this straight; you get a photo you don't like
the looks of, then you get another photo you do like the looks of. How
do you tell which one is "real"? The one you like?

Anyone who has ever done sampling knows the fallacy in trying to
determine the the correct of an "A" or "B" answer from only two samples.
Harrumph.

I always get a kick out of the "liberal media" shots. Colonel McCormick
(Chicago Tribune) rolls over in his grave every time someone says it.

LRod

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2581. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390263B8.2D8D8FA0@bctv.com>
Source record: 113068

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> > >
> > > It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
> > >
> > > The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of screwing
> > > around for 5 months.
> > >
> > > How would you as a father feel if that was your son?
> >
> > I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> > be sent back to a slave state?
>
> Maybe the father doesn't see it like that. Shouldn't he have the right
> to make that judgement?

Ah, but is HE making the judgement? Both of the boy's grandmothers are
in state custody, incommunicado and hostage to the father's behavior.

> I think it's pretty clear that he isn't just
> following a Castro script on this one...

I wish that this were a reasonable conclusion, given the known data.

2582. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <25893D63682BB916.84562012370B668E.532A884239148C9A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 113069

On 22 Apr 2000 23:56:01 GMT, sbcmusic@aol.com (SBCmusic) wrote:

>In article <B50F840AE19FAA43.EAE2E763C563F900.73F9E4BE8D9C159E@lp.airnews.net>,
>W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) writes:
>
>>Where DO you live without telephone service?? It even works at the
>>South Pole!
>
>I recently (last summer) spend 5 days on a fishing trip in extreme
>northwestern Ontario, where there was no phone service, cell or otherwise
>
>N9GSU

Marisat was right overhead, although a little pricey. They carried a
satphone to Mt Everest and had internet service right to the base
camp! It looked like a suitcase. The lid was a phased array!

Larry W4CSC

2583. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39026580.94A6A1BA@bctv.com>
Source record: 113070

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:

> I have to go along with Rick here -- The overreaction of the Miami Cuban
> community is understandable due to their strong personal feelings about
> the Castro regime,

Gee, Perfesser, maybe they know something that you don't. After all,
they are the ones who braved gunboats, sharks, exposure and drowning to
leave the Carribean Revolutionary Worker's Paradise.

And it was Castro who ordered the deaths of thousands whose only crime
was wanting to live elsewhere.

I dunno about you, but a reasonable man would have to assume that the
Cubans in Miami might have as good a reason for their "strong personal
feelings about the Castro regime" as do Jews and Gypsies about the Third
Reich.

2584. Re: CTCSS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1RtM4.81950$W5.897859@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 113071

Thanks, it does.
--
EDDY

LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8dtbci$393$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
| In article <YdoM4.79952$W5.885959@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>,
| "EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
| > What exactly is CTCSS?
| >
| > Repeater listing...
| > 147.060 -.600 7digits*/# 100.000Hz
|
| Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System. It's a subaudible tone that's
| continuously transmitted whenever the transmitter is keyed, and in
the
| receiver a tone detector, upon receiving the correct tone will open
the
| squelch in the receiving radio.
|
| Motorola's trade name is "Private Line", which is short cut to PL
and is
| the name most hams use to describe CTCSS. GE's name for the same
| arrangement is Quiet Channel and RCA's name is Channel Guard (or
vice
| versa).
|
| There is a system of standard tones and code names (for example,
100 Hz
| is 1Z) that you should be able to find in the ARRL Repeater
Directory,
| or possibly somewhere on the 'net. Some radios will allow the
| frequency to be programmed directly, some use a digital/binary
system,
| and some use the standard code names.
|
| Most VHF (and some HF) radios sold in the last 15 years have PL
transmit
| capability built in. Usually a PL decoder is an option or just not
| available. It's usually easer to add aftermarket encoding than
| aftermarket decoding. Check the manual of your radio for
capabilities
| and methods of use.

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|
| In the early years of repeaters, PL was used to make a repeater
| "private", a concept many amateurs find contrary to the idea of
amateur
| radio. Within the last 15 years it's used more to resolve
co-channel or
| nearby same-channel interference problems. It's also sometimes used
to
| resolve 2A-B intermod symptoms.
|
| Hope this helps.
|
| LRod
|
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| Before you buy.
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2585. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8dtpjd$850@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 113072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:

: >The first repeater was W1AWW (later W1HMO) in 1932 on 5 meters, as per
: >"FM and REPEATERS for the Radio Amateur", First Edition, Third Printing,
: >1976, page 10.

: That runs counter to the ARRL's obituary of Art Gentry:
[snip of obit]

Hmmmm, well either the ARRL is wrong, or the ARRL is right. Could they
have established another first and are both at the same time? ???:-)

: 73, Jeff KH6O

Page 10 says (in part);
"By 1934, when these pictures appeared in QST, the station boasted several
vhf recievers, each on a separate antenna, and a telephone-type patch
panel for connecting any reciever output to the 100-watt transmitter.
Retransmission of signals from as far away as New York and Boston was
achieved before 1935."

--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

2586. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000422233004.19046.00002965@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 113073

Mountain Meadows?

LW

2587. The Elian thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8dtt1sltq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 113074

Well, there sure has been a lot of rhetoric thrown around on this. A couple or three people have it almost exactly right, and then there are some that are so blinded by their political agendas that they can't see straight.

How about looking at the situation this way: let's take Castro/Cuba out of the story entirely. Let's say it was a refugee from, oh, Montserrat, who's mother was trying to get him away from the evil vulcan goddess Pele.

Now, we have the father calling from Montserrat and asking for his son. What's your opinion now? Seems to me the issue is one of the father's right to regain custody of his son.

Is the history of child custody rulings in this country reasonably consistent that a natural parent has an almost ironclad right to that custody? As controversial as you think this is, you should have been living in Illinois as I was during the time of the "Baby Richard" case. Rightly or wrongly (and it was emotional) the final ruling on that one was for custody by a natural parent.

Consequently, the Miami Gonzalez' case for keeping Elian was certain to lose in the courts. In fact, when a ruling (as good as a law, when made by an authoritative agency, until the courts rule differently) was made that the child was to be turned over for transfer of custody, the die was cast.

What did you anti-government people think should be done at that point? The instruction from the government was that the child was to be turned over. They refused. What should the next step be?

Now you can put Castro/Cuba back in the discussion. It doesn't change anything. Some of you want to make some sort of political and/or international incident out of this. It suits your political agenda. But to your shame, it does nothing for Elian and his father.

According to reports, there were negotiations going on until late Friday night concerning how the transfer should take place, but they broke down. How could they break down? The Miami Gonzalez' either turn over Elian as instructed, or they don't. If they had obeyed the law, as all citizens are compelled to do, there wouldn't have been this story.

But they CHOSE not to obey the law. Such a decision has consequences. Do you think the government should have just said, "oh, okay," and put on another pot of coffee?

For the moment, let's forget the hyperbole about "hostage rescue," "extractions," "invasions," etc. It was the responsibility of the government, like it or not, to get Elian out of the house, safely for everyone, since the family wasn't going to obey the law. If you understand anything at all about those sorts of circumstances, you know that Mr. McCollum's analysis of tactical maneuvers is exactly correct (reprinted here without his permission):

A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a nice warm bed.
B: If force is to be used, bring enough to ensure that no one is tempted to do anything stupid.
C: Maintain the initiative. Get the doors open and the occupants concentrated quickly, again so no one has the chance to barricade or do anything stupid.
D: Intelligence is never 100 percent.

You government bashers would have been first in line to criticize if they had gone in caually at 2 in the afternoon and got shot to pieces inside, or worse, got messed up by the mob outside. What a proud group of citizens those are.

It's like an analysis of combat air patrol tactics I saw recently. A fighter pilot being interviewed said, "it isn't about a fair fight. It's about getting there with the biggest, baddest force you can, get the job done, and go home." (paraphrased)

The thing that is so obvious to me that no one has mentioned is where the responsibility lies in all of this (the internet goofs blame it on the President, the Attorney General, the horoscope, the Masons, etc.). I think it's clear: the Miami Gonzalez'. I'll concede that their fight through the courts had a sympathetic strain, given Elian's mother's flight and death, but once his father said, "I want him back," the saga should have ended.

So the Miami Gonzalez' must take responsibility for any trauma suffered by Elian (or themselves) and for making it necessary for the government to carry out the procedure that they did. They are the ones that brought this about. At any point in the proceedings all they had to do was say, "we will surrender Elian to his father in accordance with the law of the land we were in such a hurry to come to and live in."

Just tell me, oh government haters, what would you have done? Give me a complete scenario.

LRod

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2588. YAESU Please Help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bc2500xlt@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000423003950.10850.00001932@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 113075

Does anyone know what a Yaesu FT225RD is worth? Is it so old that it's a waste of time and money? and heads up appreciated!
Thank you in advance.
Randy

2589. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39028117.352908D8@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113076

Scott Verity wrote:
>
> Elian Gonzales was taken (at gunpoint)
> from the home in Florida where he was
> staying.

Elian was taken from the relatives at gunpoint. According to all ligitimate reports, at no time was a gun actually aimed at the boy.

> Though the news says no one was hurt
> they neglected to mention his uncle
> (great uncle?) being struck with the
> butt of a gun while his house was being
> INVADED WITHOUT A WARRANT at 5 AM.

No mention of the uncle being struck with a gun has been reported anywhere that I've heard. Where did you hear this?

Actually, I don't think a warrant is required if the police know that a crime is taking place inside the residence.

> Has anyone noticed that the press
> isn't being allowed to see the boy
> but <snip>

And that is the way it should be. I'm getting more than a little tired of the way the press inserts itself into these situations. In my opinion, the press made this a huge story with their constant coverage. They pushed both sides into taking the positions they did. And they did everything they could to stir up the protesters, both before and after this morning's action (short of directly telling them to actually go out and do something).

And then, on top of all that, we were treated to six hours of reporters talking to reporters this morning after the incident, like we really care what they have to say. They seem to think we have no intellegence (or that they have far more intellegence than we do). For example, whenever they interview someone, they always spend the next half hour telling us what that person just said (and then they have to give their opinion on what was said, like we really want to hear it).

And the amount of censorship is amazing. Did you notice how fast they cut off Castro when they realised he was talking about something they didn't want us to hear?

Mr. Gonzalez would be very wise to keep that boy as far away from the press as possible. The press has already done enough damage to that boy.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2590. Re: Elian was snatched(to doc)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <39027792.5224@some.net>
Source record: 113077

KK7HO wrote:

> I don't suppose anyone thought of just knocking on the door and saying hand him
> over, we're he to take him to his father.

I wondered about this also, Reno stated on TV that they had tried every
way possible to get them to hand over the kid in a peaceful manner, but
what about just a couple of agents, in everyday dress simply walking up,
knocking on the door and explaining they were there to take him and
would they please turn him over without any incident. Certainly worth a
try. Then if they refused, they could go in James Bond style.

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2591. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <39027909.63A1@some.net>
Source record: 113078

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> Where was George W. during this debacle? Asleep or indifferent or
> uninformed? I heard nothing out of "Curly" from Austin. Maybe he's working
> on the 1/20/01 inauguration speech he'll never need? But then again the
> economy may go to hell between now and November which will be the ONLY way
> he'd ever beat Gore. Stay tuned.

I'm not especially in favor of Bush, but Gore is as brainless as they
come. Once again and it always seems to be, be won't get to vote on the
best candidate, just who isn't the worst.

2592. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39028A62.1F741441@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113079

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Gee, Perfesser, maybe they know something that you don't. After all,
> they are the ones who braved gunboats, sharks, exposure and drowning to
> leave the Carribean Revolutionary Worker's Paradise.

Or perhaps you don't know something that you should. Many of the older cubans living in Miami (the ones who fled as Castro took over, and who now own many of the business in the Miami area), are potential war criminals if relations are ever normalized with Cuba.

Many of these people were senior officers in Batista's military, which has been accused of killing many thousands of people in Cuba. Still others were members of the government. And still others were senior members of various police agencies. All these organizations have been accused of serious crimes against the people of Cuba.

These people have an interest in insuring that the cold war continues between the United States and Cuba. Just like many other war criminals at the time (german, italian, japanese, etc.), these people were allowed to enter the US because of the cold war - our country had backed these people in an effort to keep Castro out of power. Once the cold war is over, our government has no reason to continue to protect them.

And, by the way, there is one other group that I have not mentioned yet - the truly evil scum who controlled the wealth in Cuba at the time (the ones who controlled the banks, businesses, tourist industry, etc.). Even our own government was embarassed by how these people treated the lower class in Cuba (slavery was common and workers routinely abused).

When these people fled Cuba, they took the money with them (how else do you think they were able to purchase whole areas of Maimi). And when they did leave with the money, they robbed Cuba, and the cuban people, of the money needed to keep that country on its feet. The result was years of depression in that country, which was directly responsible for the deaths of even more cubans.

So, before you defend those people in Maimi, perhaps you should read about some of the things some of those people did before leaving cuba (I've only scatched the surface). After seeing those people flying our flag upside down, or with trash bags wrapped around it, I really would not be upset if our government rounded up the whole group and shipped them back to cuba on a very leaky boat.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2593. Here is HTX-10 mike pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cvfrayedknot@cs.com
Message-ID: <20000423013439.16032.00002946@ng-ck1.news.cs.com>
Source record: 113080

OK, so I didn't have any test equipment at home, but I did have a set of eyeballs
and a soldering iron. I took the mike apart, drew the schematic and trace the signals to the DIN connector. Here it is:

Looking at the end of the mike cable din connector, the pins are labeled 1 to 6 starting with 1 on the upper right and counting clockwise around with pin 6 being the center.

5 1
4 6
3 2

1 is WHITE and is the microphone output
2 is RED and is the SPEAKER GROUND for the audio system which is why the speaker will not work unless the mike is plugged in!
3 is BLUE and is the PTT key and a ground here will cause rig to transmit
4 is BLACK and is the UP/DOWN function, down is ground and up is +v
5 is SHIELD and is ground
6 is BROWN and is the +MIKE supply

There is enough room inside the mike case to install a 1/8" stereo socket so that
you can bring audio in and key in for PSK control. You can take audio out from the socket on the back of the rig. You can also put a socket in the rig case to do
the same thing and solder the wires to the mike DIN male socket on the back but remember that the numbers will be reversed there.

While this rig has not IF shift or filters installed it works very good on PSK31. I
have been playing with it in the receive only mode for 2 days now and have been very pleased with its capabilities.

Have fun.

Mark Hilliard, CV "Frayed Knot"
Digital Pro 70 Nature & Nautical Galleries:
http://www.orneveien.org/n2hhr/

2594. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39028EE2.90B0DE16@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113081

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> If anyone wants to see the type of NAZI Clinton government
> heir-Swartzbard supports, please go to:
>
> http://www.drudgereport.com
>
> A picture says a thousands words. (And please note the quote from Reno
> right above the photo about the finger "not being on the trigger".)

And your point is? The page you suggested we go to has two different photographs of Elian with his hair slightly different, and text claiming that the fact that the hair is different in the two photographs proves that one of the photo is fake.

All I see is a boy that has matted hair in one picture (from sleeping on it that morning), and a later photo of the boy with his hair neatly cared for. How does this prove that either of the photos are fake?

My hair looks different when I first wake up in the morning than it does after I take a shower and brush my hair. Does this mean that any pictures of me at either of these times would also be fake?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2595. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39028F5E.7B9023DA@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113082

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> be sent back to a slave state?

Slavery does not exist in Cuba today. Castro banned slavery shortly
after ousting the Batista government, and the members of that government
fled to Miami.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2596. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <390291F5.33FAFA91@sccoast.net>
Source record: 113083

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> If I was the boys father, I'd
> CELEBRATE his new found freedom in
> the U.S. and let him remain there!
> Any loving father would do this!

So you would let me take your son or daughter to some other country because they would have slightly more political freedom than exists here in the US? Why not? After all, like you said, its what "any loving father" would do.

Do I get to pick the country that I think has more political freedom, or do you reserve the right to choose that. And do you extend that same freedom of choice to Elian's father After all, he has decided - he wants to return to Cuba? So, why do you now suggest that he is not a "loving father" for making that choice?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2597. Re: Sobre libros por LRR del E.U.: Low Band DXing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e2n9r$6pt$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Got a question about your posting ID. What does "mf" stand for?

In article <8e2div$c37$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> So here we are again, reviewing yet another fine ARRL publication. This
> time, it's Low Band DXing by John Devoldere, ON4UN.
>
> A more knowledgable operator there never was. This man has constructed a
> tome worthy of its fee. Unfortunately, poor Mr. Devoldere was tricked by
> a crafty ARRL staff into thinking the US amateur actually give's a rat's
> ass about how signals are propagated or how antennas might be made more
> efficient. His success may not be that great with this edition.
>
> Six hundred some-odd pages of charts, graphs and how-to's (hell, I'm not
> too proud to say I learned much) make this volume the book K1 Zooming
> Moron's piece of shrinked wrapped cotton candy (geared to the average
> idiot found in US ham radio these days) should have been.
>
> Like I said in the previous review, never buy a book ARRL has seen fit
> to shrink wrap. It's a bright neon sign that says "you'll need more
> books than this one buddy, it doesn't stand on its own merits". Take
> "Tune in the World" or "Now You're Blathering", for example.
>
> Granted, ON4UN's tome lacks the stunning recordings of dead and now-
> disinterested "retired" amateurs that K1 Zootsuited Mope's booklet
> contained, and doesn't have the thrilling monotone narration of K1ZM (I
> wonder if he used his contest keyer to piece the words together ?), but
> one can overlook ON4UN's glaring omission for it's value as an operating
> manual.
>
> Not for the faint of heart, GED holders (without electronics experience)
> or those who memorized the answers and distractors (I apologize for
> losing over half of the new upgrades with the use of the latter word),
> ON4UN puts K1ZM's booklet to shame.
>
> If W1BB was a lover of boring repetitive chronology, then he is smiling
> on K1ZM (not). If he was a man of knowledge and action (as he was) then
> he has his own copy of Low Band DXing.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2598. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftjq311.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112685

On 24 Apr 2000 21:57:44 GMT, ccox@chopped-ham-filtre.uhc.com.invalid wrote:

>The ISP (a Canadian site) has its nameservers screwed up - at least for >the ARRL.ORG domain. I emailed them this morning about the problem, >however, they have so far ignored my message.

Is that site normally ARRL's DNS server? A look at whois suggests another possibility - that ARRL's domain has been hijacked. The address information for the Adman contact has obviously been trashed, and both that contact handle and the arrl.org record were last updated on April 22. I suspect that someone discovered that the admin handle had been left open(far too many people do this - if you're a contact for a domain, don't leave your contact handle set for MAIL-FROM authentication - it's quite easy to spoof. See http://dnspolicy.net/articles/00/02/09/094220.shtml for more information on this), and moved the registered DNS servers for arrl.org over to the netfirms.com servers. Since (presuming they're not normally ARRL's DNS service providers) they wouldn't have any DNS records for arrl.org, arrl.org ends up disappearing from DNS.

I also note that netfirms.com's DNS servers appeared to be sluggish today. It's possible that someone did this to a bunch of different domains in order to overload the netfirms.com DNS servers. There was another incident recently where a bunch of domains got hijacked in this way.

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2599. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftjrha2.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112686

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 20:16:13 -0400 (EDT), Ben Coleman wrote:

>A look at whois suggests
>another possibility - that ARRL's domain has been hijacked.

This seems even more likely after looking at the arrl.net domain. The Zone, Tech, and Billing contacts are the same, the Admin contact looks sane, and the domain servers look sane (having the ARRL use a Canadian firm for DNS services just didn't look right). Also, DNS queries about arrl.org domains directed to the DNS servers registered for arrl.net return authoritative replies. This indicates that those servers are likely also supposed to be the registered servers for arrl.org.

I suspect ARRL will need to call NSI directly to get this fixed, as the contact addresses are undeliverable until the fix is made.

Meanwhile, use http://209.140.206.201/ instead of http://www.arrl.org.

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2600. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3904EB56.17FA53F7@icss.net>
Source record: 112687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> > So you were 8, and 34 years later you got a ham license. After a little
> > question pool math I'd say that you were 42 when you got your ham license.
> > Thats getting in the game a little late.
>
> Late for what? Certainly not too late to pass you by on the fly with
> little effort. Got any more smart remarks?
>
> ac6xg

I said congratulations.

2601. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <FAD547BA8D5DCE1D.21D02FB0631018CA.EE53399B045755F5@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112688

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 22:49:16 GMT, jdouglas@timewave.com (John Douglas)
wrote:

>It takes a village to raise a child... Hillary Clinton

It takes a village to raise an idiot, too.

>It takes a swat team to raise a child,,,,, Janet Reno

No, just to rescue one who is being held illegally against his
parent's wishes.

Rick, ke8hh

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"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2602. Re: Elian and his Kooky Relatives PARODY PAGE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <miamitedNOSPAM@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <N%6N4.4279$fV1.26855@news1.atl>
Source record: 112689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I love it. She should go into acting the way she can cry on cue. I personally think that the fisherman is trying to get some from her. Why else would he be hanging around all day, every day.

Chas <chas0001@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dvl7nffl1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <eBEM4.60811$y4.2049418@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
> "Jose-A Jose-B" <eliangohome@miaminet.com> wrote:
> > Yes, you just KNEW it was comming down the Pike.
> >
> > Didn't you??? BAAAA HA HA HA!!!!!
> >
> > clickinzie here---> http://www.geocities.com/stopmiami/
> >
> > this page is a HOOT!
>
> And right on the money. Should have done this along time ago.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2603. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftjwl60.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112690

On Thu, 20 Apr 2000 13:58:02 GMT, pogopossum@my-deja.com wrote:

>As for going the 'dumbing-down' route - I am in full agreement with
>you. I would only point out that this is not a new and sudden
>phenomenon - either in radio or in society at large.

And I might ask if the decline applies equally to those "Real Hams",
just in a different area. As you indicate, those of us who were
beneficiaries of the last round of 'welfare licensing' often could
depend on the friendly, encouraging, and patient help of the "Real
Hams" of our era. Has that gone downhill?

It takes little intelligence or effort to sit yourself on a pedestal
and berate those you consider below you. With a few exceptions, rare
enough to be regarded as 'personalities' ("CQ CQ CQ. No lids, kids, or
space cadets"), I don't remember the "Real Hams" of my ham youth doing
that. My perception is that there's a lot more of that going now than
there was 25 years ago when I first got licensed. I regard that as
just as much of a decline in standards as any changes in the test
requirements.

For those of us who have been in this hobby a long time, it might be
good to ask how we compare in attitudes and activities to the hams who
helped us when we were new. Passing license tests is no longer our
task - we've pretty much done that by now. Our task, as was the task
of the experienced hams who came before us, is to help teach, train and
encourage new hams to become good in both operational and technical
areas. If we can't do that, with just as much friendliness, patience,
and encouragement as was shown to us, if we can only sit back and
cynically berate new hams for not being 'up to snuff' in our sight,
then we're just as much a part of the 'decline in the hobby' as lowered
exam requirements might be. Perhaps more so.

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2604. Re: Bonfire of the Vanities: ARRL Server up in Smoke ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftjymy1.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112691

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 20:16:04 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>Not being people who jump to conclusions, and believing everything the
>ARRL tells us, we wouldn't speculate that the reason why the server is
>non grata at 4.03 EDT is because ARRL is facing some problems for their
>role in the April 15th giveaway.

That's good, because the most likely explanation is that the arrl.org
domain has been hijacked.

Of course, we wouldn't speculate either about what people have motive
to try to take down the ARRL site in this manner.

Ben
--
Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

2605. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <390512A2.4CF1CC62@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 112692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian,
Where do you live? Sounds like you live with a lot of "bad hams".

Brian wrote:

OK, there was the time a new Tech was asked to give a long count so the

> guy on the other side of the repeater could check his SWR. "One, two,
> three, four,..." And it was on 1 April. Sad but true.
>
> Or the time a Tech was repairing the finals of an Extra owned repeater,
> after the Extra botched the job. My initial impression was
> "lightning?" But the Tech said no. Looked like he had tried to use a
> propane torch or a butane soldering iron or something with lots of fire.
>
> Is that balanced enough for you? The problem is, we can expect the
> Novices and Techs to make newbie mistakes. But those old licensing
> exams sure let a lot of imbeciles upgrade.
>
> 73,
> Brian

2606. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Smith <JDSmith8@Netscape.Net>
Message-ID: <390517CC.BE53BD6C@Rest.Net>
Source record: 112693

BD wrote:
>
> Are all the recent upgrades making much of a difference in the amount of
> time that it takes for 'em to show up in the online license data-bases?...
> As-in any idea how long it'll take for mine to finally 'appear'? ;)

It took 5 days from testing to posted on the FCC site.....Jerry Smith
(KO6RF)

2607. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <umedjNnr$GA.207@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
>But those old licensing
> exams sure let a lot of imbeciles upgrade.

How about the new licensing exams?

Check page 73 of the May QST. They run a "License-in-a-Weekend" class. They "teach, feed, and test them in one highly intensive weekend." The recruits come from a notice placed in the newspaper "and before they realize it, they are licensed radio amateurs". So much for knowing the material on the test...

2608. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Kellogg <Michael@kelloggs.org>
Message-ID: <sgacp7ihcdo132@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Aaron Jones wrote in message ...
>
>If you get rid of your cell phone and then use the autopatch
>for the *purpose* of saving on cell phone charges you're in violation...
>

This is a bunch of complete and utter nonsense. Violation of WHAT?

I could use an autopatch from my car to call my wife at home and ask her if we need anything at the store. Then I could say, "Gee, isn't this club's autopatch great? Think of all the money we're saving by not paying Airtouch for this call." You think the FCC is going to come knocking on my door to pull my license? How ridiculous is that?

2609. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OINa8Ior$GA.207@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael Kellogg wrote
>Think of all the money we're saving by not paying Airtouch
>for this call."

Cell phone use is cheap now. But it wasn't always. You don't think there were hams out there who used the autopatch as a cell phone because a cell phone was too expensive? I've heard some of the unlettered ones actually admit it...

>You think the FCC is going to come knocking on my door to
>pull my license?

Until recently you could commit mayhem by radio and the FCC wouldn't lift a finger. Now they're just after the jammers. You're still safe...

2610. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <390508E4.F24@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112697

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Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Keith Wood wrote:
> > > >
> > > > > How many Cuban hams have you worked in the last few years? How many
> > > > > Cubans have you met? Just what do you KNOW about Cuba, as opposed to
> > > > > what you are told by those who support the Castro government?
> > > >
> > > > Actually, I've worked a number of Cuban hams over the past months.
> > > > There doesn't appear to be any organized supression of ham radio
> > > > activity if that's what you are implying...
> > >
> > > Try discussing inner tubes to Key West and see what they have to say.
> > > Write it down, then bring it up next time with another Cuban. I've
> > > heard that they have a set of responses on a prompt card.
> > >
> > > I KNOW that the few of their media people who are given permission to go
> > > off the islands are given a handful of canned responses to offer --
> > > Cuban expatriate reporters and photojournalists use these as a way of
> > > determining if someone really DID work in broadcast news there.
> >
> > I'll admit that I don't bring up sensitive topics with DX contacts - I
> > don't think that is encouraged by the ARRL or the FCC either. Part of
> > the mandate of Ham Radio is to promote international good will, so
> > getting into heated political debates is probably not in line with that
> > policy. I would guess that in any truly totalitarian system, no
> > provately owned tunable radios (particularly transmitters) would be
> > tolerated, but that isn't the case here.
>
> Just as a thought, what proof do you have that A), the radios are
> tuneable (I used to have a 6-channel, rockbound HF rig), or B), that the
> people you were talking to weren't in the government? The fact is that
> you DON'T know.
>
> I'm not saying that this is the case, I just want to point out that we
> don't really a know a lot, but we do know that life there isn't the same
> as it is here.
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> If they require TV crews working away from home to learn canned
> responses to questions about leaving Cuba, it's not far to go to expect
> them to have a similar thing for hams.

While you have a point, what I meant was that radios that can be tuned to frequencies different than those used for governmental propaganda broadcasts have been banned in the past in truly totalitarian systems (Third Reich...etc). Do you think that there are some special frequencies that hams in Cuba are compelled to use to facilitate easy monitoring by the government? Is there any evidence of this? Your information about the "canned" responses by the Cuban correspondents is somewhat disquieting though. I'm sure that this kind of thing is also used in any large organization that wants to keep a consistent public relations front though.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2611. Re: MIAMI PD RADIO FEED = LIVE! (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce or Tracy <bljacobs@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <3904D19A.9D67C5CF@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 112698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Have to admit you have an interesting point there.....which just goes
to prove even more that the Government doesn't know its butt from a
hole in the ground when it comes to what is best for my children.
However, if I abuse my children, they should be taken away, but not
because they want to endoctrinate them in the in liberal, conservative,
or any other kind of views like Cuba.

As crappy as Congress is getting, I would still rather live here.
Be nice if he and his son could live here in peace and freedom and
help us straighten out our government. I would welcome them to stay.
But, Castro has other ideas.

PrinceMyshkin wrote:
>
> In article <OuqM4.351$RM6.54004@news-east.usenetserver.com>,
> bljacobs@hiwaay.net says...
> >
> >Yep, they may decide your kids would be better off in Cuba, too,
> >so keep a close eye on them.
>
> No, they may decide your kids are better off with their father than
> surrendered to kidnappers.
>
> --
> "When the game is going against you, stay calm -- and cheat." Gen. Sir Harry
> Flashman, VC, KG
>
> -----= Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News =-----
> http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
> -----== Over 80,000 Newsgroups - 16 Different Servers! =-----

2612. Re: Learning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <g5NM4.14244$QX1.568692@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 112734

"Howard Watson" <h-watson@pacbell.net> wrote in message
news:39012c35.92109309@news.pacbell.net...
> Hopefully I won't get too much flack for this question. :) When I
> first became interested in Amateur Radio, I was told to obtain a copy
> of Now You're Talking and study and learn it. I did. I was told to
> get a copy of the code tapes and some computer programs and learn at
> least 5 wpm. I did (and better) My question is how the heck do you
> learn all the stuff you are supposed to know as a General + licensee?
> Simply memorizing the answers is not enough for me. I would actually
> like to learn this stuff

Why do you want to learn the stuff?
Few other hams have?

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

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2613. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000423210602.15642.00001792@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 112735

>On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 12:11:42 -0400, "Scott Verity"
><sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:

>>The U.S. government wants guns out of the hands of the citizens for our
>>"protection".
>>Wasn't that one of Adolph's 1st measures taken?
>>Those who don't remember history are bound to repeat it.

"for the first time in history we will have total gun registration, our
streets will be safer, our police more efficient, and the world will follow our
lead into the next century"
--- Adolph Hitler, 1935

2614. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903A080.8AE578A@bctv.com>
Source record: 112736

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > You should study some history before claiming to know history.
> >
> > Nixon created them.
>
> When I used the word "created" in that context, I was trying to say
> that Reagan and Bush "made them what they are." I didn't mean that
> Reagan or Bush "started" these organizations or their law enforcement teams.
>
> The simple fact remains, before Reagan and Bush expanded the authority
> of INS, ATF, and others, to include direct law enforcement (as opposed
> to passive law enforcement as Nixon designed), we didn't have government
> "jack-booted thugs" kicking in the doors of people's homes.

This will come as a great surprise to Kenyon Ballew, shot and paralyzed
by the "jackbooted thugs" in 1971.

This will also come as a surprise to a few hundred folks who were
visited by the BATF during the 1970s, prompting hearings in the Senate
in 1982.

2615. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903A18A.32DAEADA@bctv.com>
Source record: 112737

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > And why are people still fleeing
> > to Miami, 40 years later?
>
> For the same reason thousands of other people, from countries with all
> types of governments, come to this country each year - money.

How many of those governments machinegun those who try?

> > Just what do you KNOW about
> > Cuba, as opposed to what you are told
> > by those who support the Castro government?
>
> You're the one making all kinds of claims about life in Cuba, so lets
> turn this around. Just what do you know about Cuba, as opposed to what
> you were told by those who are opposed to the Castro government?

Well, gee, since the only Cubans I know fled to the US, then I guess all
I know is from those opposed to Castro.

What do you know about slavery in the US, that you didn't learn from
people opposed to it?

2616. Re: mf_luder: Does anyone understand what this idiot is saying?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: BlaCkhOlE <opticloo@antan.com>
Message-ID: <PzNM4.65435$y4.2096998@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112738

<John> wrote in message news:3903802b.219421302@news.mindspring.com...
> His posts are like an out of order scrabble game. Does anyone
> understand what he's trying to say?

You lack understanding because you lack enlightenment.

2617. Re: ARRL Staff Members Proudly Show us their... Work Ethic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: BlaCkhOlE <opticloo@antan.com>
Message-ID: <RzNM4.65437$y4.2096998@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<mf_luder@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dvjub$e7g$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> I know I said I wanted to hear more black operators, but not that lazy
> bitchy receptionist. If she had to exist in the public realm,
> she'd have been out on her ass 35 years ago, not sitting there watching
> "The Price is Right" every day, answering the phone with a miserable,
> tired sounding "A Double ARE EL" from 9 AM. This woman doesn't even
> muster a damned "thank you" if you buy a book and keep her EMPLOYED. I
> sent 3 other amateurs in besides myself- same thing EVERY time.
>
> Mary Lau should be more concerned with her girth and keeping her husband
> away from the types of laser experiments that likely precipitated his
> stroke, rather than upgrading.

R.O.T.F.L.M.A.O. !

> So folks, what a shocker. ARRL staffers ("staffers": it makes
> them sound like they're as important as Congressional employees) who
> took advantage of a hand out ? That's the contents of their entire CV. A
> hand out. Sitting on their asses, writing about nothing. Repeating
> themselves ad nauseum for PAY.
>
> [No, I'm not jealous, wise ass. Repetition for pay is for the braindead
> working for retirement from ARRL, followed at 67 by a third "career" and
> simultaneous government handouts, as a goal]

They already enjoy one Gov. handout by being classed as "tax exempt".
If that status is not a classic oxymoron, I don't know what is.

2618. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903A1D9.8940EBF2@bctv.com>
Source record: 112740

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Actually, the jackbooted thugs are courtesy of the Nixon
> > Administration. So are both of the two main anti-gun groups, which were
> > started with the "assistance" of the same "retired" CIA agent.
>
> Yes, but they were passive police agencies at the time (in other
> words, they didn't do actual enforcement themselves - they were supposed
> to allow local law enforcement make the arrests).

No, sorry. Read the Gun Control Act of 1968 and the enabling
regulations of the Treasury Dept.

2619. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903A2AA.360C5275@bctv.com>
Source record: 112741

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Donald Burkhart wrote:
> >
> > SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
> > at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
> > the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
> > the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
> > little head off!!!
>
> Man, you must have very poor eyesight. The photo you're talking about
> on that page is the exact same photograph that has been shown everywhere
> (including on the front page of my local newspaper).
>
> Anyway, no matter which copy you look at, the agent's finger is not on
> the trigger. In fact, on the enlarged versions, you can even see that
> the safety switch is in the locked position.

Well, an expert such as yourself is certainly aware that it takes a
trained operator about 1/2 second to go from that position to fully
automatic fire.

> As for where the gun is pointed, it looks to me like it was aimed at
> the arm of Donato Dalrympie (the man in the green shirt holding the
> boy). The gun is aimed at the arm simply because that would have been
> the only clear non-lethal shot the agent could have taken at the adult
> (Donato was holding the boy in front of him).

At that range, there is no "clear non-lethal shot."

> But regardless, my friend. What does any of this matter? Even if the
> gun safety was off, the finger on the trigger, and the gun pointed at
> the boy, how does this effect the fact that nobody was injured during
> the raid?

Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
gunpoint and it's fine with you?

2620. Re: Amateur historians (was Sherman anti trust act)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e08lh$kb1$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112742

John Bowers <jb2101@my-deja.com> wrote:
>"Thomas H. White" <whitetho@ipass.net> wrote:
>: Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>: > I'm sorry, but with the grave errors you've committed, you have no
>: > credibility.

>: I'll be willing to vouch for the overall credibility of his post.

>Thanks for the supporting post, Tom. You have put up an excellent web
>site, and anyone who has even a passing interest in radio history owes
>it to himself to visit it.

Too bad it's so biased against the ARRL with its false innuendos and
speculations. I would expect that a site proclaiming to be of a
historical nature would present facts in an unprejudiced manner.

Jeff KH6O

2621. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903A36C.17442AA6@bctv.com>
Source record: 112743

ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:

> >I thought the day of unauthorized N*A*Z*I breakins was over.
>
> They were--but the right wing keeps getting stronger, so
> they'll probably be back soon.

I'm constantly amused by the way leftists have tried to convince people
that the National Socialists were right-wing.

> >The U.S. government wants guns out of the hands of the citizens for our
> >"protection".
>
> Or for that of our kids--happen to notice how many schools
> were closed on Thursday?

Yeah, gee, maybe we should outlaw bombs in schools, huh?

Social "Science"? HAHAHAHAHAHAHAH

2622. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3903A4CB.9ED8989F@bctv.com>
Source record: 112744

ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
>
> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 16:48:58 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >So there is no excuse for your ignorance. You have the resources right
> >there.
>
> Yup!
>
> And I use them _correctly_ as well.

Then what happens between your "correct use" and your brain?

> >Uh . . .no. Check with the people who teach law enforcement at your
> >school. A law enforcement officer (which is all that Reno is) must have
> >authority granted by warrant to make a raid on a home.
>
> Not if it is known that a crime is in progress within the
> confines of that house, and that a hostage may be present (both of
> which were known in this case).

Uh, no. The court order to remove Elian was in abeyance. And there is
a legal definition of "hostage" which was not satisfied by the
conditions then in existance.

> And I don't _have_ to check with someone who teaches law
> enforcement--I teach both Criminology and Criminal Justice Psychology
> myself (among other subjects such as Political Science, Sociology and
> Psychology).

If you teach Criminology, then you are the stupidest criminologist that
I have ever met.

Personally, I think that you are lying.

> >> 3. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority overturned by a court? No.
> >
> >A couple of lines up, you say she doesn't NEED authority!
>
> You are the one who stated her authority was overturned, not
> me. I was merely correcting your error.

Shuffle, shuffle . . .make up your mind.

> >> 3a. Wasn't Janet Reno's authority to seize Elain overturned?
> >> No, again.
> >

> >Yep. The Wednesday court appeal put her authority to take Elian in
> >abeyance.
>
> Nope. It stated that he could not be deported and must be
> available for the hearing--the ruling did NOT state that he could not
> (or should not) be returned to the lawful custody of his natural
> father.

Yeah, right.

> >> 1/12/2000 Reno ruled that Elain should be returned to father's
> >> custody.
> >
> >Reno has no authority to rule on ANYTHING. Judges rule. She is just a
> >laywer -- the most that she can do is determine whether or not to bring
> >a case before a judge.
>
> An administrative ruling, in the absence of a specific law or
> legal ruling, has the force of law. She is the lawfully appointed head
> of the Department of Justice and therefore had the legal (and ethical)
> obligation to determine whether probably cause existed to believe a
> crime was being committed and what law enforcement response should be
> enacted. In the absence of a court ruling, her decision that the boy
> legally belonged in the custody of his natural father (under Federal
> regulation to meet the obligations of the court order) and that the
> Miami relatives were holding him illegally was a law enforcement
> decision and well within her responsibilities as Attorney General.

No, but thanks for playing.

> >Uh . . .the United States doesn't recognize Cuban judicial opinion.
> >Thus, the Cuban judge who awarded custody has no legal standing in this
> >country.
>
> A Cuban judge didn't _need_ to rule on custody. International
> law specifies that in the event of the death of a parent, custody
> immediately reverts to the surviving parent unless (a) duly enacted
> laws of the country in which the child is residing specify otherwise
> (they don't in the USA) or; (b) custody is specifically assigned to
> another party by a court or relevant governmental agency in the
> country in which the child is residing. Thus it is _US_ law that
> required his return to his father, not Cuban law.

No, actually. You really are a case, aren't you?

> >> Rick Adams
> >> ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net
> >> adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
> >> Department of Social Sciences
> >
> >Oh. Social "Science." I take back what I said about having no excuse
> >for ignorance.

>
> Really?
>
> What department did you _think_ political science and criminal
> justice were taught--humanities?
>
> Pity you didn't take any social science course--it might have
> helped you to understand your society and nation a bit better.

Rick, welcome to the twitlist. You were made for each other.

2623. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e0b95nth1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Barry Burke Jr. <nospam@snet.net> wrote:
>Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
>communications value is obsolete. We keep hearing about how the hams
>will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
>one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
>competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
>redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil. The weak
>spots in telecom are all exposed to weather, as in outside plant, and
>with current diverse routing, even they aren't that weak. Once apon a

You're comparing commercial systems to amateur systems? Why on earth
for? What amateur can afford to set up a system costing billions of
dollars and hire the man-power with its associated millions of man-hours
per year to keep such systems up and running?

On the other hand, I can sit down with a soldering iron and build a
complete station from scratch, and be on the air -- total time would
probably take a day -- less if I had all the parts in my junkbox.

Apples and pineapples.

Jeff KH6O

2624. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8e0dn7$9av$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112746
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Your homeowners association could not deal with my brand of BS.
You have no idea how bad and expencive things can get.

How would they like a roach colony... or termites
Or maybe thier mugshots and addresses in swingers hotline adds...
Order a tripple A membership in thier name, and have thier car towed
home from work. When they report it stolen, the cops find it in their
yard.
Thier relative dies and you bring rabbit pellet cookies to the wake.

I'm a nice guy, but don't screw with me.

In article <1tu1gs46uvelc2loa1k9smem9bisi8q527@4ax.com>,
Newsgroup wrote:
> Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >The last neighbor that complained about my landscaping, I put a
toilet
> >in the front yard next to thier yard filled with flowers, and
landscaped
> >around. Those yard nuts just about had a stroke.
>
> Good thing you don't live in my neighborhood. The Homeowners'
> Association would run your ass out on a rail for that! ;-)
>
> ---
> Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please
post responses to
> this newsgroup.
>

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Radio Oger
Giving a straight answer every time.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2625. Re: WTD: Manual For Galaxy Saturn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8e0h20cgr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112747
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Call:

Dan Moore
PO Box 89
Negley OH 44441
330-426-4900

I know he has one. Can make you copies.

In article <sg7eq25bcdo50@corp.supernews.com>,
"L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net> wrote:
> looking for the above manual willing to cover cost...even a photo copy
would
> be helpful
>
>

--
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Giving a straight answer every time.

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Before you buy.

2626. Alinco DJ-580 help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: robert4@nojunk.flash.net
Message-ID: <MPG.136d7f8db5dd30ff98968f@news.flash.net>
Source record: 112748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Last week I purchased this radio and was told that it worked great.
Oops. It doesn't. It barely transmits on 70 cm and I cannot get it to
receive on 70 cm at all. Repeaters that my Yeasu can hit with ease on
low power, the Alinco can barely hit on high and is full of static. Both
radios output 5 watts on high power.

Tone is off, squelch is set properly, offset is correct, but no dice.
The radio works fine on 2 m.

I read the manual a little more thoroughly and saw that if you connect a
mono mini-plug into the stereo output on top of the transceiver, that it
will short out the 440 band. Big warning on this in the manual. Well,
low and behold, he says he used it for packet. I figure he must have
mistakenly plugged his cable into the stereo one by mistake and shorted
out the 440 portion of the radio.

So it comes down to this...Have any of you done this to this radio and if
so, was it an expensive fix? I have never had to have a radio repaired
so I don't know approximate costs on something of this sort.

Any help would be greatly appreciated..

thanks
robert

to reply by e-mail, just remove the 'nojunk' stuff from the reply
address...

2627. Re: Learning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom2@socket.net
Message-ID: <3903c3e5.2868742@news.socket.net>
Source record: 112749

Whoever sour puss of a person who signs himself as Burt ....GET A
LIFE!

"Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
>"Howard Watson" <h-watson@pacbell.net> wrote in message
>news:39012c35.92109309@news.pacbell.net...
>> Hopefully I won't get too much flack for this question. :) When I
>> first became interested in Amateur Radio, I was told to obtain a copy
>> of Now You're Talking and study and learn it. I did. I was told to
>> get a copy of the code tapes and some computer programs and learn at
>> least 5 wpm. I did (and better) My question is how the heck do you
>> learn all the stuff you are supposed to know as a General + licensee?
>> Simply memorizing the answers is not enough for me. I would actually
>> like to learn this stuff
>
>
>Why do you want to learn the stuff?
>Few other hams have?
>
>Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
>will see:
>
>1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
>2. Really interesting answering machine messages
>3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
>4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
>5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
>6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
>7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
>8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
>9. An amazing card game that will shock others
>10. Pictures of me and my family.
>11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
>12. See now the future of ham radio.
>13. How to pass the A+ Certification
>
>Burt Fisher
>A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
>Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
> K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have
>
> burt@broadcast.net
> http://www.geocities.com/k1oik

> http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
> http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
>http://burt.electricport.com
>
>

2628. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3903c061.1496574@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 21:11:33 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>W6RCecilA wrote
>>One cannot prove that Bash didn't break the law.
>
>Tell that to those who claim that because Bash wasn't prosecuted, it
>automatically follows that he didn't break the law.

Still waiting for just which law Bash might have been
prosecuted under. At this point we have people saying
Bash (in there opinion) broke the law...BUT no one
can even identify an applicable law.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2629. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3903c203.1914387@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 10:07:33 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>> I offered my own personal experiences
>> as to why ham radio is enjoyable.
>>
>> Cheers,
>> Bill K2UNK
>
>On that level, NOTHING becomes obsolete! <G>
>Barry

Glad you agree. That is exactly the point as to why
ham radio still attracts new comers...and will for a
long time. Why do some people hunt with a bow
and arrow instead of a rifle? Why do some of us
own and operate antique cars. MOST of ham radio's
attraction is recreational...and always has been.

The one area we can always help with is emergencies
of major scope. We then are there to assist...as has been
well reported for several hurricanes, floods, etc over
the last few years.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2630. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3903c2ff.2166478@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 12:17:04 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Barry Burke Jr. wrote
>>"Indeed, what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
>
>I guess that's possible but I think many of us spend much more on ham radio
>than on our phone bills...

Every year? In the last year I have spent no more
than $200 on ham radio. I have had my HF+6m
Kenwood rig for eight years. Paid $1500 new
for the rig. That is less than $200 a year over
the eight years. You can bet my phone bill
goes WAY over that on an annual basis.

>>Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
>>at the bill that you get once it comes in.
>
>If you are using ham radio to avoid telephone bills then you are in
>violation of U.S. rules. So any savings would be illegal...

Bull
If thatwere true then all those "honey-do" QSOs
to pick up a loaf of bread, etc would be illegal.
They aren't.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2631. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3903c417.2446903@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 09:21:52 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
<nospam@snet.net> wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>
>> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 13:31:10 -0400, "Barry Burke Jr."
>> <nospam@snet.net> wrote:
>>
>> >Bill Sohl wrote:
>> >> It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
>> >> what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
>> >> Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
>> >> at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
>> >> telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
>> >> I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
>> >> an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
>> >> My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
>> >> me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
>> >> traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
>> >> to me is $0 per minutes of use.
>> >
>> >You talk worldwide on 2m?
>>
>> Never said I did that. Some people talk worldwide mobile
>> on HF.
>>
>> >What about the expense of SOMEONE else's
>> >repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
>>
>> Why do I care about the costs of someone else's repeater?
>>
>> >You're talking apples and oranges.
>>
>> You have no clue at all about what you are talking about.
>
>You were comparing your PHONE BILL with the cost of your 2m equipment.
>That's apples and oranges. YOU said a global cellular call would have a
>large bill, as true as that is, it has nothing to do with 2m. I was
>responding to your post.

Nothing I said made any claim that I talked worldwide
on 2m. Andy W certainly read my comments correctly.
BUT...just for the record, I know hams that HAVE
talked worldwide on 2m using satellite. AND they did

that with an HT in some cases.

>Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
>communications value is obsolete. We keep hearing about how the hams
>will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
>one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
>competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
>redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil.

So tell us what happened when AT&T, Bell Atlantic, etc went
belly-up in servicing areas in norther NJ during hurrican
Floyd. I probably have just as much telco background as you
(worked for AT&T Long Lines, AT&T HQ, Bellcore, AT&T, etc.)
and there isn't a system around that can't go down when
an entire central office is under water.

>The weak
>spots in telecom are all exposed to weather, as in outside plant, and
>with current diverse routing, even they aren't that weak.

Routing traffic around a problem area doesn't provide
service to those served by the central office that is
under water.

>Once apon a
>time when there was ONE local phone company and ONE national connector,
>the chances of failure were much greater, and even then, it never really
>happened.

And today, the last mile to your home is STILL via that
same serving central office...regardless of who gives
you the dial-tone.

>I listen to plenty of traffic on 2m, 6m, 1.25m, and shortwave. How many
>times can you guys do radio checks? <G> Unforunately, most hams are
>NOT all that knowledgeable when it comes to electronics these days.
>They THINK they are <G>, but most of them are simply appliance operating
>rag chewers. A typical ham's last piece of "electronic" experience was
>installing a mobile appliance in a vehicle. The only people I often
>hear talking about anything other than the weather or the last micron
>they adjusted their antenna are the losers on 3950 on Saturday night.

In an emergency, give me one ham with a working "appliance"
mobile over an engineer with no equipment any day.

>Could you fix, or at least troubleshoot to a proprietary component, your
>own HT?

Probably...I did for years on the older component
level stuff. Today I can't be bothered because
the stuff is too small for me. Additionally, what difference
does it make. No one does field repairs on that
stuff anyway. Indeed, if you have the claimed experience with

large telcos, you know that they don't do component
level field repairs either...they just diagnosis to a bad
circuit pack and then ship it to a central depot
for repair.

Bottom line, what's your point?

>I'm not a ham operator. I've studied all the tests, and every year I
>purchase the ARRL Handbook, as I am an electronics experimenter and it's
>a terrific resource. One of these days when I can actually get to a
>session, I'm going to take the simple Tech test, or whatever the current
>version of that is. I can pass test after test of the theory tests
>provided on the online test sites, for all of the license classes. I
>have ZERO interest in learning Morse code, so I'll never progress beyond
>the Tech, except for the commercial licenses which don't require code.

And a number of commercial licenses aren't even around
anymore. The FCC dropped requirements for commercial
licenses to do repair on private radio equipment, etc.

I'm not sure just why you state what you do. Indeed, I
have been a vocal opponent of code testing for years,
but you can't even find the time to get the nocode
tech. Give us all a break. You are entitled to your
opinions, but maybe they'd be a tad bit more believeable
IF you got that nocode tech.

Seems someone of your
knowledge would take no more than 30 minutes
to fill out the paperwork and pass the test. Go to
ARRL.NET and you can find a place near you where
youcan take the test...probably several times amonth.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2632. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <nameremoval@fiberia.com>
Message-ID: <ugi7gscb43253vki6iuoqgtmb67mml25ko@4ax.com>
Source record: 112754
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:

>Your homeowners association could not deal with my brand of BS.
>You have no idea how bad and expencive things can get.
>
>How would they like a roach colony... or termites
>Or maybe thier mugshots and addresses in swingers hotline adds...
>Order a tripple A membership in thier name, and have thier car towed
>home from work. When they report it stolen, the cops find it in their
>yard.
>Thier relative dies and you bring rabbit pellet cookies to the wake.

You sure your real name's not George Hayduke? ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2633. Re: ARRL Staff Members Proudly Show us their... Work Ethic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000424004441.26607.00002321@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 112755

I take it you mean "non-profit?"

opticl00 wrote
>They already enjoy one Gov. handout by being classed as "tax exempt".
>If that status is not a classic oxymoron, I don't know what is.

2634. www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e0m5k$kt5$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112756

Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7 browser.
It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?

I can get to other sites fine.

2635. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e0jn108k5@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112757

In article <8dvbe8$53g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, lr0d@my-deja.com says...

>So let me see if I have this straight; the stuff that happened before
>1994 was because of the Democrats, right? All those "feel good" years
>that you conservatives talk about during the Reagan administration then
>were due to the Democrats.
>
>"Oh, no," you say, that was the great Reagan because he was the
>president.
>
>Or, the corollary is; all the stuff you think is evil that has happened
>during the Clinton administration, since 1994 must be due to the
>wretched Republican congress.
>
>"Oh, no," you say, it's all Clinton's fault, he is the President.
>
>Oh I just love it when you people say this. You can't have it both ways,
>boys and girls. It's either congress or the president. You pick, I'll be
>happy to jump on it.
>
>LRod

Sorry, but I don't answer trolls who 1) put words in my mouth and
2) automatically assumptions about my political beliefs.

Tom - N8ECW

2636. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neal Feldman <silverstorm@home.net>
Message-ID: <3903ECBE.A53657C1@home.net>
Source record: 112758
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.flame,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radios wrote:

> x-no-archive: yes
>
> On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 00:13:12 GMT, Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
> wrote:
>
> >You have the right attitude.
> >We need alot more hams to take a good look at how they operate.
> >The crap I hear is just as bad if not worse than CB. The CB'ers that I
> >used to fight with, when I see them in Wal-Mart, I shake thier hand and
> >wish them well and they also in kind. Why do hams have such a hard time
> >burrying the hatchet??
> >
> >73's to all
> >Radio Oger
>
> In a word: "EGO!"

No, the word is 'Standards'.

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Home Page: http://members.home.net/silverstorm/

We will never rest until Gestapo CPS is completely abolished!

2637. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <J6SM4.85631$W5.944496@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 112759

me too!
--
EDDY

_____
Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:8e0m5k$kt5$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
| Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7
browser.
| It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
| contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?
|
| I can get to other sites fine.

2638. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <J8SM4.85633$W5.944650@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 112760

Sorry..Same with me.
I'm using Shaw@home with IE5.
--
EDDY

Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:8e0m5k$kt5$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
| Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7
browser.
| It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
| contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?
|
| I can get to other sites fine.

2639. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <ud5yB0br$GA.198@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 112761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote
>Bull
>If thatwere true then all those "honey-do" QSOs
>to pick up a loaf of bread, etc would be illegal.
>They aren't.

It would be a violation of the rules if a ham is using an autopatch to avoid cell phone charges. BTW, don't you think it's interesting that autopatch use has declined as cell phones got cheaper...

2640. Pointer to Ham Radio FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-2404000404320001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 112762

http://24.147.93.142/hamfaq/index2.html

2641. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent K9EZ <kwin@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <39042fd0$0$19900@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 112763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Well, funny, I have a lot of fun using this "Obsolete" Ham Radio Thing!
Maybe thats the reason people like to use it.

Kent, K9EZ

"Beefhead" <mona6357@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:_AgM4.56936$y4.1923689@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI] <ham@w3eax.umd.edu> wrote in message
> news:8dr9kn$a9l$1@w3eax.umd.edu...
> > And as for amnazing things...
> >
> > Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
> > via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)
>
> But it is no longer UNIQUE and this is the root issue here.
>
> It used to be that ham radio operators we the ONLY people
> in the neighborhood who could communicate in realtime with
> people in other States and Countries, from either their car
> or home.
>
> This is no longer the case today. The public now has Internet, Cellular
> Telephones, E-Mail, Chat Rooms, FRS Walkie-Talkies. Soon it will be
> HDTV and Cable Providers co-joined with the Internet.
>
> The UNIQUENESS of ham radio has been supplanted by newer and much less
> expensive
> communications technology, which is readily available to the General
Public,
> from WalMart
> to Radio Shack and everyplace in-between. Again this is the reality of
> today.
>
> Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE. And that gentlemen,
regardless
> if you
> choose to accept it or not, is the plain truth of this whole issue. I may
> also add that in lieu
> of all these personal communications devices, why should the public care
> about ham radio?
> Even Citizens Band radio is in decline! It's OBSOLETE technology also,
> unless you drive
> on the Interstates alot.

>
> > No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
> > and the other guy and miles of "ether."
>
> Please try to send me a 3 megabyte MP3 file via the Internet, and via
Packet
> Radio
> side-by-side. Guess which service will deliver it faster and more
> efficiently?
>
> > Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,
>
> That is as technologically obsolete as the tube type radios many hams
still
> run and
> just as inefficent also. Sorry to keep harpin on this, but it's the truth
> that you hams NEED
> to hear. Don't believe it? Read any article written by Wayne Green in the
> past 5 Years
> concerning the outlook for this hobby. He's one of the FEW gems we have in
> this hobby that
> knows anything about what is really going on, and how ham radio will
> probably be dead by 2015.
>
> > Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI
> > 541-684-9970 Eugene, OR Land o' much rain
> > If you find me on the air, I'm probably in my car
>
> Your a nice guy Scott, buy your sadly misinformed about the realities
> of technological obsolence facing ham radio in the Year 2000.
>
>
>

2642. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent K9EZ <kwin@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <39043135$0$19897@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 112764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Baby spoon feed mode:

Ummm that would include his HF gear.

"Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net> wrote in message
news:3902F957.3E69B3B8@snet.net...
>
>
> Andy White wrote:
> >
> > On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 16:50:08, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >
> > >
> > > Andy White wrote:
> > > >
> > > > On Sun, 22 Apr 3900 13:31:10, "Barry Burke Jr." <nospam@snet.net>
> > > > wrote:
> > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > Bill Sohl wrote:
> > > > > > It is still unique for almost anyone you can find. Indeed,
> > > > > > what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> > > > > > Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> > > > > > at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> > > > > > telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> > > > > > I have inveted in all my ham gear...and that includes
> > > > > > an HF transciever, a mobil 2m and a dual band HT.
> > > > > > My 2m mobile is used, cost me $100. That has provided
> > > > > > me with untold hours of pleasant discussions, heads up
> > > > > > traffic info, etc during my daily commutes. The cost
> > > > > > to me is $0 per minutes of use.
> > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > You talk worldwide on 2m? What about the expense of SOMEONE
else's
> > > > > repeater, just to extend the range, but still far from world wide?
> > > >
> > > > Where did he say that he talks to the world on 2M? I mean you can,
if
> > > > you want to bounce off the moon and such
> > >

> > > Read it again. He compared 2m with a global telephone call.
> >
> > I did and there isn't any referance to that. Maybe you should read it
> > again
>
> Spoon feed mode on:
>
> "Indeed, what remains UNIQUE for the ham is the NO cost involved.
> Sure I can call globally with a cellphone, but take a look
> at the bill that you get once it comes in. My annual
> telephone bill for home is greater than the total costs
> I have inveted in all my ham gear."
>
> Spoon feed mode off.
>
> Barry
> --
> **
> nospam@snet.net _IS_ my real email address
> No changes are needed to reply
> http://www.bburke.com
> **

2643. Re: Alinco DJ-580 help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000424074851.01452.00001696@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 112765

>It barely transmits on 70 cm and I cannot get it to
>receive on 70 cm at all. Repeaters that my Yeasu can hit with ease on
>low power, the Alinco can barely hit on high and is full of static.

Your theory about the stereo jack may be correct. However, first determine whether the antenna on the radio is a dual-band model. The previous owner may have swapped it for one with better performance on 2 meters.

Borrow a 2m/440 antenna from a friend, or hook up the radio to a dummy load and power meter. See what you get. You also can use a friend's mobile antenna for a test--provided of course that's it is a dual band unit.

73,
QRM

2644. Avoiding cell phone charges...was

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39043386.2763031@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 00:13:30 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>Bull
>>If thatwere true then all those "honey-do" QSOs
>>to pick up a loaf of bread, etc would be illegal.
>>They aren't.
>
>It would be a violation of the rules if a ham is using an autopatch to
>avoid cell phone charges. BTW, don't you think it's interesting that
>autopatch use has declined as cell phones got cheaper...

More bull. I have a cell phone in my car. If I use the autopatch
on a repeater to call my wife to say I am late, you are saying I
am breaking the law because I "could have" used the cell
phone but didn't.

Let's take it a step further, I and my spouse have ham licenses
so I can chat with her when I am running personal errands
on the weekend instead of calling her on the phone or
cellphone. You would say that is breaking the law according to
your comments above. I say that is just another purpose of
ham radio. Indeed, people passed 3rd party traffic for
years even though they could have made a phone call and/or
sent a telegram to accomplish the same thing.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2645. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3904349d.3041642@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

My response now under a new subject: Avoiding cellphone charges..

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wrote:

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>>Bull
>>If thatwere true then all those "honey-do" QSOs
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>avoid cell phone charges. BTW, don't you think it's interesting that
>autopatch use has declined as cell phones got cheaper...
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>

2646. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000424080056.08686.00003075@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 112768

Some may think he can be re-elected. The true conspiracy buffs think he will simply refuse to leave office.

2647. Re: FCC freq-chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045652.E8C58CB4@ahole.com>
Source record: 112769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Your last name is not a problem. Your warped sense of reality
is....

sol_schidthaus@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Let's not get scatological about my last name.
>
> Obviously, you need to listen to Art Bell late at night and become more
> informed about Area 51. I would expect there to be some real
> interesting monitoring opportunities in the Nevada desert if someone
> could figure out the modulation system that the captured space aliens
> who are imprisoned there revealed to the US government when they taught
> us how to build flying saucers.
>
> It's just a thought.
>
> Sol Schidthaus
> Huntsville, Alabama
>
> In article <TWOL4.112$sY1.6008@news.swbell.net>,
> "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> > When did they start allowing 2yr olds in here?
> > Your sense of humor can't be that lacking...
> >
> > Hmmm.. Your last name's not German for Sh*t-house, is it?...
> > HAHA!!!
> >
> > <sol_schidthaus@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8doci8>
> > > Actually, it doesn't have the frequencies the Air Force and CIA use
> to
> > > communicate with the flying saucers that make test flights over the
> > > Nevada desert from the Groome Lake (AKA Area 51) facility late at
> > > night. I think that they use some super-secret kind of digital
> spread-
> > > spectrum modulation, too.
> > >
> > > Sol Schidthaus
> > > Huntsville, Alabama
> > >
> > >
> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > > Before you buy.
> > >

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> Before you buy.

2648. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <390457D8.7C81CDF9@ahole.com>
Source record: 112770

FUCK WACO>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>

wolf wrote:
>
> 'Said it before, say it again. If the hired guns had been
> that touchy and sensitive at Waco, a lot of American kids
> would still be alive. KZ5B
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

2649. Re: AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3904583F.9AE37DAC@ahole.com>
Source record: 112771

John, you a real nice compassionate fellow. A real tribute to the
USofA...

John wrote:
>
> On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 16:35:19 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> >I'll tell you what Johnny. YOU get on .313 and start with your anti-Semitic
> >crap and watch yourself become a permanent SWL.
>
> I've never even been on 313 you dumb bastard. I hope you get back on
> though, because when you do somone is going to hand you a NAL.

2650. Re: Elian was snatched; Hey Donald

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045B14.E3D0D872@ahole.com>
Source record: 112772

The law is the law and you must follow the law which the current
administration was doing. I think they did a good job against law
breakers. Did any of the family go to jail for ignoring US LAW?????

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> If anyone wants to see the type of NAZI Clinton government
> heir-Swartzbard supports, please go to:
>
> http://www.drudgereport.com
>
> A picture says a thousands words. (And please note the quote from Reno
> right above the photo about the finger "not being on the trigger".)
>
> God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> Don B.

2651. Re: Elian was snatched; Attn Keith

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045BDD.A3EF55B@ahole.com>
Source record: 112773

Do you feel that America stands for keeping the boy from his
father? Do you feel breaking the law is American? IF so you have a
warped sense of what America stands for. Justice..... And that is
what was done.

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched up
> > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried to
> > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of Yanks
> > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but his
> > father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no
> > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if they
> > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
> > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would not
> > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion concludes,
> > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
> > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
> > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
>
> The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
> roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
> family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
>
> IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
>
> I am ashamed of what my government has become.

2652. Re: Elian was snatched: attn: Keith

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045C24.80F1F3D6@ahole.com>
Source record: 112774

If you thought you lived in a SLAVE state then why didn't you leave
with your 'KID'.

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> >
> > It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
> >
> > The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of screwing
> > around for 5 months.
> >
> > How would you as a father feel if that was your son?
>
> I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> be sent back to a slave state?

2653. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045CA9.6F23D57B@ahole.com>
Source record: 112775

WOW your a real BMOC.......

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Clinton, Algore, and the rest of that adminisration have got to go. It seems to
> me that the father could have made a concession or two and went to Miami.
> Of course he couldn't do that castro wouldn't approve and neither would
> Clinton.
> I say whatever we could, or can do to slap Castro around a little, do it. Of
> course it seems that Clinton is supporting the commies agenda.
> >If anyone wants to see the type of NAZI Clinton government
> >heir-Swartzbard supports, please go to:
> >
> >http://www.drudgereport.com
> >
> >A picture says a thousands words. (And please note the quote from Reno
> >right above the photo about the finger "not being on the trigger".)
> >
> >God PLEASE damn Reno and her jack-booted thugs!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> >
> >Don B.
> >
> >
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
>

2654. Re: Elian was snatched;Attn: Dick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045D6F.46A69945@ahole.com>
Source record: 112776

Do you believe the government haters in this news group will believe
your last sentence?

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
> >
> >
> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> > >
> > > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched
> up
> > > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried
> to
> > > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of
> Yanks
> > > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but
> his
> > > father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no
> > > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if
> they
> > > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
> > > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would
> not
> > > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion
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> > > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
> > > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
> > > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
> >
> > The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
> > roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
> > family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
> >
> > IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
> >
> > I am ashamed of what my government has become.
>
> Gee whiz and gosharootee, Keith. It didn't look really sanitary, did it.
> Of course it looked like Black Squads, the Gestapo, and every other police
> action of a similar stripe -- the considerations are the same. That the INS
> might have been a tad amateurish about it only shows that they don't do it
> enough to be REALLY good at it. Whether one is doing a cell extraction, a

> drug raid, a death squad caper, or the execution of a legal order, these
> rules apply:
>
> A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a
> nice warm bed.
> B: If force is to be used, bring enough to ensure that no one is tempted to
> do anything stupid.
> C: Maintain the initiative. Get the doors open and the occupants
> concentrated quickly, again so no one has the chance to barricade or do
> anything stupid.
> D: Intelligence is never 100 percent.
>
> The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees hands
> not much is going to happen one way or the other. The gun points where one
> is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or
> waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it is
> done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very sound
> planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.
>
> Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or will
> not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long. On a human
> level, being a natural parent does bring some rights with it that in a
> system of law have to be enforced by the state or there is no system of
> aw -- a lawful court declined to interfere because there is no legal basis
> for interference. On a political level, the boy was a hostage and the
> hostage was extracted, pure and simple.
>
> Sorry it didn't look good for the cameras. Lancing boils is not a pretty
> sight.
>
> Note also that the Great Fort Hood Flash experiment shows the Feds did NOT
> fire at Waco.
>
> Dick McCollum N0BK

2655. Re: Elian was snatched; Attn Doc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045EA4.89AD5324@ahole.com>
Source record: 112777

Why should he be involved. This operation was not his doing and he
needed to keep his mouth shut....

What else did you want him to do? Tell Clinton and Reno that they
were doing a good job.

Where was you 'pretty boy'. Looking for more campaign money from
China?

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Where was George W. during this debacle? Asleep or indifferent or
> uninformed? I heard nothing out of "Curly" from Austin. Maybe he's working
> on the 1/20/01 inauguration speech he'll never need? But then again the
> economy may go to hell between now and November which will be the ONLY way
> he'd ever beat Gore. Stay tuned.
>
> ----------
> In article <20000422142347.28148.00002565@ng-ft1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com
> (KK4TL) wrote:
>
> > Radiosigs says:
> >>I'm not voting for Clinton any more.
> >
> > Good call, Radiosigs. Hopefully the Cuban-Americans in Miami and everywhere
> > else will follow your lead and NOT vote for AlGore.
> >

2656. Re: Elian Gonzalez???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39045F94.824F63FD@ahole.com>
Source record: 112778

Scott Verity wrote:
>
> TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:20000421094637.00590.00006300@nso-fi.aol.com...
> > In article <38fff28a@dnews.gisco.net>, "A.E. 352"
>
> > That kid isn't going anywhere. Butch Reno talked tough last week, then
> backed
> > down as usual. Clinton doesn't have the gonads to order the law enforced
> > because of politics. He doesn't want to ailenate "the Cuban/American
> > community" in Miami, since that would likely cost Algore the all-important
> win
> > of Florida in the upcoming presidential election.
> >
> > This is also the reason why action is not being taken against Lazaro
> Gonzales.
> > He has refused to comply with orders to give up the child and has publicly
> > stated that the Feds will have to come and get him. He should be indicted
> on
> > charges of kidnapping and inciting civil disobedience.
>
> Elian Gonzales was taken (at gunpoint) from the home in Florida where he was
> staying.
> Though the news says no one was hurt ... they neglected to mention his uncle
> (great uncle?) being struck with the butt of a gun while his house was being
> INVADED WITHOUT A WARRANT at 5 AM.

Do you know this for a fact or just repeating what 'you' HEARD?
>
> Has anyone noticed that the press isn't being allowed to see the boy but
> they've released photos of the boy with his father (smiling) ... don't
> believe it all folks.

Yea the sky is falling. If it was your kid would you want him
back. If not what kind of a father are you?

> My bets are on either a staged photo and/or a digital photo editing ...
> which can do wonders.

Only report the truth. Don't start rumors that you can confirm.

> Anyone here could appear in a photo with anyone they want.
> Heck, Forrest Gump shook JFK's hand in a movie ... or did we forget that
> already?
>
> If the kid's not in bad emotional shape let a reporter go in LIVE to

> interview the boy and his father.
> He may only be a child but HE has the RIGHT to choose his own fate. His
> Mother died trying to get him here.
> Just a thought.

Why don't you all get a life and let the kid be with his
FATHER......

2657. Post your stuff on the new swapshop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chargywargy@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e1hji$e1t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112779

Well the new message board system is up and running fantastic!

There are a ton of ad's in there with anything and everything to do with
all types of radio equipment.

If you have something for sale, want to trade something, or just need
help or information,

Click on the following link to go to the menu.

http://www.cbcity.com/msgbrdmenu.htm

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2658. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <390460E8.8068ABE3@ahole.com>
Source record: 112780

Have you ever seen a drug raid without a warrant or are you just
ASSuming? And believe it or not in the PENAL CODE there are times
that entry and arrest can be made without a warrant.

ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net wrote:
>
> On 22 Apr 2000 18:55:04 GMT, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
>
> >Innnn-teresting .. the feds crashed into the home without a warrant, pointing
> >guns. To take an un-armed child from un-armed relatives. This is a great
> >country. For the power-hungry, anyway.
>
> Sounds like a typical drug raid to me.
>
> Happens everyday across America.
>
> If it's important enough to ignore our 4th and 5th Amendment
> rights to "protect us from drugs" (usually marijuana--that assassin of
> children's innocence!!!), it's certainly important enough to ignore
> them to remove a child from a hostage situation and reunite him with
> his father.
>
> >Maybe if AlGore is elected, he'll keep Reno as attorney general. We can always
> >hope.
>
> Better than Bush. He'll probably turn the job over to one of
> his corporate attorneys with instructions to ease off on consumer
> protection.
>
> Rick--ke8hh
>
> --
>
> Rick Adams
> ke8hh@NOSPAM.arrl.net
> adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
> Department of Social Sciences
> Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI
>
> "... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
> will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."
>
> Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2659. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3904626F.97953D87@ahole.com>
Source record: 112781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Big deal that he heard 5wpm in the extra part of the CW band. Is
there a 'speed limit' in that part of the band that says you 'must'
do over 40 in this area of the amateur bands. Tell him to get a
life and don't have a cow over it....take a chill pill and relax....

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> On Wed, 19 Apr 2000 17:52:12 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
> wrote:
>
> >
> >I say let's have some patience and welcome the new blood.
> >We need them- Make no mistake about that.
> >The "new" guys and gals are here to stay.
> >They are our peers now-
> >every bit as legitimate as you or I ever were.
> >Fighting with them is fighting against ourselves.
> >
> >GL ES 73 OM DE Dave AB5S
> >
> >p.s. And I hope to God they never learn to say "hi hi" on phone! ;-)
>
> I have a friend, who I won't identify , who is VERY active on CW
> working DX since WW2 when he was Chief Radioman aboard a diesel sub.
> He made the comment to me that he had heard 5 wpm CW down in the Extra
> bands plodding along since Apr 15th and was mad about those "new
> Extras" for doing it.
>
> I told him to listen to the calls carefully and look them up at
> qrz.com. Aha.....more sour grapes. The stations trying to start
> something were ALL old sour grapes Extras who had had their licenses
> for too many years, not the newbies who could care less about the CW
> bands. My friend's reaction to them, a knee-jerk "I wanna kill them",
> isn't like him. He's one of the coolest old guys you'll ever meet
> (he's 77, I'm only 54..(c;). The sour grapes are trying to start
> trouble on the Extra CW bands so they can go back to the FCC and point
> the fingers at the newbies, like little boys in a sandbox tattling to
> the teacher. How silly and childish. FCC may get tired of this
> childish nonsense and simply abolish CW, like they have on other
> services. Backfiring on the troublemakers and punishing great,
> totally innocent CW operators, like my friend, in the process.
>
> How sad it is that the old Extras are the ones killing ham

> radio.....not those awful CBers and "welfare hams" we've heard all the
> whining about for the last year. Also, how stupid, eh?
>
> Larry W4CSC
> Hello?? Is anyone out there with any brains, any more??

2660. Re: Elian was snatched:Attn Kevin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3904643E.94C63FFA@ahole.com>
Source record: 112782

THEY DID HAVE A COURT ORDER.....

Kevin wrote:
>
> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 16:21:24 +0000, Keith Wood
> <39032304.89A09904@bctv.com> wrote:
>
> >> Castro banned slavery shortly
> >> after ousting the Batista government, and the members of that government
> >> fled to Miami.
> > >
> > >And why are people still fleeing to Miami, 40 years later? And why is
> > >Castro spending all those millions of dollars to machinegun those who
> > >try?
>
> The same reason Haitians, Dominican Republicans and a host of other caribbean
> nations are coming to America. They want a piece of the American Pie. If
> Castro wasn't in power there still would be many Cubans coming to America.
>
> When Castro loses power or dies you will see a great upheaval in Cuba
> when the old landowners go back to reclaim their land, demanding back rent,
> just as it occurred in some former Warsaw Pact countries.
>
> I disagree with the way that Bill Clinton handled this whole situation
> and was disappointed in him resorting to such tactics. All they had to do was
> get a court order to make them comply, if they did not then the relatives would
> have been held in contempt of court and jailed. Is this the way the government
> wants to settle all disputes involving child custody? If so then the results
> in the future could be deadly and disastrous.
>
> --
>
> Kevin
> http://nworegon.htmlplanet.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL
> and Ham Radio topics and links.

2661. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <390464EC.E2F0D602@ahole.com>
Source record: 112783

What a real loser. How did you get your advanced or are you still a
'CLASS D'....

carkenord@juno.com wrote:
>
> Please.......
>
> For an "Advanced" class license holder, what part of the 15 meter band
> is allocated to SSB operation??
>
> Is there a website where all the amateur freq. allocations are listed?
>
> Thank you......... KA0FPJ
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2662. Re: Press using a different photo.Attn: Larry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3904657C.B28FCF09@ahole.com>
Source record: 112784

No, she died trying to get to America to be with her 'criminal' boy
friend... GET YOUR FACTS STRAIGHT.....

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> Parental wishes, prior to the communist state getting in involved, was
> for him to escape to a better life in the United States.
>
> HIS MOTHER DIED TRYING TO CARRY OUT THAT WISH!!
>
> Geez, we are dumb, some times.
> Larry W4CSC
>
> On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 14:13:15 -0400, "Prof. Curt M. Breneman"
> <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:
>
> >Donald Burkhart wrote:
> >>
> >> I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came
> >> back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge.
> >> But that wasn't what I was talking about.
> >>
> >> SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
> >> at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
> >> the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
> >> the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
> >> little head off!!!
> >>
> >> To defend these Reno Hitler-ites is inexcusable! What happened to the
> >> phrase: "Never forget?"
> >>
> >> Don
> >
> >I'm curious, Don...
> >
> >If it had been up to you, when would you have decided that enough was
> >enough, and prompted police action? Never? If so, then you've defined
> >a scenario where a small determined group in a siege situation can win.
> >This kind of precedent cannot be allowed!
> >
> >On the other hand, I agree that the kid would probably have a better
> >life in the US, but that doesn't override parental wishes.
> >
> >Curt Breneman

> >KC2EBP
> >
> >(p.s. It's not fair to call the Federal Agent a "Nazi". In rational
> >moments, you must agree that these kinds of forces are necessary for
> >certain kinds of high-risk law enforcement. Imagine what the country
> >would be like if we didn't have means to deal with dangerous entry
> >situations.)

2663. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <CA71DFB93A267E8B.F504E7F245635BD8.AB304E0168CF3AD9@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112785

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 19:53:49 -0500, "Richard McCollum"
<rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote:

>
your call sign is more believable
>Dick N0BK
>
>
That's one reason I got it. The other is I live in CSC, Charleston,
South Carolina.

When I call someone on phone, I can use the phonetics of the
city/state and then they'll ALREADY have all the info they need....(c;

Larry W4CharlestonSouthCarolina

2664. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <5E50C8E5DAACD6D1.4E872127F32A4F5E.F373CAA7CF09BC10@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112786

On 24 Apr 2000 05:30:28 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7 browser.
>It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
>contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?
>
>I can get to other sites fine.

Your ISP has sex and subversive sites blocked....(c;

2665. Re: Press using a different photo.Keith Wood, you need a brain check.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <390466EC.4087EAA8@ahole.com>
Source record: 112787

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > Donald Burkhart wrote:
> > >
> > > SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun pointed
> > > at the child in the closet. The press took the less aggressive photo of
> > > the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive, with the finger clearly on
> > > the trigger, the gun aimed at the child and Elian screaming his poor
> > > little head off!!!
> > >
> > Man, you must have very poor eyesight. The photo you're talking about
> > on that page is the exact same photograph that has been shown everywhere
> > (including on the front page of my local newspaper).
> >
> > Anyway, no matter which copy you look at, the agent's finger is not on
> > the trigger. In fact, on the enlarged versions, you can even see that
> > the safety switch is in the locked position.
>
> Well, an expert such as yourself is certainly aware that it takes a
> trained operator about 1/2 second to go from that position to fully
> automatic fire.
>
> > As for where the gun is pointed, it looks to me like it was aimed at
> > the arm of Donato Dalrympie (the man in the green shirt holding the
> > boy). The gun is aimed at the arm simply because that would have been
> > the only clear non-lethal shot the agent could have taken at the adult
> > (Donato was holding the boy in front of him).
>
> At that range, there is no "clear non-lethal shot."
>
> > But regardless, my friend. What does any of this matter? Even if the
> > gun safety was off, the finger on the trigger, and the gun pointed at
> > the boy, how does this effect the fact that nobody was injured during
> > the raid?
>
> Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> gunpoint and it's fine with you?

2666. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <39044DA7.E03D1834@nashville.com>
Source record: 112788

Whats REALLY scary is that this call *does* belong to an Advanced class
license holder.

carkenord@juno.com wrote:
>
> Please.......
>
> For an "Advanced" class license holder, what part of the 15 meter band
> is allocated to SSB operation??
>
> Is there a website where all the amateur freq. allocations are listed?
>
> Thank you......... KA0FPJ
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2667. Re: AF2Y: a good job, Riley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8e1kvchjn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112789

In article <3904583F.9AE37DAC@ahole.com>,
Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> John, you a real nice compassionate fellow. A real tribute to the
> USofA...
>
> John wrote:
> >
> > On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 16:35:19 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> > <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >
> > >I'll tell you what Johnny. YOU get on .313 and start with your
anti-Semitic
> > >crap and watch yourself become a permanent SWL.
> >
> > I've never even been on 313 you dumb bastard. I hope you get back on
> > though, because when you do somone is going to hand you a NAL.
>

Except for the fact he needs to be tapped on the head with the clue
stick.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2668. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <390557ad.274600110@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112790

On Sun, 23 Apr 2000 22:28:18 GMT, carkenord@juno.com wrote:

>Please.......
>
>For an "Advanced" class license holder, what part of the 15 meter band
>is allocated to SSB operation??
>
>Is there a website where all the amateur freq. allocations are listed?
>
> Thank you......... KA0FPJ
You're an Advanced class operator and you don't know where your
frequencies are? Maybe Riley should retest you.

2669. If you live in any of these states, your time is almost up!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Broadcast Services <hawkfm@peoplescom.net>
Message-ID: <K_ZM4.160805$AT6.227268@dfw-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 112791

If you live in any of the following states or territories, your ONLY chance at applying for a Low Power FM radio station is almost gone! Applications MUST be accurately completed (with NO MISTAKES) and submitted in less than a month! This is barely enough time, but we can still do it if we get started ASAP!
The following states and territories are those about which I am writing:

Alaska, California, District of Columbia, Georgia, Indiana, Louisiana, Maine, Mariana Islands, Maryland, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, Utah

More information can be found on our web site.

--

Terry Keith Hammond
President/Chief Engineer

http://hawkfm.tripod.com

Broadcast Services
P.O. Box 155
Mount Vernon, TX. 75457

(903) 588-2532 (Voice & Fax)

2670. Re: Elian was snatched; Attn Doc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e1u2h$64m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112792

You think you're cute with those nasty insulting anti-Clinton postings. I'm
pretty good at tracing; in fact they call me, "Mr.Keen, Tracer of Lost
Postings" and here's where yours are coming from.
MCI Telecommunications (NET-MCI-NETCS6)
2424 Garden of the Gods Road
MS 1814/117
Colorado Springs, CO 80919

Netname: MCI-NETCS6
Netnumber: 166.35.0.0

Coordinator:
Avera, Jim (JA1155-ARIN) Jim.Avera@MCI.COM
(940) 381-2103
I think Mr.Avera ought to know about a subversive.

In article <39045EA4.89AD5324@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Why should he be involved. This operation was not his doing and he
> needed to keep his mouth shut....
>
> What else did you want him to do? Tell Clinton and Reno that they
> were doing a good job.
>
> Where was you 'pretty boy'. Looking for more campaign money from
> China?
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> Where was George W. during this debacle? Asleep or indifferent or
>> uninformed? I heard nothing out of "Curly" from Austin. Maybe he's working
>> on the 1/20/01 inauguration speech he'll never need? But then again the
>> economy may go to hell between now and November which will be the ONLY way
>> he'd ever beat Gore. Stay tuned.
>>
>> ---
>> In article <20000422142347.28148.00002565@ng-ft1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com
>> (KK4TL) wrote:
>>
>> > Radiosigs says:
>> >>I'm not voting for Clinton any more.
>> >
>> > Good call, Radiosigs. Hopefully the Cuban-Americans in Miami and

everywhere
>> > else will follow your lead and NOT vote for AlGore.
>> >

2671. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <39046EAF.4C54@some.net>
Source record: 112793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Larry W4CSC wrote:

> I have a friend, who I won't identify , who is VERY active on CW
> working DX since WW2 when he was Chief Radioman aboard a diesel sub.
> He made the comment to me that he had heard 5 wpm CW down in the Extra
> bands plodding along since Apr 15th and was mad about those "new
> Extras" for doing it.
>\

Ask you friend where in the regs does it require one to use a certain cw speed for the Extra or any other portion of the band. Sounds like he dosen't have much to do but complain, must lead a pretty boring life.

2672. Re: Elian was snatched;Attn: Dick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e1uo1$8p9$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112794

What the hell are government agents of the law suppose to wear-tuxedos? Were they expected to await formal invitations to visit the Gonzalez home? How long was Reno and Clinton supposed to have waited, forever? Are the laws of this land for CERTAIN people or for everyone? I've been an Elianer right from the beginning and now admit that the outlook seems rather bleak however there could be a plus side to this mess. The kid goes back to Cuba and starts spreading the news among his peers and pineapples that the U.S.A. is NO ogre as the Comandante would have them believe. The kid talks about freedom and its importance. Elian may become in good time a thorn in the side of Fidel providing of course the kid is not subjected to a crash course on why we're evil and falls for it. It seems that we Elianers will lose so get over it. We can still pray, can't we?
Doc

In article <39045D6F.46A69945@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Do you believe the government haters in this news group will believe
> your last sentence?
>
>
> Richard McCollum wrote:
>>
>> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
>> news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
>> >
>> >
>> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>> > >
>> > > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched
>> up
>> > > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried
>> to
>> > > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of
>> Yanks
>> > > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but
>> his
>> > > father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans have no
>> > > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if
>> they
>> > > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
>> > > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would
>> not
>> > > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion

>> concludes,
>> > > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
>> > > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
>> > > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
>> >
>> > The INS acted like Castro's "Black Squads" -- a bunch of people in masks
>> > roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from his
>> > family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
>> >
>> > IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
>> >
>> > I am ashamed of what my government has become.
>>
>> Gee whiz and gosharootee, Keith. It didn't look really sanitary, did it.
>> Of course it looked like Black Squads, the Gestapo, and every other police
>> action of a similar stripe -- the considerations are the same. That the INS
>> might have been a tad amateurish about it only shows that they don't do it
>> enough to be REALLY good at it. Whether one is doing a cell extraction, a
>> drug raid, a death squad caper, or the execution of a legal order, these
>> rules apply:
>>
>> A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and a
>> nice warm bed.
>> B: If force is to be used, bring enough to ensure that no one is tempted to
>> do anything stupid.
>> C: Maintain the initiative. Get the doors open and the occupants
>> concentrated quickly, again so no one has the chance to barricade or do
>> anything stupid.
>> D: Intelligence is never 100 percent.
>>
>> The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees hands
>> not much is going to happen one way or the other. The gun points where one
>> is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or
>> waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it is
>> done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very sound
>> planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.
>>
>> Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or will
>> not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long. On a human
>> level, being a natural parent does bring some rights with it that in a
>> system of law have to be enforced by the state or there is no system of
>> aw -- a lawful court declined to interfere because there is no legal basis
>> for interference. On a political level, the boy was a hostage and the
>> hostage was extracted, pure and simple.
>>
>> Sorry it didn't look good for the cameras. Lancing boils is not a pretty
>> sight.
>>
>> Note also that the Great Fort Hood Flash experiment shows the Feds did NOT
>> fire at Waco.

>>
>> Dick McCollum N0BK

2673. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8e1v2beqv1@ssauraab-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 112795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Oh my god! The royal WE!!! I hate it, I HATE IT. It is the most ignorant use of language. Can you tell how I am letting this get to me?? It is my biggest pet peeve and I obviously need therapy to overcome it. :)

Fred

>
> We all *do* have our pet peeves, don't we? Mine is people referring to
> themselves as "we"! Another gal ham absolutely despises the term
> "destinated"!
>
> Kim W5TIT
>
>

2674. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <fdecker@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8e1vhn$461$1@ssauraaa-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 112796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> It's unfortunate that the language police find it
> necessary to make fun of those still using it. It will die a normal death
> through disuse over time I'm sure, and other (equally silly sounding to
> some) jargon will likely take it's place...
>

For me, that is not the point, it is rather the sad insecurities of human nature that require people to ignorantly copy behavior in order to be accepted. I hear PLENTY of people on 2 meters, even brand new hams use "we" because they heard it somewhere. I know we should all be accepting, but this is one of the peeves that I have trouble letting loose of. :)

Fred
N4IXL

2675. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <3904838B.CDA718A2@shecora.com>
Source record: 112797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Neal Feldman wrote:
>
> Radios wrote:
>
> > x-no-archive: yes
> >
> > On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 00:13:12 GMT, Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >You have the right attitude.
> > >We need alot more hams to take a good look at how they operate.
> > >The crap I hear is just as bad if not worse than CB. The CB'ers that I
> > >used to fight with, when I see them in Wal-Mart, I shake thier hand and
> > >wish them well and they also in kind. Why do hams have such a hard time
> > >burrying the hatchet??
> > >
> > >73's to all
> > >Radio Oger
> >
> > In a word: "EGO!"
>
> No, the word is 'Standards'.

Hmmm? Standards in maintaining EGO.

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON
x929
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2676. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke8hh@nospam.arrl.net
Message-ID: <A1591786F0355F9B.46E710513AA17168.EECB279D340E50BB@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112798

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 12:56:41 GMT, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Have you ever seen a drug raid without a warrant or are you just
>ASSuming?

I've seen them--and I've had students in my classes who had
participated in them.

You don't _need_ a warrant if you have "probable cause" to
believe a crime is being committed--and some jurisdictions are _very_
liberal about interpreting what constitutes "probable cause."

>And believe it or not in the PENAL CODE there are times
>that entry and arrest can be made without a warrant.

My point exactly.

Since you agree that a warrant is _not_ always required, why
question the raid that took Elian out of the hands of people who were
illegally preventing his return to his father? Or, for that matter,
why question whether my knowledge of warrantless drug raids is based
in personal knowledge or hearsay when you already know that they are
both legal and conducted?

Rick <--who wonders why he is responding to trolls. . .

--

Rick Adams
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adamsr@NOSPAM.voyager.net
Department of Social Sciences
Jackson Community College, Jackson, MI

"... and the only measure of your worth and your deeds
will be the love you leave behind when you're gone."

Fred Small, J.D., "Everything Possible"

2677. KC8JBO the "READER"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_fool@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e22sr$153$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112799

Been reading a lot of MAGAZINES as of late, CIRCUS BOY?

Do you tell them your last name is not WIDEASS when you call them?
hohohohoh!!!!!!!!

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Before you buy.

2678. Re: Elian was snatched;Attn: Dick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <PX%M4.324$kd6.159@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112800

Pray away! I intend to ignore the whole issue while getting my news fixes from the BBC, Radio Netherlands, the Economist, and the London Daily Telegraph, just as I did when Monica was in bloom. To use a Goldwynism with respect to Elian, "Include me out"

Dick

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:8e1uo1$8p9$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> What the hell are government agents of the law suppose to wear-tuxedos? Were
> they expected to await formal invitations to visit the Gonzalez home? How
> long was Reno and Clinton supposed to have waited, forever? Are the laws of
> this land for CERTAIN people or for everyone? I've been an Elianer right
> from the beginning and now admit that the outlook seems rather bleak however
> there could be a plus side to this mess. The kid goes back to Cuba and
> starts spreading the news among his peers and pineapples that the U.S.A. is
> NO ogre as the Comandante would have them believe. The kid talks about
> freedom and its importance. Elian may become in good time a thorn in the
> side of Fidel providing of course the kid is not subjected to a crash course
> on why we're evil and falls for it. It seems that we Elianers will lose so
> get over it. We can still pray, can't we?
> Doc
>
> ----------
> In article <39045D6F.46A69945@ahole.com>, Liberty_nits
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
>
> > Do you believe the government haters in this news group will believe
> > your last sentence?
> >
> >
> > Richard McCollum wrote:
> >>
> >> "Keith Wood" <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message
> >> news:3901AA97.B1763B64@bctv.com...
> >> >
> >> >
> >> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >> > >

> >> > > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was
snatched
> >> up
> >> > > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans
tried
> >> to
> >> > > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot
of
> >> Yanks
> >> > > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included,
but
> >> his
> >> > > father had the right to spend time with the kid.The Miami Cubans
have no
> >> > > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and
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> >> they
> >> > > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have
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> >> > > exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family
would
> >> not
> >> > > cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion
> >> concludes,
> >> > > both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law
and we
> >> > > Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved
Red,
> >> > > White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you?
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masks
> >> > roared up, kicked in the door, tore him out of his bed and away from
his
> >> > family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
> >> >
> >> > IS THIS WHAT YOU THINK THAT THE AMERICAN FLAG REALLY STANDS FOR?
> >> >
> >> > I am ashamed of what my government has become.
> >>
> >> Gee whiz and gosharootee, Keith. It didn't look really sanitary, did
it.
> >> Of course it looked like Black Squads, the Gestapo, and every other
police
> >> action of a similar stripe -- the considerations are the same. That
the INS
> >> might have been a tad amateurish about it only shows that they don't do
it
> >> enough to be REALLY good at it. Whether one is doing a cell
extraction, a

> >> drug raid, a death squad caper, or the execution of a legal order,
these
> >> rules apply:
> >>
> >> A: At the end of the day, the good guys go home to hearth, family, and
a
> >> nice warm bed.
> >> B: If force is to be used, bring enough to ensure that no one is
tempted to
> >> do anything stupid.
> >> C: Maintain the initiative. Get the doors open and the occupants
> >> concentrated quickly, again so no one has the chance to barricade or do
> >> anything stupid.
> >> D: Intelligence is never 100 percent.
> >>
> >> The great gun-pointing incident is a non-issue. First, until he sees
hands
> >> not much is going to happen one way or the other. The gun points where
one
> >> is looking -- beats hell out of it pointing where he is not looking or
> >> waving it around or leaving it holstered. Focusing the issue is how it
is
> >> done. Getting the object of the exercise out of the area is also very
sound
> >> planning and execution. The INS did its job professionally.
> >>
> >> Did the job need doing? On a basic level, a government that cannot or
will
> >> not enforce its own lawful orders won't be doing it for long. On a
human
> >> level, being a natural parent does bring some rights with it that in a
> >> system of law have to be enforced by the state or there is no system of
> >> aw -- a lawful court declined to interfere because there is no legal
basis
> >> for interference. On a political level, the boy was a hostage and the
> >> hostage was extracted, pure and simple.
> >>
> >> Sorry it didn't look good for the cameras. Lancing boils is not a
pretty
> >> sight.
> >>
> >> Note also that the Great Fort Hood Flash experiment shows the Feds did
NOT
> >> fire at Waco.
> >>
> >> Dick McCollum N0BK

2679. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39048CA8.F293826C@IEEE.org>
Source record: 112801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Fred wrote:
>
> > It's unfortunate that the language police find it
> > necessary to make fun of those still using it. It will die a normal death
> > through disuse over time I'm sure, and other (equally silly sounding to
> > some) jargon will likely take it's place...
> >
>
> For me, that is not the point, it is rather the sad insecurities of human
> nature that require people to ignorantly copy behavior in order to be
> accepted. I hear PLENTY of people on 2 meters, even brand new hams use "we"
> because they heard it somewhere. I know we should all be accepting, ...

Yes, *we* should. :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2680. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges...was

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OBD0urhr$GA.225@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote
>If I use the autopatch
>on a repeater to call my wife to say I am late, you are saying I
>am breaking the law because I "could have" used the cell
>phone but didn't.

If you get rid of your cell phone and then use the autopatch
for the *purpose* of saving on cell phone charges you're in violation...

2681. Re: Curiosity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M.Pagano" <mpaganoNOmpSPAM@mkphotonics.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <054f0654.f25575a4@usw-ex0109-068.remarq.com>
Source record: 112803

I agree. Seems like there are many who don't

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2682. R&#65533;alisation W3DZZ ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: F5JTZ - Patrice <f5jtz@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <390497CE.7DA1@club-internet.fr>
Source record: 112804

73 de patrice.
Suis ï¿½ la recherche de toutes infos concernant la construction
d'une antenne W3DZZ....

Patrice / f5jtz.

2683. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: marqvis@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000424150122.19026.00001063@ng-bh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112805

Donald Burkhart wrote "If I was the boys father I would celebrate his new found freedom in the U.S and let him remain there, any loving father would do this"

Freedom is a relative term, presumably Mr Burkhart automatically assumes that Elian Gonzales would automatically be happier in the U.S than if he lived in Cuba.

There are literally hundreds of Laws that impinge upon an individuals freedom that the U.S has that other Western democracies dont have, for example in England we dont have a law that enables police officers to seize cash on suspicion and require the suspect to prove he obtained the money legally, neither do we have a law that makes an individual guilty of an offense if he is aware of someone else committing an offense and fails to report it to the authorities.

To even up things a little most handguns in England cannot be legally held are, whereas I am assuming that most handguns in the U.S can be legally held.

Freedom is a relative matter and I would not assume that a citizen of one country is nessacarily happier or more free than another.

In so called "Free" countries most citizens are controlled by the need for money and to obtain it they work in jobs they hate or often at best just tolerate wheras a man of independent means has no such worries.

I could go on about how citizens of "Free" countries are controlled almost every minute of their lives by various matters and how a tiny percentage of the population have managed to cut almost all the control strings and are a million times more "Free" than your average Joe but I guess that the only people that would be interested would be those that managed to figure it all out for themselves a long time ago.

There is a certain narrow mindedness afoot which is not specific to any one country but is non the less truly frightening.

2684. Camp X Special Event Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laird Solomon <lsolomon@aphc.org>
Message-ID: <39049D67.DDFB3531@aphc.org>
Source record: 112806

There will be an amateur radio special event station on the air the weekend of May 6,7 and 8. The event will take place at the former Camp X spy camp in Whitby, ON, Canada and is commemorating the 55th anniversary of VE Day.

Check out the following url for more info:

http://www.geocities.com/campx_radio

and follow the link to the North Shore ARC page.

73 de Laird, VE3LKS

2685. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <39049CDB.136C091B@uci.edu>
Source record: 112807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
> > I had
> > plenty else going on before that - playing music, getting an education,
> > building a career and a family, paying a mortgage...

> Excuses? Where's Larry, Jeff, and Jim when you need the ole "LAZY" lecture?

See if you can find a post during that time where I complained about
license requirements, Brian, and get back to us. Thanks.

73, Jim AC6XG

2686. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <39049EB8.705D539E@uci.edu>
Source record: 112808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
> You got a late start, then made it to Old Phart very quickly. Congrats.

That's nice. What makes you say that?

73, Jim AC6XG

2687. Re: Elian was snatched: attn: Keith

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39049E6B.D5FEF0ED@bctv.com>
Source record: 112809

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> If you thought you lived in a SLAVE state then why didn't you leave
> with your 'KID'.

Gonzales remarried. How do you know that he wasn't planning his own
escape, as soon as the new baby is old enough?

> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
> > >
> > > It's about time. Get over it, the boy belongs with his father.
> > >
> > > The INS should have shipped to boy back the next day instead of screwing
> > > around for 5 months.
> > >
> > > How would you as a father feel if that was your son?
> >
> > I am a father. I wonder what kind of father would demand that his son
> > be sent back to a slave state?

2688. Re: Elian was snatched; Attn Keith

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39049F6E.24672725@bctv.com>
Source record: 112810

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> Do you feel that America stands for keeping the boy from his
> father? Do you feel breaking the law is American?

It was the law to send escaped slaves back to the South.

> IF so you have a warped sense of what America stands for.

Yeah, me and Patrick Henry, John Hart, John Brown . . .

> Justice..... And that is what was done.

You mean "Justus," I think.

>
> Keith Wood wrote:
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> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> > >
> > > The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched up
> > > and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried to
> > > barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of Yanks
> > > don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but his
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> > > special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if they
> > > refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
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> > family, threw him in the back of the truck and left.
> >
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> >
> > I am ashamed of what my government has become.

2689. micro ATV video transmitter: EBAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: atvman@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e29t0$8fl$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112811

Check out this micro video ATV transmitter on ebay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=316759041

real neat device

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2690. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DontBother <Na1da@nevera.net>
Message-ID: <8e28ge$4ku$1@peabody.colorado.edu>
Source record: 112812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

EGO MANIA WAS RIGHT !!
Oh yes Standards alright... COME ON NEAL ADMIT WHEN YOU'RE WRONG

You seem to have Standards and Double Standards mixed up.
You say on your own web page..." The basic tenet of my faith is "An it harm none, do as thou wilt""
But you harm away by slamming an innocent fun loving newcomer who was here to say Thanks.

Can't you just be noble...and admit a fault at least to yourself... and be nice.
Everyone makes mistakes, just allow yourself that and go forward in good faith.

Don't be so proud of your own ability to memorize give away test's and a few little beep's
that you become mean-spirited to the well intentioned. It doesn't seem to fit the nice profile
of a father and gentleman that you seem to be from your home page.

Amateur Ticket's have always been easy for those that apply themselves.
Why make a big deal out of the fact that you can do CW? Many can... I love it
I know the new changes will help the amateur radio hobby grow. It is up to us to work together.

I choose to be anonymous to emphasize the REQUEST to end this dribble and get it off of
our newsgroups.

Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com> wrote in message news:3904838B.CDA718A2@shecora.com...
>
>
> Neal Feldman wrote:
> >
> > Radios wrote:
> >
> > > x-no-archive: yes
> > >
> > > On Wed, 12 Apr 2000 00:13:12 GMT, Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
> > > wrote:
> > >
> > > >You have the right attitude.
> > > >We need alot more hams to take a good look at how they operate.

> > > >The crap I hear is just as bad if not worse than CB. The CB'ers that
I
> > > >used to fight with, when I see them in Wal-Mart, I shake thier hand
and
> > > >wish them well and they also in kind. Why do hams have such a hard
time
> > > >burrying the hatchet??
> > > >
> > > >73's to all
> > > >Radio Oger
> > >
> > > In a word: "EGO!"
> >
> > No, the word is 'Standards'.
>
> Hmmm? Standards in maintaining EGO.
>
> --
> Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON
> x929

2691. Bonfire of the Vanities: ARRL Server up in Smoke ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e2a1u$8hh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112813

Not being people who jump to conclusions, and believing everything the ARRL tells us, we wouldn't speculate that the reason why the server is non grata at 4.03 EDT is because ARRL is facing some problems for their role in the April 15th giveaway.

One would be wise to consider the fact that the vain ARRL staff would never admit it, as we ham heretics would have a "field day" (pardon the pun).

[first enter Jon Bloom denying the validity of such speculation, then enter computer un-savvy hams who will read this and check 24 hours after it's posted, and declare "LOOKS FINE HERE YOU IDIOT"]

As you may know, there has been a message on there discussing a server outage from a few days ago. Of course, maybe they're upgrading. In that case, let's hope the server works harder than most new ARRL members and staffers did to get their licenses...

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2692. Re: AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e2ar4$9ir$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8dvkggerc1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> Doc, when you worked that "qualified individual" (FCC words) who was
> kept out of ham radio so long and unfairly (FCC paraphrase) by the 13
> wpm code test, I do hope you suggested he read one of the fine business
> ARRL books.
>
> I do want them to stay in >>business<< as long as it takes for everyone
> to despise SOMETHING about them and their "policies".
>
> God can save ham radio, but I won't be listening to it:

Doc, I think you recently posted a message that described your
conversation with one of these newly upgraded hams who didn't know what
"over" meant, as an example to refresh your memory.

I kid you not when I say I heard a gent on 2 who didn't know what kind
of antenna he was running... on an HT. Of course, he was codeless, but
spare us the agony if he gets near a code practice CD.

He'll ask if DX is slang for an alimony recipient.

Experienced heretics know it's slang for a guy who sends you a postcard
via the bureau 3 years after a contact in return for sending money
directly to his home.

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2693. QSL via Buro, Burro or Bureau ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e2bng$a8d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

A paradigm that needs to be straightened out for the newly upgraded amateurs emerges with the usage of these terms.

Via Buro: Indicates the amateur you are talking with is lazy (like you were when you waited for the bar to be lowered) and does not want to spell out words in proper English, or anything approximating the CW operator's conventions of using consonant letters only to abbreviate.

Via Burro: Indicates the (usually, but not always, Russian) amateur you are talking to wants your card. However, bailouts from the IMF, monetary blackmail on threat of nuclear assault declared by a drunken Boris Yeltsin, and black market sale of caviar have done nothing to alleviate this operator's cheap streak.

Ergo, the ham you are conversing with expects you to shell out 5 bucks to send him a card "por Avion" to confirm Middle County, Middle America, but will return the favor by sending his on a pack mule, typically on the Moscow- Libya-North Korea-Siberia-Whittier-Vancouver-Chicago-Miami-Havana- Washington route.

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2694. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3904991B.F07@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112816

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
>
> > > How many Cuban hams have you worked in the last few years? How many
> > > Cubans have you met? Just what do you KNOW about Cuba, as opposed to
> > > what you are told by those who support the Castro government?
> >
> > Actually, I've worked a number of Cuban hams over the past months.
> > There doesn't appear to be any organized supression of ham radio
> > activity if that's what you are implying...
>
> Try discussing inner tubes to Key West and see what they have to say.
> Write it down, then bring it up next time with another Cuban. I've
> heard that they have a set of responses on a prompt card.
>
> I KNOW that the few of their media people who are given permission to go
> off the islands are given a handful of canned responses to offer --
> Cuban expatriate reporters and photojournalists use these as a way of
> determining if someone really DID work in broadcast news there.

I'll admit that I don't bring up sensitive topics with DX contacts - I
don't think that is encouraged by the ARRL or the FCC either. Part of
the mandate of Ham Radio is to promote international good will, so
getting into heated political debates is probably not in line with that
policy. I would guess that in any truly totalitarian system, no
provately owned tunable radios (particularly transmitters) would be
tolerated, but that isn't the case here.

Curt Breneman
RPI Chemistry
KC2EBP

2695. Sobre libros por LRR del E.U.: Low Band DXing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e2div$c37$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

So here we are again, reviewing yet another fine ARRL publication. This time, it's Low Band DXing by John Devoldere, ON4UN.

A more knowledgable operator there never was. This man has constructed a tome worthy of its fee. Unfortunately, poor Mr. Devoldere was tricked by a crafty ARRL staff into thinking the US amateur actually give's a rat's ass about how signals are propagated or how antennas might be made more efficient. His success may not be that great with this edition.

Six hundred some-odd pages of charts, graphs and how-to's (hell, I'm not too proud to say I learned much) make this volume the book K1 Zooming Moron's piece of shrinked wrapped cotton candy (geared to the average idiot found in US ham radio these days) should have been.

Like I said in the previous review, never buy a book ARRL has seen fit to shrink wrap. It's a bright neon sign that says "you'll need more books than this one buddy, it doesn't stand on its own merits". Take "Tune in the World" or "Now You're Blathering", for example.

Granted, ON4UN's tome lacks the stunning recordings of dead and now-disinterested "retired" amateurs that K1 Zootsuited Mope's booklet contained, and doesn't have the thrilling monotone narration of K1ZM (I wonder if he used his contest keyer to piece the words together ?), but one can overlook ON4UN's glaring omission for it's value as an operating manual.

Not for the faint of heart, GED holders (without electronics experience) or those who memorized the answers and distractors (I apologize for losing over half of the new upgrades with the use of the latter word), ON4UN puts K1ZM's booklet to shame.

If W1BB was a lover of boring repetitive chronology, then he is smiling on K1ZM (not). If he was a man of knowledge and action (as he was) then he has his own copy of Low Band DXing.

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2696. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@knology.net
Message-ID: <3904b617.271693499@news.knology.net>
Source record: 112818

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 08:10:21 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>The house was raided this morning at 5:00 and little Elian was snatched up
>and taken to the airport to meet his father at Andrews. The Cubans tried to
>barricade the door and then burned OUR flag. OUR flag, folks! A lot of Yanks
>don't want to see the kid taken back to Castroville, I included, but his
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>special dispensation and must obey the law like everyone else and if they
>refuse, then boot them the hell out of here. Reno and the INS have been
>exceedingly patient with them and apparently Lazaro and the family would not
>cooperate therefore it was raid time. Hopefully after the reunion concludes,
>both dad and the kid will stay here but if not, the law's the law and we
>Elianers must be set for a disappointment. But to burn our beloved Red,
>White and Blue ticks me off to the Nth degree..how about you? CUBA LIBRE
>SI.....CUBA FIDELISTA NO! MUERTE A LAS COMMUNISTAS EN TODO EL MUNDO Y
>FELICES PASQUA PARA LOS RADIOAFICIONADOS NORTEAMERICANOS Y SUDAMERICANOS!
What happened Saturday moved each and everyone of us closer
to living in a Communist Country.
Whatever happened to due process?
The Justice Department has two sets of rules.
One For that Draft Dodging, Flag Burning,
Pot Smoking, Whoremonger, Contribution Scandal,
list to long to continue.

The other for the law abiding citizen who works hard,
pays his bills, feeds his children, PAYS HIS TAXES,
but at anytime can have his door kicked down
and have a semi automatic weapon jambed in his/her face
as well as his children, his home ransacked and not even get an
apology. WAKE UP AMERICA!!!!
Wished they would try that here at my house
We'd ALL make the news.
Donnie

2697. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccox@chopped-ham-filtre.uhc.com.invalid
Message-ID: <8e2g0o$10hbg$1@pike.uhc.com>
Source record: 112819

The ISP (a Canadian site) has its nameservers screwed up - at least for
the ARRL.ORG domain. I emailed them this morning about the problem,
however, they have so far ignored my message.

Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:
: Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7 browser.
: It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
: contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?

: I can get to other sites fine.

--
Chris Cox, N0UK/G4JEC NIC Handle: CC345
UnitedHealthGroup, Inc., MN10-W116, UNIX Services & Consulting
6300 Olson Memorial Highway, Golden Valley, MN 55427
email: ccox@uhc.com (work) chrisc@chris.org (home)

LINUX - aka Microsoft Windows/NT - The Final Service Pack
Remember: The next millennium starts on 1 January 2001 NOT 2000

2698. Camp X Special Event Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laird Solomon <lsolomon@osha.igs.net>
Message-ID: <39044C48.F9937244@osha.igs.net>
Source record: 112820

There will be an amateur radio special event station on the air the weekend of May 6,7 and 8. The event will take place at the former Camp X spy camp in Whitby, ON, Canada and is commemorating the 55th anniversary of VE Day.

Check out the following url for more info:

http://www.geocities.com/campx_radio

and follow the link to the North Shore ARC page.

73 de Laird, VE3LKS

2699. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges...was

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3904d03e.1995772@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 11:29:26 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote
>>If I use the autopatch
>>on a repeater to call my wife to say I am late, you are saying I
>>am breaking the law because I "could have" used the cell
>>phone but didn't.
>
>If you get rid of your cell phone and then use the autopatch
>for the *purpose* of saving on cell phone charges you're in violation...

I believe you will find that to be totally incorrect
based on the actual text from part 97 which makes
absolutely no prohibition to avoidance (regularly or
not) of telephone usage. 97.133(a)(5) in case
you missed it from his post.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2700. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3904D190.951211AC@icss.net>
Source record: 112822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> > > I had
> > > plenty else going on before that - playing music, getting an education,
> > > building a career and a family, paying a mortgage...
>
> > Excuses? Where's Larry, Jeff, and Jim when you need the ole "LAZY" lecture?
>
> See if you can find a post during that time where I complained about
> license requirements, Brian, and get back to us. Thanks.
>
> 73, Jim AC6XG

So you think you got the "Jim" market cornered?

2701. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3904D270.4F0CADD1@icss.net>
Source record: 112823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kelley wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> > You got a late start, then made it to Old Phart very quickly. Congrats.
>
> That's nice. What makes you say that?
>
> 73, Jim AC6XG

The one and only Jim says:----------
> At 8 I was building
> crystal radios and hanging long wire antennas up on the roof. Picked-up
> KFI loud enough to drive a loudspeaker with it! At the time I didn't
> know that shouldn't be possible. I hooked it up to the phones too. It
> competed nicely with the dial tone. :-) Little did I know that 34
> years later I would get a ham license.

So you were 8, and 34 years later you got a ham license. After a little
question pool math I'd say that you were 42 when you got your ham license.
Thats getting in the game a little late. Congrats on your progress.

2702. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: zuch@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e2llb$k9a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112824

In article <14026-3902DB6D-14@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came
> back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge.
> But that wasn't what I was talking about.
>
> SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun
> pointed at the child in the closet. The press took the less
> aggressive photo of the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive,
> with the finger clearly on the trigger, the gun aimed at the
> child and Elian screaming his poor little head off!!!

All the news media took the _most_ inflammatory one. Here's
the series, and it shows that the gus was _not_ being pointed
at either Elian or Dalrymple, in fact much more obviously in
some of the less inflammatory shots. But the one with the kid's
mouth open is the photo that everyone has shown:

http://wire.ap.org/APpackages/sequence_pix/photoframes.html

The series also puts the lie to Marisleysis's little show'n'tell
trip showing the door being busted off its hinges (taken some
hours later):

http://cnn.com/2000/US/04/22/family.reax/

All pictures show te door intact. And Dalryumple's
tearful sub-story about having the agent rup Elian from his
arms isn't true either. See the above series.

> To defend these Reno Hitler-ites is inexcusable! What happened
> to the phrase: "Never forget?"

Ummm, I suspect the Miami Gonzalez clan and Dalrymple might
have a few things to teach Goebbels. . . . And then there's
that hypocritical nonsense about the pictures with the _father_
being fakes. *sheesh* But I'm surprised you _admire_ them.

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2703. WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Day <gday@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <3904D6AF.C0BE44A9@cableinet.co.uk>
Source record: 112825

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WTB variable capacitor, double-ended, around 100-150pfd.
Small receiver type preferred. There may be one in your junkbox !
George
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2704. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3904D31A.72034DA8@bctv.com>
Source record: 112826

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> > >
> > > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > > How many Cuban hams have you worked in the last few years? How many
> > > > Cubans have you met? Just what do you KNOW about Cuba, as opposed to
> > > > what you are told by those who support the Castro government?
> > > >
> > > Actually, I've worked a number of Cuban hams over the past months.
> > > There doesn't appear to be any organized supression of ham radio
> > > activity if that's what you are implying...
> > >
> > Try discussing inner tubes to Key West and see what they have to say.
> > Write it down, then bring it up next time with another Cuban. I've
> > heard that they have a set of responses on a prompt card.
> >
> > I KNOW that the few of their media people who are given permission to go
> > off the islands are given a handful of canned responses to offer --
> > Cuban expatriate reporters and photojournalists use these as a way of
> > determining if someone really DID work in broadcast news there.
>
> I'll admit that I don't bring up sensitive topics with DX contacts - I
> don't think that is encouraged by the ARRL or the FCC either. Part of
> the mandate of Ham Radio is to promote international good will, so
> getting into heated political debates is probably not in line with that
> policy. I would guess that in any truly totalitarian system, no
> provately owned tunable radios (particularly transmitters) would be
> tolerated, but that isn't the case here.

Just as a thought, what proof do you have that A), the radios are
tuneable (I used to have a 6-channel, rockbound HF rig), or B), that the
people you were talking to weren't in the government? The fact is that
you DON'T know.

I'm not saying that this is the case, I just want to point out that we
don't really a know a lot, but we do know that life there isn't the same
as it is here.

If they require TV crews working away from home to learn canned
responses to questions about leaving Cuba, it's not far to go to expect
them to have a similar thing for hams.

2705. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <3904D9D3.175812BC@uci.edu>
Source record: 112827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
> So you were 8, and 34 years later you got a ham license. After a little
> question pool math I'd say that you were 42 when you got your ham license.
> Thats getting in the game a little late.

Late for what? Certainly not too late to pass you by on the fly with
little effort. Got any more smart remarks?

ac6xg

2706. Re: QSL via Buro, Burro or Bureau ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e2m0h$e45$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Don't forget to say that paradigms equal twenty cents.

In article <8e2bng$a8d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> A paradigm that needs to be straightened out for the newly upgraded
> amateurs emerges with the usage of these terms.

2707. Re: Bonfire of the Vanities: ARRL Server up in Smoke ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e2mdjjkd1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112829

The site is still down? Maybe it's because the same "genius" who helped
invent the need for restructuring is its webmaster?

In article <8e2a1u$8hh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> Not being people who jump to conclusions, and believing everything the
> ARRL tells us, we wouldn't speculate that the reason why the server is
> non grata at 4.03 EDT is because ARRL is facing some problems for their
> role in the April 15th giveaway.
>
> One would be wise to consider the fact that the vain ARRL staff would
> never admit it, as we ham heretics would have a "field day" (pardon the
> pun).
>
> [first enter Jon Bloom denying the validity of such speculation, then
> enter computer un-savvy hams who will read this and check 24 hours after
> it's posted, and declare "LOOKS FINE HERE YOU IDIOT"]
>
> As you may know, there has been a message on there discussing a server
> outage from a few days ago. Of course, maybe they're upgrading. In that
> case, let's hope the server works harder than most new ARRL members and
> staffers did to get their licenses...
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2708. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@timewave.com
Message-ID: <8e2mj3$t51$1@newsfeed.minn.net>
Source record: 112830

It takes a village to raise a child... Hillary Clinton

It takes a swat team to raise a child,,,,, Janet Reno

2709. ANNOUNCEMENT: Dayton Hamvention PACK*BASH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: srbible@gate.net
Message-ID: <3904dd6d.12539811@news.gate.net>
Source record: 112831

Dayton Activities

Attending the 2000 Dayton Hamvention? Then don't miss out on
PACK*BASH!

What?
An event for the digitally-inclined ham, featuring:
* Buffet dinner
* Keynote Address: "Amateur Radio and Submarine NR-1"
by CDR Chas Richard, W4HFZ, USN

Commander Richard will give an overview and description of
Submarine NR-1, the U.S. Navy's only nuclear powered, deep
submergence submarine. He'll talk about highlights of some
recent missions, including the 1997 "Isis" operations in the
Mediterranean with Dr. Robert Ballard, with details of the
discovery of the oldest known shipwrecks in the deep ocean.
He'll also talk about Amateur Radio Operations on NR-1 and her

support ship Carolyn Chouest, and on Amateur Radio's impact
and benefits to both the ship and the crew.

* TAPR special interest group meetings
* "Birds of a Feather" gatherings

When?
Friday evening, May 19, 2000
Doors open at 7:00 pm; dinner served at 7:30 pm
Speaker and meetings after dinner

Where?
NCR "Sugarcamp" Conference Center, 101 W. Schantz Ave. --
South of downtown Dayton, just west of Main St. (Rt 48).
Maps available on the TAPR web site (www.tapr.org) or at the
TAPR booth.

How?
Dinner requires advance registration and payment through TAPR.
Tickets will be available at the TAPR booth on Friday, though
we strongly encourage registration <before> Hamvention.
The cost is $25.00 per person, tax and tip included.

All amateurs are welcome to attend, enjoy the speaker, and
particpate in the meetings, although only those purchasing
a dinner can eat.

To register, contact:
PACK*BASH
c/o TAPR
8987-309 E. Tanque Verde Road #337
Tucson, AZ 85749-9399

Phone: (940) 383-0000
Fax: (940) 566-2544
Internet: tapr@tapr.org

Visa/Mastercard Accepted

Who?
PACK*BASH is co-sponsored by TAPR -- Tucson Amateur Packet
Radio, the national leader in digital communication -- and the
Miami Valley FM Association, Dayton's packet radio club.

For more information (including maps), go to
http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/dayton.html, or send email to
tapr@tapr.org.
You can request information via packet radio at
BASH@W8APR.#DAY.OH.USA.NOAM.

2710. Re: Réalisation W3DZZ ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e2n6u$6lp$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112832

Patrice,
A W3DZZ is supposed to be a 5 band trap dipole for 10,15,20,40 & 80 meters that will be able to load up on all 5 without the use of a tuner while it utilizes just one pair of 40 meter traps placed approximately 31 feet from each side of the center insulator with about 19 feet pigtailed off each to provide 75 meter capabilities. I built one years ago and achieved much success on 40 and 75, a fair amount on 20 and awful results on 10 and 15. The pruning, in order to get acceptable SWRs on all the bands, can drive one to distraction and if you can't read English I wasted my and your time. Bon chance.
AF2Y, Doc

In article <390497CE.7DA1@club-internet.fr>, F5JTZ - Patrice <f5jtz@club-internet.fr> wrote:

> 73 de patrice.
> Suis ï¿½ la recherche de toutes infos concernant la construction
> d'une antenne W3DZZ....
>
> Patrice / f5jtz.

2711. Re: KC8JBO the "READER"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <08ae9720.beab08b2@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 112833

Taking time out from molesting little boys,
<kc8jbo_fool@my-deja.com> whimpered in message news:8e22sr$153
$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Been reading a lot of MAGAZINES as of late, CIRCUS BOY?

Look at poor Stalker blue-lipped baboon Pissbowl crying for
attention. You're a true life stalker who got beat in a flame
war. Nice to see you post your criteria for going RL, tho...
Jesus, you're pathetic...You post of little else, KookBoy.

> Do you tell them your last name is not WIDEASS when you call
them?
> hohohohoh!!!!!!!!

Either way, Boy, I've got you dancing like Michael Jackson at a
cub scout meeting.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

2712. WTB Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: CHRISTENSEN PETER <peter.christensen@home.com>
Message-ID: <39039397.56290A9D@home.com>
Source record: 112880

I would like to purchase some good books on servicing tube type
receivers
and solid state type communications receivers. An example would be
'The Essentials of Radio Servicing by Marcus and Levy".
I am Peter Christensen and my email address is
peter.christensen@home.com
Thank you. Peter

2713. Re: Cell Phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <iUMM4.14238$QX1.567476@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 112881

"KingKevin11" <bouvierrogersNOboSPAM@msn.com.invalid> wrote in message
news:1a6791b6.82b3e6c4@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com...
> Can ham Radios be used as Cell Phones

No ham radios are not useful as cell phones.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
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11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
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13. How to pass the A+ Certification

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http://www.geocities.com/k1oik
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

2714. Re: Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <b2NM4.14242$QX1.567483@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 112882

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8dt1o5$p60$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> This is a Ham Radio internet sight. We donnot give TWO CRAPS about the
> little Cuban Kid.

We?
You speak for who else exactly?

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will see:

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http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

2715. Re: FORD FEST!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: SuperDave <SuperDave@Goes.Crash>
Message-ID: <39039DF4.55B0CBB6@Goes.Crash>
Source record: 112883
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ganesha Ganapati wrote:
>
> What do you run it on, jet fuel? Compression ratios back then were
> like 11.0:1 or 12.0:1; if you try to run it on today's gas, you get
> yourself an oil pan full of piston chunks.

Actually, I dropped the compression ratio.. I got 10.25 forged flat-tops, they're about the max you can run on regular street gas(premuim).. When I really run, I get a couple of gallons of Cam-2 or VIP, and mix 50/50 with premium, and boy, does it like that.. <G> I also got 2 carbs for it, a 650 vacuum for the street, that gets about 10 mpg, and a 750 double pumper that gets about 4..

By fiddling with the cam timing, I bumped the compression up from ~135 to ~265 PSI. It hates to crank over, but when it fires, you know it.. <G>

Dave
--
"I am not a CROOK." -- Dick Nix'

PS. I just quit smoking and I'm grumpy as hell. Don't like it, too bad.

2716. ACS Newsletter for 4/24/00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e523o$5e1$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112584
Cross-posted to: alt.firefighters,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!
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Please Welcome:

Jose A. Vazquez/ N6VUY <bigace001@earthlink.net>
Ventura, CA

Trevor Browne <silverswine@aol.com>
Santa Rosa, CA

My name is Trevor Browne, I am curently 19 years old and a part of the Tiburon Police Department Explorer Unit. My rank is Sergeant. I have been with them 4 and one half years. I plan to go to the police academy and stay with law enforcment.

John Storm <rasputin@borg.com>
Utica NY

I am just a citizen who has a deep respect for all who are involved in emergency services. I like to keep my awareness high so as to help educate others as to the invaluable work you do.

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From the Mailbag:

Dave Larton,

Would it be possible to repost this message to our California Disaster Center message board? We would of course provide a link to http://acs.oes.ca.gov or to any other page you desired.

Christopher Effgen
The Disaster Center
www.disastercenter.com

(Thanks for the email, Christopher:

You are more than welcome to place our EMCOMM Bulletins and our weekly ACS Newsletters on your message board. The Bulletins and Newsletters are intended for the use of all emergency responders, not just ACS personnel. Thanks for the offer of the link! W e appreciate it!
--Dave Larton)

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What's New on the Net:

The SLOECC (San Luis Obispo County Emergency Communication Council) Newsletter Archive is now available on the Internet. Point your browser to: http://www.calpoly.edu/~kschremp/sloecc/index.html

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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC234 Volunteer Awards For release 4/24/00

Good program directors have the DEDICATION to make certain that their volunteers get the recognition they deserve. The time, effort and money spent on such recognition ALWAYS returns many times over when done wisely and honestly.

One national program that has outstanding recognition of its volunteers is the American Red Cross. Just pick up any of their chapter papers. I recall my Mothers participation in the ARC in the Los Angeles/Culver City area. She coordinated the Blood Bank and received the Clara Barton Award as a result. It meant a lot to her, that award. She was in her late 80's when it was awarded in recognition of long years of service, dedication and hard work.

The same principal applies to any volunteer unit. One such unit is that of the Huntington Beach, CA. RACES. It's awards for l999 were reported in the CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) Newsletter for March 2000. Note the interesting categories:
Management Team Volunteer of the Year
City Volunteer of the Year
Outstanding Service Awards
-Most Inspirational
-Baker to Vegas (event)
-Digital Communication
-Repeater Trustee
RACES Outstanding Project of the Year

12 awards for Baker to Vegas (event)
Partners in Preparedness
Most Hours served (818)
Over 700 Hours (715)
Over 300 Hours (363
Over 200 Hours (7 pople)
Over 100 Hours (7 ohers)
Special Appreciaton to 6 participants
Good Samaritan to 5 participants

While these specific awards may not be usable in your EMCOMM
unit perhaps it will provide ideas and suggestions.

The Newsletter ALSO listed awards to CERT members (not RACES)
-Outstanding Service,
-Most valuable Person
-Most hours served (1106)
_Others with 805, 7 15, 624, over 400, 300, 200, 100 hours
-Exceptional person
-Founding member
-Above and Beyond
-Shake rattle and roll
-Up and coming
-Special Appreciation
_Instructor of the Year
-Team of the Year
-Youth volunteer of the year
-Youth volunteer "in training"
-Senior volunteer
-Special Training Awards
-"Friends of CERT"
Specialty Teams
-Communications Team
-First Aid Training Team
-Search & Rescue Training Team
-Shelter Team
-Senior Response Team
Special Recognition
-Movers & Shakers (15)
-Tremor (18)
-Emergency Services - Project of the Year (8)

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an article on, and a photo of, the Volunteers of the Month. They
were selected by the CERT Management Team and the Emergency
Services Office. That is ACTIVE effective MANAGEMENT of the
VOLUNTEERS. by: Cary Mangum, State ACS Officer, W6WWW

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suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group,
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will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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2717. Re: AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e53vp$358$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <390544E9.3A24770A@brigadoon.apana.org.au>,
Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au> wrote:
> I was at a local radio club

I hope you burned your outfit afterwards.

On to Doc:

>Got a question.

Doc, the "mf" stands for Mighty Fine, like the apple juice. No wait,
that's Very Fine. Oh hell. Apple juice, pudding, whatever.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2718. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Emory J. Haines" <ejhaines@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8e53s0$hi0$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 112586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I upgraded on Saturday the 15th like everyone else, mine was in
FCC db Friday 21 Apr and in QRZ db saturday. KD3DQ

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:1b_M4.2565$Aa4.43180@news.swbell.net...
> Are all the recent upgrades making much of a difference in the amount of
> time that it takes for 'em to show up in the online license data-bases?...
> As-in any idea how long it'll take for mine to finally 'appear'? ;)
>
>

2719. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1XTV <thousandislands@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <sAoN4.21807$T04.208615@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 112587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I upgraded to General on Saturday the 15th as well. Hasn't shown up anywhere yet, and with the ARRL website down, I can't get any info. But the VE's have 10 days to submit, and then the VEC at ARRL have 10 days after that to submit, so I suspect that for many of us, it'll be a while longer.

When I upgraded on March 08 from Tech to Tech Plus, it took until March 31! Here's what happened: the FCC "upgraded" me on March 29 from a Tech to a Tech! I called ARRL and a VE told me that there were "hundreds of errors" for Techs upgrading to Tech Plus. An "internal correction" was applied on the 31st and I am finally listed correctly as Tech Plus!

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Michael Shaw N1XTV
thousandislands@mediaone.net
Member, NRC, NASWA, ARRL
and the National Genealogical Society
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2720. Re: Poor deluded Polly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e5658tgj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112588

Negative. He's a world class jammer and a low class moron.

In article <8e48cb$68c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> The only thing you are famous for is being a QRMer and world-class
> MORON.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

2721. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e56diqta1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112589

Listen up fool,KC8JBO is knocking John, not me.
AF2Y

In article <226b6e40.c346092b@usw-ex0108-063.remarq.com>, wufu
<wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:

> kc8jbo is right on!!! There seems to be a lot of "blowing smoke
> rings up someone's anus"
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

2722. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Swift <jswift@up.net>
Message-ID: <39061A6D.378F9B5@up.net>
Source record: 112590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mumble, mumble -- i wish i could be so lucky!!

"Emory J. Haines" wrote:
>
> I upgraded on Saturday the 15th like everyone else, mine was in
> FCC db Friday 21 Apr and in QRZ db saturday. KD3DQ

2723. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7uqa@arrl.net
Message-ID: <A8pN4.490$fa1.16871@news.premier1.net>
Source record: 112591

Some worthless idot had rediercted the URL to a bogus site with a profane
message pertaining to "Pirate Radio"

73

In article <8e0m5k$kt5$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com says...
>
>Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7 browser.
>It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
>contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?
>
>I can get to other sites fine.

2724. AF2Y:Elian revisited

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e596r$ou7$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112592

In the N.Y.metro area, aside from having annoying evangelisitc radio stations which beg more than pray, there are two excellent politically oriented stations namely WABC which is farther right than Genghis Khan and WEVD which is either centrist or slightly left of it. While doing my deskwork today, instead of listening to 14.313 which would have been worthless due to stupid content and lousy band conditions, I switched back and forth between the aforementioned AMers. Each was having a field day regarding the so-called "attack" on the Gonzalez home in Habanita Miami. I took stock of WABC callers who called Pres. Clinton a Nazi dictator while the Liberty Net brands him a communist. Then there were some who called Janet Reno an Eva Braun who wasn't exactly the worse looking Nazi broad to ever give Adolf the hots while others branded her Herman Munster. On the other hand, WEVD callers felt the government had no choice but to bust in unnanounced and implement what the court ruled despite the obstinacy of the surrogate family which felt they were above the same law to which the rest of the nation is subject. WABC callers called the INS agents, "gangsters and thugs" who scared the hell out of Elian by pointing a weapon in his face while WEVDers said that nothing was aimed at him while the kid thought it was all a big game and was laughing and giggling especially when the INS female agent started tickling him in the ribs as she guided him into the limo. WABCers said the photos of Elian and poppa were doctored to lend plausibility to Reno's argument while the WEVDers were convinced the kid was all too happy to be reunited with Juan. But if one tunes in 9.400, neither concept was right. According to those nuts the government was just rehearsing for the big attack on all of us to be herded into detention camps somewhere in the desert and be programmed to follow the New World Order, the nomenclature of which I still can't figure out. And all this over one six year old child! Can you imagine what would transpire here if a REAL crisis developed? Like for instance a kook who explodes Sarin gas in a major city subway station or a terrorist with a pocket nuclear weapon? Things have become so tense in the States, one must have a daily crisis to dwell on or invent. This country is not being taken over by globalists or leftists or rightists or any political entity whatsoever. NEUROTICS are doing it. People with runaway imaginations. By little foreign kids who can turn Washington inside out and backwards while people starve in the Appalachians. We have lost sight of the proper perspective and that is to keep things in it. This nation has become and is becoming even more a divided camp and who was it who said that a house divided against itself cannot stand? That was Lincoln in his debates with Stephen Douglas in the 1850s because then the schism was between the Free and Slave States. Now the schism still exists but in an entirely different vain. To sum up, although I voted for Clinton twice and despite the awesome economy I can safely say that no President has ever either intentionally or unintentionally done more to put us at each others' throats than that man. Let's hope it ends come 1/20/01 when either

Gore or Bush are sworn in!
Doc.AF2Y

2725. Icom T7H Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Emerson <kb9e@home.com>
Message-ID: <S3qN4.28500$fF5.855202@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 112593

Has anyone located the receive/tx unlock mod for the T7H yet? I have seen lots of requests, but none with a mod that actually works. I tried the one listed where you hold down the moni and band buttons and power up...holding the three buttons down for 5 seconds..but that did nothing.

Thanks and 73'

Ron
KB9E

2726. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0fddaf85.9c56cb53@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 112594

Either one, it fits both!

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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2727. Re: Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390654DF.F615DF53@oio.net>
Source record: 112595

RadioFreeSannibel,
"Dwindling number of hams"? Your kidding, right?
600K(+) hams is dwindling? Don't think so. "Lack of
new licensees"? I'll bet you haven't been to a test
session lately (even before the drop in code speed). As
for using 'QST' for anything other than the ads about new
equipment, a ~few~ good articles, and to see what the 180*
out of phase ARRL opinions are, it makes a good 'shim' to
level the corners of 'wabbly' tables.
Too bad you didn't stay in the hobby, you might have
made some slight difference in how 'terrible' it turned out.
'Doc

2728. How many novices (etc) are out there?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob <lilindn@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8e5m5k$mp8$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 112596

Does anyone out there have a list of how many hams there are (in USA) of each license class? I'm wondering in particular just how many novices there are nowadays. I wonder if anyone tried to get in under the wire to get their novice before it became unavailable, and just who is the -last novice-?
It would be a good thing to know, vis-a-vis possible band enhancements. For example, if the novice 40 segment were to be moved from 7100-7150 to 7030-7055, woujld it cause a crowding problem, or would there be too few novices to make a difference. I'm tempted to think that most novices that actually got on the air with CW have upgraded to general or above, anyway.
Rob
"Everything I have is Y1.96K compliant"

2729. Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob <lilindn@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8e5mt3$1jt6$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 112597

Hello,
I have recently been thinking about losing my old callsign to get a new one through the vanity callsign system.
My original motivation was that my existing call is difficult for other operators to remember, and causes confusion on the air.
Currently, I have a 2x2 callsign KD8%%. On CW, many operators are not use to hearing a 2x2 (since CW ops never had any incentive to upgrade from general to advanced, 2x2s are rare on CW), so ops keep asking me for the third letter of my suffix. On phone, the letters of my call all sound similar to other letters of the alphabet, so other ops are always miscopying my call.
My original plan was to get a 1x3 K8%%% call without any letters "b", "c", "d", "e", "m", "n", "p", "t" or "z" in the suffix.
While my wife (not a ham) and I were throwing call sign ideas around, we both came about the same call that sounded really cool, and Vickie has almost begged me to apply for it (it IS available).
Problem is, it would be a very obvious vanity call. It is a 2x3, out-of-district, which would not be assigned sequentially for about a century. It has an obvious slang meaning (though not at all objectionable).
Lately, I've been thinking it would be a great call for Field Day, but maybe not for day-to-day use. I've told Vickie she ought to get her tech-lite so that she can apply for it herself.
Does anyone else have personal experience, good or bad, about using a "too vanity" call?

Rob
"Everything I have is Y1.96K compliant"

2730. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob <lilindn@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8e5nip$4ahm$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 112598

carkenord@juno.com wrote in message <8dvtdm$o04$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>Please.......
>
>For an "Advanced" class license holder, what part of the 15 meter band
>is allocated to SSB operation??

I can't believe how many people replied to this with their own opinions,
yet not one actually answered his question!

It's 21.225 to 21.450 MHz. It's not actually allocated to SSB per se,
but to "CW, Phone and Image". This includes SSB as we know it (single
sideband with suppressed carrier), but also includes other phone modes, such
as AM (double sideband, full carrier), variations of those (controlled
carrier, reduced carrier, double or single sideband), FM (but only very
narrow band FM, not usually used), as well as slow-scan (still picture) TV
images.

A fair criticism of KA0PFJ's post would be that (s)he should really
have a copy of 47CFR part 97 at his (her) station, it is downloadable from
the FCC website.

Rob
"Everything I have is Y1.96K compliant"

2731. Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5504-390663BB-109@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112599

Aaron Jones,

Sure a case can be made against hams evading telephone toll charges.

HoweverAnother case can be made to the contrary: For phone patching.
Since it has been tolerated for the past 50 years of my licensure, one
could say it is de facto legal.

These days, I am unaware that it is considered any different. If the
aggrieved parties, the telephone toll companies, aren't complaining,
then it is fairly well settled as legal.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

2732. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trey Thompson <trey@dtgnet.com>
Message-ID: <39067919.AB5EE0BC@dtgnet.com>
Source record: 112600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
> communications value is obsolete. We keep hearing about how the hams
> will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
> one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
> competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
> redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil. The weak
> spots in telecom are all exposed to weather, as in outside plant, and
> with current diverse routing, even they aren't that weak. Once apon a
> time when there was ONE local phone company and ONE national connector,
> the chances of failure were much greater, and even then, it never really
> happened.

Barry,
Just thought I'd let you know that we lost both cell and land phone capability here in Western South Dakota last summer and ham radio, particularly packet radio, was instrumental in keeping emergency communications going until the service was restored.

Trey, KC0GBQ

2733. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39063668.5841@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112601

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
>
> > > > I'll admit that I don't bring up sensitive topics with DX contacts - I
> > > > don't think that is encouraged by the ARRL or the FCC either. Part of
> > > > the mandate of Ham Radio is to promote international good will, so
> > > > getting into heated political debates is probably not in line with that
> > > > policy. I would guess that in any truly totalitarian system, no
> > > > provately owned tunable radios (particularly transmitters) would be
> > > > tolerated, but that isn't the case here.
> > >
> > > Just as a thought, what proof do you have that A), the radios are
> > > tuneable (I used to have a 6-channel, rockbound HF rig), or B), that the
> > > people you were talking to weren't in the government? The fact is that
> > > you DON'T know.
> > >
> > > I'm not saying that this is the case, I just want to point out that we
> > > don't really a know a lot, but we do know that life there isn't the same
> > > as it is here.
> > >
> > > If they require TV crews working away from home to learn canned
> > > responses to questions about leaving Cuba, it's not far to go to expect
> > > them to have a similar thing for hams.
> >
> > While you have a point, what I meant was that radios that can be tuned
> > to frequencies different than those used for governmental propaganda
> > broadcasts have been banned in the past in truly totalitarian systems
> > (Third Reich...etc).
>
> Ah. The Cubans instead rely on jamming US broadcast signals, as did the
> Soviets (remember RFE?).
>
> > Do you think that there are some special
> > frequencies that hams in Cuba are compelled to use to facilitate easy
> > monitoring by the government?
>
> It's not beyond belief, but I don't think so. Your asking the question
> proves that we just don't know. It's more likely that Fidel's goblins
> only issue licenses to the "trusted" and then monitor them randomly.
>
> > Is there any evidence of this? Your

> > information about the "canned" responses by the Cuban correspondents is
> > somewhat disquieting though. I'm sure that this kind of thing is also
> > used in any large organization that wants to keep a consistent public
> > relations front though.
>
> Well, neither ABC, Fox nor CBS ever issued me a response card for
> anything. The FCC never required me to memorize political statements
> prior to being permitted to go into the field for ENG, nor did they ever
> send shills out to see if I would parrot those phrases when those issues
> were brought up.

My analogy is more along the lines of a corporation telling its
employees to refer questions about corporate activities to the
"official" PR department. Don't get me wrong - I do not in any way
support the Communist/Totalitarian system of government or the Casto
Regime. I'm just saying that politics and emotional overreaction by
expatriates has colorized this whole child custody affair and blown it
way out of proportion. It's my belief that the best way to fight
communism is to expose their adherents to lots of Western influences.
People can see and judge for themselves if given the opportunity. This
is what would happen if relations were normalized with Cuba and US
tourism and business interests were redeveloped on the island. The only
thing preventing this is a bitter and punitive attitude held by those
"expats" who experienced mistreatment by the current regime.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2734. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39064BC4.50FD@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112602

Craig wrote:
>
> Some worthless idot had rediercted the URL to a bogus site with a profane
> message pertaining to "Pirate Radio"
>
> 73
>
> In article <8e0m5k$kt5$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>, wa2ise@netcom.com says...
> >
> >Noticed I can't get at http://www.arrl.org with my netscape 4.7 browser.
> >It says it can't find the server. Did the ARRL forget to renew its
> >contract or something, or did my ISP screw up?
> >
> >I can get to other sites fine.

The site seems to have been turned off now. There's only a message page
that comes up at this point. I guess this just shows that everyone is
at risk for this sort of vandalism.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2735. Need tiny TX / RX for satellite work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark Savage Turner <csturner@csc.calpoly.edu>
Message-ID: <390613C5.F543A934@csc.calpoly.edu>
Source record: 112603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

We are building very small, simple satellites and need some tiny transmitters and (separate for control) receivers that are preferably crystal controlled to simplifiy initialization and increase reliability. We have used the little Alinco credit card transceivers for prototyping and they are fine, but we have had a jump in the schedule that launches us earlier than we anticipated, so we would like to simplify (till our next mission.)

Any suggestions? We would want to transmit a half watt or so out and the receiver need not be too sensitive. Probably one on 2 meters and one on 440, though I suspect it might be better to go to 1.2 Ghz for the control link.

Any pointers at all much appreciated.

Clark S. Turner WA3JPG
Associate Professor of Computer Science
Cal Poly State University

2736. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: optcamel@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.136f2a58d5f1ce299896ab@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 112634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <OINa8Ior$GA.207@cpmsnbbsa03>, nomail@nomail.com says...
> Michael Kellogg wrote
> >Think of all the money we're saving by not paying Airtouch
> >for this call."
>
> Cell phone use is cheap now. But it wasn't always. You don't think there
> were hams out there who used the autopatch as a cell phone because a cell
> phone was too expensive? I've heard some of the unlettered ones actually
> admit it...
>
> >You think the FCC is going to come knocking on my door to
> >pull my license?
>
> Until recently you could commit mayhem by radio and the FCC wouldn't lift a
> finger. Now they're just after the jammers. You're still safe...
>
>
>
>
>
Hold it, Rules are rules...sure you could violate the FCC precepts and
NOT expect a visit, but why? Are you a simple criminal? Play by the
rules, else chaos reigns supreme.
friend,
Lute

--
Howard and Kelly Lute
He: Electronics Instructor, Terrible Mechanic, Worse Plumber
She: Patient eBay: kell Rating: 553
Comfortable, Stlish, Natural Fiber Clothing
402 Marina Blvd. Suisun City, CA 94585
Lute's Pirate Radio Page: http://pw1.netcom.com/~optcamel/camel2.html
More Comfortable Stylish Clothing: http://www.optcamel.com/kellyscloset.jpg
Check Here Before you Buy ANYTHING: http://www.epinons.com
His Pirate Radio Site: http://pw1.netcom.com/~optcamel/camel2.html
Try ePinions before you buy: http://www.epinions.com

2737. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftko0p0.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 06:33:52 -0500, Steve Sampson wrote:

>The sad thing is that neither the ARRL or netfirms has noticed yet,
>after 12 hours.

I'm not entirely sure of that, at least as far as the ARRL is concerned. The plug appears to have been pulled on the real ARRL web server, and the SMTP servers for both the .net and the real .org domains appear to be disabled. Some have speculated that this is a DOS attack, but it's also consistent with an admin responding to reports that his server's been hacked. Also note that while the domain hijacking (which is likely to go unnoticed from behind the ARRL firewall) appears to have kicked in late Saturday or Sunday (depending on how long it took to propagate), the faux web site didn't go up until yesterday evening, likely *after* most ARRL people had left for the day. Timing makes it look like some ARRL admin may have gotten called in early this morning once news of the faux web site got around.

Netfirms, I'll agree, so far appears to be clueless. Their DNS and web servers, at least, appear to be quite "0wn3d" by whoever did the hijacking. ARRL merely needs to get their domain back. Netfirms is likely facing having to wipe and rebuild their servers.

Ben
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Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

2738. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <390598D8.B4BDCBE@arrl.org>
Source record: 112636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ben Coleman wrote:
>
> On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 06:33:52 -0500, Steve Sampson wrote:
>
> >The sad thing is that neither the ARRL or netfirms has noticed yet,
> >after 12 hours.

Nonsense.

> I'm not entirely sure of that, at least as far as the ARRL is
> concerned. The plug appears to have been pulled on the real ARRL web
> server, and the SMTP servers for both the .net and the real .org
> domains appear to be disabled. Some have speculated that this is a DOS
> attack, but it's also consistent with an admin responding to reports
> that his server's been hacked. Also note that while the domain
> hijacking (which is likely to go unnoticed from behind the ARRL
> firewall) appears to have kicked in late Saturday or Sunday (depending
> on how long it took to propagate), the faux web site didn't go up until
> yesterday evening, likely *after* most ARRL people had left for the
> day. Timing makes it look like some ARRL admin may have gotten called
> in early this morning once news of the faux web site got around.

The problem was detected early Monday morning, a few hours after the
bogus change began to take effect. The registrar was notified
immediately, but as Ben says, it takes time for DNS changes to
propagate.

The Web server did go down last night. While the timing is suspicious,
I'm not sure but what it was a "normal" failure. (Needless to say, we'll
be keeing a close eye on it.) I don't believe any servers were pulled
off-line (why would they be?) Certainly the Web server, for which I'm
responsible, was not.

Presumably the IS folks here at ARRL will be tightening up the security
on the domain name registration!

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> servers, at least, appear to be quite "0wn3d" by whoever did the
> hijacking. ARRL merely needs to get their domain back. Netfirms is
> likely facing having to wipe and rebuild their servers.

That's my guess.

Jon
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Jon Bloom, KE3Z

jbloom@arrl.org
Electronic Publications Manager
(Software, CD-ROMs and Web site)

2739. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terrence & Phillip <bobnoae@aol.com>
Message-ID: <cPgN4.70910$y4.2284122@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Will <catroach@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com...
> I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday.
> I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
> the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this
> nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
> brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
> arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL
> has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas.

It may have been. There's alot of hacking type
software out there, even some webpages dedicated
to providing such as www.hackology.com for example.
Best thing to do is put a password protected
firewall that *also* reads the unique serial number
of the Pentium II or III Processor installed within the
computer that is accessing the page to edit.
In this way ONLY the authorized computer can gain
access to the HTTP coding. Just a thought.

2740. ARRL web is up - use IP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy John <jj@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <4A8A59F2BDCDD311BFC800508BA36AC801F31DC7@gecko.premiersi.com>
Source record: 112638

http://209.140.206.201/ serves the correct pages, so I figure that their website was not hacked, just their dns entry was hijacked (it's been undefined for a fews days).

kg9qm

2741. Poor deluded Polly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8e48cb$68c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112639

The only thing you are famous for is being a QRMer and world-class
MORON.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2742. Block of 60 rooms now available, Dayton Airport Inn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Makul K1XV" <k1xv@nac.net>
Message-ID: <328bgscrm8s32jocjeqm4vold2sr1dmnp9@4ax.com>
Source record: 112640
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Our club discovered that a block of 60 rooms at the Dayton Airport Inn that we thought had been cancelled months ago were still being held in our name for the Dayton Hamvention. We cancelled the rooms this morning, and they are now available.

Contact the Dayton Airport Inn directly at 937-898-1000

Thanks and 73, Ray K1XV

2743. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3905A1E4.BDA54B3B@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112641

RogerBeep wrote:
>
> I'd like to flee from the US---BUT JUST TRY TO FIND A COUNTRY THAT WANTS
> AMERICANS!!! Even the Aussies don't want anything to do with us---and
> they are prolly the only ones in the world that like naive
> Americans---don't believe me, check with Australian immigrations!!! So,
> why are we suckers for the rest of the world!!!

Actually, more than a few countries have similar immigration laws.
Most require that you either (1) have a large some of money to support
yourself without work, (2) have a skill in an area where there is a
shortage in that country, and (3) have an employer in that country that
is willing to sponsor you.

For many people, the last option sounds the best (an employer), but
there are usually a few restrictions involved. The main one is that,
once you have an employer willing to offer a job, you have to wait
outside the country until all processing is done. Since this can take
an unknown number of months, very few employers are willing to wait that
long to have a new employee start.

In addition, many countries are now lumping requirements number two
and three together. You have to have an employer who is willing to
sponsor you for a job where there is a shortage of local workers. And
since there is seldom a shortage of local workers, unless you have one
really specialized specialized skill, this effectively eliminates any
chance for immigration.

Of course, there are always exceptions to these rules. For example,
blacks are welcome in the US, the UK, Aust, New Zealand, and most other
English speaking countries, without any of the money/employment
restrictions that whites face. So, for a black, all that really matters
is that you're not a serious criminal (minor criminals are okay).

Who knows why all of these countries would adopt special rules for
blacks (and other minorities in those countries). Perhaps it is as some
have said - it is an attempt to weaken the power that whites have in
those countries (I guess someone else wants control).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2744. Re: Elian was snatched: attn: Keith

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3905A315.FFF93C3@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112642

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Gonzales remarried. How do you know that he wasn't planning his own
> escape, as soon as the new baby is old enough?

You're right. The father may be planning to "escape" soon. So I guess there is no real reason to keep Elian here, since he's going to eventually make it back here anyway (so much for all the worry about his future that some have expressed).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2745. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3905A43D.24DEC74B@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112643

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> gunpoint and it's fine with you?

How did robbery enter this discussion? We're not talking about anyone being robbed. Try to stay with the discussion, Keith.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2746. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1da39fe8.66998243@usw-ex0102-014.remarq.com>
Source record: 112644

In article <8e410i$p79
$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>Thank you for the kudos but to be honest, who expected anything
close to 127
>replies? I always write from the heart and if I can get the
guys to think
>and write, that's what it's all about. I never expect to top
the "Elian"
>post since it's sort of like writing a big hit song, something
like the
>magnificent "My Heart Will Go On" from one of the incredible of
all movies,
>"Titanic." By the way, I miss Celine Dion. Good God almighty,
WHAT A VOICE
>and what a beautiful soul she has. Gave up show biz in favor of
taking care
>of her elderly ill husband while also trying to get pregnant
from him which
>simply ain't gonna work. Yet, trying to impregnate her may make
the gent
>forget about ever being ill? Sorry but I haven't been keeping
up to .313
>affairs therefore am ill equipped to write about any KC3AU
versus ex-KC1ZQ
>"romance." From what I culled from the PAST is that John is a
decent chap
>who's a dogmatic evangelist while David is just a mangy dog,
incapable of
>being saved by Jesus or anyone else and someone who lives to
denegrate
>persons based mostly on sexual preference which doesn't phase
me in the
>least. In the meantime I'll try to think up something
controversial but
>understand that "My Heart Will Go On" on rec.radio was my
crowning
>achievement, even better than the tender mournful ballad "Oh
Herbie"
>composed by KC3AU.
>AF2Y

His "musical compositions" are as dull and trite as he is.

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2747. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <226b6e40.c346092b@usw-ex0108-063.remarq.com>
Source record: 112645

kc8jbo is right on!!! There seems to be a lot of "blowing smoke
rings up someone's anus"

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2748. Re: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1a79d01d.6783a3aa@usw-ex0102-014.remarq.com>
Source record: 112646

In article <QW9N4.82761
$q67.1557980@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan Finn"
<finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
>Where did this loud old boor come from, anyway? I never heard
Seymour on 313
>a year ago.
>Out of nowhere pops this blowhard. I didn't even think Seymour
was a real
>name until now.
>I do recall an old joke some years past about a Seymour Butts
who lived
>under the boardwalk in
>Atlantic City but that's about it. We shouldn't be so tough on
the guy,
>though. According to one
>of his extended monologues, he had an operation where doctors
removed two
>spots of cancer from
>his lungs (everyone who smokes eventually gets lung cancer if
they don't die
>from something
>else first). Seymour believes they got it all because the spots
were small,
>etc.. He is a true optimist
>and thinks he beat the rap. I hope he did but I've never known
anyone who
>actually did with lung
>cancer. In this respect I can understand why Seymour might have
chosen ham
>radio as an outlet
>but one thing we can be sure of is that Seymour will not be
SEEing anymore
>BUTTS.
>de KR4AJ

Seymour is a brain-dead old fool.

><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
>news:8dq9plsho1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net...
>> The problem is that Seymour-see less-still a putz KJB has
this obsessive
>> hatred of WB2OTK while Rich thinks of him as a Seymour- see
less- putz.
>He's
>> ancient and angelic who gets his jollies from gossip since

his wife is as
>> ancient as he and Viagra is useless. What ticks me off about
Seymour is
>not
>> that he's a gossiper because I am the same thing on the
Internet but
>rather
>> his preposterously reticent attitude about not becoming
involved which he
>> actually lives for. The juxtaposition of meddling, rumor
mongering,
>sarcasm
>> and troublemaking cloaked in the mantle of innocence, naivete
and
>> indifference. WA9KJB has always resented Rich referring to
him as
>braindead
>> which isn't true. Just the cerebral cortex is missing. At any
rate I find
>> Seymour's act to be entertaining and everytime I hear his
routine I think
>of
>> Sinatra's famous ballad, "Send In the Clowns."
>> AF2Y
>>
>> ----------
>> In article <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>, David Stinson
>> <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>>
>>
>> > While sitting here working away at my office,
>> > I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.
>> >
>> > I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and
others talk
>> > about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the
inside scoop,"
>> > and "people are going to be surprised" blah blah blah...
>> > And of course, they never, ever spell out what their
>> > so-called "insider information" is all about.
>> >
>> > Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.
>> > Frankly, I think this kind of gossiping amongst
>> > a few chosen people about such grave matters
>> > is wrong. Childishly taunting "I know something
>> > you don't know! Naah Naah Boo Boo!" when you're
>> > talking about accusing people of crimes is unacceptable
behavior.
>> > Loose talk and jumping to conclusions
>> > can lead to injustice (AC5IU comes to mind).

>> >
>> > Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of
disciples,
>> > you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.
>> > Listening to these guys dance with glee over their
>> > "secret knowledge" is unseemly.
>> >
>> > 73 DE Dave AB5S
>
>
>
>

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2749. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0d855281.685ba6ba@usw-ex0102-014.remarq.com>
Source record: 112647

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In article <226b6e40.c346092b@usw-ex0108-063.remarq.com>, wufu
<wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:
>kc8jbo is right on!!! There seems to be a lot of "blowing smoke
>rings up someone's anus"
>

They can't do any better, though. The regulars on 14.313 lack
the mental capabilities.

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2750. Re: Elian was snatched; Attn Doc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3905AAC1.7DD0F623@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112648

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> You think you're cute with those nasty insulting anti-Clinton postings. I'm
> pretty good at tracing; in fact they call me, "Mr.Keen, Tracer of Lost
> Postings" and here's where yours are coming from.
> MCI Telecommunications (NET-MCI-NETCS6)
>
> <snip>
>
> I think Mr.Avera ought to know about a subversive.

Man, if Avera is going to boot everyone who does not like Clinton off
MCI Telecommunications, they are going to have very few members left.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2751. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3905AC96.17AF2E0F@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112649

Donnie wrote:
>
> What happened Saturday moved each and
> everyone of us closer
> to living in a Communist Country.
> Whatever happened to due process?
> The Justice Department has two sets of rules.
>
> <snip>

Man, are you getting in on the discussion late. People have already addressed everything you said many times already. Read back over the discussion for the response to your comments.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2752. Re: ARRL web is up - use IP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <3905B109.66BEC085@nashville.com>
Source record: 112650

You may have a router problem. I had no problem reaching the ARRL
website during the entire time you say they were down.

Jimmy John wrote:
>
> http://209.140.206.201/ serves the correct pages, so I figure that their
> website was not hacked, just their dns entry was hijacked (it's been
> undefined for a fews days).
>
> kg9qm

2753. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neal Feldman <silverstorm@home.net>
Message-ID: <3905B1D4.5BB42226@home.net>
Source record: 112651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

DontBother wrote:

> EGO MANIA WAS RIGHT !!
> Oh yes Standards alright... COME ON NEAL ADMIT WHEN YOU'RE WRONG

I will if I am proven wrong.

> You seem to have Standards and Double Standards mixed up.

Where is there a double standard in my position?

> You say on your own web page..." The basic tenet of my faith is "An it harm
> none, do as thou wilt""
> But you harm away by slamming an innocent fun loving newcomer who was here
> to say Thanks.

I do not harm him by speaking the truth, and if he is harmed by my speaking the truth that is his problem, not mine.

> Can't you just be noble...and admit a fault at least to yourself... and be
> nice.

I am perfectly nice to those deserving of it. I admit fault in myself when such fault is clearly shown. You have yet to do so. No one has yet to show where my position in this is wrong, and IN FACT my abilities to predict what will occur has been shown to be UNERRING in this context. I knew the anti-coders would not stop at the no-code tech... I knew the 'disability waiver' (Bush's catering to lazy whiners) would be a source of massive abuse. I said so immediately at the time, and have been proven 100% correct and accurate to date in this.

And way back in the 70's I saw the writing on the wall regarding CB and was again proven 100% correct and accurate.

So, please explain to me why I would or should find error in me, when history shows that in this context, none exists?

> Don't be so proud of your own ability to memorize give away test's and a few
> little beep's that you become mean-spirited to the well intentioned.

If they are so 'well intentioned' they can EARN their additional privs just as I and millions of others have.

I see no virtue in the lowering of standards, especially when done just to cater to selfserving and lazy whiners.

> It doesn't seem to fit the nice profile
> of a father and gentleman that you seem to be from your home page.

Sorry you feel that way. But I also raise my family to believe in high standards and to work for such. I do not tolerate slackers, whiners and those who play The Blame Game (tm) to desperately try and excuse their own personal failures. There is no dishonor in failure if you give your best. There is dishonor in whining about it and expecting a handout.

> Amateur Ticket's have always been easy for those that apply themselves.
> Why make a big deal out of the fact that you can do CW?

Because that is the standard, whether officially ignored for political expediency or to pay back political favors or not.

> Many can... I love it
> I know the new changes will help the amateur radio hobby grow. It is up to
> us to work together.

I will not work towards what I see as the degradation of the hobby. Sorry.

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Home Page: http://members.home.net/silverstorm/

We will never rest until Gestapo CPS is completely abolished!

2754. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mhgates@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e4d6nbcc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hello, Will.

I just found it today (Tues. morning) and it's the same message. It's hard to believe it's still up there, but I think people were out for the Easter Holiday. Looks like maybe some kids got bored during Easter break.

I tried to reach the ARRL too. I looked on the Network Solutions WHOIS server for web contacts, and got my messages bounced back too. The one hotmail contact seemed to go through. I'm also trying to reach someone in local ARRL group that might have contact info.

Were you able to reach anyone?

The Network Solutions page looks like it was changed on April 22 and the database updated April 23.

http://www.networksolutions.com/cgi-bin/whois/whois?STRING=www.arrl.org

Also looks like from the web page info for the one that's up now was created on April 22 too. The local time was listed as 3:01 PM Local Time, with a GMT of 7:01. So it sounds like the hacker(s) were from the East Coast. I wonder if someone with password info on the ARRL staff might have kids who like computers and snoop???

73,

Mike KF4UVO

In article <39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com>,
wcw@earthling.net wrote:
> I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on
Monday.
> I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
> the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got
this
> nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
> brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
> arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the
ARRL
> has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas. Some of the messages I
have
> in to what were previously known good email addresses at ARRL have
> bounced back to me, so I cant check it out with them. I will probably
> try calling them on the phone tomorrow, though this evening I heard
> nothing on the voice bulletin out of W1AW. Is it possible this could

be
> going on and they not know about it? Does anyone have any idea what
is
> actually going on?
>
> de Will KD7BFX
>
>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2755. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: monty <mhall@juno.com>
Message-ID: <3905B930.C2748B9E@juno.com>
Source record: 112653
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You would think that someone at ARRL could send a post from
their personal email or backup account to keep us informed.

monty

Terrence & Phillip wrote:

> Will <catroach@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com...
> > I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday.
> > I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
> > the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this
> > nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
> > brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
> > arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL
> > has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas.
>
> It may have been. There's alot of hacking type
> software out there, even some webpages dedicated
> to providing such as www.hackology.com for example.
> Best thing to do is put a password protected
> firewall that *also* reads the unique serial number
> of the Pentium II or III Processor installed within the
> computer that is accessing the page to edit.
> In this way ONLY the authorized computer can gain
> access to the HTTP coding. Just a thought.

2756. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keeper36@Hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3905bcfc.2997869@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 112654
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 16:04:15 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati
<root@209.10.197.134> wrote:

Where is this Camaro shit coming from ? I made one reference to my
Iroc z28 passing the guy bragging about his car and now this thread
just keeps going ?
Lets at least change the topic because it makes no sense anymore!

The Keeper

2757. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: X@Y.Z.net
Message-ID: <slrn8gbgdb.m7j.X@animas.frontier.net>
Source record: 112655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 13:10:32 GMT, Terrence & Phillip scribbled:
>Best thing to do is put a password protected
>firewall that *also* reads the unique serial number
>of the Pentium II or III Processor installed within the
>computer that is accessing the page to edit.

Oh! Now that MicroSloth has gained dominance in software
monopoly, it appears Intel is to achieve the same in
hardware monopoly?

2758. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: X@Y.Z.net
Message-ID: <slrn8gbghs.m7j.X@animas.frontier.net>
Source record: 112656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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On 25 Apr 2000 07:46:53 GMT, David Sinclair scribbled:
>
>I sure hope
>they did not wipe out any DXCC computer records.

The end of civilization as we know it!
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2759. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <epl2lJtr$GA.237@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Will wrote
>and now I get a hacked page loaded with profanity and nasty
>messages about ham radio.

Check your dial. Sounds like a rec.radio.amateur newsgroup to me...

2760. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uopHnJtr$GA.231@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote
> After these new hams have
>40 years of experience, they'll know just as much as or more than the old
>hams with 40 years of experience.

So why have a pretend test at all? Why not just give them a booklet of rules with the license pasted in the back cover. In 40 years they'll know just as much...

2761. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eylvnJtr$GA.231@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Howard and Kelly Lute wrote
>Hold it, Rules are rules...sure you could violate the FCC precepts and
>NOT expect a visit, but why?

Hams have broken little rules for years. Years back when long distance rates were very expensive, hams beat Ma Bell out of thousands of dollars by phone patching for themselves and their neighbors. The West Coast Amateur Radio Service held a daily (all day long) net for years on 40 meters and it's main use was to facilitate those hams trying to save a long distance buck. Then autopatches came in and hams discovered that they could have free cell phone service too. Hams then beat the cell phone companies out of thousands of dollars in revenue.

>Are you a simple criminal?

Isn't there a little larceny in every hams heart...

2762. KE6HN Moonwalker Dave

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: zyzxx@baker.com
Message-ID: <3905cc04.1009155@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112660

I remember that idiot.. He owned 147.435 Mhz. for a while, then played code when the critics and jammers got too heavy.. I used to love his talks with Jensen Woods...Old 'Bread Truck Dave. an anti-social misfit that would talk and talk and talk until you fell asleep, then he would turn it back to you.....Yawn...

2763. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: taclawcom <taclawcom10NOtaSPAM@netscape.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <187ee2d8.ec6c0c74@usw-ex0106-046.remarq.com>
Source record: 112661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Yes, I have found that most communications on the unternet seem
in one way or another to be "hacked." That's why I rely on the
2-meter band.

Ronald Steven Mintz, Esq.
Volunteer Counsel ARRL
KE6WTN

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

2764. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Too Many Radios <tmr98765@radionop.com>
Message-ID: <1mkN4.84177$q67.1593692@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Kludge <X@Y.Z.net> wrote in message
news:slrn8gbgdb.m7j.X@animas.frontier.net...
> Oh! Now that MicroSloth has gained dominance in software
> monopoly, it appears Intel is to achieve the same in
> hardware monopoly?

CONGRADULATIONS Kluge! You have said the
secret word and have won a free trip to
the Dayton Hamvention for you and 2 of your
frinds! Also included is a Saturday evening
guest pass to "Lonny's House of Legs" on
1632 Westbrook Road, where you an
your guests can enjoy an enjoyable evening of
libation, cigars and lively ladies (topless
of course...) Courtecy of Yaesu and Intel
batteries extra...

Congratulations!

2765. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3905CFD6.92A4CA99@bctv.com>
Source record: 112663

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:

> > > I'll admit that I don't bring up sensitive topics with DX contacts - I
> > > don't think that is encouraged by the ARRL or the FCC either. Part of
> > > the mandate of Ham Radio is to promote international good will, so
> > > getting into heated political debates is probably not in line with that
> > > policy. I would guess that in any truly totalitarian system, no
> > > provately owned tunable radios (particularly transmitters) would be
> > > tolerated, but that isn't the case here.
> >
> > Just as a thought, what proof do you have that A), the radios are
> > tuneable (I used to have a 6-channel, rockbound HF rig), or B), that the
> > people you were talking to weren't in the government? The fact is that
> > you DON'T know.
> >
> > I'm not saying that this is the case, I just want to point out that we
> > don't really a know a lot, but we do know that life there isn't the same
> > as it is here.
> >
> > If they require TV crews working away from home to learn canned
> > responses to questions about leaving Cuba, it's not far to go to expect
> > them to have a similar thing for hams.
>
> While you have a point, what I meant was that radios that can be tuned
> to frequencies different than those used for governmental propaganda
> broadcasts have been banned in the past in truly totalitarian systems
> (Third Reich...etc).

Ah. The Cubans instead rely on jamming US broadcast signals, as did the
Soviets (remember RFE?).

> Do you think that there are some special
> frequencies that hams in Cuba are compelled to use to facilitate easy
> monitoring by the government?

It's not beyond belief, but I don't think so. Your asking the question
proves that we just don't know. It's more likely that Fidel's goblins
only issue licenses to the "trusted" and then monitor them randomly.

> Is there any evidence of this? Your
> information about the "canned" responses by the Cuban correspondents is
> somewhat disquieting though. I'm sure that this kind of thing is also
> used in any large organization that wants to keep a consistent public
> relations front though.

Well, neither ABC, Fox nor CBS ever issued me a response card for anything. The FCC never required me to memorize political statements prior to being permitted to go into the field for ENG, nor did they ever send shills out to see if I would parrot those phrases when those issues were brought up.

2766. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3905D031.16CBD52D@bctv.com>
Source record: 112664

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> > gunpoint and it's fine with you?
>
> How did robbery enter this discussion? We're not talking about anyone
> being robbed. Try to stay with the discussion, Keith.

Okay, so long as your wife isn't shot, your niece can be taken from her
at the point of a machine pistol, and that's fine with you?

I fail to see how this is better, Dwight.

2767. Re: Elian was snatched: attn: Keith

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3905D07E.69F8D402@bctv.com>
Source record: 112665

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Gonzales remarried. How do you know that he wasn't planning his own
> > escape, as soon as the new baby is old enough?
>
> You're right. The father may be planning to "escape" soon. So I
> guess there is no real reason to keep Elian here, since he's going to
> eventually make it back here anyway (so much for all the worry about his
> future that some have expressed).

Oh, so you would put a 6-year-old through that journey TWICE?

2768. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3905D0D1.3C37E02A@bctv.com>
Source record: 112666
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Actually, you came into the discussion after the subject of Camaros came up.

He was bragging about how fast his Mustang is, and I added ". . .when it's being towed by a Camaro?"

The keeper wrote:
>
> On Sat, 22 Apr 2000 16:04:15 GMT, Ganesha Ganapati
> <root@209.10.197.134> wrote:
>
> Where is this Camaro shit coming from ? I made one reference to my
> Iroc z28 passing the guy bragging about his car and now this thread
> just keeps going ?
> Lets at least change the topic because it makes no sense anymore!
>
> The Keeper

2769. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@nospam.spam>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.ftksdh1.pminews@ca.news.verio.net>
Source record: 112667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 05:07:29 -0700, Howard and Kelly Lute wrote:

>Hold it, Rules are rules...sure you could violate the FCC precepts and
>NOT expect a visit, but why? Are you a simple criminal? Play by the
>rules, else chaos reigns supreme.
>friend,
>Lute
>
>--
>Howard and Kelly Lute
>He: Electronics Instructor, Terrible Mechanic, Worse Plumber
>She: Patient eBay: kell Rating: 553
>Comfortable, Stlish, Natural Fiber Clothing
>402 Marina Blvd. Suisun City, CA 94585
>Lute's Pirate Radio Page: http://pw1.netcom.com/~optcamel/camel2.html

Is this the same Howard Lute who "follows" the rules by
advocating all sorts of illegal radio operation on the
alt.radio.pirate groups?

Get lost, thug.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

2770. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000425135445.00119.00003440@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 112668

Now you guys don't need to be sarcastic. Whether you like Radiosigs or dislike him, the fact remains he started one of the busiest threads on the ng.

Ok so let someone else stir up a busier thread. Maybe we can make it a Guiness Book of World Records event. Please limit topics to the following:

Radio
Brother Stair
Elian
Janet Reno
The Masons
The Liberty Net
Herb
WB2OTK
14,313

There .. go for it.

2771. Re: ARRL web is up - use IP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: r8500@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000425142548.13034.00000142@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 112669

I was able to access the main ARRL page using the IP address, but not the members only site.

73,
David

2772. Join the club!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8e4q11oit1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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W6DOE, GRAY, GARY DAVID (Expires: 07-09-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 30
Club Expires Club Name
AI4PS 12-17-2006 APCO INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KG4CEP 03-03-2009 APCO INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
AI4HQ 02-12-2007 APCO INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WA4PCO 12-17-2006 APCO INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WE4PS 12-17-2006 APCO INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K4AI 11-04-2006 APCO INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
AI4CA 03-31-2009 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KA6PCO 03-31-2009 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6ID 03-27-2007 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KC6PRA 05-20-2007 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KF6VCN 03-03-2009 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WC6PRA 11-14-2006 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WA6PCO 01-28-2009 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
AI6CA 03-31-2009 CPRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WI6ERE 02-12-2007 IEEE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF SO CA
W6IRE 12-18-2006 IEEE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF SO CA
WI6EEE 12-18-2006 IEEE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF SO CA
W6IEE 12-18-2006 IEEE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF SO CA
WA6IEE 02-12-2007 IEEE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB OF SO CA
W6KBF 12-17-2009 KNOTTS BERRY FARM AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6VT 02-12-2007 ORANGE COUNTY COMM EMPLOYEES ARC
K6ES 09-23-2006 ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNICATORS CLUB
N6OCS 06-02-2009 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KF6JOK 03-13-2007 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K3JON 01-06-2008 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K6OCS 06-02-2009 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WA6ZRQ 12-17-2006 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K1JON 11-03-2009 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W8PF 11-30-2009 WILLIAM V STANCIL MEMORIAL RADIO CLUB
W6PF 10-05-2008 WILLIAM V STANCIL MEMORIAL RADIO CLUB

WA6HYQ, HUDSON III, JOHN N (Expires: 05-10-2004)
Total Number of Club Stations - 24
Club Expires Club Name
W6BBR 08-21-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUU 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUV 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUT 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
K6BBR 08-21-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUR 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
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KF6MUQ 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUP 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUO 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
N6BB 02-23-2009 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6MUS 07-10-2007 BLUES BROTHERS RADIO NETWORK
KF6NPD 09-18-2007 CALIFORNIA DIGITAL SOCIETY
K1OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
WC5OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
K7OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
KF6NGH 08-14-2007 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
K2OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
KF6NGG 08-14-2007 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
K8OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
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K0OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
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K4OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
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K3OES 05-11-2008 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVICES RADIO
ASSN
KF6MVV 07-15-2007 CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY SERVS RAD ASSN OF
SO CA
K6OES 02-12-2007 SIERRA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

WB6DYN, THOM, DANIEL J (Expires: 06-25-2001)
Total Number of Club Stations - 23
Club Expires Club Name
K6DAN 07-15-2008 BAYSIDE AMA RAD FRAT BCH AREA GRP
WD6DTA 10-28-2009 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY REMOT
K6UHF 08-17-2008 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY
REMOTE 1
K6MBZ 03-31-2009 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY
REMOTE 10
N6MBZ 07-09-2009 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY
REMOTE 11
WR6FM 11-06-2008 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY
REMOTE 5
WR6SL 04-28-2009 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY
REMOTE 7
W6SLK 04-13-2009 BAYSIDE AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY
REMOTE 9
W6GNG 03-17-2009 GUNS N GARTERS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WR6RPT 10-05-2008 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 1

WR7RED 06-24-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 10
WR7WHT 06-24-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 11
WR7BLU 06-24-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 12
KF6WGX 05-17-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 13
KF6WHE 05-18-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 14
WR6GRN 10-05-2008 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 2
WR6BRN 10-05-2008 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 3
WR6RED 03-31-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 4
WR6ORG 03-31-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 5
WR6BLU 03-31-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 6
WR6WHT 03-31-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 7
WR6GRY 03-31-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 8
WR6GLD 03-31-2009 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RADIO NETWORK
REMOTE 9

N6ZNC, DARBY, DOROTHY C (Expires: 10-05-2003)
Total Number of Club Stations - 20
Club Expires Club Name
KF6GGE 09-10-2006 BALDWIN HILLS PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGC 09-10-2006 CARRIZO PLAIN PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGH 09-10-2006 DUCK MTN PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6FWS 08-22-2006 FLINT PEAK SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGF 09-10-2006 KELLER PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GFX 09-10-2006 LA CRESENTA PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GFZ 09-10-2006 LOS ANGELES PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6FWR 08-22-2006 MT LUKENS SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6FWP 08-22-2006 OAT MOUNTAIN SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6FWT 08-22-2006 PASADENA PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6FWW 08-22-2006 PSN
KF6FWQ 08-22-2006 PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGB 09-10-2006 SAN ANDREAS PUBLIC SIESMIC NETWORK
KF6FWU 08-22-2006 SAN AUGUSTINE PUBLIC SEISMIC CLUB
KF6FWV 08-22-2006 SAN AUGUSTINE SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGA 09-10-2006 SAN FERNANDO VALLEY PUBLIC SEISMIC
NETWORK
KF6GGD 09-10-2006 SAN GABRIEL VALLEY PUBLIC SEISMIC
NETWORK
KF6FWX 08-22-2006 SEISMIC PUBLIC AMATUER RADIO CLUB

KF6GFY 09-10-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC SEISMIC
NETWORK
KF6GGG 09-10-2006 SUNSET RIDGE PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK

N6UME, DARBY JR, JERRY P (Expires: 12-24-2001)
Total Number of Club Stations - 20
Club Expires Club Name
KF6GGU 09-10-2006 BLUE RIDGE PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGJ 09-10-2006 CERRO NEGRO PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGR 09-10-2006 CUYAMACA PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGO 09-10-2006 HAUSER PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GHA 09-10-2006 JOHNSTONE PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGQ 09-10-2006 LYONS PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GHB 09-10-2006 MAGIC MOUNTAIN PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGM 09-10-2006 MONUMENT PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGK 09-10-2006 MOUNT DISAPPOINTMENT PUBLIC SEISMIC
NETWORK
KF6GGZ 09-10-2006 MOUNT OTAY PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGX 09-10-2006 MOUNT WILSON PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGP 09-10-2006 MOUNT WOODSON PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGS 09-10-2006 PALOMAR MOUNTAIN PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGV 09-10-2006 PALOS VERDES PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGY 09-10-2006 ROSE HILLS PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGT 09-10-2006 SADDLE PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGN 09-10-2006 SAN CLEMENTE IS PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGL 09-10-2006 SANTIAGO PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGI 09-10-2006 SNOW PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK
KF6GGW 09-10-2006 SNOW PEAK PUBLIC SEISMIC NETWORK

W6HDC, CHASE, HARRY D (Expires: 01-08-2008)
Total Number of Club Stations - 18
Club Expires Club Name
KF6HPG 11-27-2006 CACTUS OPEN REPEATER ASSOCIATION
KF6BXS 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXR 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXP 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BYB 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
WB6TZF 03-13-2007 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
WB7FIO 03-11-2008 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
WB6TZH 06-03-2009 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
WB6TZC 01-29-2008 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
WB6TZB 03-13-2007 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXT 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXY 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXX 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BYA 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXZ 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXU 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXV 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC
KF6BXW 03-07-2006 CACTUS RADIO CLUB INC

WJ1P, PASTOR, JOEL I (Expires: 11-04-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 17
Club Expires Club Name
KF6TDP 10-07-2008 FILIPINO BMW MOA
WA6DU 09-23-2008 MABUHAY DX
WA6MDX 10-09-2007 MABUHAY DX ASSOCIATION
W2OOO 12-15-2008 MABUHAY DX CLUB
NU6E 10-09-2007 MABUHAY DX CONTEST CLUB
K6MDX 02-10-2007 MABUHAY DX GROUP
WA6FIL 02-10-2007 MAGELLAN AMATEUR RADIO REPEATER NETWORK
KF6IFI 01-07-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN CENTRAL CA
KF6NIM 08-21-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN LOS ANGELES
KC2CIU 08-28-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN NEW JERSEY
KF6IFH 01-07-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN NORTHERN CA
KF6IFJ 01-07-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN SOUTHERN CA
KC7UAR 01-07-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN SOUTHERN NV
KD5CCZ 08-28-2007 MAGELLAN ARRN TEXAS
N0IP 10-09-2007 PINOY DXERS
KC2CIF 08-21-2007 ULOP DX GROUP
N0YPI 11-06-2008 WWW PINOYHAM ORG

W1GA, EMERALD, ALAN C (Expires: 11-04-2009)
Total Number of Club Stations - 16
Club Expires Club Name
W8GA 11-06-2008 IONOSPHERIC RESEARCH GROUP AMAT RAD CLB
W0XA 11-06-2008 IONOSPHERIC RESEARCH GROUP AMAT RAD
CLUB
N8KA 01-13-2009 IONOSPHERIC RESEARCH GROUP AMATEUR RAD
CLB
N1KA 12-15-2008 IONOSPHERIC RESEARCH GROUP AMATEUR RAD
CLB
K2JA 12-09-2008 IONOSPHERIC RESEARCH GROUP AMATEUR RAD
CLB
K8OA 10-05-2008 NORTH AMERICA PACIFIC UHF RADIO CLUB
N3GA 11-06-2008 NORTH AMERICA PACIFIC UHF RADIO CLUB
N3UA 12-15-2008 NORTH AMERICA PACIFIC UHF RADIO CLUB
K6XA 04-28-2009 NORTH AMERICA PACIFIC UHF RADIO CLUB
K2OA 12-09-2008 NORTH AMERICA PACIFIC UHF RADIO CLUB
N8OA 10-20-2008 PACIFIC RIM USA REPEATER ASSOCIATION
N7OA 12-09-2008 PACIFIC RIM USA REPEATER ASSOCIATION
N2XA 12-15-2008 PACIFIC RIM USA REPEATER ASSOCIATION
N1XA 12-15-2008 PACIFIC RIM USA REPEATER ASSOCIATION
N7NA 11-06-2008 PACIFIC RIM USA REPEATER ASSOCIATION
W6HX 10-07-2008 TGM DX CLUB

WA6TWE, SAMUELS, SANFORD (Expires: 10-31-2004)
Total Number of Club Stations - 15
Club Expires Club Name
W6DED 01-07-2008 BOSS HOGG RADIO MONITORS ASSN
WR6HP 12-10-2007 HEAPS PEAK REPEATER CLUB
W7TWE 10-20-2007 HEAPS PEAK RPTR ASSOCIATION
AG3DA 06-30-2009 LOS ANGELES CITY AMATEUR RADIO

ORGANIZATION
WR6TWE 01-07-2008 MOUNT LUKENS RPTR ASSN
WE8IT 12-17-2008 NEXT SITE RPTR ASSN
WR6PV 01-07-2008 PALOS VERDES REPEATER ASSN
W6TWE 08-01-2007 RADIO AMATEUR TELEMETRY SOC
WR7RAM 12-10-2007 RAM PEAK REPEATER CLUB
K7ROC 10-20-2007 RAM PEAK RPTR ASSOCIATION
WR6SP 01-07-2008 SADDLE PEAK RPTR ASSN
WR7SM 02-10-2009 SPIRIT MOUNTAIN REPEATER ASSN
K6TWE 10-20-2007 TURQUOISE MTN REPEATER ASSOCIATION
WR6TM 12-10-2007 TURQUOISE MTN REPEATER CLUB
KF6NZR 10-16-2007 TWES MAGNIFICENT RADIO SYSTEM

K6HMS, FREELY, WILLIAM B (Expires: 10-05-2003)
Total Number of Club Stations - 14
Club Expires Club Name
N6CU 03-25-2009 BIG CANYON QRP CLUB
N6UW 10-05-2008 BUFFALO HILLS CONTEST CLUB
W6HMS 08-25-2008 HARBOR VIEW DX GROUP
KF6OJZ 11-13-2007 NEWPORT HILLS MICROWAVE GROUP
KF6YAB 07-12-2009 PALMYRA ISLAND AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
NH7U 08-17-2008 PALMYRA ISLAND AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KF6YAA 07-12-2009 PALMYRA ISLAND AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6EMM 10-05-2003 TWO METERS & DOWN RADIO CLB INC
W6IHK 07-09-2009 TWO METERS AND DOWN RADIO CLUB INC
W6GUE 09-17-2007 TWO METERS AND DOWN RADIO CLUB INC
W6DEY 05-06-2008 TWO METERS AND DOWN RADIO CLUB INC
W6NLZ 06-16-2009 TWO METERS AND DOWN RADIO CLUB INC
W6NGN 07-22-2008 TWO METERS AND DOWN RADIO CLUB INC
W6BUT 03-10-2008 TWO METERS AND DOWN RADIO CLUB INC

KA6BPA, SAIN, CARL F (Expires: 08-18-2002)
Total Number of Club Stations - 10
Club Expires Club Name
W6APA 11-26-2006 APA DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK
KF6GVV 10-17-2006 APADCN AGOURA
KF6GVO 10-17-2006 APADCN CALAB
KF6GVW 10-17-2006 APADCN CASTRO
KF6GVS 10-17-2006 APADCN MALIBU
KF6GVR 10-17-2006 APADCN OXNARD
KF6GVT 10-17-2006 APADCN SCVLAN
KF6GVU 10-17-2006 APADCN SFVLAN
KF6GVQ 10-17-2006 APADCN TOAKS
KF6GVP 10-17-2006 APADCN WESTLK

KF6FM, WILCOX, TIMOTHY L (Expires: 10-20-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 10
Club Expires Club Name
N7SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
WB6SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
WD6FM 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB

W6SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
N6SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
WD7FM 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
WA6FM 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
K6SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
WD6SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB
K7SRC 02-23-2009 SOUTHWEST REMOTE RADIO CLUB

N5IA, JENSEN, ANDREW M (Expires: 08-05-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 10
Club Expires Club Name
WB5QHS 08-08-2006 JACKS PEAK AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION
K5BEN 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA BENSON RIDGE
N5BUC 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA BUCK MTN
K5CAB 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA CABALLO MTN
K5DKC 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA DARK CANYON
N7GP 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA GUTHRIE PEAK
K5JAL 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA JAL
K5SAN 12-04-2006 JACKS PEAK ARA SANDIA PEAK
K7KRL 12-04-2006 STEEPLE ROCK AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K5ZIA 12-04-2006 ZIA CONNECTION REPEATERS

N6TK, TUCKER, ROY T (Expires: 05-01-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 9
Club Expires Club Name
K6ANT 11-21-2006 ANTIQUE AMAT RAD CLUB OF SOUTHERN CA
W6CAT 11-04-2006 ILLIBUCK AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
NN6LM 11-04-2006 LA MIRADA CIVIC AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WW6TXB 12-18-2006 LOS ANGELES COUNTY REPEATER PROJECT
W6FUN 11-04-2006 MIGHTY WONDERFUL REPEATER ASSN
KK6USA 11-04-2006 PATRIOTIC AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6RRR 11-04-2006 SHANGRI LA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WW6HAM 11-04-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ARC
K6MTR 11-04-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SIX METER CLUB

KH6B, MANLEY, DEAN W (Expires: 01-10-2005)
Total Number of Club Stations - 9
Club Expires Club Name
AL0HA 12-04-2006 COCONUT ISLAND DX ASSOCIATION
W8FGB 02-10-2009 DIGITAL CITY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KH6JAW 04-13-2009 HAWAII CHAPTER QCWA
KH6AF 05-12-2009 HAWAII CHAPTER QCWA
KH6WT 05-05-2009 HAWAII CHAPTER QCWA
KH6AN 12-17-2006 HAWAII CHAPTER QUARTER CENTURY
WIRELESS ASSN
NQ6RP 10-09-2007 HAWAII QRP CLUB
KH6GP 06-02-2009 HILO AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KH6IN 05-26-2009 HILO AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

KH6HZ, DEIGNAN, MICHAEL P (Expires: 10-14-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 9

Club Expires Club Name
WH6DCY 01-08-2007 CLOSED REPEATER COORDINATION SOCIETY
WH6DDM 02-20-2007 GREATER HONOLULU QRP SOCIETY
WH6DDO 02-20-2007 KAMAAINA KILOWATT CLUB
WH6DDQ 02-20-2007 MANANA ISLAND IOTA GROUP
WH6DCX 01-07-2007 MICHAEL P DEIGNAN AMATEUR RADIO
ASSOCIATION
WH6DDN 02-20-2007 PACIFIC ISLE DX SOCIETY
WH6DDP 02-20-2007 RF COMMANDOS HAWAII CHAPTER
KB1CCE 02-20-2007 RF COMMANDOS RHODE ISLAND CHAPTER
WH6DDR 03-06-2007 WAIKIKI WIRELESS ASSOCIATION

AA6TK, TUCKER, KATHRYN K (Expires: 05-01-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 9
Club Expires Club Name
W6KAY 11-04-2006 EREHWON AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K6GND 11-04-2006 HISTORICAL AMAT RAD CLUB OF SOUTHERN CA
KK9DOG 11-04-2006 ILLIBUCK AMATEUR RADIO ASSN
WW6LM 11-04-2006 LA MIRADA MUNICIPAL ARC
W6NUT 11-04-2006 MIGHTY WONDERFUL REPEATER ASSN
AUXILIARY
WW6TXA 11-04-2006 ORANGE COUNTY REPEATER PROJECT
WW6USA 11-04-2006 PATRIOTIC AMATEUR RADIO CLUB AUXILIARY
WX6XX 11-21-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AMAT RAD ASSN
W6MTR 11-04-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SIX METER CLUB
AUXILIARY

N8TI, FALCONE, JOSEPH (Expires: 11-04-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 8
Club Expires Club Name
KK8KK 11-27-2006 ALL AMERICAN HIGH VOLTAGE RADIO CLUB
W8TTT 11-20-2006 CAN AM DXPEDITIONARY FORCE
W1BUD 02-14-2007 COSTA RICA DXPEDITIONARY FORCE
AA8AW 12-03-2006 HALLICRAFTERS COLLECTORS AMATEUR RADIO
CLUB
AA8HV 12-09-2008 JOSEPH FALCONE ARC
W0WWW 05-20-2007 MFJ 90S RADIO CLUB
W8JOE 11-20-2006 ONE A DAY CW RADIO CLUB
KC8FYT 02-06-2007 VINCENT FALCONE ARC

W6YN, MILBURY, DONALD L (Expires: 03-03-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 8
Club Expires Club Name
KF6UCU 12-10-2008 RADIO CLUB OF CALIFORNIA SITE A
KF6UCV 12-10-2008 RADIO CLUB OF CALIFORNIA SITE B
KF6UCW 12-10-2008 RADIO CLUB OF CALIFORNIA SITE C
KF6UCX 12-10-2008 RADIO CLUB OF CALIFORNIA SITE D
W6VN 02-26-2009 RADIO CLUB OF CALIFORNIA SITE H
W6NE 08-13-2008 SEASIDE RADIO ASSOCIATION
K6ATV 12-30-2008 SULPHUR MOUNTAIN REPEATER ASSN INC
K6SMR 07-28-2007 SULPHUR MOUNTAIN REPEATER ASSOCIATION

K6CJE, NORRIS, RICHARD L (Expires: 09-16-2004)
Total Number of Club Stations - 8
Club Expires Club Name
KF6USQ 02-01-2009 AMERICAN MEDICAL RESPONSE AMATEUR RAD
ASSN
KF6USP 02-01-2009 DAILY OPERATING AMATEURS
KF6USO 02-01-2009 FOUR TIMES DAILY HAM CLUB
K6PFD 12-09-2008 LENNYBIRD AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION
K6LEE 06-03-2007 MERCURY AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION
KF6USN 02-01-2009 NON PARA ORA CLUB
KF6USR 02-01-2009 PASADENA POLICE AMATEUR RADIO ASSN
W6VF 07-11-2007 SAN FERNANDO VALLEY UHF CLUB

AA6ET, TUCKER, ERIC G (Expires: 05-01-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 8
Club Expires Club Name
W6TNT 11-04-2006 AARDVARK AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WW6DX 11-04-2006 ARBOL OLIVO AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6BUB 11-04-2006 LOS ANGELES AMATEUR RADIO ASSN
WW6FM 11-04-2006 LOS ANGELES AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WW6CQ 11-04-2006 OLIVE TREE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WW6WWW 11-04-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AMATEUR RADIO GROUP
K6HO 11-04-2006 THUNDER AND LIGHTNING AMATEUR RADIO
CLUB
W6HI 11-04-2006 VICTORY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

AA6KT, TUCKER, KENT A (Expires: 05-01-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 8
Club Expires Club Name
WW5HI 11-04-2006 ADIRONDACK AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY
W6BUG 11-04-2006 DOODLEBUG AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K6WOW 11-04-2006 GOLDEN STATE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6BAH 11-04-2006 GOLDEN STATE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6XYZ 11-04-2006 LOS ANGELES AMATEUR RADIO GROUP
W6NNN 11-04-2006 LOS ANGELES AMATEUR RADIO ORGANIZATION
W6AAA 11-04-2006 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AMATEUR RADIO ORG
K5HO 11-04-2006 WATERTOWN AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY

WA6F, MARUYA, MIKIO (Expires: 08-31-2003)
Total Number of Club Stations - 8
Club Expires Club Name
WA6JA 08-01-2007 JAPANESE AMATEUR RADIO DX CLUB
WA6DX 08-08-2007 JAPANESE AMATEUR RADIO DX CLUB
WA6CQ 10-16-2007 JAPANESE AMATEUR RADIO DX CLUB
W0DXC 10-16-2007 YAESU USA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6DXC 08-01-2007 YAESU USA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W8DXC 10-16-2007 YAESU USA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W7DXC 10-16-2007 YAESU USA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W1DXC 10-16-2007 YAESU USA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

KB7HDX, THARP, MARK J (Expires: 05-01-2010)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7

Club Expires Club Name
N7HHU 01-22-2009 CENTRAL WASHINGTON DIGITAL ASSOCIATION
W7AQ 01-12-2003 YAKIMA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WA7EOC 12-15-2008 YAKIMA COUNTY RADIO AMATEURS
KC7NGQ 10-05-2005 YAKIMA COUNTY RADIO AMATEURS
W7RCC 03-25-2009 YAKIMA COUNTY RADIO AMATEURS
WA7MCP 04-28-2009 YAKIMA COUNTY RADIO AMATEURS
WA7SAR 07-22-2009 YAKIMA COUNTY RADIO AMATEURS

W6QC, KELSEY, WILLIAM F (Expires: 06-05-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7
Club Expires Club Name
KF6NGQ 08-14-2007 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION
K6CFT 08-21-2007 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION
KF6NGR 08-14-2007 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION
K6MVH 02-12-2007 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION
W6ZOI 12-30-2006 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION
KF6NGS 08-14-2007 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION
KF6NGT 08-14-2007 LOS ANGELES REPEATER ASSOCIATION

K7SA, MAYS, WARREN D (Expires: 08-14-2008)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7
Club Expires Club Name
N7AP 08-21-2007 AURA VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W0AM 12-01-2008 AVRA VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W4SJ 02-26-2008 AVRA VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W0SIP 08-04-2007 BROWN MOUNTAIN GOATS AMATEUR SOCIETY
W7IN 10-27-2008 BROWN MOUNTAIN GOATS AMATEUR SOCIETY
W6ON 04-03-2008 CAMELBACK CONTEST CLUB
W6CD 03-26-2008 PINNACLE HIGHLANDS DX ASSOCIATION

N6IG, PRATT, JAMES S (Expires: 07-13-2009)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7
Club Expires Club Name
KF6FTI 08-20-2006 ALLEN VANCE MEMORIAL RADIO SOCIETY
W6AX 11-04-2006 NORTH CENTRAL CALIFORNIA CONTEST CLUB
WT6V 07-15-2008 PACIFIC CONTEST CLUB
KH7X 11-04-2006 PACIFIC CONTEST CLUB
N7IG 08-21-2007 PACIFIC CONTEST CLUB
WV6C 04-21-2009 PACIFIC CONTEST CLUB
W6DGS 11-04-2006 TELECOMMUNICATIONS DIVISION AMATEUR
RADIO CLUB

N1VM, MAGANA, VICTOR M (Expires: 02-05-2009)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7
Club Expires Club Name
N8VM 02-03-2009 AMERICAN RADIO GROUP
N3VM 02-03-2009 NORTH AMERICAN CONTESTERS
NM6V 02-26-2009 RADIO GROUP VICTOR
N9VM 02-03-2009 RADIO GROUP VICTOR
AE6K 02-12-2007 RADIO GROUP VICTOR

K6EME 12-09-2008 WESTERN AMATEUR RADIO PIONEERS
W6ARP 11-19-2007 WESTERN AMATEUR RADIO PIONEERS

KD6VWK, ROACH, JAMES H (Expires: 05-17-2004)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7
Club Expires Club Name
W6BSA 11-04-2006 EL CAMINO REAL BSA RADIO CLUB
W6GS 11-04-2006 ORANGE COUNTY GSA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6JR 11-04-2006 ORTEGA WIRELESS LEAGUE
N2CW 11-04-2006 ORTEGA WIRELESS LEAGUE
KE6SWB 04-10-2005 ORTEGA WIRELESS LEAGUE
K6TT 11-04-2006 ORTEGA WIRELESS LEAGUE
W6USA 11-04-2006 ORTEGA WIRELESS LEAGUE

KH6AB, LUM KEE, CHARLES L (Expires: 11-04-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 7
Club Expires Club Name
WH6CZB 12-05-2005 EMERGENCY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB INC
WH6DGD 01-21-2010 First Hawaiian Bank Amateur Radio Club
KH6HC 08-17-2008 HEALTH COMM
KH6KMC 07-17-2007 KUAKINI MEDICAL CENTER
KH6SFL 07-11-2007 SAINT FRANCIS MEDICAL CENTER LILIHA
KH6SFW 10-28-2007 SAINT FRANCIS WEST
KH6RX 12-22-2002 SAINT LOUIS HIGH SCHOOL ARC

W5AA, BROWN, RICHARD J (Expires: 12-18-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
W4DVM 06-06-2007 AIR AMERICA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K7AVG 08-21-2007 AMERICAN VOLUNTEER GROUP OF CHINA
MEMORIAL ARC
KH7USA 02-26-2009 HAWAII PACIFIC PAVONES SURFERS AMAT
RAD CLUB
W4VN 01-13-2009 MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH
EMPL ARC
W0EXD 05-20-2007 NAUTICAL AND SUPERTUBED ARC
W0DR 05-20-2007 SEAGLADES TROPICAL MARINE EMERGENCY
RADIO SERV

WA6PAZ, SADDLER, JOSEPH L (Expires: 01-04-2004)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
KF6VCO 03-03-2009 ORANGE COUNTY COMM EMPLOYEES ARC
KG6HX 03-31-2009 ORANGE COUNTY COMM EMPLOYEES ARC
W6OCC 11-04-2006 ORANGE COUNTY COMM EMPLOYEES ARC
K6OCC 12-11-2006 ORANGE COUNTY COMM EMPLOYEES ARC
K6GHX 03-31-2009 ORANGE COUNTY COMM EMPLOYEES ARC
W6KRW 01-04-2004 ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNICATORS CLUB

W7UIZ, HARRIS, GORDON W (Expires: 06-12-2000)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name

W6UIZ 11-04-2006 LAKESIDE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY
W7PC 11-08-2006 LANDS END RADIO SOCIETY
W7EV 11-08-2006 MEADOWRIDGE AMATEUR RADIO GROUP
W7YN 07-10-2006 NEVADA AMATEUR RADIO ASSN
N7YN 12-18-2006 ROCKIN ROCKLIN AMATEUR RADIO KLUB
W7CX 11-08-2006 WINDY HILL AMATEUR RADIO ASSN

K6TED, LEWIS, TED D (Expires: 02-12-2007)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
KF6PJG 02-05-2008 BOSS HOGG RADIO MONITORS
W6GE 03-10-2007 RADIO ACTIVE GUYS OF RESEDA
K6TL 03-26-2008 RADIO ACTIVE GUYS OF RESEDA
W6CQ 03-27-2007 RADIO ACTIVE GUYS OF RESEDA
W6GT 01-13-2009 RADIOACTIVE GUYS OF RESEDA
KF6NZM 10-16-2007 SANDYS HOUSE RADIO CLUB

WA6BIL, KINCAID, JEFFREY W (Expires: 10-20-2002)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
W6GAA 08-21-2000 PALISADES AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
WA6KSB 08-21-2000 SOUTH WEST AMATEUR RADIO EMERG SERV
WA6ZQT 08-21-2000 SOUTH WEST AMATEUR TRANSMITTERS
WB6ZQU 08-21-2000 SOUTH WEST AMATEUR TRANSMITTERS
WA6ZRC 08-21-2000 SOUTH WEST AMATEUR TRANSMITTERS
WA6ZRB 08-21-2000 SOUTH WEST AMATEUR TRANSMITTERS

WA6CW, GINKOWSKI, ROBERT M (Expires: 12-18-2006)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
K9KN 04-08-2007 BEACHWOOD RADIOTELEGRAPHERS
K6ROB 11-04-2006 BERRYWOOD HILLS WIRELESS OPERATORS
NN6TT 10-05-2008 CRYSTAL CREEK RADIOTELEGRAPHERS
K6KQ 11-04-2006 HOLLYWOOD HILLS WIRELESS OPERATORS
N5MN 02-12-2007 HOLLYWOOD RADIOTELEGRAPHERS
W6SHI 11-04-2006 SPACE HAMS INTERNATIONAL
TELECOMMUNICATIONS

KH6HME, LIEB, PAUL D (Expires: 03-31-2008)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
W6KFI 09-17-2007 CALIFORNIA PACIFIC AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6ZOP 09-17-2007 CALIFORNIA PACIFIC ARC
WH6DFT 04-15-2009 CROSSED FIELD ANTENNA SOCIETY
KH6HLP 09-17-2007 EQUATORIAL LIGHTS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KH6KFI 09-17-2007 EQUATORIAL LIGHTS AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K6IZT 09-17-2007 SADDLEBACK AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

AA6FV, WOOD, BRIAN D (Expires: 06-23-2009)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
K6MOT 04-28-2008 MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

K0MOT 04-28-2008 MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KF6QEG 03-24-2008 MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
K7MOT 06-02-2008 MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
KF6QED 03-24-2008 MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
W6MOT 04-28-2008 MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

N4WS, SHIPLEY, WILLIAM T (Expires: 03-05-2001)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
K4UAN 07-15-2008 COOKEVILLE REPEATER ASSOCIATION
K4OHX 03-25-2009 COOKEVILLE REPEATER ASSOCIATION
KF4ZCW 06-29-2008 COOKEVILLE REPEATER ASSOCIATION
W4HPL 08-17-2008 COOKEVILLE REPEATER ASSOCIATION
W4EOC 10-20-2008 COOKEVILLE REPEATER ASSOCIATION
K4CP 03-12-2009 COOKEVILLE REPEATER ASSOCIATION

K1NAC, GRIFFITH, ROBERT T (Expires: 03-03-2008)
Total Number of Club Stations - 6
Club Expires Club Name
KF6CPK 04-02-2006 CENTER FOR BREGEL CONTROL RADIO CLUB
KF6CFV 03-20-2006 GENERAL BILL BRADYS AMATEUR INVENTORS
CLUB
KF6CEE 03-18-2006 INTERNATIONAL OH BUZZ ARD SOCIETY
KF6BYC 03-07-2006 LOU GEHRIGS A L S RADIO CLUB
KF6CFU 03-20-2006 STEVE HOWES BASE HITS AMATEUR CLUB
KF6CFW 03-20-2006 TEAM GRIFF GT ZASKAR COVINA RACING
AMATEUR CLB

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From: Thor Andersen <radioman@start.no>
Message-ID: <8e4n3dchv1@troll.powertech.no>
Source record: 112671

Hello.

If you want my free CAT-program for the FRG-100 my new
email address is: radioman@start.no

Look at http://www.cp-electronic.no/ for info.

73's LA2DAA Thor.

2774. Mod for ATS 818 muting.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thor Andersen <radioman@start.no>
Message-ID: <8e4n9icih1@troll.powertech.no>
Source record: 112672

Hello.

Can someone help me with a mod for the ATS 818 regarding
muting when tuning fast?

Please answer here or directly to
radioman@start.no

73's LA2DAA Thor.

2775. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jim@taborsoft.com>
Message-ID: <sgbpqqt6cdo161@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Howdy,

See the message from "Jon Bloom" time stamp about 2 hours before yours. :-)

Jim

monty <mhall@juno.com> wrote in message news:3905B930.C2748B9E@juno.com...
> You would think that someone at ARRL could send a post from
> their personal email or backup account to keep us informed.
>
> monty

2776. Re: QSL via Buro, Burro or Bureau ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: fitzsimons@totalise.co.uk
Message-ID: <3905e3af.12751397@news.totalise.co.uk>
Source record: 112674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

via burro seems to be a good indication of the speed at which some of my direct cards come back!

Sadly, I think the burro also eats many of them on the way ;-)

73
G4JFS

2777. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftl82z0.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 09:08:40 -0400, Jon Bloom wrote:

>The problem was detected early Monday morning, a few hours after the
>bogus change began to take effect. The registrar was notified
>immediately, but as Ben says, it takes time for DNS changes to
>propagate.

Especially since the hijackers put a one day TTL on their fake arrl.org
DNS records.

>I don't believe any servers were pulled off-line (why would they be?)

My error. For some reason, the ARRL mail servers appear to be
unreachable from the free shell site I use.

>Presumably the IS folks here at ARRL will be tightening up the security
>on the domain name registration!

Tighten up the DNS servers, too. Zone transfers appear to be
completely open.

Ben
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Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

2778. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <3905f5ce.7447186@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 112676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

2779. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftl8d01.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 15:22:10 GMT, mhgates@my-deja.com wrote:

>Hello, Will.
>
>I just found it today (Tues. morning) and it's the same message. It's
>hard to believe it's still up there

It'll take about a day before the DNS corrections propogate.

>The one
>hotmail contact seemed to go through.

Unfortunately, that probably belongs(or belonged - they probably
ignored it once the domain got hijacked) to the hijackers.

Ben
--
Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

2780. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but CAMARO DRIVERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <ooqpqmnmvwv@ghi0111011100110cx.cx>
Message-ID: <brtbgsk9ot0j18p2m2irddkirh7fa464dm@4ax.com>
Source record: 112678
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keeper36@Hotmail.com (The keeper) wrote:

>Where is this Camaro shit coming from ?

I'm glad you agree that Camaros are shit. ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2781. Re: QSL via Buro, Burro or Bureau ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <charles@ab7sl.com>
Message-ID: <8e4tig$i0a$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 112679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Got a good chuckle out of your remarks Jack..thx 73 / DX

--

Charles T Johnston - AB7SL
charles@ab7sl.com

AB7SL- Ham Radio Pages
http://www.ab7sl.com
Add YOUR SITE to my -PUBLIC- Links page
http://www.bravenet.com/freelink/show.php?usernum=321832724

"Jack FitzSimons" <fitzsimons@totalise.co.uk> wrote in message
news:3905e3af.12751397@news.totalise.co.uk...
> via burro seems to be a good indication of the speed at which some of
> my direct cards come back!
>
> Sadly, I think the burro also eats many of them on the way ;-)
>
> 73
> G4JFS
>
>

2782. ARRL and (Social) Security

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e50l7vrk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I feel so violated. May QST had a lovely editorial on the merits (none) of giving the FCC your SSN to renew your license, so that they might check for student loan defaults and tax cheats. I think I was plagiarized.

Anyway, sorry, Checkpoint Charlie guardians. I didn't need your egalitarian handouts for my education and I pay my taxes as needed.

ARRL's apparent misfortune on the web serves to show us all what I said, along with others, many months ago, about the ULS. How would you have liked the server violation to have occurred on the FCC site ? Would not the people who hacked the ARRL with their pirate radio message like to gain access to that info on regulation-abiding amateurs and create a scene ?

I know I would love my SSN sitting on an FCC server 24 hours a day. FCC claims that the number is not sitting there once you are assigned an access number are BOGUS. You saw it come up every time you access an account (at least a few months ago), as a friend demonstrated on his. How can FCC sit there, lie and say the number doesn't go out over the internet other than the first time you send it ? Anyway, recall that ONCE is enough on-line. And if you think with the Genuine Swiss Cheese security the FCC and other government agencies use on their servers my amateur friends gave their real numbers, you have another thing coming. I haven't upgraded or needed to renew my license yet, so I am not at the crossroads of a decision, unlike those engaging in C.D.

But just think, today ARRL, tomorrow FCC. Then they can open charge accounts and internet accounts, like some shit kicker did to me last year... but lived to regret.

Needlesss to say, my days of "E-Commerce" died a quick death.

So, you naysayers go ahead and eat your genetically engineered potato/ french fries (did you see CNN's article on delivering vaccinations through this sort of crap "food" ?) and give out your SSN to agencies other than SSA. Take some medicines approved on the FDA's "Fast Track". Or you can refuse and demand the government go back to the way it was in 1941, at minimum. Before it looked at Germany and decided the Nazis weren't that bad a bunch of guys to emulate...

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2783. QST Deja Vu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e51enis1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Good golly. I thought I already read the April issue and previous ones before. Then I read the May issue.

Here's what I found: ANOTHER article on Dayton (last month had one); ANOTHER 2/440 radio reviewed (almost every month has one); ANOTHER rehash of PSK31 (several times in the past year); ANOTHER how to do your own DX pedition article (several times, most notably on Bosnia). ANOTHER ARRL remote controlled amateur drone on "smile therapy", lambasting some guy who dared to express his (independent) thought that he won't be talking to any new Extras.

The broad themes are changing but not the content. For example, they've rehashed PSK31 in basic form, mobile form and now basic form again, within a year.

We pay 34 dollars for this sort of mindless repetition ? I sure didn't pay 34 dollars for what they did for my interests in Pennsylvania in December.

When somebody asked Jon Bloom if they even knew the server we're paying 34 dollars a year each to use was down, the person should have asked whether their editors know what the hell was in QST this month...

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2784. What's the best amplified antenna for scanner/SWL ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Pez D. Spencer" <pez@kandy.com>
Message-ID: <39060AED.99103102@kandy.com>
Source record: 112682

What's the best amplified antenna for scanner/SWL ?

I'm looking for small size, to install in a brief case for travel. Some that exist are the Sony, MFJ, and TinyTenna.

Which will perform the best in both SWL and scanner use?

Thanks for answering here.

Pez.

2785. Re: AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e53hl$2oe$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <390544E9.3A24770A@brigadoon.apana.org.au>,
Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au> wrote:
> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > I kid you not when I say I heard a gent on 2 who didn't know what kind
> > of antenna he was running... on an HT. Of course, he was codeless, but
> > spare us the agony if he gets near a code practice CD.
>
> I was at a local radio club and I fixed a radio for a guy whose battery
> wire had come off (and he couldn't figure out what was wrong). "Of
> course, he WASN'T codeless". In fact he had passed the highest code and
> theory exams in the "golden days of Amateur Radio".
>
> Using the "mf_luder" logic, all such Amateurs are, by association,
> totally incompetent. Fortunately, I don't think most Amateurs are so
> prejudiced and intolerant to think this way.

Well, Mark, you just showed us all that you're more concerned with knee-
jerk attacks and the defense of ham radio than thinking about what
you've written before posting it.

You just implied that any ham is lacking knowledge by demonstrating the
case of the Extra. Yet then, in typical "waaah, why are you hurting ham
radio" fashion, you said they're not all dysfucntional as hams. How can
you try to deflate my statement by saying Extras are dysfunctional, but
then say not everyone is ?

Here is the truth. I never said all hams are dysfunctional. I only said
that the guy who didn't know he was on a vertical antenna- different
than a piece of number 28 wire (HE MIGHT NOT HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SEE WELL
?)- was a codeless tech.

The "of course" was intended to indicate that each class of licensees
has its idiots, with their respective problems. I have said repeatedly
over several years that most, but not all, hams are brain-dead.
On HF, some General doesn't know what "over" means (talk about being a
cave dweller). On 2 meters, some tech doesn't know that any HT out of
the box has a vertical.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2786. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3904EA96.89BCEAA8@bctv.com>
Source record: 112699

John Douglas wrote:
>
> It takes a village to raise a child... Hillary Clinton
>
> It takes a swat team to raise a child,,,,, Janet Reno

HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAH

Hey, you know why Chelsea Clinton is so ugly?

Janet Reno's the father.

2787. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3904EBFA.54610FD3@bctv.com>
Source record: 112700

zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>
> In article <14026-3902DB6D-14@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> > I wondered what the hell you were talking about, Stewart. Just came
> > back from Drudge and the haircut photos. Another good job by Drudge.
> > But that wasn't what I was talking about.
> >
> > SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun
> > pointed at the child in the closet. The press took the less
> > aggressive photo of the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive,
> > with the finger clearly on the trigger, the gun aimed at the
> > child and Elian screaming his poor little head off!!!
>
> _All_ the news media took the _most_ inflammatory one. Here's
> the series, and it shows that the gus was _not_ being pointed
> at either Elian or Dalrymple,

Try again, two of the pics show the muzzle within the plane of
Dalrymple's left arm and the agent's right arm.

2788. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e2sb4lro1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112701

"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
>Of course, all this means nothing in ham radio wallowing in the swill
>of CW vs No CW. All these great functions are installed and
>maintained by low-life no-code technicians who can't copy 20 wpm, but
>are excellent systems engineers and technicians. The no-coders are
>the ones, not the Extras, who devote countless hours climbing 2000'
>towers to put up amazing antennas, building facilities (even buildings
>themselves) to house it all in, installing new equipment, spending
>hours configuring software, pulling hardline up the tower, etc.

Who do you think brought them the invention of the repeater? Who
explored VHF when it was still considered the ultra highs? Believe
it or not, electronics existed prior to the creation of the no-code
tech license.

>They
>are always to be ridiculed on HF and amateur newsgroups and webpages
>by those not so gifted,

They were ridiculed for their whining. Who do you think began the
debate in the first place?

>whos only claim to fame and control in their
>lives is that they can copy 20wpm Morse, but haven't a clue when it
>comes to paging terminals, receiver voters, UHF remote base links,
>topo coverage mapping, TNCs on digital modes, FM transmitters,
>duplexers, diplexers, magic rings and remote recievers so the HT in
>WalMart can call home on the autopatch running only 100mw. No, they
>can copy CW....just like the guys on spark!

That's a pretty broad brush you paint with, Larry. I think you're
really going out on a limb saying no Extras have any idea of the
items you mention.

> How sad......

Sad indeed that you would believe such things.

73, Jeff KH6O

2789. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e2t2fmsi1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>"Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in message

>> So when are you going to stop using "CQ" on SSB...

>I'm glad I read a few before I answered this...because it's exactly what I
>was thinking when the question was asked....then let's all use full context
>words and sentences on the air, please...

Do you know the ITU phone-equivalent for CW's "CQ," Kim? (No hints from
the audience!)

Jeff KH6O

2790. Re: mf_luder: Does anyone understand what this idiot is saying?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e2u4m$nm9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112703

In article <3903802b.219421302@news.mindspring.com>, John <> wrote:
>His posts are like an out of order scrabble game. Does anyone
>understand what he's trying to say?

He's either speaking in "tongues," or he's reciting Buddhist chants.
Jury's still out.

2791. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e2up8oad1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112704

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>><sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:

>>>The U.S. government wants guns out of the hands of the citizens for our
>>>"protection".
>>>Wasn't that one of Adolph's 1st measures taken?
>>>Those who don't remember history are bound to repeat it.

> "for the first time in history we will have total gun registration, our
>streets will be safer, our police more efficient, and the world will follow our
>lead into the next century"
> --- Adolph Hitler, 1935

Hitler used a toilet everyday, too. Do you?

2792. Re: can hams be cell phones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e2ugr$o7a$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112705

Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
>Larry W4CSC - I think I'm going to rename my boat "W4CSC". Then I can
>use my ham license call on marine VHF and REALLY create havoc!

If you're in the voluntary catagory (no license required), then
you're able to lawfully use any identifier.

2793. Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000424225520.19052.00003130@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 112706

Attennnnntionnnnn Radiosigs.

Congratulations. Your "Elian Was Snatched" post has generated 127 replies in under 72 hours. Now I can't say this is Pulitzer territory, nor can I say it's even into Guiness Book territory .. but I can say it's one fine effort. Triple digit threads are few and far between. Now, you've generated that in 2 and a half days or so. My hat is off to you, sir.

But, alas, the topic is spinning down. Granted, it will be a hard act to follow. Such volatile topics are rare these days. But, would you mind giving it a try? Maybe some insight on the KC1ZQ / KC3AU dialog / debate could spin things up a bit on here. Or a topic of your choice. But, please .. no re-posts of David J. Smith or "Prophet" Stair.

2794. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000424225552.05055.00003709@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 112707

No I put all my shit here. LOL

What kind of question / remark was that Jeff??

2795. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000424231118.09588.00003129@ng-bh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112708

The so called WELFARE licenses may be the last hope that ham radio has. We may actually find out that it is not necessary to be able to copy 13 wpm code to be a good HF operator. For those that want to QSO via CW then let them become experts in that field. For those that want to do Moonbounce or APRS or Packet let them become experts in that area. Don't let the 13 wpm code be a deadend to someone that may have a great contribution to be made in those speciality areas. There is plenty of amateur spectrum out there and we as hams need to protect it by every wavelength we can and to use as many modes as possible.

My 2cents worth,
W0CBF/AG

2796. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000424231306.09588.00003130@ng-bh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112709

I heard it will take a month or longer. I wouldn't be surprised with all of the sudden updgrades.

73's
W0CBF Chuck

2797. Re: New ham's POV on CW & April 15th Upgrading

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <39051A52.AA161EC2@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 112710

Scott,

Thanks for sharing that. Persistence pays off. Glad you are enjoying ham radio and the fun in upgrading.

Peter F. W2SKY

2798. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cap'n Crunch <kcfamily@tir.com>
Message-ID: <U2aN4.1035$G7.2611870@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 112711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

BD wrote in message <1b_M4.2565$Aa4.43180@news.swbell.net>...
>Are all the recent upgrades making much of a difference in the amount of
>time that it takes for 'em to show up in the online license data-bases?...
>As-in any idea how long it'll take for mine to finally 'appear'? ;)

Yes... we've been told (my group of VE's) that it'll be a week to 3 weeks
before the 'hump' of instant upgrades works it's way through the VECs and
the FCC... BTW, it's also the same story on Vanity Calls... demand went
through the roof with restructuring.

2799. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <39052811.57C066E7@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 112712

Wow, someone thinks they are having fun with this.
You can still get to the members-only area via:
http://209.140.206.201/members/trouble.html

Peter F. W2SKY

Ben Coleman wrote:

> On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 20:16:13 -0400 (EDT), Ben Coleman wrote:
>
> >A look at whois suggests
> >another possibility - that ARRL's domain has been hijacked.
>
> This seems even more likely after looking at the arrl.net domain. The
> Zone, Tech, and Billing contacts are the same, the Admin contact looks
> sane, and the domain servers look sane (having the ARRL use a Canadian
> firm for DNS services just didn't look right). Also, DNS queries about
> arrl.org domains directed to the DNS servers registered for arrl.net
> return authoritative replies. This indicates that those servers are
> likely also supposed to be the registered servers for arrl.org.
>
> I suspect ARRL will need to call NSI directly to get this fixed, as the
> contact addresses are undeliverable until the fix is made.
>
> Meanwhile, use http://209.140.206.201/ instead of http://www.arrl.org.
>
> Ben
> --
> Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
> Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
> http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

2800. Re: Does Seymour Really See More?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <QW9N4.82761$q67.1557980@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112713

Where did this loud old boor come from, anyway? I never heard Seymour on 313
a year ago.
Out of nowhere pops this blowhard. I didn't even think Seymour was a real
name until now.
I do recall an old joke some years past about a Seymour Butts who lived
under the boardwalk in
Atlantic City but that's about it. We shouldn't be so tough on the guy,
though. According to one
of his extended monologues, he had an operation where doctors removed two
spots of cancer from
his lungs (everyone who smokes eventually gets lung cancer if they don't die
from something
else first). Seymour believes they got it all because the spots were small,
etc.. He is a true optimist
and thinks he beat the rap. I hope he did but I've never known anyone who
actually did with lung
cancer. In this respect I can understand why Seymour might have chosen ham
radio as an outlet
but one thing we can be sure of is that Seymour will not be SEEing anymore
BUTTS.
de KR4AJ

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8dq9plsho1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net...
> The problem is that Seymour-see less-still a putz KJB has this obsessive
> hatred of WB2OTK while Rich thinks of him as a Seymour- see less- putz.
He's
> ancient and angelic who gets his jollies from gossip since his wife is as
> ancient as he and Viagra is useless. What ticks me off about Seymour is
not
> that he's a gossiper because I am the same thing on the Internet but
rather
> his preposterously reticent attitude about not becoming involved which he
> actually lives for. The juxtaposition of meddling, rumor mongering,
sarcasm
> and troublemaking cloaked in the mantle of innocence, naivete and
> indifference. WA9KJB has always resented Rich referring to him as
braindead
> which isn't true. Just the cerebral cortex is missing. At any rate I find
> Seymour's act to be entertaining and everytime I hear his routine I think
of
> Sinatra's famous ballad, "Send In the Clowns."
> AF2Y
>

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> In article <3900774E.34C74526@ix.netcom.com>, David Stinson
> <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> > While sitting here working away at my office,
> > I tune around and listen a lot, including 14.313.
> >
> > I'm constantly hearing WA9KJB, Brother John, W4FQF and others talk
> > about how they "know what's coming" and they "have the inside scoop,"
> > and "people are going to be surprised" blah blah blah...
> > And of course, they never, ever spell out what their
> > so-called "insider information" is all about.
> >
> > Now, *if* this is true, I have a problem with it.
> > Frankly, I think this kind of gossiping amongst
> > a few chosen people about such grave matters
> > is wrong. Childishly taunting "I know something
> > you don't know! Naah Naah Boo Boo!" when you're
> > talking about accusing people of crimes is unacceptable behavior.
> > Loose talk and jumping to conclusions
> > can lead to injustice (AC5IU comes to mind).
> >
> > Moreover, if Mr. H. really does have some "inner circle" of disciples,
> > you'd think he'd pick people with a little more discretion.
> > Listening to these guys dance with glee over their
> > "secret knowledge" is unseemly.
> >
> > 73 DE Dave AB5S

2801. ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com>
Source record: 112714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday. I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@ brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas. Some of the messages I have in to what were previously known good email addresses at ARRL have bounced back to me, so I cant check it out with them. I will probably try calling them on the phone tomorrow, though this evening I heard nothing on the voice bulletin out of W1AW. Is it possible this could be going on and they not know about it? Does anyone have any idea what is actually going on?

de Will KD7BFX

2802. Re: AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Message-ID: <390544E9.3A24770A@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Source record: 112715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

> I kid you not when I say I heard a gent on 2 who didn't know what kind
> of antenna he was running... on an HT. Of course, he was codeless, but
> spare us the agony if he gets near a code practice CD.

I was at a local radio club and I fixed a radio for a guy whose battery wire had come off (and he couldn't figure out what was wrong). "Of course, he WASN'T codeless". In fact he had passed the highest code and theory exams in the "golden days of Amateur Radio".

Using the "mf_luder" logic, all such Amateurs are, by association, totally incompetent. Fortunately, I don't think most Amateurs are so prejudiced and intolerant to think this way.

Mark.

2803. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <39054B44.FA7B39AA@mindspring.com>
Source record: 112716

Scott,

I am not trying to be contrary, but honestly am curious to know how you can be sure that you are working someone via long-path from your car, since your mobile antenna is almost certainly omni-directional? Is there a way to do this using a step-attenuator, or something like that?

de Will KD7BFX

"Scott Rosenfeld [N7JI]" wrote:

> Many people have never heard of ham radio; most people under the age of
> 30 fall into this category.
>
> As for letting people down, I would tend to believe that it's far worse
> to not let people know we exist that to possibly let them be let down
> by some fantasy that doesn't happen...
>
> And as for amnazing things...
>
> Have you ever experienced the thrill of speaking 14000 miles
> via 2w, long path, from your car? (I have - it's pretty awesome)
>
> No wires, no help from internet providers or telecom companies, just you
> and the other guy and miles of "ether."
>
> Relax and remember you're participating in the world's greatest hobby,
> --
> Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI
> 541-684-9970 Eugene, OR Land o' much rain
> If you find me on the air, I'm probably in my car
> ham@w3eax.umd.edu http://w3eax.umd.edu/~ham

2804. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3ky@erols.com
Message-ID: <8e3ihd$n32$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 112717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

The ARRL has been a kind of hard luck organization when it comes to computers. Yes, they have definitely been hacked- little doubt of that. I'm sorry it had to happen to them. No doubt they will start putting a lot more effort into security after they get the mess straightened out. I just hope to God that the hackers didn't trash important records, but those guys can be pretty malicious if they put their minds to it. I sure hope they did not wipe out any DXCC computer records. That's one that happens to matter to me. I hope that ARRL did frequent and thorough backups! Siiiiighhh! 73, K3KY

In article <39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com>
Will <catroach@mindspring.com> wrote:

> I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday.
> I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
> the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this
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> brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
> arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL
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> nothing on the voice bulletin out of W1AW. Is it possible this could be
> going on and they not know about it? Does anyone have any idea what is
> actually going on?
>
>
> de Will KD7BFX
>

2805. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jesse W. Cooper" <Cooper911@msn.com>
Message-ID: <#r$vVuor$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

It certainly appears as if they are down, I have had the same result myself!
Will <catroach@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com...
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I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
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nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
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nothing on the voice bulletin out of W1AW. Is it possible this could be
going on and they not know about it? Does anyone have any idea what is
actually going on?

de Will KD7BFX

2806. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <39055002.9BD02F66@mindspring.com>
Source record: 112719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I know a lot of oldtimers will disagree, but just when did the state-or-the-art, or obsolescence become the only marker of the value of ham radio? Sure, we have always been supposed to be pushing the envelope, experimenting, and such, and maybe ham experimentation is mostly now covering ground that is well-entrecnhced in the text-books, but I will gaurantee that the typical HF-ham, and many VHF-hams as well, know more about the technology they are using, and how it works, and are learning more all the time, than most of the people that *build, program, and maintain* computer networks, not to speak of the rest of the world that just uses them. Electrons are still electrons, the laws of physics have not changed, and in fact, as modern communciations comes more and more to rely on "wireless," that is to say: radio, it is more important than ever that more people understand basics about antennas, propagation, tuned circuits, et al.

Beefhead wrote:

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> The UNIQUENESS of ham radio has been supplanted by newer and much less
> expensive
> communications technology, which is readily available to the General Public,
> from WalMart
> to Radio Shack and everyplace in-between. Again this is the reality of
> today.
>
> Face it guys, ham radio has become OBSOLETE. And that gentlemen, regardless
> if you
> choose to accept it or not, is the plain truth of this whole issue. I may
> also add that in lieu
> of all these personal communications devices, why should the public care
> about ham radio?
> Even Citizens Band radio is in decline! It's OBSOLETE technology also,
> unless you drive
> on the Interstates alot.

I hear this over and over, and I still have no idea what is meant by it. I suspect that most people uttering it don't, either. What do you mean when you say a valve circuit is 'inefficient'? If you mean that it consumes more power for the same work than a solid-state circuit, so what? As far as most hobbyists are concerned, an all firebottle shack *night* add 2 bucks a month to the electric bill, *if* you are running a gallon amp. If you don't want to muck around inside your rigs, that's fine. If you don't enjoy the glow, the smell, and the audio output from a good tube receiver, fine. But I guarantee that the *only* difference you can hear with your ear, between my Collins S-line, or

Drake C-line, compared to the high-end of current transcievers will be the better transmitted audio from the former. Been there, done that, over and over, comparing everything from an FT-840 to an IC-775 to a JRC-245. Sure, the latter are a bit more stable, but hardly enough to even matter in the most finicky digital mode, and harder still to tell the difference without the use of lab-grade counters and other gear. New gear is great, and I own a shelf full, most recently a Ten-Tec Omni-VI+. Mostly, I find the new gear just automates things and adds loads of convenience. It is a contesters drem. I honestly don't know how people did contest's before memories, voice keyers, and all that stuff. The old stuff is still fun, and puts a lot less between me and the ether. I understand it, I can fix anything that breaks myself, and by operating and maintaining it I continue to learn a great deal about mixers, oscillators, filters, amplifiers, transformers, and about components and their performance, or lack thereof. If you can troubleshoot a SMD board, and have the money for the test and rework gear you need to do so, I am glad. I don't, no will soon on a teacher's salary.

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>
> That is as technologically obsolete as the tube type radios many hams still
> run and
> just as inefficent also. Sorry to keep harpin on this, but it's the truth
> that you hams NEED
> to hear. Don't believe it? Read any article written by Wayne Green in the
> past 5 Years
> concerning the outlook for this hobby. He's one of the FEW gems we have in
> this hobby that
> knows anything about what is really going on, and how ham radio will
> probably be dead by 2015.

Wayne Green has less credibility with me than Lyndon LaRouche. He is a rambling crackpot who has burned up any respectibility he may have formerly had.

de Will KD7BFX

2807. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <39055193.C99BF076@mindspring.com>
Source record: 112720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I don't understand the poeple who come on these groups, and stay, who say nothing but ill of amateur radio. Why bother? As for radio in general being obsolete, that would be news to Wall Street, NASDAQ in particular. Everything is becoming wireless, and as you know, that means radio. Not HF, to be sure, but radio signals, transmitters, receivers, and antennas. The trend is towards vastly more signals in the air, not less.

de Will KD7BFX

"David M. Hitchner" wrote:

>
> I've noticed that the beginning of this thread was posted
> to several radio newsgroups. Why would someone so
> down on amateur radio be interested in any type of radio?
> Won't they all be obsolete soon?
>

2808. Re: www.arrl.org "netscape unable to locate server" Is it my ISP screw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <39055357.106DB629@mindspring.com>
Source record: 112721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.antennas,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

All ARRL pages have been wiped off of the DNS servers of the two major ISPs I use (the other is a major reseach university). This evening, this changed and now I get a hacked page loaded with profanity and nasty messages about ham radio. They have been hacked. Their email is bouncing, also.

de Will KD7BFX

2809. ARRL web DOS attacks in progress

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3905559B.4A481A72@mindspring.com>
Source record: 112722
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I haven't been able to get to any ARRL web pages since Sunday last using the text URLs, and have been trying all evening to reach them using the numeric IP addresses. All attempts have met with "busy" messages. So in addition to the hijjacking of the ARRL domains, the phoney vulgar pages that have been coming up, someone (the same someone[s]?) has no apparently launched a denial-of-service attack on both the .org and .net domains. Email to adminstrative .org and .net addresses is also bouncing. . .

de Will KD7BFX

2810. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <390567ED.30D2BFF@icss.net>
Source record: 112723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Brian wrote:
> >But those old licensing
> > exams sure let a lot of imbeciles upgrade.
>
> How about the new licensing exams?
>
> Check page 73 of the May QST. They run a "License-in-a-Weekend" class. They
> "teach, feed, and test them in one highly intensive weekend." The recruits
> come from a notice placed in the newspaper "and before they realize it, they
> are licensed radio amateurs". So much for knowing the material on the
> test...

Sometimes instant potatoes aren't so bad, and if I could have learned 5wpm code in an "intensive" weekend, then I would have done it. After these new hams have 40 years of experience, they'll know just as much as or more than the old hams with 40 years of experience.

2811. Re: Sobre libros por LRR del E.U.: Low Band DXing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas C. Sefranek" <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <390561CE.E23B9D92@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 112724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:

> Got a question about your posting ID. What does "mf" stand for?

According to KA5DSX....

Some days you wonder...
But MOST days you KNOW!!!!
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*
| __O Thomas C. Sefranek tcs@cmcorp.com
|_-\<,_ Amateur Radio Operator: WA1RHP
(*)/ (*) Bicycle mobile on 145.41, 448.625 MHz

http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html
http://www.harvardrepeater.org

2812. ARRL domain name records hijacked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jb2101@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8zqqhf$XY57$2@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Sorry to follow up on my own post, but I just realized what should have been obvious: The hotmail address in the whois record more than likely belongs to the person who changed the DNS address records in the first place. It appears that email will not work, and that a land line or a direct radio contact will have to be used to reach the ARRL instead.

2813. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftkiki0.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 00:12:09 -0700, Will wrote:

>I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday.
>I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
>the same result

Yes, the arrl.org domain was hijacked this weekend and both
www.arrl.net and www.arrl.com are CNAMEd to www.arrl.org.

>This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this
>nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
>brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
>arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL
>has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas.

To be precise, the ARRL machines themselves don't appear to have been
penetrated. The arrl.org domain was hijacked (pointed to different DNS
servers at netfirms.com), and the hijackers pointed the hijacked
www.arrl.org to a different server (also at netfirms.com). Once the
arrl.org DNS registration is corrected, things should be back to
normal. If anyone's been 'hacked', it would appear to be netfirms.com,
a Canadian web hosting company.

>Some of the messages I have
>in to what were previously known good email addresses at ARRL have
>bounced back to me, so I cant check it out with them.

That's probably from before the faked arrl.org DNS records were put on
netfirm.com's DNS servers. At this point, www, ftp, and mail services
for arrl.org have been diverted to one of netfirm.com's machines.

>Is it possible this could be going on and they not know about it?

It's possible that none of this is going to show from within the ARRL
local net, depending on how they have their local DNS servers set up.

Ben
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Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

2814. Re: ARRL web DOS attacks in progress

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftkjs81.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 01:21:50 -0700, Will wrote:

>I haven't been able to get to any ARRL web pages since Sunday last using
>the text URLs, and have been trying all evening to reach them using the
>numeric IP addresses.

I had no problem hitting the web site earlier using the ip address.
Note that it's also possible that ARRL pulled the plug on their web
server without realizing their machine hadn't actually been penetrated.

>So in
>addition to the hijjacking of the ARRL domains, the phoney vulgar pages
>that have been coming up, someone (the same someone[s]?) has no
>apparently launched a denial-of-service attack on both the .org and .net
>domains. Email to adminstrative .org and .net addresses is also
>bouncing. . .

It may not be as bad as it looks. The arrl.org domain appears to be
used as the 'main' domain. I suspect you'll find that administrative
arrl.net email addresses are aliased or forwarded to arrl.org
addresses, and since the arrl.org domain has been hijacked, those end
up bouncing when they hit the mail server the hijackers have MXed for
arrl.org. Check the 'Received' lines on those bounces, not to mention
what machine is actually doing the bouncing.

I'm debating as to whether or not I should call them. Most likely
their tech people are already on top of this, and I'd just be getting
in their way.

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2815. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nmoberg <nmoberg@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <43vags85lbkco1kqqb43kv16m5ur5ut6vu@4ax.com>
Source record: 112728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 06:31:30 -0400 (EDT), "Ben Coleman"
<nj8j@mindspring.com> wrote:

>
>That's probably from before the faked arrl.org DNS records were put on
>netfirm.com's DNS servers. At this point, www, ftp, and mail services
>for arrl.org have been diverted to one of netfirm.com's machines.
>
>>Is it possible this could be going on and they not know about it?
>
>It's possible that none of this is going to show from within the ARRL
>local net, depending on how they have their local DNS servers set up.
>
>Ben

The current site seems to be sitting on the exodus network..

6:Received echo from ibr02-s2-5.okbr01.exodus.net [209.185.9.93] in 11
msec.
7:Received echo from bbr01-g4-0.okbr01.exodus.net [216.34.183.97] in
29 msec.
8:Received echo from bbr02-p6-0.jrcy01.exodus.net [216.32.132.110] in
29 msec.
9:Received echo from dcr04-g4-0.jrcy01.exodus.net [209.67.45.226] in
29 msec.
10:Received echo from rsm02-vlan993.jrcy01.exodus.net [216.32.222.194]
in 30 msec.
11:Received 48 bytes from www.arrl.org [216.32.198.7] in 31 msec.

2816. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.ftkkwt2.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 06:08:23 -0500, nmoberg wrote:

>The current site seems to be sitting on the exodus network..

The current site is netfirms's second DNS machine. The address does
show up in an Exodus netblock(NETBLK-ECI-7). If anyone wants to point
a rwhois client(I don't have one set up here) at Exodus's server, I'm
fairly sure you'll find it's in a sub-block owned by Netfirms.

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2817. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e3vo4$9m0$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Will's right. Just got the same garbage upon going to www.arrl.org/ I've
been online for 13 months and it's the first time I've personally witnessed
hacking at work and now I see what it's all about. Somebody's mad at the
League and I can't understand why, ho..ho..ho. Might be rebellion against
the stance taken on the welfare hams issue? It's however no way to show
possible discontent and whomever is responsible should be kicked offline,
thrown out of the League, banned from ham radio and exiled to Devil's Island
as was Papillon.

In article <39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com>, Will
<catroach@mindspring.com> wrote:

> I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday.
> I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
> the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this
> nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
> brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
> arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL
> has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas. Some of the messages I have
> in to what were previously known good email addresses at ARRL have
> bounced back to me, so I cant check it out with them. I will probably
> try calling them on the phone tomorrow, though this evening I heard
> nothing on the voice bulletin out of W1AW. Is it possible this could be
> going on and they not know about it? Does anyone have any idea what is
> actually going on?
>
>
> de Will KD7BFX
>
>

2818. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <sgb0ojllcdo42@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The sad thing is that neither the ARRL or netfirms has noticed yet,
after 12 hours. That doesn't speak well of the system administration team.

2819. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39058307.1328807@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 23:47:44 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Michael Kellogg wrote
>>Think of all the money we're saving by not paying Airtouch
>>for this call."
>
>Cell phone use is cheap now. But it wasn't always. You don't think there
>were hams out there who used the autopatch as a cell phone because a cell
>phone was too expensive? I've heard some of the unlettered ones actually
>admit it...

And admitting it is of no consequence because it is NOT
illegal, it is not prohibited by any FCC rule.

>>You think the FCC is going to come knocking on my door to
>>pull my license?
>
>Until recently you could commit mayhem by radio and the FCC wouldn't lift a
>finger. Now they're just after the jammers. You're still safe...

And you're expecially safe when there is NO law
or rule that has been broken.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2820. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e410i$p79$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112733

Thank you for the kudos but to be honest, who expected anything close to 127 replies? I always write from the heart and if I can get the guys to think and write, that's what it's all about. I never expect to top the "Elian" post since it's sort of like writing a big hit song, something like the magnificent "My Heart Will Go On" from one of the incredible of all movies, "Titanic." By the way, I miss Celine Dion. Good God almighty, WHAT A VOICE and what a beautiful soul she has. Gave up show biz in favor of taking care of her elderly ill husband while also trying to get pregnant from him which simply ain't gonna work. Yet, trying to impregnate her may make the gent forget about ever being ill? Sorry but I haven't been keeping up to .313 affairs therefore am ill equipped to write about any KC3AU versus ex-KC1ZQ "romance." From what I culled from the PAST is that John is a decent chap who's a dogmatic evangelist while David is just a mangy dog, incapable of being saved by Jesus or anyone else and someone who lives to denegrate persons based mostly on sexual preference which doesn't phase me in the least. In the meantime I'll try to think up something controversial but understand that "My Heart Will Go On" on rec.radio was my crowning achievement, even better than the tender mournful ballad "Oh Herbie" composed by KC3AU.
AF2Y

In article <20000424225520.19052.00003130@ng-fw1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> Attennnnntionnnnn Radiosigs.
>
> Congratulations. Your "Elian Was Snatched" post has generated 127 replies in
> under 72 hours. Now I can't say this is Pulitzer territory, nor can I say it's
> even into Guiness Book territory .. but I can say it's one fine effort. Triple
> digit threads are few and far between. Now, you've generated that in 2 and a
> half days or so. My hat is off to you, sir.
>
> But, alas, the topic is spinning down. Granted, it will be a hard act to
> follow. Such volatile topics are rare these days. But, would you mind giving
> it a try? Maybe some insight on the KC1ZQ / KC3AU dialog / debate could spin
> things up a bit on here. Or a topic of your choice. But, please .. no
> re-posts of David J. Smith or "Prophet" Stair.

2821. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39070B09.E7A431E0@bctv.com>
Source record: 112484

Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
> >
> > FWIW, picture 2 clearly shows the _door_ that Marisleysis
> > later did a show'n'tell on for the media, showing it
> > broken at the doorknob (see USA Today, Apr. 24, 2000, p. A-4,
> > and the CNN video of her little "tour") and on the floor,
> > some hours later.
>
> I was watching on c-band when she and the reporter "rehearsed" her
> tour. They rehearsed what she would say and where she would say it
> three times before it was hyper enough for the reporter.

If you watch a lot of C-band, you see this happen all the time. When I
was a CBS photojournalist, this was almost standard when doing a
"walking tour" interview. So what's your point?

2822. Re: Press using a different photo. ATTN: Keith Wood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <390733B3.B807A585@ahole.com>
Source record: 112485

I don't understand where you ae getting your info unless it is from
some 'extreme' right wing group.

He was reported missing when his 'father' went to his school to get
him and he wasn't there. OK

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > Dwight Stewart wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Keith Wood wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> > > > > gunpoint and it's fine with you?
> > > > >
> > > > How did robbery enter this discussion? We're not talking about anyone
> > > > being robbed. Try to stay with the discussion, Keith.
> > > >
> > > Okay, so long as your wife isn't shot, your niece can be taken from her
> > > at the point of a machine pistol, and that's fine with you?
> > >
> > > I fail to see how this is better, Dwight.
> >
> > No, lets make this more truthful (make this more related to this
> > discussion). If my child (daughter or son) was being held in another
> > country, by distant relatives who refused to return that child to me, I
> > darn sure would want the police to go get my child. And I would not
> > really care if they had to use a thousand men, armored cars, tanks,
> > planes, aircraft carriers, cannons, or nuclear bombs, to do it.
> >
> > Look, when a person starts messing with a child, that person's civil
> > rights is the last thing on my mind. As long as that child is safe, and
> > returned where he or she belongs, I don't really care if the person who
> > took that child goes away from the incident on their own, or in a body bag.
> >
> > In your senario above, your're trying to put my wife in the shoes of
> > Marisleysis Gonzalez (Elian's cousin - the young crying female
> > Gonzalez). My wife would never do such a thing. She would never take
> > the child of one of her relatives.
>
> Nobody took Elian until Saturday.

>
> One thing that you don't seem to understand is that Juan didn't have
> custody of Elian. Elian was born several years after his mother
> divorced Juan -- Elian is illegitimate. He had little contact with Juan
> over the last several years, and the Cubans have offered no copy of any
> report to the police that Elian was missing -- the first that Juan seems
> to have known about it was when Elian was reported to have been rescued.
>
> There is no "nurturing home" for Elian to return to.
>
> > It would be unthinkable. Therefore,
> > there would never be an occassion where police would have to enter our
> > home to take a child back to the parent.
> >
> > Now, if the Gonzalez family thought the father was abusive, or
> > otherwise harmful to the child, then perhaps that would be a slightly
> > different story. But there was no ligitimate evidence that any form of
> > abuse by the father actually occured.
>
> No, only Elian's statements. But then, he is the only one who would
> know, right?
>
> > And the crazy claim that the boy's country might be abusive to him, or
> > that he might be better off in this country, is really stretching it.
>
> If you say so. Please then explain why so many people are trying to
> leave Cuba, despite the high probabilty that they won't survive the
> trip?
>
> > For all you know, Elian could grow up to be the next leader of Cuba, and
> > could live the rest of his life in total luxury. Who knows what Elian's
> > future might hold? But, whatever the case, you simply cannot go around
> > yanking children from their parents because you think something bad
> > might happen in that child's future.
>
> Gee, Dwight, the Child Protective people do this all the time.

2823. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3907172B.D51D217B@bctv.com>
Source record: 112486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Martin Meserve wrote:
>
> Expect even more delays and errors. The current load has to be
> tremendous for the VEs and the FCC.
>
> I upgraded to Advanced about a year ago, when things were not so
> busy. In the process, the FCC had replaced all occurences of
> "OR" in my address with "AZ", my state designator. This changed
>
> xxxx W. North Lane
> Peoria, AZ
>
> to
>
> xxxx W. Nazth Lane
> Peazia, AZ

That's the one to hang on the wall -- would anyone notice? ;)

2824. Re: Press using a different photo. ATTN: Keith Wood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390717D0.CCE1B8D0@bctv.com>
Source record: 112487

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> I don't understand where you ae getting your info unless it is from
> some 'extreme' right wing group.

I dunno, guy, the AP newswire isn't generally considered an "extreme
right wing group."

Except, of course, when it reports on something that the Clintoons don't
want reported.

2825. The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e77ka$e96$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am so tired of reading the word "privileges" that has entered the ham lexicon since the current group of ARRL sad-sacks took over the organization. I never used to read the word "privileges" in the 80's.

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Funny thing is, only a quarter of US amateurs continue to receive the propaganda literature that contains such terms as "privileges" and "Gentleman's agreements". Guess the other 500,000 see it for what it is. More likely they are paper amateur radio operators, just like most of the new upgrades will revert to after a few months of boring QSOs.

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2826. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39072203.88249F6E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112489

> > My analogy is more along the lines of a corporation telling its
> > employees to refer questions about corporate activities to the
> > "official" PR department.
>
> Most corporations don't hold your family hostage to compliance with this
> policy, or threaten you with loss of career (not just job) and even jail
> if they catch you violating it.
>
> There is a big difference, especially in the news industry.
>

Apparently, you haven't worked recently for CBS.

2827. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: caf@agora.rdrop.com
Message-ID: <390724d1$1_1@news5.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 112490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

>In my opinion, WWCR is one of the most irresponsible stations permitted to
>broadcast over the airwaves of this country.

Art Bell calling any broadcaster irresponsible??

Is this the Art Bell twho peddles BS weight loss frauds
but can't control his developing pot belly (notwithstanding that
both of his parents are skinny and Art smokes heavily)???

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2828. Re: Giovannini D2T Stealth Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Tatum <miket@cybatek.fsnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8e78npspq1@news6.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 112491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi!

I'm also looking into this antenna, I would really appreciate a copy of
anything you find out!

I have found that it is cheaper to buy one direct from Italy rather than
through the UK importer,
Waters and Stanton.

Anyways, let me know what you find out about it's performance.

73.

MikeT ...
M0AWS / GB6VR

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:8FDN4.1319$3b2.12523@news.swbell.net...
> Any opinions/experience with this antenna?
> What about online (for real, vs ads) reviews?
> www.allcomelectronics.com/Antennas/Giovannini/index.htm
> Thanks!
>
>

2829. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8e78o5$8q1$1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 112492

Rob -
There are thousands of 2x2 callsigns in use, just as there are 1x2 and 2x1 callsigns - all just as valid. Hams should be somewhat familiar with the callsign allocation scheme, and if not you can edumacate them! ;v)
Check out the FCC FACT SHEET PR-5000 #206-S ("FS #206-S").
http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/csinfo/factsheets.html

Some people feel there is some prestige associated with group A & B callsigns. For example, a non-vanity Advanced callsign indicates that at one time, you passed a 13wpm morse test (whatever that means). As for me, I just like the shorter (4 or 5 character) callsigns.

My call is WA9CQ - a very unconventional call. Besides the obvious 'CQ' reference, the FCC never issued 2x2 calls beginning with 'W'. These became available with the vanity program, and I wanted a unique, easy to remember call. I got it! Some people have asked me if others are confused when I call 'CQ' on CW. The answer is, "I don't know". I've never had anyone comment that they were confused - only that they thought my callsign was great, easy to remember, etc..

So, I think you should go for it. The Vanity headquarters has a number of "cute" callsigns online which are most amusing. Check out http://www.carroll-usa.com/vanity/ to see callsigns like: AB0ZO, AL0HA, K1TTY, K9DOG, W0MAN and even a very brave soul, W1MP.

73, Mike, WA9CQ

2830. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W8EMS@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1813-39072980-41@storefull-128.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112493

Originally licensed in 1965 I wasn't thrilled with a having a KB9 call. While I thought of asking for my old WN9 call I really wanted a 1x3. I now live in the 9 call zone but since I also have a home and relatives in Ohio where I worked for several years, I chose the W8.

After 13 years working in Emergency Medical Services and 2 in law enforcement, the EMS was the logical choice. I'm very happy with the call I chose. Pick something that makes you happy and go for it!

73 de Jim / W8EMS/9

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E-mail: W8EMS@webtv.net or w8ems@juno.com
Home Page: Http://www.angelfire.com/in2/otpreacherman Updated April 18th, 2000.

2831. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1on@arrl.net
Message-ID: <390730d3.11484954@news.gte.net>
Source record: 112494

In <8e78o5$8q1$1@Mars.mcs.net>,
mikebo@Mars.mcs.net (Michael Borowiec) wrote:
}So, I think you should go for it. The Vanity headquarters has a number
}of "cute" callsigns online which are most amusing. Check out
}http://www.carroll-usa.com/vanity/ to see callsigns like: AB0ZO, AL0HA,
}K1TTY, K9DOG, W0MAN and even a very brave soul, W1MP.

There is a Usenetter from Rhode Island who points out in his .sig that he is
trustee for WE1RD.

/JBL (non-vanity KD1ON / 7)

2832. Re: The Privileged Few: ATTN mf_luder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39074E00.C3250894@ahole.com>
Source record: 112495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I remember it being called privileges when I first got licensed in
1966. Are you really a HAM or are you here to just bash the ARRL?

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> I am so tired of reading the word "privileges" that has entered the ham
> lexicon since the current group of ARRL sad-sacks took over the
> organization. I never used to read the word "privileges" in the 80's.
>
> Does AAA go around referring to your driving "privileges" ? How about
> NRA ? No. Yet they can be taken away just as "easily" for purported
> misuses. So why does the ARRL have to go around like a bunch of self-
> loathing sad sacks and chant things like "trying out their new
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> innocent ? So given that logic, you can be booted out any time they
> whisper in the FCC's ear that you're causing "ter-rub-ul" ? I think
> KV4FZ, et al. have proved it's about as "easy" as losing your driver's
> license and takes as long.
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> Maybe it's because the ARRL walks a tight rope. If they don't
> continuously pound the paranoia of band theft into your head, they think
> it might happen and then they'd be out of work. Or, if they don't, they
> would find themselves no longer needed to "guard" the bands and then be
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> in an environment where they've convinced themselves most hams can't
> think for themselves.
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> Funny thing is, only a quarter of US amateurs continue to receive the
> propaganda literature that contains such terms as "privileges" and
> "Gentleman's agreements". Guess the other 500,000 see it for what it is.
> More likely they are paper amateur radio operators, just like most of

> the new upgrades will revert to after a few months of boring QSOs.
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2833. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <##7ATz6r$GA.231@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote
>Does AAA go around referring to your driving "privileges" ?

In Arizona it is written in the drivers license study manual.
A drivers license is a privilege, not a right...

2834. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <29587e00.acdb0c7f@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 112497

Anyone who'd pay for a call sign has packing peanuts for
brains. Oh well, that's why they're called vanity calls.

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2835. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <39073BFB.59E2B600@my-deja.com>
Source record: 112498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote
> >Does AAA go around referring to your driving "privileges" ?
>
> In Arizona it is written in the drivers license study manual.
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Yes, but in Arizona we also say the same thing about spandex.
And you know how much that is paid attention to.

Martin

2836. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <FC5D1E34E031247E.45E60FA4DD77D882.E36BFE8EF1D3F728@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112499
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 17:05:29 GMT, mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:

>
>Funny thing is, only a quarter of US amateurs continue to receive the
>propaganda literature that contains such terms as "privileges" and
>"Gentleman's agreements". Guess the other 500,000 see it for what it is.
>More likely they are paper amateur radio operators, just like most of
>the new upgrades will revert to after a few months of boring QSOs.
>
The really unfortunate part is that the FCC views the ARRL as the
amateur's representative (lobby?) of ALL the hams, not just their few
remaining members....and so does the ITU.

I'm still reeling from the audacity of the FCC to throw their comments
on Morse testing in the trash and do the right thing.....(c;

Larry....Why does a club's magazine cost DOUBLE what the for-profit
magazines cost??
How can a for-profit magazine company own a ham license??

2837. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e7ghb$ep7$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112500

Rob <lilindn@prodigy.net> wrote:
> Currently, I have a 2x2 callsign KD8%%. On CW, many operators are not
>use to hearing a 2x2 (since CW ops never had any incentive to upgrade from
>general to advanced, 2x2s are rare on CW),

Check the license classes of the calls you hear on CW.

>so ops keep asking me for the third letter of my suffix.

It might be your sending...

2838. Re: QST Deja Vu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e7g5a$ek0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>Good golly. I thought I already read the April issue and previous ones
>before. Then I read the May issue.
>
>Here's what I found: ANOTHER article on Dayton (last month had one);
>ANOTHER 2/440 radio reviewed (almost every month has one); ANOTHER
>rehash of PSK31 (several times in the past year); ANOTHER how to do your
>own DX pedition article (several times, most notably on Bosnia). ANOTHER
>ARRL remote controlled amateur drone on "smile therapy", lambasting some
>guy who dared to express his (independent) thought that he won't be
>talking to any new Extras.

Why not write up an article yourself and submit it for publication?

73, Jeff KH6O

2839. Volume control for Regency 7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: JA Moran <john@analon.com>
Message-ID: <390741E2.B63132A@analon.com>
Source record: 112502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I need a volume control / squelch control for a Regency MX-7000 scanner. This is an all band unit (30mhz to 1300mhz with NO GAPS.....

Also need LED lamp for the same. I tried several LED's I found at Trasher but they didn't work well.. prefer something close to an origonal repalcement.

The volume control sticks.. have tried contact cleaner..... had unit for several years... it can be used on a desktop or mobile mounted.... I did have problems with they key panel... I fixed this by constructing a switch grid and wiring the switches the same way the touch panel was wired.....
all I needed was a new touch pad.. but was unable to get this because regency had discontinued this model.... the MX-7000 is only a 20 channel unit....
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2840. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39074979.F9FCBA99@bctv.com>
Source record: 112503

Peter Maus wrote:
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> > > My analogy is more along the lines of a corporation telling its
> > > employees to refer questions about corporate activities to the
> > > "official" PR department.
> >
> > Most corporations don't hold your family hostage to compliance with this
> > policy, or threaten you with loss of career (not just job) and even jail
> > if they catch you violating it.
> >
> > There is a big difference, especially in the news industry.
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>
> Apparently, you haven't worked recently for CBS.

How recently are you talking? I'm not working for CBS at the moment,
but I'm still in the industry, and I haven't heard of them jailing
reporters who don't toe party line.

2841. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004262005240.110-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> I am so tired of reading the word "privileges" that has entered the ham
> lexicon since the current group of ARRL sad-sacks took over the
> organization. I never used to read the word "privileges" in the 80's.

I'm tired of its usage here too. However, privilege is the correct word. The problem is that so many amateurs (or at least a good subset of those here) are arrogant and pompous, so they use it not as a badge of honor but as an insult. This attitude needs to change.

> Does AAA go around referring to your driving "privileges" ? How about
> NRA ? No. Yet they can be taken away just as "easily" for purported
> misuses. So why does the ARRL have to go around like a bunch of self-
> loathing sad sacks and chant things like "trying out their new
> privileges" ?

[Aside: Note that for drunk driving, the driving part is the "privilege" while the drinking (but not to excess) is a constitutional right (via the 21st Amendment which repealed "prohibition").]

What new privileges? The R&O didn't create anything new (except for a "club callsign administrator" which isn't relevent to this context) - it only removed things from the rules.

> Is it because in the ARRL mentality, everyone is guilty until proven
> innocent ? So given that logic, you can be booted out any time they
> whisper in the FCC's ear that you're causing "ter-rub-ul" ? I think
> KV4FZ, et al. have proved it's about as "easy" as losing your driver's
> license and takes as long.
>
> Maybe it's because the ARRL walks a tight rope. If they don't
> continuously pound the paranoia of band theft into your head, they think
> it might happen and then they'd be out of work. Or, if they don't, they
> would find themselves no longer needed to "guard" the bands and then be
> out of work. And let's face it. Who is going to hire a former ARRL
> employee ? Any at Microsoft or Morgan Stanley ?
>
> But in the final analysis, we know why. It's another attempt by the ARRL
> to keep ham radio as undynamic and boring as possible. This is
> accomplished by attempting to instill in potentially "controversial",
> free-thinking operators the notion they can lose their license at the
> drop of a hat for doing things like using bad words such as "damn",
> "jackass" and "shit" on the air (oh my !).

The funny thing is that I hear about these things too happening in other parts of the country, but never around where I am (Southern California - with its "animal farm" collection of operators on the infamous 145.46 and 147.435 repeaters). If the FCC were serious about enforcement, they would have dealt with the problem operators here almost a decade ago. Self-policing is a joke. [So is the ARRL's "ARES" which they maintain separately from the "RACES" rules; the latter being the officially sanctioned emergency sub-service. The ARRL can't seem to live within the rules without attempting to dominate all operation.]

> Just another example of ARRL trying to control the means of "production"
> in an environment where they've convinced themselves most hams can't
> think for themselves.

Arrogance en-masse?

> Funny thing is, only a quarter of US amateurs continue to receive the
> propaganda literature that contains such terms as "privileges" and
> "Gentleman's agreements". Guess the other 500,000 see it for what it is.
> More likely they are paper amateur radio operators, just like most of
> the new upgrades will revert to after a few months of boring QSOs.

I'm not a "paper operator" (as above), but although I am an ARRL VE, I am NOT an ARRL member. Could it be that these other 500k recognize that the ARRL may not actually be in their best interest enough of the time to make it worth supporting? I support them via its testing function but I'm not a member because I often don't agree with the organizations internal or external politics. Furthermore, if we want something done, why use them? I found it a bit more effective to write my Representative in Congress, who happens to sit on the Commerce Committee (The oversight committee over the Department of which the FCC is a bureau), or on occasion, I have let a LOCAL organization (usually one of our frequency coordinators, when I agree with them) deal with an issue in their FCC petitions or responses, etc....

2842. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3907502A.31A896BB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112505

Keith Wood wrote:
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> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > > > My analogy is more along the lines of a corporation telling its
> > > > employees to refer questions about corporate activities to the
> > > > "official" PR department.
> > >
> > > Most corporations don't hold your family hostage to compliance with this
> > > policy, or threaten you with loss of career (not just job) and even jail
> > > if they catch you violating it.
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> > > There is a big difference, especially in the news industry.
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> >
> > Apparently, you haven't worked recently for CBS.
>
> How recently are you talking? I'm not working for CBS at the moment,
> but I'm still in the industry, and I haven't heard of them jailing
> reporters who don't toe party line.

Jailing, no. Threatening, most certainly. And not just reporters.
I had a GM who walked out of his office and threatened, en masse,
the entire staff if anyone even uttered the word, "union," despite
the fact that it's a felony to do so. And if you read the Employee
Manual that was released last year, you'll see some serious attempts
to curtail personal activities, business contacts, and other non
company approved relationships.

Before multiple ownership Corporate passed around a form letter,
and a list of Congressmen and Senators names and addresses,
applicable to everyone on staff. The letters were signed, and mailed
from the station, urging Congress to pass multiple ownership.
Refusal was not an option.

2843. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004262026280.110-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Emory J. Haines" wrote:
> I upgraded on Saturday the 15th like everyone else, mine was in
> FCC db Friday 21 Apr and in QRZ db saturday. KD3DQ

Which VEC did you use? Also, was your CSCE for your credit in hand issued by the same VEC?

2844. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39074E63.87441FD5@bctv.com>
Source record: 112507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> I am so tired of reading the word "privileges" that has entered the ham
> lexicon since the current group of ARRL sad-sacks took over the
> organization. I never used to read the word "privileges" in the 80's.

What were you reading? It sure wasn't 73 or OST.

2845. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004262031290.110-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112508

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000, Rob wrote:
> I have recently been thinking about losing my old callsign to get a new
> one through the vanity callsign system.
> My original motivation was that my existing call is difficult for other
> operators to remember, and causes confusion on the air.
> Currently, I have a 2x2 callsign KD8%%. On CW, many operators are not
> use to hearing a 2x2 (since CW ops never had any incentive to upgrade from
> general to advanced, 2x2s are rare on CW), so ops keep asking me for the
> third letter of my suffix. On phone, the letters of my call all sound
> similar to other letters of the alphabet, so other ops are always miscopying
> my call.
> My original plan was to get a 1x3 K8%%% call without any letters "b",
> "c", "d", "e", "m", "n", "p", "t" or "z" in the suffix.
> While my wife (not a ham) and I were throwing call sign ideas around, we
> both came about the same call that sounded really cool, and Vickie has
> almost begged me to apply for it (it IS available).
> Problem is, it would be a very obvious vanity call. It is a 2x3,
> out-of-district, which would not be assigned sequentially for about a
> century. It has an obvious slang meaning (though not at all objectionable).
> Lately, I've been thinking it would be a great call for Field Day, but
> maybe not for day-to-day use. I've told Vickie she ought to get her
> tech-lite so that she can apply for it herself.
> Does anyone else have personal experience, good or bad, about using a
> "too vanity" call?

With your last thought, maybe you should form a "family club" and then get a
club call and vanity-ize that.....

2846. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004262039270.110-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112509

On 26 Apr 2000, Michael Borowiec wrote:
> ...
> So, I think you should go for it. The Vanity headquarters has a number
> of "cute" callsigns online which are most amusing. Check out
> http://www.carroll-usa.com/vanity/ to see callsigns like: AB0ZO, AL0HA,
> K1TTY, K9DOG, W0MAN and even a very brave soul, W1MP.

You forgot one brave one: K1KE

2847. Re: Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <39075425.591795932@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112510

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 01:35:38 GMT, "RadioFreeSannibel"
<moonree@boron.net> wrote:

>Is ham radio really finished. Has our dwindling numbers
>and lack of volume of new licencees finally caught
>up with our general population of greying heads?
>
>Perhaps page 6 of the May 2000 QST holds an subtle
>answer. On this page you will see a full-page 6-point
>color advertisment for the Pryme UHF HT. Just another
>HT you say? Read the fine print. The Pryme HT is a
>non-Amateur band, 8-channel GMRS radio. (Suprise!!)
>
>I haven't picked up a QST in close to 12 Years. Mainly because
>I found the content therin to be 55% advertising, with the remaining
>dedicated to construction articles using the most esoteric and
>hard-to-find components available. The new QST I found to be a
>bit different, not as thick as before, slightly less advertising and
>some good construction articles tied in with WWW pages for tech
>reference. Not bad. What I did find ominous was the greater number
>of SK listings from before. I sure hope more hams are being recruited
>to fill the gap. Hamfests seem to be alot smaller from before
>also and not as many people either. (I went to Dayton last year an
>attendence was WAY down from my last visit in 89-90)
>
>It seems ominous to me however that QST is now accepting
>advertisments for non-amateur radio gear. I hope this decision
>was purely a marketing one, instead of being symptomatic of grasping
>at straws for members and revenue for a dying hobby (?)

The ARRL is according to various snips and bits in QST and
other places trying to start postition itself as a organzation of
Radio users So the advertising of GRMS or even FRS stuff is not
suprising. As to the number of SK's I like you find it ominnous but
if the ARLL is really doing about the number of hams, it is keeping
the measure a close secret.

Ham fests are down I expect that is part of the fact that a
Newer ham like myself can get NEW gear in many cases for even less
than the OT's want for Used stuff
>
>Len - Florida
>Call lapsed in 79.
>Never renewed. Got disgusted
>since the whole "Incentive Licencing"

>disaster of 65-68.
>
>
>

2848. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: zuch@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e7nqf$15s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112511

In article <39070B09.E7A431E0@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:
>
>
> Jon Johnson wrote:
> >
> > zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
> > >
> > > FWIW, picture 2 clearly shows the _door_ that Marisleysis
> > > later did a show'n'tell on for the media, showing it
> > > broken at the doorknob (see USA Today, Apr. 24, 2000, p. A-4,
> > > and the CNN video of her little "tour") and on the floor,
> > > some hours later.
> >
> > I was watching on c-band when she and the reporter "rehearsed" her
> > tour. They rehearsed what she would say and where she would say it
> > three times before it was hyper enough for the reporter.
>
> If you watch a lot of C-band, you see this happen all the time.
> When I was a CBS photojournalist, this was almost standard when
> doing a "walking tour" interview. So what's your point?

That her little teary-eyed, histrionic display was phony as
a three dollar bill. Just as was the claims of the Gestapo-like
tactics of the agents in supposedly breaking down the door.
If there was anything approaching Gestapo-like in this incident
here, I'd venture to say that it most closely resembled ...
the Reischstag fire. ;-)

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

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2849. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <390760F0.E06987A2@nashville.com>
Source record: 112512

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> If you watch a lot of C-band, you see this happen all the time. When I
> was a CBS photojournalist, this was almost standard when doing a
> "walking tour" interview. So what's your point?

Duh!! I was a street reporter for the Nashville CBS affiliate for a number of years and unlike whomever you pointed your Sony for, we did *not* rehearse news stories...period. Covering points to be discussed...yes. Suggesting how the question would be answered...NO!

2850. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <3907619D.5BEE8BB5@nashville.com>
Source record: 112513

wolf wrote:
>
> Anyone who'd pay for a call sign has packing peanuts for
> brains. Oh well, that's why they're called vanity calls.

Why should you care...they don't license CB anymore.

2851. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e7p56$nm9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Martin Meserve wrote:
> Expect even more delays and errors. The current load has to be
> tremendous for the VEs and the FCC.
> I upgraded to Advanced about a year ago, when things were not so
> busy. In the process, the FCC had replaced all occurences of
> "OR" in my address with "AZ", my state designator. This changed
> xxxx W. North Lane
> Peoria, AZ
> to
> xxxx W. Nazth Lane
> Peazia, AZ

Are you sure it was the FCC? Might have been the VE's handwriting...

2852. Re: Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ux@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e7roh$4qi$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112515

> RadioFreeSannibel <moonree@boron.net> wrote in
message
> news:KJrN4.85295
$q67.1633028@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> > Is ham radio really finished?
> >
> > Perhaps page 6 of the May 2000 QST holds an
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> > answer. On this page you will see a full-page
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> > color advertisment for the Pryme UHF HT. Just
another
> > HT you say? Read the fine print. The Pryme HT
is a
> > non-Amateur band, 8-channel GMRS radio.
(Suprise!!)

Actually, the ad does indeed show a hint about whether or not ham radio is truly headed for the grave. It shows that there is ham radio manufacturer that is willing to put time and money into building radios for a non-ham market, partially in the hope that doing so will expose more people to two-way radio communications. That, in the long term, will lead to more hams.

To some extent ham radio depends upon CB radio, FRS, and GMRS radio. The large bulk of new hams are recruited from the ranks of operators on those "other services," including scanner enthusiasts and shortwave listeners. As a company, we are committed to bringing new people into the amateur radio service from as many other places as we can. Just check out our "other" website: http://www.hamtest.com.

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2853. Re: Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39076D7D.EFFAC305@oio.net>
Source record: 112516

Len,
"Dwindling" number of hams? I doubt that. Lack of "volume" of new hams? I doubt that too, the 'lag' time for processing the recent 'glut' of applications should indicate that the 'numbers', if they are dwindling at all, is a very very slow 'dwindle'.
If it's of any significance at all, the GMRS advertising in QST seems to indicate a 'tilt' of the ARRL toward profits rather than service. That's not really 'new' at all. Perhaps you might substitute "rabid scramble" for the word "tilt", above.
Hamfests do not attract the numbers they did a few years ago. I think this has more to do with the economy, and availability of equipment through other means, than an indication that 'ham radio' is dying. Don't know about you, but paying $10.00 to get in to a hamfest just 'rubs' me the wrong way. (An yes, I know it costs money to put on a hamfest.)
The 'non-ham' gear advertisements? Guess that means you could/should capitalize that "Rabid Scramble" above.
'Doc

2854. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e7q71oqf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112517

wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Anyone who'd pay for a call sign has packing peanuts for brains.

Anyone who posts here who doesn't have a callsign "has packing
peanuts for brains." =:o

"KH6O" only cost me $3.25 per character.

73, Jeff KH6O (ex WA6QIJ, WH6AEQ, NH6IL, KH2PZ, KH6OO, WH6U)

2855. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kld68@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e7uef$7ff$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112518
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I use just a wire dipole cut for 40M as I don't have the space to put up an 80M dipole. The cost was under $20 including the feedline.
Construction is simple: just use regular lamp wire and split down the middle. I used rg-58 as the feedline with a balun made from the feedline connected near the feed point of the dipole. The ARRL handbook has the very simple formulas for making coax baluns.
It works well enough to get me out to Europe, Japan, Australia, Russia, South America, and of course the USA and Canada here in CA with good signal reports.

Hope that helps
Ken

In article <sfmiltjq78n173@corp.supernews.com>,
"Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net> wrote:
> Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have heard of
> several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea which
> is better than the other. My rig operates 10, 15, 20, 40, and 80 meters,
> SSB and CW. I want an antenna for all 5 bands. I am looking to spend no
> more than $100, as I still need a tuner. Any information on this would be
> greatly appreciated.
>
> 73
> Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
> chip1@theramp.net
>
>

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2856. RT Systems closed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <2121d@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <TdLN4.915$%D4.166024@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 112519
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I haven't been in the newsgroups lately but has
anyone heard that RT Systems is going out of
business tomorrow (April 27th)?? They are in
Ala. and Florida and make the ADMS-1E software
for the Yaesu VX-5R, VX-1 and VX-500.

I called them yesterday to do some price checking.
The salesman said that they would be only open until
Thursday which I thought they were closing for Dayton.

No, he said, AES had bought them out last Wednesday
(April 17th). God, I wish I had know! Must of have been
some real bargains.

As it was I had to go to R&L Electronics. They had not
heard about this either.

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****
In two days, tomorrow will
be yesterday!
****

2857. Re: Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17103-39077DE0-22@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112520

W4CSC,

My friend. you're throwing up clay pigeons and then shooting at them. My point was the real dichotomy between the business and personal on ham radio.

Whatever implementing rules have been put on and off the books, an argument can always be made against bypassing commercial enterprise with ham radio. And there are those who feel strongly about that issue.

As the title of my post shows, I'm in tune with the legality of phone patching. We should not whip up controversy where it's absent nor assume our positions are the only ones, as there will always be people with deeper perspectives.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

2858. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: coast@prosperity.org
Message-ID: <3907960A.B37729F8@prosperity.org>
Source record: 112521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Grant

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> everyone.
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> Please let me know either directly at centerpointpc@yahoo.com or reply back
> to the NG post of your feelings on this issue.
>
> Thank You
>
> centerpoint

2859. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e852m$f8e$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

World Wide CRAP Radio..rightwing slobs, instigators, government haters, anti-Semites, militia nuts, phony preachers, doomsdayers, frauds, cranks and Chicken Littles. Come back tomorrow and you'll read my complaints about WWCR. What you just saw were compliments.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <390724d1$1_1@news5.newsfeeds.com>, caf@agora.rdrop.com (Chuck Forsberg) wrote:

>>In my opinion, WWCR is one of the most irresponsible stations permitted to
>>broadcast over the airwaves of this country.
>
> Art Bell calling any broadcaster irresponsible??
>
> Is this the Art Bell twho peddles BS weight loss frauds
> but can't control his developing pot belly (notwithstanding that
> both of his parents are skinny and Art smokes heavily)???
>
> --
> Chuck Forsberg WA7KGX PP-ASEL/HP Skylane N2469R caf@omen.COM
> Omen Technology Inc The High Reliability Software www.omen.com
> Author of YMODEM, ZMODEM, RZ, SZ, Pro-YAM, ZCOMM, GSZ, and DSZ
> TeleGodzilla BBS: 503-617-1698 FTP: ftp.cs.pdx.edu pub/zmodem
> POB 4681 Portland OR 97208 503-614-0430 FAX:503-629-0665
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2860. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e857dvve1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

And to live in Arizona ain't no privilege either. It's a sentence.

In article <##7ATz6r$GA.231@cpmsnbbsa03>, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote
>>Does AAA go around referring to your driving "privileges" ?
>
> In Arizona it is written in the drivers license study manual.
> A drivers license is a privilege, not a right...
>
>
>
>

2861. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3907A3A1.F1BF34E2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 112524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Grunt:
No one died and left you in charge, you self-appointed
little wanna-be usenet cop. Your hysterics used to be entertaining,
but they've become a real bore. Please return to taking your
medication to control your outbursts or your keepers
may return you to the room with the soft walls.
D.S.

2862. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.4.21.0004261635430.13435-100000@uhunix5>
Source record: 112525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Centerpoint": Forty concurrent eBay ads? Are you a commercial
radio dealer? If so, please remember that the "rec" in
rec.radio.shortwave means "recreational." There are more appropriate
venues for posting commercial ads.

Jeff

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 coast@prosperity.org wrote:

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2863. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dyuob <dyuob@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <132b26dc.2a328961@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 112526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

uhhhh, after reading the faq, im struck by this statement ":
Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides
hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test
gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's
the place." it seems to only acknowledge "hams" as having stuff
to sell. guess what? i dont want any ham stuff. what i want is
shortwave stuff. it is different. so, if we have to ammend the
charter i say lets do it. i realize this is not a democracy, but
then again, what is...
now, you might argue that this is not the proper place to argue
these points, but, as the founding fathers of the usa
discovered, theres no place better to start than here. looking
forward to your comments,
dyuob poltice.

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2864. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.4.21.0004261644440.13435-100000@uhunix5>
Source record: 112527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

To "Centerpoint":

I might add that dealers are asked to voluntarily reframe from posting business ads to the rec.radio NGs for the simple reason of preventing hundreds if not thousands of daily business-related advertisements which would flood and distroy the usefulness of these *DISCUSSION* groups. Think of the number of electronics and radio dealers across the country who would love to advertise all their products and sales listings, but reframe from doing so out of respect of the established guidelines. We'd be literally buried in ads if they ignored the charters. Our rec.radio.swap NG, the sales catch-all for the rec.radio.* hierarchy was created with the single-unit buyer/seller in mind; that group, too, would be distroyed if commercial dealers ignored the voted-on guidelines.

You might consider going through the established newsgroup-creation process and propose something like a biz.radio.sales newsgroup, out-side of the rec.radio hierarchy. (If such a group were created, it would probably end up being flooded by other dealers and businesses!)

Sincerely,
Jeffrey Herman (rec.radio.* FAQ maintainer)

2865. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <ezc#NarGA.238@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 112528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote
>And to live in Arizona ain't no privilege either. It's a sentence.

Boy do I wish more people thought that way...

2866. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3907B272.20D5929B@IEEE.org>
Source record: 112529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> And to live in Arizona ain't no privilege either. It's a sentence.

Never been to the Fort Tuthill Hamfest, have we?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

2867. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3907B5ED.E389B9E@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112530

wolf wrote:
>
> Anyone who'd pay for a call sign has packing peanuts for
> brains. Oh well, that's why they're called vanity calls.

Oh, come one, Wolf. That is a little rough, isn't it?

You probably pay for things you like all the time. Didn't you like the car you drive? How about the watch on your wrist? Or the radio you use? Or the computer you're typing on? You liked all of those things enough to pay for them, right?

So what's wrong with paying for a specific callsign that you like? Okay, perhaps paying for a callsign is not for you, but it makes some people happy. And I don't see a thing wrong with something that makes people a little happier.

Of course, I'm biased - I have a vanity callsign.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2868. Re: Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17103-3907B10D-27@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112531

W4CSC, Never a problem. I've posted eroneously my share of times, ha, ha.
Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

2869. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: flyrule <jimchromeNOjiSPAM@my-deja.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <04496fde.02a613b7@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>
Source record: 112532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If this NG was flooded with ads then it would be a chore to read
and it would alter the character of the group. Tho, it doesn't
appear to be headed that way at the moment.

But the specter of mass postings from dealers gives one pause.

An occasional posting by a private party is acceptable to me. But
if we allow the camel's nose in the tent...

FWIW, I bought a DSP-40 from Centerpoint on Ebay a few months
ago and recently bought an item posted FS in this ng by an
individual who lost interest in swl.

Kev

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2870. Re: New Poll - STOP THE SPAMMING OF THE NEWSGROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@tactical-link.com>
Message-ID: <8e8llvcan1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112533
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

GEE Whiz!! .. calm down a little!! ..

Trish
--
Patricia E. Gibbons & Carla Satra
Tactical Link Systems
<http://www.tactical-link.com>
see my comvan at:
<http://www.qrz.com/callsign.html?callsign=wa6ube>
.....
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu:11371/pks/lookup?op=vindex&search=0xEDECB44F>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

<coast@prosperity.org> wrote in message
news:3907960A.B37729F8@prosperity.org...
>
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2871. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3907A7CE.7F24@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112534

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Keith Wood wrote:
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> Dwight Stewart wrote:
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> > > > Keith Wood wrote:
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> > > > > Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> > > > > gunpoint and it's fine with you?
> > > >
> > > > How did robbery enter this discussion? We're not talking about anyone
> > > > being robbed. Try to stay with the discussion, Keith.
> > >
> > > Okay, so long as your wife isn't shot, your niece can be taken from her
> > > at the point of a machine pistol, and that's fine with you?
> > >
> > > I fail to see how this is better, Dwight.
> >
> > No, lets make this more truthful (make this more related to this
> > discussion). If my child (daughter or son) was being held in another
> > country, by distant relatives who refused to return that child to me, I
> > darn sure would want the police to go get my child. And I would not
> > really care if they had to use a thousand men, armored cars, tanks,
> > planes, aircraft carriers, cannons, or nuclear bombs, to do it.
> >
> > Look, when a person starts messing with a child, that person's civil
> > rights is the last thing on my mind. As long as that child is safe, and
> > returned where he or she belongs, I don't really care if the person who
> > took that child goes away from the incident on their own, or in a body bag.
> >
> > In your senario above, your're trying to put my wife in the shoes of
> > Marisleysis Gonzalez (Elian's cousin - the young crying female
> > Gonzalez). My wife would never do such a thing. She would never take
> > the child of one of her relatives.
>
> Nobody took Elian until Saturday.
>
> One thing that you don't seem to understand is that Juan didn't have
> custody of Elian. Elian was born several years after his mother
> divorced Juan -- Elian is illegitimate. He had little contact with Juan
> over the last several years, and the Cubans have offered no copy of any
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> report to the police that Elian was missing -- the first that Juan seems
> to have known about it was when Elian was reported to have been rescued.
>
> There is no "nurturing home" for Elian to return to.
>
> > It would be unthinkable. Therefore,
> > there would never be an occassion where police would have to enter our
> > home to take a child back to the parent.
> >
> > Now, if the Gonzalez family thought the father was abusive, or
> > otherwise harmful to the child, then perhaps that would be a slightly
> > different story. But there was no ligitimate evidence that any form of
> > abuse by the father actually occured.
>
> No, only Elian's statements. But then, he is the only one who would
> know, right?
>
> > And the crazy claim that the boy's country might be abusive to him, or
> > that he might be better off in this country, is really stretching it.
>
> If you say so. Please then explain why so many people are trying to
> leave Cuba, despite the high probabilty that they won't survive the
> trip?
>
> > For all you know, Elian could grow up to be the next leader of Cuba, and
> > could live the rest of his life in total luxury. Who knows what Elian's
> > future might hold? But, whatever the case, you simply cannot go around
> > yanking children from their parents because you think something bad
> > might happen in that child's future.
>
> Gee, Dwight, the Child Protective people do this all the time.

Are you ignoring the reports that Elian's father picked him up from
school every day? This doesn't sound like the story you are repeating
here. And what's this obsession with "legitimacy"? What does that have
to do with anything?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2872. New CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: OKI <geko@redestb.es>
Message-ID: <8e7etv$1g53548@SGI3651ef0.iddeo.es>
Source record: 112535

**********PROYECTO CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000
****
**********LA MEJOR SELECCION DE SOFTWARE DE RADIO AFICIONADO**********

Que es el Proyecto CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 ??

Selección de los mejores programas de Radio Aficionado para todas las
modalidades de Radio
Se trata de la edición anual de un CD-Rom donde esten representados
todos los programas
de Radio desarrollados por Radioaficionados Españoles,además el CD-Rom
RadioSoft/2000
Pretente ser un escaparate donde todo Radioaficionado que realice
proyectos pueda
darlo a conocer de forma gratuita como por ejemplo,software de
radio,kits de radio
circuitos,modems,antenas,receptores de satélite etc..
Otra idea para este CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 es que todos los
radiaficionados puedan
Exponer sus trabajos como si de una Exposición se tratase pueden
incluir en este CD-Rom
RadioSoft/2000 como por ejemplo exponer imagenes recibidas a través de
satèlites meteorológicos
listados de frecuencias utilitarias,imágenes de sstv,wefax etc...

Que contiene el CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 ??

Programas para recibir Mapas Wefax i Satelites Polares
Nooa,Meteosat,Okean etc.. recibelos
en tu ordenador con tu tarjeta de sonido,disfruta de la meteorologia en
tu pc.
Programas de seguimiento de Satèlites los mejores para Windows95/98 o
MS-Dos
Programas de Log para que lleves al dia tus contactos DX o captaciones.
Pogramas para ver las ùltimas estaciones DX conectadas en tiempo Real a
través de Internet
Controla tus equipos de radio y receptores por odenador con los mejores
progamas de CAT.
Se trata de un CD-Rom con programas muy seleccionados y con las ùltimas
versiones Cientos
de programas de Radio ordenados por
categorias,PACKET,SATELITES,LOG,SSTV,CAT etc...
El CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 dispone además de mucha informaciòn
complementaria como
Frecuencias,Balizas Direcciones de Internet por materias inprescincible

para escuchas y DXistas.
Dispone de una carpeta denominda Soft EA con Programas de Radio
desarrollados por Radioaficionados
Españoles en idioma castellano,en esta 2ª edición del CD-Rom han
colaborado muchos colegas EA

Como Puedo Adquirir el CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 ??

Si estais interesados en recibir el CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 podeis llamar
Movil:(649)302362 tambien por via E-mail a tarentola@yahoo.com
indicando vuestra direcciòn
El precio por de cada CD-Rom es de 3.500 + gastos de envio
Contrareembolso

Como Puedo Colaborar en el Proyecto CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000 ??

Muy simple,puedes enviar cualquier información sobre
software,fotografias de Wefax,Sstv
Proyectos,Kits de Radio o cualquier otro proyecto que quieras dar a conocer.
La inclusión de cualquier información es TOTALMENTE GRATUITA !!
Puedes enviar la información a la siguiente dirección:

Proyecto CD-Rom RadioSoft/2000
Apartado de Correos 31
CP-08758 Cervello
Barcelona

NOTA:
ESTE CD-ROM NO CONTIENE PROGRAMAS PIRATA,EN TODOS LOS CASOS SE INDICA
SU SITUACION LEGAL,INDICANDO SI SON SHARESWARE,FREEWARE O DEMO,ADEMAS
EN EL APARTADO DE SOFTWARE EA,SE DISPONE DE PERMISO DEL AUTOR PARA
INCLUIRLO EN EL CD-ROM RADIOSOFT/2000

Saludos

Ramòn EA3CFC y Antonio EA3AHW (Coordinadores del Proyecto CD-Rom
RadioSoft/2000)

E-mail: tarentola@yahoo.com

2873. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: zuch@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e5cja$cu7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112604

In article <3904EBFA.54610FD3@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:
>
>
> zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
> >
> > In article <14026-3902DB6D-14@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> > BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

[snip]

> > > SEVEN sequential photos were taken of the NAZI thug with his gun
> > > pointed at the child in the closet. The press took the less
> > > aggressive photo of the seven. Drudge took the most aggressive,
> > > with the finger clearly on the trigger, the gun aimed at the
> > > child and Elian screaming his poor little head off!!!
> >
> > _All_ the news media took the _most_ inflammatory one. Here's
> > the series, and it shows that the gus was _not_ being pointed
> > at either Elian or Dalrymple,
>
> Try again, two of the pics show the muzzle within the plane of
> Dalrymple's left arm and the agent's right arm.

Ummmm, _which_ ones now? Pictures 3 and 5 clearly show the
opposite. Picture 4 isn't definitive, but certainly doesn't
show what you claim.

FWIW, picture 2 clearly shows the _door_ that Marisleysis
later did a show'n'tell on for the media, showing it
broken at the doorknob (see USA Today, Apr. 24, 2000, p. A-4,
and the CNN video of her little "tour") and on the floor,
some hours later.

In picture 2, however, it is intact. So just who were
the thugs that so cruelly broke her doors?

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2874. Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioFreeSannibel <moonree@boron.net>
Message-ID: <KJrN4.85295$q67.1633028@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112605

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2875. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <D7CE1926195F7E0D.29DAD4A6E284D256.484687812F3EFC30@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112606
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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upgrade on the FCC ULS and has dropped the /AE from his call.

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Why?.......
Larry

2876. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e5ir4$3fn$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112607

On 22 Apr 2000 18:55:04 GMT, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

>Innnn-teresting .. the feds crashed into the home without a warrant,

The warrant was issued the previous evening at ~7:30pm. (ABC news.)

>pointing guns. To take an un-armed child from un-armed relatives. This

There were reports of guns in that home and in an adjacent home. The family now says that all guns in their home were removed three days prior to the raid. (ABC news.)

73, Jeff KH6O

2877. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8e5kjulpp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112608
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

No. But he has some interesting books.
Are you a fan?

By the way... If you have any good ideas, I'm all ears. George also
gives credit for suggestions.

I currently have two knuckleheads that have moved into the neighborhood,
and the neighbors are livid. One is a drug addicted truck driver that is
a real wacko, and the other is a narcissistic landscaper who has grand
plans of using the local government or the homeowners association to
force everyone to use his lawn service through a community contract.

These are the kinds of horse butts that I have to put up with.

Thanks for the kind joke about my buddy Goerge, and have a great day.

Radio Oger

In article <ugi7gscb43253vki6iuoqgtmb67mml25ko@4ax.com>,
Newsgroup wrote:
> Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >Your homeowners association could not deal with my brand of BS.
> >You have no idea how bad and expencive things can get.
> >
> >How would they like a roach colony... or termites
> >Or maybe thier mugshots and addresses in swingers hotline adds...
> >Order a tripple A membership in thier name, and have thier car towed
> >home from work. When they report it stolen, the cops find it in their
> >yard.
> >Thier relative dies and you bring rabbit pellet cookies to the wake.
>
> You sure your real name's not George Hayduke? ;-)
>
> ---
> Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please
post responses to
> this newsgroup.
>

--
Radio Oger
Giving a straight answer every time.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2878. Re: QST Deja Vu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8e5ls0$n6p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <
19E761123C6A7BFC.B6109449E375B190.652FC4B04ACD7A06@lp.airnews.net>,
"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> I wish the ARRL had a non-QST membership.

But then you'd really get nothing.

> It's like cable TV...the first few
> issues are great (first few months of cable TV are great), then it becomes the
> same 'ol same 'ol...

No, cable is worse than QST. Is that possible ?

> Then, if only the "local ARRL" stuff was a draw to stay
> involved and active, the ARRL would have it made. IMHO
>
> Kim W5TIT

If they had a collective frontal lobe, they'd send it via PDF and cut
the price. But then they'd need... staff cutbacks.

> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote in article <8e51enis1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> > Good golly. I thought I already read the April issue and previous ones
> > before. Then I read the May issue.
> >
> > Here's what I found: ANOTHER article on Dayton (last month had one);
> > ANOTHER 2/440 radio reviewed (almost every month has one); ANOTHER
> > rehash of PSK31 (several times in the past year); ANOTHER how to do your
> > own DX pedition article (several times, most notably on Bosnia). ANOTHER
> > ARRL remote controlled amateur drone on "smile therapy", lambasting some
> > guy who dared to express his (independent) thought that he won't be
> > talking to any new Extras.
> >
> > The broad themes are changing but not the content. For example, they've
> > rehashed PSK31 in basic form, mobile form and now basic form again,
> > within a year.
> >
> > We pay 34 dollars for this sort of mindless repetition ? I sure didn't
> > pay 34 dollars for what they did for my interests in Pennsylvania in
> > December.
> >
> > When somebody asked Jon Bloom if they even knew the server we're paying
> > 34 dollars a year each to use was down, the person should have asked
> > whether their editors know what the hell was in QST this month...
> >

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2879. Re: Calling Radiosigs ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000425234731.22875.00002217@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 112610

Nobody should knock Brother John. It's that simple.

2880. Re: Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <f0uN4.85697$q67.1654847@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112611

Yes, for you, ham radio is finished.

RadioFreeSannibel <moonree@boron.net> wrote in message
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2881. Re: Ham radio operators who STEAL CABLE AND SATELLITE are nothing but THIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ganesha Ganapati <ooqpqmnmvwv@ghi0111011100110cx.cx>
Message-ID: <omrcgsosp14fjmr38nb225vspb14ik62j6@4ax.com>
Source record: 112612
Cross-posted to: alt.dss.hack,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Radio Oger <radio_oger@my-deja.com> wrote:

>No. But he has some interesting books.
>Are you a fan?

Absolutely. I have several of hiks works myself. Hilariously funny!

>By the way... If you have any good ideas, I'm all ears. George also
>gives credit for suggestions.

Is he still writing the books? I'm sure anything I could come up with
has already appeared in at least one of his books by now...

>Thanks for the kind joke about my buddy Goerge, and have a great day.

You betcha! Good luck with the horse butt neighbors. ;-)

Note: Spam shields raised (with rotating shield frequencies). Please post responses to this newsgroup.

2882. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000426010320.00590.00008609@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112613

>From: "Too Many Radios" <tmr98765@radionop.com>

Aw, geez...can't you at least come up with an original nickname?

(I hate copycats!)

2883. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e5tf6hkb1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112614

In article <D7CE1926195F7E0D.29DAD4A6E284D256.484687812F3EFC30@lp.airnews.net>,
Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
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I upgraded Apr 15th, it showed up the following Tuesday in the ULS database.
I went to a W5YI session in Sunnyvale CA. I also show up in QRZ and Buckmaster
as an extra.

Heard the ARRL is having trouble with its web site, apparently some clown
messed up the internet DNS addressing info (which figures out where
arrl.org is located in the computer world).
>

2884. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39068929.EE265587@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112615

Keith Wood wrote:
>
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> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> > > gunpoint and it's fine with you?
> >
> > How did robbery enter this discussion? We're not talking about anyone
> > being robbed. Try to stay with the discussion, Keith.
>
> Okay, so long as your wife isn't shot, your niece can be taken from her
> at the point of a machine pistol, and that's fine with you?
>
> I fail to see how this is better, Dwight.

No, lets make this more truthful (make this more related to this discussion). If my child (daughter or son) was being held in another country, by distant relatives who refused to return that child to me, I darn sure would want the police to go get my child. And I would not really care if they had to use a thousand men, armored cars, tanks, planes, aircraft carriers, cannons, or nuclear bombs, to do it.

Look, when a person starts messing with a child, that person's civil rights is the last thing on my mind. As long as that child is safe, and returned where he or she belongs, I don't really care if the person who took that child goes away from the incident on their own, or in a body bag.

In your senario above, your're trying to put my wife in the shoes of Marisleysis Gonzalez (Elian's cousin - the young crying female Gonzalez). My wife would never do such a thing. She would never take the child of one of her relatives. It would be unthinkable. Therefore, there would never be an occassion where police would have to enter our home to take a child back to the parent.

Now, if the Gonzalez family thought the father was abusive, or otherwise harmful to the child, then perhaps that would be a slightly different story. But there was no ligitimate evidence that any form of abuse by the father actually occured.

And the crazy claim that the boy's country might be abusive to him, or that he might be better off in this country, is really stretching it. For all you know, Elian could grow up to be the next leader of Cuba, and could live the rest of his life in total luxury. Who knows what Elian's future might hold? But, whatever the case, you simply cannot go around

yanking children from their parents because you think something bad might happen in that child's future.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2885. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39068FAE.355688CE@oio.net>
Source record: 112616

Rob,
Part of your reasoning isn't true, there are a bunch of
2 X 2 call signs on CW. So, wouldn't worry about that.
It all 'boils' down to if you want the call sign or not.
If you want it, get it. If someone doesn't like it, too
bad. Just remember, your the one that has to 'live' with it.
'Doc

2886. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <390692DC.C35A44B1@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112617

Rob wrote:
>
> Does anyone else have personal experience, good or bad, about using a
> "too vanity" call?

Well, Rob, I've been using a vanity callsign for some time now, and I've not had any real negative feedback about it.

I got the vanity call because the original issued callsign did not really fit my situation. I was a DoD employee for several years, and got the first callsign while living in a state where I worked at the time. Shortly afterward, I moved to another state, and the callsign didn't really "fit" anymore. On top of that, the old callsign was difficult to say (using letters or phonetics), and even more difficult to remember.

So, I figured that since my callsign didn't "fit" anyway, why not get a callsign that was much easier to remember, even if it didn't "fit" either.

Of course, this left the problem of what callsign district to use. Note that I travel around a lot, and don't really have a "home" state in the conventional sense. My original callsign was issued in district 4. When I applied for the vanity, I was living in district 9 for several months. Since then, I've lived in district 4, district 9, and district 7. And, right now, I'm back in district 4 again (and no longer associated with DoD), but a move to district 6 may come soon. I've even lived for a year in Italy since getting the vanity (this fits into this discussion later)

In the end, I simply picked a state. Since I had Texas listed as my official home-of-record at the DoD finance office at the time (no state taxes), it seemed like the natural choice.

As for the letters, the "NET" is rather obvious. I enjoy the interNET. And I enjoy on-the-air NETs. That is a group of letters that are easy to say, and easy to remember. So, with that selected, the only remaining issue was the first letter. That was selected simply because that was the only letter available with the "5" and "NET" not already selected.

So, my callsign ended up being W5NET. I've had a few comments about it over the years. Of course, people on the internet (radio users or not), think it has something to do with the internet (they think I selected it because of that). But, on the on-air nets, people think I selected it because of that. Either way, it works. I've not had many people who were not able to pick up my callsign quickly (even overseas - the interNET is everywhere, even in Italy).

A few people have a hard time with the district number (they like to write down the local district number instead of what I actually said), but most are aware that the number's don't mean much today with the vanity system in place. And, on occasions, my strange callsign number has led to some interesting conversations about travel.

In the end, I'm satisfied with my callsign. I've not regretted the switch.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2887. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e64rd$jp6$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112618

Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote in message
news:390692DC.C35A44B1@sccoast.net...
>
>
> Rob wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone else have personal experience, good or bad, about using a
> > "too vanity" call?
>

MY vanity call usually gets a big "Huh? I don't get it."

Long ago, I was WN4YIQ, and became a tech with N4DCT. Then years went by. I got back into ham radio with more enthusiasm. I decided to make a fresh start, shelled out 13 bucks and got my current call sign. Not trying to fool anyone, I just thought it was a minor hoot to have a cute call. As it turns out, it doesn't even register most of the time. I guess I seriously misjudged the demographic of the average amateur radio operator.

D'oh!

73, Corry
--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
What part of "I don't use catchphrases"
don't you understand?

2888. Re: The Elian thing (evidence to the contrary)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e669v$d3c$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112619

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>What kind of question / remark was that Jeff??

The similarity between his having used the WC everyday and
you using the WC everyday has as strong a link as his desire
for gun control and our government's desire for gun control.

Verstehen Sie?

73, Jeff

2889. Re: The Truth About Welfare Licenses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e66fj$d3i$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112620

CompCnsult <compcnsult@aol.com> wrote:
>For those that want to do Moonbounce or APRS or Packet
>let them become experts in that area. Don't let the 13 wpm code be a
>deadend to
>someone that may have a great contribution to be made in those speciality
>areas.

Thirteen wpm prevented someone from conducting moonbounce work?
Who?

2890. Re: Avoiding cell phone charges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e66s5dgf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Aaron Jones wrote in message ...
>If you get rid of your cell phone and then use the autopatch
>for the *purpose* of saving on cell phone charges you're in violation...

Aaron, I know what you're referring to -- there used to be something
in the regs which stated that we were not to use amateur radio to bypass
commercial communication services. A reading of 97.113 reveals that
stipulation has been removed.
73, Jeff KH6O (on .misc)

2891. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3906D6BC.47F29696@dimensional.com>
Source record: 112622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

David,

Actually, the ARRL site was not touched at all. It was the Network Solutions
site, where www.arrl.org is translated into a physical internet address, that
got hacked. The domain name arrl.org was redirected to the hacker's site.

73,

Marv
AB0IO

David Sinclair wrote:

> The ARRL has been a kind of hard luck organization when it comes to
> computers. Yes, they have definitely been hacked- little doubt of that.
> I'm sorry it had to happen to them. No doubt they will start putting a lot
> more effort into security after they get the mess straightened out. I just
> hope to God that the hackers didn't trash important records, but those
> guys can be pretty malicious if they put their minds to it. I sure hope
> they did not wipe out any DXCC computer records. That's one that
> happens to matter to me. I hope that ARRL did frequent and thorough
> backups! Siiiiighhh! 73, K3KY
>
> In article <39054543.DB09A8E1@mindspring.com>
> Will <catroach@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> > I have been trying to access http://www.arrl.org since 1700Z on Monday.
> > I get a DNS/No entry error back. Also tried http://www.arrl.net, with
> > the same result. This evening, I tried http://www.arrl.com and got this
> > nasty message: "THE SYSTEM IS F**KED Pirate radio 4 life baybee@#^#@
> > brought to you by the Coffe Mother F**kers, werd up." Then I tried
> > arrl.net and .org again and got the same thing. It looks like the ARRL
> > has been hacked by broadcast pirates, alas. Some of the messages I have
> > in to what were previously known good email addresses at ARRL have
> > bounced back to me, so I cant check it out with them. I will probably
> > try calling them on the phone tomorrow, though this evening I heard
> > nothing on the voice bulletin out of W1AW. Is it possible this could be
> > going on and they not know about it? Does anyone have any idea what is
> > actually going on?
> >
> >
> > de Will KD7BFX
> >

2892. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <3906E527.D7AC4167@nashville.com>
Source record: 112623

Rob wrote:
>
> I can't believe how many people replied to this with their own opinions,
> yet not one actually answered his question!

Why? If an Advanced class licensee doesn't know where to operate or at least where to find the information maybe they shouldn't be on the bands at all. I think the retest idea was best of all.

- Jon NU4JJ

2893. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <3906E674.51DC71E9@nashville.com>
Source record: 112624

zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>
> FWIW, picture 2 clearly shows the _door_ that Marisleysis
> later did a show'n'tell on for the media, showing it
> broken at the doorknob (see USA Today, Apr. 24, 2000, p. A-4,
> and the CNN video of her little "tour") and on the floor,
> some hours later.

I was watching on c-band when she and the reporter "rehearsed" her tour. They rehearsed what she would say and where she would say it three times before it was hyper enough for the reporter.

2894. Re: Antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave fraser <fraser@vci.net>
Message-ID: <3906EFAB.8983A6DA@vci.net>
Source record: 112625
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://www.vci.net/~fraser/page14.html

terabyte@sprintmail.com wrote:

> On Mon, 17 Apr 2000 12:33:37 -0500, "Susan" <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
> wrote:
>
> >Hello, I am new to HF and looking for a dipole antenna. I have heard of
> >several different types (G5RV, Double Bazooka, etc), but have no idea which
> >is better than the other. My rig operates 10, 15, 20, 40, and 80 meters,
> >SSB and CW. I want an antenna for all 5 bands. I am looking to spend no
> >more than $100, as I still need a tuner. Any information on this would be
> >greatly appreciated.
> >
> >73
> >Adam Lind, KB9JKE/AG
> >chip1@theramp.net
> >
> >
>
> I built a G5RV from specification founds on the WEB. Drilled PVC
> makes good insulators, 102 ft wire center feed with 34 ft of 450 ohm
> ladder line connected to a 4:1 balun and 50 ohm coax to the tunner.
> Use with an antenna tunner and it works nicely on all 5 bands.
>
> Keith Patterson kc2dgc/ag

2895. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <A26B238B53FF9916.AA0396AE2B153BD8.D443CF9F0FEC93EE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112626

I pondered that question, Rob, before switching my call. The quest to see how small you can get the call reduces your transmit time, which sounds fine. It also makes you more invisible to people listening you want to connect with, on any mode. I wanted an old, original W4 call. I wanted one since 1957 when I got my license. The original licenses have a certain "feel" to them, familiarization I guess, on the air. I was also trying to get one that was very easy to use on PHONE where I would not have to keep repeating the N and M of my upgrade license KN4IM, which I grew to HATE after a few years of repeating it over and over, ad nauseum.

I chose one that combined the whole phone contact into one phrase.... W4CharlestonSouthCarolina....my QTH. Sorry, I'm not much of an egotistical maniac when it comes to my initials. The results have been fantastic! I say it ONCE. They have my call AND my QTH....all in one breath. I make sure I say W4CSC in my 10 min period to keep the bureaucrats happy. But when you're in that pileup, they pick out Charleston South Carolina easy and have it all!

The guys at WCSC-TV also think it's cool and are jealous they didn't get it first....(c;

Larry W4CSC
Get you a REAL, old-time, ham call. Bring your city's namesake HOME!
PS - My second choice was N4SEX which was also open....hee hee.
Not4Sex

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 23:11:06 -0400, "Rob" <lilindn@prodigy.net> wrote:

>
> Hello,
> I have recently been thinking about losing my old callsign to get a new
>one through the vanity callsign system.
> My original motivation was that my existing call is difficult for other
>operators to remember, and causes confusion on the air.
> Currently, I have a 2x2 callsign KD8%%. On CW, many operators are not
>use to hearing a 2x2 (since CW ops never had any incentive to upgrade from
>general to advanced, 2x2s are rare on CW), so ops keep asking me for the
>third letter of my suffix. On phone, the letters of my call all sound
>similar to other letters of the alphabet, so other ops are always miscopying
>my call.
> My original plan was to get a 1x3 K8%%% call without any letters "b",
>"c", "d", "e", "m", "n", "p", "t" or "z" in the suffix.
> While my wife (not a ham) and I were throwing call sign ideas around, we
>both came about the same call that sounded really cool, and Vickie has
>almost begged me to apply for it (it IS available).

> Problem is, it would be a very obvious vanity call. It is a 2x3,
>out-of-district, which would not be assigned sequentially for about a
>century. It has an obvious slang meaning (though not at all objectionable).
> Lately, I've been thinking it would be a great call for Field Day, but
>maybe not for day-to-day use. I've told Vickie she ought to get her
>tech-lite so that she can apply for it herself.
> Does anyone else have personal experience, good or bad, about using a
>"too vanity" call?
>
> Rob
> "Everything I have is Y1.96K compliant"
>
>
>

2896. Re: Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <DDE0E232C55EAB35.533D96910DD3C83C.37D0A74BD0E46629@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112627

God, Bob. You need to come out of that room more often. ATT hasn't had their thumb on top of the FCC for many years. WE even have different long distance companies now, reducing charges to 3c/min from the competition! The only reason that old rule was in place is because Ma Bell PAID someone to put it in place.....

It hasn't been a valid argument for 20 years, now.

Where have you been, Mars??

Larry W4CSC

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 23:34:19 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

>Aaron Jones,
>
>Sure a case can be made against hams evading telephone toll charges.
>
>HoweverAnother case can be made to the contrary: For phone patching.
>Since it has been tolerated for the past 50 years of my licensure, one
>could say it is de facto legal.
>
>These days, I am unaware that it is considered any different. If the
>aggrieved parties, the telephone toll companies, aren't complaining,
>then it is fairly well settled as legal.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

2897. Re: Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <38661B5BBBF65236.D033CF5AE6A5DBE9.625F4C057518394B@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112628

oOPS....i RETRACT my total post. I read your statement exactly
backwards.....

I'm sorry if I attacked you.......(blush)

Larry W4CSC

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2898. Radio Designer software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@uswest.net
Message-ID: <8e71t2qed1@news.netmar.com>
Source record: 112629

The ARRL Radio Designer software (v1.0) doesn't run well on my new computer (ran great on my old one).

Anybody have this problem and solve it? I don't want to keep that old relic machine on the desk just for one app.

73,

Hans, K0HB

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2899. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390708C6.D5910467@bctv.com>
Source record: 112630

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:

> > Well, neither ABC, Fox nor CBS ever issued me a response card for
> > anything. The FCC never required me to memorize political statements
> > prior to being permitted to go into the field for ENG, nor did they ever
> > send shills out to see if I would parrot those phrases when those issues
> > were brought up.
>
> My analogy is more along the lines of a corporation telling its
> employees to refer questions about corporate activities to the
> "official" PR department.

Most corporations don't hold your family hostage to compliance with this
policy, or threaten you with loss of career (not just job) and even jail
if they catch you violating it.

There is a big difference, especially in the news industry.

> Don't get me wrong - I do not in any way
> support the Communist/Totalitarian system of government or the Casto
> Regime. I'm just saying that politics and emotional overreaction by
> expatriates has colorized this whole child custody affair and blown it
> way out of proportion. It's my belief that the best way to fight
> communism is to expose their adherents to lots of Western influences.
> People can see and judge for themselves if given the opportunity. This
> is what would happen if relations were normalized with Cuba and US
> tourism and business interests were redeveloped on the island. The only
> thing preventing this is a bitter and punitive attitude held by those
> "expats" who experienced mistreatment by the current regime.

Well, when you put it that way, the only thing that makes us put some
75-year olds on trial for their lives is the "bitter and punitive
attitude" held by those who experienced mistreatment by the Third Reich.

The Third Reich is 55-years-gone. The Castro regime is still in power,
and there is no indication by any human-rights watchdog group that they
have made anything more than token changes over the last 40 years.

2900. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <39070896.794BDF32@my-deja.com>
Source record: 112631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Expect even more delays and errors. The current load has to be
tremendous for the VEs and the FCC.

I upgraded to Advanced about a year ago, when things were not so
busy. In the process, the FCC had replaced all occurences of
"OR" in my address with "AZ", my state designator. This changed

xxxx W. North Lane
Peoria, AZ

to

xxxx W. Nazth Lane
Peazia, AZ

I emailed the FCC and let them know about the error and asked
to have it corrected. I was sure that the license would not
even make it through the US Mail (although it actually did,
score one for the US Post Office). When they finally corrected
it, they only corrected the city. I wasn't until I upgraded to
Extra, a couple months later, that they finally got the whole
thing corrected.

All I can say is "Good luck on all your upgrades". I hope none
of you run into the problems that I did.

Martin
KB7EQS

N1XTV wrote:
>
> I upgraded to General on Saturday the 15th as well. Hasn't shown
> up anywhere yet, and with the ARRL website down, I can't get
> any info. But the VE's have 10 days to submit, and then the
> VEC at ARRL have 10 days after that to submit, so I suspect
> that for many of us, it'll be a while longer.
>
> When I upgraded on March 08 from Tech to Tech Plus, it took until
> March 31!
> Here's what happened: the FCC "upgraded" me on March 29 from a
> Tech to a Tech! I called ARRL and a VE told me that there were
> "hundreds of errors" for Techs upgrading to Tech Plus. An
> "internal correction" was applied on the 31st and I am finally
> listed correctly as Tech Plus!
>
> ==========

> Michael Shaw N1XTV
> thousandislands@mediaone.net
> Member, NRC, NASWA, ARRL
> and the National Genealogical Society
> ==========
> "Emory J. Haines" <ejhaines@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:8e53s0$hi0$1@bob.news.rcn.net...
> > I upgraded on Saturday the 15th like everyone else, mine was in
> > FCC db Friday 21 Apr and in QRZ db saturday. KD3DQ
> >
> > BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> > news:1b_M4.2565$Aa4.43180@news.swbell.net...
> > > Are all the recent upgrades making much of a difference
> > > in the amount of time that it takes for 'em to show up
> > > in the online license data-bases?...
> > > As-in any idea how long it'll take for mine to finally
> > > 'appear'? ;)
> > >

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I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2901. Re: ARRL website: hacked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Brodbeck" <dmbrodbe@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <8e71vf$lb7$2@campus3.mtu.edu>
Source record: 112632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.ploicy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors Terrence & Phillip <bobnoae@aol.com> wrote:
> Best thing to do is put a password protected
> firewall that *also* reads the unique serial number
> of the Pentium II or III Processor installed within the
> computer that is accessing the page to edit.

--> That'd solve nothing, really, that wouldn't be solved simply by having a unique key on the system, like ssh uses. Having it built into the hardware doesn't really make it any more secure. ssh can use a public/private key pair to ensure a machine is who it says it is. The only easy way around it is to compromise the remote machine and steal the private key -- and if someone could do that, they could just as easily read the processor's serial number and fake that. The big difference is you can change a compromised key. You're stuck with a compromised serial #.

David Brodbeck, N8SRE dmbrodbe@mtu.edu
finger gull@cyberspace.org for my public key block.

"Jazz musicians say only the most adoring things about one another;
actors, generally the same. Only writers claw and spit, even though
nobody cares but other writers, and public opinion of the attackee is
affected not at all." -- Roger Rosenblatt

2902. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39070A78.B17353AB@bctv.com>
Source record: 112633

Dwight Stewart wrote:
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> > > Keith Wood wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Okay, so as long as she isn't actually shot, your wife can be robbed at
> > > > gunpoint and it's fine with you?
> > >
> > > How did robbery enter this discussion? We're not talking about anyone
> > > being robbed. Try to stay with the discussion, Keith.
> >
> > Okay, so long as your wife isn't shot, your niece can be taken from her
> > at the point of a machine pistol, and that's fine with you?
> >
> > I fail to see how this is better, Dwight.
>
> No, lets make this more truthful (make this more related to this
> discussion). If my child (daughter or son) was being held in another
> country, by distant relatives who refused to return that child to me, I
> darn sure would want the police to go get my child. And I would not
> really care if they had to use a thousand men, armored cars, tanks,
> planes, aircraft carriers, cannons, or nuclear bombs, to do it.
>
> Look, when a person starts messing with a child, that person's civil
> rights is the last thing on my mind. As long as that child is safe, and
> returned where he or she belongs, I don't really care if the person who
> took that child goes away from the incident on their own, or in a body bag.
>
> In your senario above, your're trying to put my wife in the shoes of
> Marisleysis Gonzalez (Elian's cousin - the young crying female
> Gonzalez). My wife would never do such a thing. She would never take
> the child of one of her relatives.

Nobody took Elian until Saturday.

One thing that you don't seem to understand is that Juan didn't have
custody of Elian. Elian was born several years after his mother
divorced Juan -- Elian is illegitimate. He had little contact with Juan
over the last several years, and the Cubans have offered no copy of any
report to the police that Elian was missing -- the first that Juan seems
to have known about it was when Elian was reported to have been rescued.

There is no "nurturing home" for Elian to return to.

> It would be unthinkable. Therefore,
> there would never be an occassion where police would have to enter our
> home to take a child back to the parent.
>
> Now, if the Gonzalez family thought the father was abusive, or
> otherwise harmful to the child, then perhaps that would be a slightly
> different story. But there was no ligitimate evidence that any form of
> abuse by the father actually occured.

No, only Elian's statements. But then, he is the only one who would
know, right?

> And the crazy claim that the boy's country might be abusive to him, or
> that he might be better off in this country, is really stretching it.

If you say so. Please then explain why so many people are trying to
leave Cuba, despite the high probabilty that they won't survive the
trip?

> For all you know, Elian could grow up to be the next leader of Cuba, and
> could live the rest of his life in total luxury. Who knows what Elian's
> future might hold? But, whatever the case, you simply cannot go around
> yanking children from their parents because you think something bad
> might happen in that child's future.

Gee, Dwight, the Child Protective people do this all the time.

2903. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: zuch@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <8ea657mtm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

In article <39085439.6764D289@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:
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> zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
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> > > > That her little teary-eyed, histrionic display was phony as
> > > > a three dollar bill. Just as was the claims of the Gestapo-like
> > > > tactics of the agents in supposedly breaking down the door.
> > >
> > > . . .or in beating the NBC pool crew . . ?
> > >
> > > . . .in using riot-control agents on people who weren't doing
> > > anything (across the street) . . ?
> >
>
> > I'll give you the benefit of the doubt, and assume for the moment
> > you're a reasonable person. You figure it out. If the above
> > bluster was -- ummm, shall we say -- a tab oevrblown and inaccurate,
> > might claims of "beating the NBC pool crew" amdd "using riot-control
> > agents on people _who weren't doing anything_" be also just a bit
> > suspect WRT their accuracy?
>
> No, sorry.
>
> From MSNBC: Then, suddenly, a shout came from the
> crowd: "They're here!"
> A white van careened into the media
> area, knocking over a microphone stand and
> nearly hitting a man, who jumped out of the
> way.

Yep. TFB. I'd have to ask WTF these people were doing oout
there anyways.

> [. . .]
>
> They knocked. They identified
> themselves both in English and Spanish.
> "Open up! Open up!" they yelled. After 20
> seconds, they brought up the battering ram
> and " pop! pop! pop! " knocked down the
> door.
> Other agents, carrying weapons and

> pepper spray, ran toward the crowd and
> sprayed. Still others ordered the media to
> stay where it was.

Once again, TFB. What were they doing there? Why did they
have a round-the-clock bunch of people there. Oh, yeah, I
forgot, they said they were going to form a human chain
and not let the feds in. Yeah, I guess I would have said:
"Get them out of the way. . . ."

> [. . .]
>
> Then she lifted him gently into the
> minivan as agents sprayed the crowd again.

A pruident decision. Doesn't sat anything about them "[not]
doing anything". The feds didnb't spay anyone just out at
5:00 AM haveing a barbie on their fron lawn down the block.

In fact, the footage I saw indicated far more than some
passively observing crowd. Fortunately, the quick action
prevented them from causing any _real_ trouble.

I'm not the least sympathetic toward the people complaining
that the raid was done in the wee hours of the morning. Once
again, quite prudent. The people bitching and moaning here
are upset because they didn't try it in the middle of the
day, with thousands of anti-Casto foamers around, so that
there _wasn't_ a big bloodbath. They are bitching because
the operation _was_ so successful. TFB.

> [. . .]
>
> The Gonzalez house was a mess. The
> front door had an ugly gash from the battering
> ram, . . .

You mean the one the put a couch in front of to deny the
entry that they had promised they'd allow? "We'll stand adise,
our hearts will break. . ." *sheesh* These people had
_no_ intention of handing over the boy. They were _never_
negotiating in good faith. Right to the very last second,
they were not going to turn over the boy.

> . . . and a bedroom door was torn jaggedly
> in half. In the corner of the bedroom, a
> framed picture of Jesus sat splayed in a
> corner.

Yep. COvered above. The broken door in the bedroom
was indded Gestapo-like tactics. But, as the URLs
I gave you show, the Gestapo tactic here most closely
emulated was the burning of the Reichstag. The bedroom

door is intact in the second picute of the agent entering
the room, _after_ he came in. It is only later, long after
the agents had left again, that the door is shown broken
on the floor in two pieces. So who broke it? Who _were_
the "jack-booted" thugs here?

And I'm _sure_ that the agents started throwing around
pictures of Jesus just for kicks. But I'll take your
word that _someone_ did. *sheesh* These folks are loony.
Loony enough to throw around pictures of Jesus and
try to blame it on the Feds for propaganda effect, it
would seem.

> Elian was gone.
> It was 5:18 a.m.

> From NewsMax:

NewsMax. Rrrrrrriiiiggght. They're areputable source.
A reputable source for screeching Clinton-haters.

[snip NewsMax screech]

Look at the _pictures_, man, and tell me who is the most
reliable source here.

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2904. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390895E4.E24071F9@bctv.com>
Source record: 112385

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> > I think that when the INS snatched Elian at the point of a machine
> > pistol, they snatched the White House from Gore.
>
> Let's hope so...but, then, stranger things have happened
> >
> > It's really too bad they beat up the NBC video crew, or we might be rid
> > of Hillary, too. We still might be . . .
>
> If she's elected, the chance that indictments will come down, is
> low. Sadly her opponent has announced his diagnosis of prostate
> cancer, and may decide not to run.
>
> That's not good.

Sure. This means that someone else has time to get in there and run, as opposed to finding this out in a couple more months.

2905. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390896F7.F71C0A98@bctv.com>
Source record: 112386

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:

> >
> > What is has to do with anything is simply that there is no proof
> > whatsoever that Juan was a major part of Elian's life.
>
> What is the evidence that Juan wasn't involved in his son's life?

No, sorry, you have to prove that he WAS. Using information not
supplied by Castro or by a source under Castro's control.

> I'm
> pretty sure that there is distortion on both sides of the issue. Kind
> of like the "fog of war". In what way are you plugged in directly to
> the "truth"? You've given an argument that states that we can't trust
> the US government or the press position, but you're using them as
> references to support your argument!

Uh, Perfesser, I'm PART of the media.

I also know a number of people who left Cuba in the last few years, who
have proven trustworthy after arriving here, and who aren't part of the
"Cuban-American community" of Florida. I've never been to Florida.

I base my opinions of Cuba on what I am told by these people. What I
find absolutely astonishing is that so many people who idolize JFK
ignore his statements about Castro and Cuba.

2906. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39089814.55E537A4@bctv.com>
Source record: 112387

Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > During the walkthroughs, reporters generally go over what will be
> > discussed at which point.
>
> No problem here...assuming the "discussion" doesn't coach the
> interviewee.

This is always a problem, isn't it? Some photojournalists are better at not doing this than others. Someday I will find a reporter who doesn't do this.

> > I've known a number of big-name talking heads
> > who coached their interviews at one time or another.
>
> MAJOR problem here. This moves it from interview to press release. Do
> you also super "Vote For Joe Blow" during the entire piece??

HAHAHAHAHAH

I'm thinking more along the lines of "I'm going to bring up _____ . . ."

> > I didn't see the skylink stuff, so I don't know what exactly was said,
> > but the simple fact that there was a walkthrough isn't sinister in
> > itself.
>
> I repeat since you've missed it three times...It wasn't a "walkthrough"
> it was a rehearsal until the decibel level got high enough to suit the
> "news" team.

Okay. As I said, I didn't see it.

> > What I find a lot MORE sinister was the unprovoked and disabling
> > physical attack on the pool camera team, and the likewise unprovoked
> > riot gas attack on the people across the street.
>
> Guess its all in the eyes of the beholder. I have seen views from a
> number of camera positions that evidently weren't physically attacked
> and kept rolling.

Yep. Across the street. Nothing from the NBC/pool photojournalist, who was in the house.

> I also saw the genesis of an unruly mob heading for
> the scene throwing various objects that was met with a measured
> response.

Watch the whole roll again. INS showed up and immediately began
spraying the crowd (and some of the media folks) across the street, OVER
the barricades.

> This is the first time I can remember supporting an action of this
> administration, but my frustration with the neverending histrionics of
> the "Miami relatives" has reached its limit. I'm tired of "negotiating"
> the law.
>
> We see the event through different eyes. So be it.

Yep. Perhaps you should read what Dershowitz and "Lefty Larry" Tribe
had to say about it.

2907. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3908A0D8.7120D620@bctv.com>
Source record: 112388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

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> In article <39085439.6764D289@bctv.com>,
> kw@bctv.com wrote:
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> > zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
> >
> > > > > > That her little teary-eyed, histrionic display was phony as
> > > > > > a three dollar bill. Just as was the claims of the Gestapo-like
> > > > > > tactics of the agents in supposedly breaking down the door.
> > > > >
> > > > > . . .or in beating the NBC pool crew . . ?
> > > > >
> > > > > . . .in using riot-control agents on people who weren't doing
> > > > anything (across the street) . . ?
> > > >
> > >
> > > I'll give you the benefit of the doubt, and assume for the moment
> > > you're a reasonable person. You figure it out. If the above
> > > bluster was -- ummm, shall we say -- a tab oevrblown and inaccurate,
> > > might claims of "beating the NBC pool crew" amdd "using riot-control
> > > agents on people _who weren't doing anything_" be also just a bit
> > > suspect WRT their accuracy?
> >
> > No, sorry.
> >
> > From MSNBC: Then, suddenly, a shout came from the
> > crowd: "They're here!"
> > A white van careened into the media
> > area, knocking over a microphone stand and
> > nearly hitting a man, who jumped out of the
> > way.
>
> Yep. TFB. I'd have to ask WTF these people were doing oout
> there anyways.

Well, the news people are PAID to be there. The others were exercising
their Constitutional right of peaceable assembly.

Or are you now going to claim that the INS had a warrant to check for
curfew violations?

> > [. . .]
> >
> > They knocked. They identified
> > themselves both in English and Spanish.
> > "Open up! Open up!" they yelled. After 20
> > seconds, they brought up the battering ram
> > and " pop! pop! pop! " knocked down the
> > door.
> > Other agents, carrying weapons and
> > pepper spray, ran toward the crowd and
> > sprayed. Still others ordered the media to
> > stay where it was.
>
> Once again, TFB. What were they doing there? Why did they
> have a round-the-clock bunch of people there. Oh, yeah, I
> forgot, they said they were going to form a human chain
> and not let the feds in. Yeah, I guess I would have said:
> "Get them out of the way. . . ."

Ah, I see. You would probably also have been the guy who slammed the
oven door, huh?

> > [. . .]
> >
> > Then she lifted him gently into the
> > minivan as agents sprayed the crowd again.
>
> A pruident decision. Doesn't sat anything about them "[not]
> doing anything". The feds didnb't spay anyone just out at
> 5:00 AM haveing a barbie on their fron lawn down the block.

What if your son had been, say, the PAPERBOY, delivering the Miami
Herald? Would you feel so "who-cares" then?

> In fact, the footage I saw indicated far more than some
> passively observing crowd. Fortunately, the quick action
> prevented them from causing any _real_ trouble.
>
> I'm not the least sympathetic toward the people complaining
> that the raid was done in the wee hours of the morning. Once
> again, quite prudent.

And a violation of a promise by the President of the United States to a
senator who happened to be a member of HIS OWN PARTY.

> The people bitching and moaning here
> are upset because they didn't try it in the middle of the
> day, with thousands of anti-Casto foamers around, so that
> there _wasn't_ a big bloodbath. They are bitching because
> the operation _was_ so successful. TFB.

Yep. The Jews are bitching about the Holocaust because the operation
was so successful, but don't bother YOU with it, huh?

> > [. . .]
> >
> > The Gonzalez house was a mess. The
> > front door had an ugly gash from the battering
> > ram, . . .
>
> You mean the one the put a couch in front of to deny the
> entry that they had promised they'd allow? "We'll stand adise,
> our hearts will break. . ." *sheesh* These people had
> _no_ intention of handing over the boy. They were _never_
> negotiating in good faith. Right to the very last second,
> they were not going to turn over the boy.

Thank you for your expertise, Herr Goebbels. Please explain this to the negotiators who were on the phone with them at that moment, who say the exact opposite.

> > . . . and a bedroom door was torn jaggedly
> > in half. In the corner of the bedroom, a
> > framed picture of Jesus sat splayed in a
> > corner.
>
> Yep. COvered above. The broken door in the bedroom
> was indded Gestapo-like tactics. But, as the URLs
> I gave you show, the Gestapo tactic here most closely
> emulated was the burning of the Reichstag. The bedroom
> door is intact in the second picute of the agent entering
> the room, _after_ he came in.

Ah, so you assume that there was only one bedroom door. Of course, all those Cubans could NEVER afford a REAL home!

> It is only later, long after
> the agents had left again, that the door is shown broken
> on the floor in two pieces. So who broke it? Who _were_
> the "jack-booted" thugs here?
>
> And I'm _sure_ that the agents started throwing around
> pictures of Jesus just for kicks. But I'll take your
> word that _someone_ did. *sheesh* These folks are loony.
> Loony enough to throw around pictures of Jesus and
> try to blame it on the Feds for propaganda effect, it
> would seem.

Perhaps so. And maybe they hired someone to put on INS ninja suits to beat the NBC cameraman, buttstroke his sound man, and to wave machineguns in everyone's faces.

After all, anyone who disagrees with you is part of the "Vast Right-Wing Conspiracy," right?

I wonder what JFK would say about all this?

2908. OX2K EME DXpedition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: fj@cfjensen.dk
Message-ID: <3908a441.47129055@news.cybercity.dk>
Source record: 112389

Interested in making a new one on EME?
Please visit http.//www.qsl.net/OX2K

2909. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don MacMillan <dmacmillan@*NO>
Message-ID: <9R1O4.19580$QX1.843039@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 112390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8e852m$f8e$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> World Wide CRAP Radio..rightwing slobs, instigators, government haters,
> anti-Semites, militia nuts, phony preachers, doomsdayers, frauds, cranks
and
> Chicken Littles.

But then the question comes.... Should the government do anything to stop
such broadcasting? ...or do you support free speech, nut-cases and all?

DM

2910. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <0o2O4.14515$wM3.147758@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 112391

I was kind of hoping, not seeing a "Doc" post for a few days, that he got
his jockey shorts caught in his jogging machine and that was the end of him.
Gerd, W2ISB

2911. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000427182022.19169.00000092@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 112392

Doc LOVES Clinton and that's all there is to it. Like the 'ol saying goes, love is blind.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

2912. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3908BD5B.94D412DD@icss.net>
Source record: 112393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones wrote:

> Brian wrote
> > After these new hams have
> >40 years of experience, they'll know just as much as or more than the old
> >hams with 40 years of experience.
>
> So why have a pretend test at all? Why not just give them a booklet of rules
> with the license pasted in the back cover. In 40 years they'll know just as
> much...

Of course, there are all those intervening years where we are supposed to be accountable for our emissions and behavior.

2913. Re: KE6HN WACKO / L.A.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eagr1$30g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112394

In article <390875f8.307093@news.earthlink.net>,
zyzxx@baker.com wrote:

> Not only can NO ONE copy it, but if you go to the location mentioned
> in the CW, it is no longer accessible...

Didn't you say NO ONE can copy it? So where did you get the location? I know; you taped it at 15 and played it back at 3 3/4. No, that still would have been too fast. You must have done it twice.

> What a moron....

You seem more like the moron. Why do you think a single soul on this ng cares?

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2914. Re: RT Systems closed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert C. Cain" <robert.cain@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eag52$vl6$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112395
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

<<SNIFF>> Sad, them going out of business. I bought my first radio from them. Of course, this was just last year, but still... They had good support, and the people knew their equipment.

I tried to call their Fla store to order a radio they had in stock. Unfortunately, it took me so long to talk the YL into it that I missed the shipping window. Arrrgh. Guess I'll just have to wait until the Hamfest in Birmingham next weekend (May 6/7).

It's odd that AES would buy them out, then promptly close the stores. Normally, when you buy out someone you are looking to expand your business into new locations. It's almost as if AES just wanted to get rid of the competition and get some inventory, rather than expand. Has AES made any formal announcements on the subject?

Robert, KG4FGN

"N9NWO" <2121d@GTE.net> wrote in message
news:c8_N4.245$4A6.80877@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net...
> From: Christopher Michael Best <bestc@email.uah.edu>
>
> : No, he said, AES had bought them out last Wednesday
> : (April 17th). God, I wish I had know! Must of have been
> : some real bargains.
>
> I live in Huntsville and stopped by the store this week. The prices
of
> most items were at best 5% off of what they were normally selling for. It
> seems that AES would like to absorb RT's inventory rather than sell it
> off. It is going to be different not having a local ham store in town.
>
> Christopher Best KB3DXR

2915. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3908C550.29DF3575@icss.net>
Source record: 112396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:

> And to live in Arizona ain't no privilege either. It's a sentence.

"I asked for a mission, and for my sins they gave me one."

2916. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8eagg3$2f17$1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 112397

In article <39086B2F.E5D4AE13@nashville.com>,
Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com> wrote:
>BOB ZUIKER wrote:
>>
>> I don't think you can get an out of district vanity call.
>
>Unfortunately, your thinking is wrong.

Will the FCC issue KH, KL and KP callsigns to hams in the continental US? IMHO, they shouldn't... We all know these are for Hawaii, Alaska, and Puerto Rico. But then I don't think they should issue out of district calls at all.
- Mike, WA9CQ

2917. VOX Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: justindd@iastate.edu
Message-ID: <8eah28$2oi$2@news.iastate.edu>
Source record: 112398

Please email me (ki0ob@arrl.net) if you have a diagram for a vox circuit that can be connected to any audio sorce (mic, tnc, etc)....I don't need one perfectly for any special radio, just need to have wires PTT, MIC, GRND and I can deal with the rest, but I am using a HTX-202 if someone already has something that uses the 2.2k resistor in the keyline....

TNX
KI0OB

2918. KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sherinsmiami@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10910-3908E396-111@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112399

Herbie may be number 1. As a contester, he is world renowned, as an intellect, he is seldom matched, for lifestyles, he is the envy of many.

But he remains woefully without contrition, a captive of his own self-denial. While careful legal analysis shows great cases in law, they are bankrupt factually. Herb, no kingpin of crime, cannot bring himself to admit his de minimus tinkering with Calls and his subsequent lack of candor with the Commission.

Long ago he could have said: "No, I did not defraud Calls nor take anything from them. But I used bad judgement; I hacked with Calls' security system. And for that, I sincerely apologize."

A simple statement yet an impossible one for Herb, it would have prevented adverse consequences from the moment it was issued. The judges were waiting for like words.

In my view, all the legal arguments in the world, no matter how efficacious, cannot overcome his lack of factual admission and contrition.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

2919. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Coyotes of the Canyon <fdecker@catskill.net>
Message-ID: <sghr88a17qo166@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112400

">
> Don, elevate yourself a bit. Educate yourself
> also. Check out your local NPR affiliate on
> the lower-half of the FM Band in your area
> during the daytime. You will find much edifying
> and informative programming that will give
> you a MUCH better perspective over the pabulum
> for the masses which so characterizes AM/FM
> radio today.

OK, what did I learn on NPR last July?
That the CIA introduced Dengue Fever to Cuba in the 1980's in order to reduce the population there. (Dengue is not endemic to the island.)
Now, did anyone mention the 10s of thousands of Cuban "advisors," er, mercenaries, rotated into Angola, Mozambique, Zambia, Zimbabwe, ex-Congo Francais, and Nicaragua during the 1980s? Or that Dengue IS endemic in some of those areas?!
!@#$ NO!!!
Now, what network do the card-carrying Communists and Socialists I know listen to?
THAT'S RIGHT, NPR!!!
And what do they say about the Cuban advisors?
That they were a Socialist Peace Corps!
And where did they learn this?
THAT'S RIGHT, NPR!!!
Now, what I'd like to know is, how do you plant corn with an AK-47, or irrigate it with a T-55 Main Battle Tank?

2920. Re: Re a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eaqi1$m6u$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112401

Regarding the post by Frog Remailer, when I checked the source I saw the
following:

Comments: This message probably did not originate from the above address.
It was automatically remailed by one or more anonymous mail
services.
You should NEVER trust ANY address on Usenet ANYWAYS: use PGP !!!
Mail complaints to the URL above

This tells me you're a yellow spineless jellyfish who's good for NOTHING. I
take criticism from MEN, not anonymous hit and run yellow spineless
jellyfish. It's people like YOU who ruin this country since you're no better
than those creeps hiding in sheets and pillowcase head covers. The best
thing you can do is to leave this forum forever and go find yourself a board
for invertebrates.
AF2Y, Doc

In article <4CC46A53F8C@127.0.0.1>, Frog <FrogRemailer@NoReply.org> wrote:

> You _cant_ be serious.
>
> This is a free-to-express-your-opinion nation moreover, it is
> a global ng. Report to the FBI and ATF? I hope they come kick your
> pansy pinko butt, you communist dumbass
AND SO FORTH AND SO ON GARBAGE!
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>
>

2921. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eaql4$k6i$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112402

In other words he a guilty s.o.b.

In article <10910-3908E396-111@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
sherinsmiami@webtv.net (Robert Sherin) wrote:

> Herbie may be number 1. As a contester, he is world renowned, as an
> intellect, he is seldom matched, for lifestyles, he is the envy of many.
>
> But he remains woefully without contrition, a captive of his own
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> they are bankrupt factually. Herb, no kingpin of crime, cannot bring
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> efficacious, cannot overcome his lack of factual admission and
> contrition.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

2922. Re: Say goodbye Herbie!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eaqog$9o1$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Apparently this is from a goy posing as a Jew since the word is spelled
"bagel," not "bagle."

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In article <ZwXN4.386$g4.4014@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Bagle
Bernie" <bagleman8@florida.tampa.com> wrote:

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>
> SAY GOODBYE HERBIE !
>
> You hemorrhoid in the
> bung-ring of ham radio
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>
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2923. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eaqsc$9o1$2@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112404

You want to know about my jockey shorts, Gertie? Ask your wife.

In article <0o2O4.14515$wM3.147758@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>, "Gerd Henjes" <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com> wrote:

> I was kind of hoping, not seeing a "Doc" post for a few days, that he got
> his jockey shorts caught in his jogging machine and that was the end of him.
> Gerd, W2ISB
>
>

2924. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ear2aqql1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112405

That's right and you hate Clinton and that's all there is to it and like the saying goes, "You're a dope."

In article <20000427182022.19169.00000092@ng-ci1.aol.com>, kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Doc LOVES Clinton and that's all there is to it. Like the 'ol saying goes, love
> is blind.
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
>

2925. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3908F06E.47803CB6@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112406

wolf wrote:
>
> Dwight, you made me laugh a little. Actually, I haven't had
> a vehicle in my name in over 30 years (no vanity plate). The
> xyl is a dealership manager. She even picked out the HP pc!
> She even buys my watches and clothes. Friend, I'm totally
> spoiled rotten. Oh, I did buy the ten-tecs however. 73
> G "Boy Wonder" Wolf aka KZ5B

Okay, I see you're going to be a hard case. I could go on trying to name things you might have paid for because you like it, but that could take a while (especially in your case).

Obviously, you like your wife (heck, I like your wife), but I don't know if you paid for her (keep your mind out of the gutter - I was talking about the marrage license, etc).

Anyway, you get the idea of what I was saying.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

2926. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3908F0AC.7D89F7DD@oio.net>
Source record: 112407

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Doc LOVES Clinton and that's all there is to it. Like the 'ol saying goes, love
> is blind.
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
>

Could you be just a bit more specific, there's more than one
'Doc on here. This one does NOT love 'your' president.
'Doc

2927. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3908F750.749597C9@oio.net>
Source record: 112408

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> In other words he a guilty s.o.b.
>
> ----------
Very well put.
'Doc (2)

2928. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3908D69C.56C6@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112409

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
>
> > >
> > > What is has to do with anything is simply that there is no proof
> > > whatsoever that Juan was a major part of Elian's life.
> >
> > What is the evidence that Juan wasn't involved in his son's life?
>
> No, sorry, you have to prove that he WAS. Using information not
> supplied by Castro or by a source under Castro's control.
>
> > I'm
> > pretty sure that there is distortion on both sides of the issue. Kind
> > of like the "fog of war". In what way are you plugged in directly to
> > the "truth"? You've given an argument that states that we can't trust
> > the US government or the press position, but you're using them as
> > references to support your argument!
>
> Uh, Perfesser, I'm PART of the media.
>
> I also know a number of people who left Cuba in the last few years, who
> have proven trustworthy after arriving here, and who aren't part of the
> "Cuban-American community" of Florida. I've never been to Florida.
>
> I base my opinions of Cuba on what I am told by these people. What I
> find absolutely astonishing is that so many people who idolize JFK
> ignore his statements about Castro and Cuba.

During discussions of this that have been going on in our faculty club, it seems (anecdotally) that most of the Cuban-Americans that we know are vehemently (and uncharacteristically) in support of the "Miami Relative" position. These same people are generally very moderate about their politics and opinions. It's interesting to note that from this same body of samples, most people from other Caribbean islands (including Puerto Rico) tend to side with the US Government position. There is something about this issue that really lights up Cuban expatriates.

While I believe that there is more than meets the eye about this whole thing, it's important that the US goverment not be successfully held hostage by a small group of protesters with extreme opinions.

By the way, I consider myself to be a conservative on most issues.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2929. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <cdmoore@kconline.com>
Message-ID: <8eau79$2ppb$1@nix2.kconline.com>
Source record: 112410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Sounds like last months coast to coasts lineup of guests. Are you sure you looked at the right list?

> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8e852m$f8e$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> > World Wide CRAP Radio..rightwing slobs, instigators, government haters,
> > anti-Semites, militia nuts, phony preachers, doomsdayers, frauds, cranks
> and
> > Chicken Littles.
>
> But then the question comes.... Should the government do anything to stop
> such broadcasting? ...or do you support free speech, nut-cases and all?
>
> DM
>
>

2930. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3150-390904DF-13@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112411

Doc,

Wait a minute. Guilty of what? Remember, we are talking here a felony count and an administrative action wherein he was found to have lacked candor in front of the FCC.

But it could have been avoided.

Legally, he cannot be guilty of "possession of a counterfeit access device with intent to defraud," because no such device was identified at his trial. Numbers in his head is too vague a concept to stand up under the law--and there was no one number described or entered into evidence. If he had acted forthrightly before the FCC, he wouldn't be facing license non-renewal of his ham license.

Even in his defense, he has performed anathema to his own interest, demonstrating more of a potential personality disorder than the legal culpability he has ordained.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

2931. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chip <chipNOSPAM@superlink.net>
Message-ID: <8eb1rv$1s3u$1@earth.superlink.net>
Source record: 112412

DXer wrote:
>
> I agree with Rob, only 2 people answered Lee's question. All of you genius
> hams with the smart a** answers dont think at all, you just have to insert
> garbage.
> Could it be that he has been a licensed ham since the 60s or 70s and was
> inactive for the last number of years and thought this newsgroup was quickest
> way to get the answer.
> I wonder how many of you genuis hams know the sub bands that you can operate
> on all frequencies that we hams have. For example I doubt you would know where
> the novice sub band is on the 1.2 ghz band is.
> Craig
>
>
>
> >Why? If an Advanced class licensee doesn't know where to operate or at
> >least where to find the information maybe they shouldn't be on the bands
> >at all. I think the retest idea was best of all.
> >
> >- Jon NU4JJ

1270-1295 mhz
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One of the greatest labor-saving inventions of today is
tomorrow.

2932. VHF/UHF repeater coverage in Death Valley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: msarrelnospam@pacificnet.net
Message-ID: <msarrelnospam-ya02408000R2704002108430001@news.pacificnet.net>
Source record: 112413

Hi. I'll be spending a few days in Death Valley soon and would really like to have VHF/UHF communication in case I need road side assistance, etc.

Are there any such repeaters that cover Death Valley? I looked at a map and the repeater directory for Inyo County and could find precious few. The ones that were there seemed to be mostly to the West of the park. It's not clear how much coverage the Valley gets from them, though. There seem to be mountains in the way.

If there are repeaters, what sort of rig would I need to hit them? HT? (<10 Watts) Mobile? (<50 Watts) Think vertical antenna mounted on my car roof. And what parts of the Valley would be covered?

Thanks,

Marc N7OLI

2933. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eb42c$5vk$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112414

Coyotes of the Canyon <fdecker@catskill.net> wrote in message
news:sghr88a17qo166@corp.supernews.com...

> Now, what I'd like to know is, how do you plant corn with an AK-47, or
> irrigate it with a T-55 Main Battle Tank?

Silly. You plant corn with an Uzi. AK-47s, those are for soybeans. Everybody
knows that.

HTH.
Corry

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
What part of "I don't use catchphrases"
don't you understand?

2934. Death Valley Repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: msarrelnospam@pacificnet.net
Message-ID: <msarrelnospam-ya02408000R2704002210360001@news.pacificnet.net>
Source record: 112415

I checked the repeater directory and a map, but could find no repeaters that looked like they cover Death Valley. Are there any? I'll be travelling there soon and I want to have VHF/UHF communications in case I need roadside assistance.

What sort of rig would I need? HT? (<10 Watts) Mobile? (<50 Watts) Think vertical antenna on the roof of my car. What parts of the Valley do they cover?

Thanks,

Marc
N7OLI

2935. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dxer@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000426210105.16437.00002021@ng-cv1.aol.com>
Source record: 112536

I agree with Rob, only 2 people answered Lee's question. All of you genius hams with the smart a** answers dont think at all, you just have to insert garbage.
Could it be that he has been a licensed ham since the 60s or 70s and was inactive for the last number of years and thought this newsgroup was quickest way to get the answer.
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Craig

>Why? If an Advanced class licensee doesn't know where to operate or at
>least where to find the information maybe they shouldn't be on the bands
>at all. I think the retest idea was best of all.
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>- Jon NU4JJ

2936. Re: Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <835DE41BAA30D25A.5E19FC5093E5F64B.49B310D8F0E7F682@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112537

My mistake....very sorry...ok?

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 19:38:08 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>W4CSC,
>
>My friend. you're throwing up clay pigeons and then shooting at them.
>My point was the real dichotomy between the business and personal on ham
>radio.
>
>Whatever implementing rules have been put on and off the books, an
>argument can always be made against bypassing commercial enterprise with
>ham radio. And there are those who feel strongly about that issue.
>
>As the title of my post shows, I'm in tune with the legality of phone
>patching. We should not whip up controversy where it's absent nor
>assume our positions are the only ones, as there will always be people
>with deeper perspectives.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

2937. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <39079e22.181578409@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112538

On Mon, 24 Apr 2000 22:49:16 GMT, jdouglas@timewave.com (John Douglas)
wrote:

>It takes a village to raise a child... Hillary Clinton
>
>It takes a swat team to raise a child,,,,, Janet Reno

Don't you mean Darth Reno's Storm Troopers?

Rick

2938. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: madnomad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <39084955.9259649@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 21:28:27 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>World Wide CRAP Radio..rightwing slobs, instigators, government haters,
>anti-Semites, militia nuts, phony preachers, doomsdayers, frauds, cranks and
>Chicken Littles. Come back tomorrow and you'll read my complaints about
>WWCR. What you just saw were compliments.
>AF2Y,Doc
>
>----------

I thought all those guys migrated to WGTG.

Mad Nomad

2939. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3907a15c.4566658@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 112540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 23:05:30 -0600, Trey Thompson <trey@dtgnet.com>
wrote:

>> Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
>> communications value is obsolete. We keep hearing about how the hams
>> will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
>> one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
>> competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
>> redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil. The weak
>> spots in telecom are all exposed to weather, as in outside plant, and
>> with current diverse routing, even they aren't that weak. Once apon a
>> time when there was ONE local phone company and ONE national connector,
>> the chances of failure were much greater, and even then, it never really
>> happened.
>
>Barry,
> Just thought I'd let you know that we lost both cell and land phone
>capability here in Western South Dakota last summer and ham radio,
>particularly packet radio, was instrumental in keeping emergency
>communications going until the service was restored.

In the mid 70s, there was a building fire that took out
several trunk cables and rendered the about a 10 block
area I lived in without phone service for several days.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2940. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3907B39D.3947DE81@bctv.com>
Source record: 112541

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Peter Maus wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
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> > Peter Maus wrote:
> > >
> > > > > > > My analogy is more along the lines of a corporation telling its
> > > > > > employees to refer questions about corporate activities to the
> > > > > > "official" PR department.
> > > > > >
> > > > > Most corporations don't hold your family hostage to compliance with this
> > > > > policy, or threaten you with loss of career (not just job) and even jail
> > > > > if they catch you violating it.
> > > > >
> > > > There is a big difference, especially in the news industry.
> > > > >
> > > >
> > > Apparently, you haven't worked recently for CBS.
> > >
> > How recently are you talking? I'm not working for CBS at the moment,
> > but I'm still in the industry, and I haven't heard of them jailing
> > reporters who don't toe party line.
>
> Jailing, no. Threatening, most certainly. And not just reporters.
> I had a GM who walked out of his office and threatened, en masse,
> the entire staff if anyone even uttered the word, "union," despite
> the fact that it's a felony to do so. And if you read the Employee
> Manual that was released last year, you'll see some serious attempts
> to curtail personal activities, business contacts, and other non
> company approved relationships.

When someone at the Nutwork says "You'll never work in this business
again!" they don't have the power of the government behind them.
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2941. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3907B40E.B04816E0@bctv.com>
Source record: 112542

Jon Johnson wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > If you watch a lot of C-band, you see this happen all the time. When I
> > was a CBS photojournalist, this was almost standard when doing a
> > "walking tour" interview. So what's your point?
>
> Duh!! I was a street reporter for the Nashville CBS affiliate for a
> number of years and unlike whomever you pointed your Sony for, we did
> *not* rehearse news stories...period. Covering points to be
> discussed...yes. Suggesting how the question would be answered...NO!

You NEVER reshot anything? Quick! Call NPPA and ask them to put you in
the book!

2942. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3907B474.5E78CD0D@bctv.com>
Source record: 112543

zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
>
> In article <39070B09.E7A431E0@bctv.com>,
> kw@bctv.com wrote:
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> >
> > Jon Johnson wrote:
> > >
> > > zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
> > > >
> > > > FWIW, picture 2 clearly shows the _door_ that Marisleysis
> > > > later did a show'n'tell on for the media, showing it
> > > > broken at the doorknob (see USA Today, Apr. 24, 2000, p. A-4,
> > > > and the CNN video of her little "tour") and on the floor,
> > > > some hours later.
> > >
> > > I was watching on c-band when she and the reporter "rehearsed" her
> > > tour. They rehearsed what she would say and where she would say it
> > > three times before it was hyper enough for the reporter.
> >
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> > When I was a CBS photojournalist, this was almost standard when
> > doing a "walking tour" interview. So what's your point?
>
> That her little teary-eyed, histrionic display was phony as
> a three dollar bill. Just as was the claims of the Gestapo-like
> tactics of the agents in supposedly breaking down the door.

. . .or in beating the NBC pool crew . . ?

. . .in using riot-control agents on people who weren't doing anything
(across the street) . . ?

2943. Re: Phone Patching is Strictly Legal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <4585EBF358FDA0DF.DE91F6C8178DB0A3.C06623370091305F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112544

On Wed, 26 Apr 2000 23:16:29 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>W4CSC, Never a problem. I've posted eroneously my share of times, ha,
>ha.
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>
Thanks....It's nice to meet another kid in this sandbox who doesn't
run around with his gun drawn all the time....(c;

Larry W4CSC Charleston South Carolina

2944. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e8h8n$q3k$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112545

>So, I think you should go for it. The Vanity headquarters has a number
>of "cute" callsigns online which are most amusing. Check out
>http://www.carroll-usa.com/vanity/ to see callsigns like: AB0ZO, AL0HA,
>K1TTY, K9DOG, W0MAN and even a very brave soul, W1MP.
>
How about K0CK, N1CE, K9FUN

2945. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e8hda$tf0$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112546

In article <8e8h8n$q3k$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
Robert Casey <wa2ise@netcom.com> wrote:
>>So, I think you should go for it. The Vanity headquarters has a number
>>of "cute" callsigns online which are most amusing. Check out
>>http://www.carroll-usa.com/vanity/ to see callsigns like: AB0ZO, AL0HA,
>>K1TTY, K9DOG, W0MAN and even a very brave soul, W1MP.
>>
>How about K0CK, N1CE, K9FUN

nd someone went for W5TIT, and the FCC issued it!

2946. TS-440S question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9ejs@frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <8e8k23uko1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112547

I recently purchased a Kenwood TS-440S rig and have been having some problems with it. Can some one please tell me if there is a cooling fan in it, and if it is supposed to run all the time or just during transmissions? Thanks.

George, N9EJS

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2947. Re: TS-440S question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3907ECEB.DF991B72@oio.net>
Source record: 112548

George,
Yes, there is a cooling fan in the TS-440. No, it
should not run all the time. The fan is controled by
a thermister(?) and should only come on when the heat
near the final transisters reaches a certain level.
If the fan is running all the time, I think I'd find
the reason why.
'Doc

2948. Re: Is Ham Radio finished?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e90m5$67g$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112549

In article <39076D7D.EFFAC305@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> If it's of any significance at all, the GMRS advertising
>in QST seems to indicate a 'tilt' of the ARRL toward
>profits rather than service.

Browse through the older QSTs and you'll see company ads for
broadcast transmitters, aircraft transmitters, radar, ads
from the military trying to recruit radio operators (the
Coast Guard's ads used to read "Get paid to work DX!");
the ads have always been part of the enjoyment of reading
the radio magazines.

> The 'non-ham' gear advertisements? Guess that means you
>could/should capitalize that "Rabid Scramble" above.

Whatever...

73, Jeff KH6O

2949. Re: "Advanced" class freq. allocation??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8e90uo$6mg$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112550

DXer <dxer@aol.com> wrote:
> I wonder how many of you genuis hams know the sub bands that you can operate
>on all frequencies that we hams have. For example I doubt you would know where
>the novice sub band is on the 1.2 ghz band is.
>Craig

I know all the frequencies on which an Extra can operate... =:o
(That was the easiest part of the exam!)
KH6O

2950. Palstar Tuners????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8LVJ <rjc100@attglobal.net>
Message-ID: <390848F5.7AA0@attglobal.net>
Source record: 112551

Anyone used and can give me reccomendations on Palstar tuners????
I am looking for a quality made tuner and one person told me they were
better quality than MFJ. I am open to all comments before taking the
plunge.....Thank You

2951. a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e97j4lhh1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112552

Will the person or persons who encouraged this rabid canine to attack me, km4dt@earthlink.net, call him in for Alpo? Take a look at this. Here was my statement to him after he verbally and viciously attacked our President on this board and then went after me for taking a calm but resolute middle of the road attitude. He also objected to my uncanny skill at tracing down postings thanks to the tutelage received by one of the most forthright and intelligent hams on this board, W4NTI, Dan.

> Obviously you're a contemptible snotnosed illiterate in both
"computereeze"
> and politics. How dare you compare our President to Adolf Hitler, you
> rightwing dingdong? I'll thank you to keep your claptrap out of my mailbox
> and if you threaten me again, I'll be forced to take this issue a step
> further.
> AF2Y

By all means take it a step further. You were the one threatening people on a newsgroup because you don't agree with their viewpoints. This is still a free country and I'm not afraid of your idle threats.

Alan

I have no choice but to report this Alan fellow to Louis Freeh, Director of the FBI, Hickey Puff Rounds of the ATF and Fred Rogers in his own neighborhood.

2952. Go BARF yourselves!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8e98dt$qn5$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112553

If present day hams have no qualms in calling themselves Extras by having evaded the proper protocol and testing to qualify them as such, then they should have no gripe against any ham wanting to legally avoid paying a telephone charge. The whole thing with the "illegality" of phone patching was concocted anyway by the phone related felon, KV4FZ from the Virgin Islands, who simply wanted all parties concerned to think it impossible that a fellow like he, so concerned with telephone patching "illegalities" on ham radio, could ever steal services from the Caribbean Automated Long Lines Service in the Virgin Islands. And of course, on whom better to blame the phone patch issue than the Jewish guys on Intercon? You anti-phone patching nitwits, go BARF yourselves.
AF2Y

In article <5504-390663BB-109@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> Aaron Jones,
>
> Sure a case can be made against hams evading telephone toll charges.
>
> HoweverAnother case can be made to the contrary: For phone patching.
> Since it has been tolerated for the past 50 years of my licensure, one
> could say it is de facto legal.
>
> These days, I am unaware that it is considered any different. If the
> aggrieved parties, the telephone toll companies, aren't complaining,
> then it is fairly well settled as legal.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

2953. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39083D95.52439115@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112554

> When someone at the Nutwork says "You'll never work in this business
> again!" they don't have the power of the government behind them.

With this government's history, that's just not true anymore.

2954. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <39083D7E.694A0991@nashville.com>
Source record: 112555

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> You NEVER reshot anything? Quick! Call NPPA and ask them to put you in
> the book!

Did you even *read* my response or did your knee jerk kick in too
quickly?

2955. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: zuch@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <8e9g3lssa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

In article <3907B474.5E78CD0D@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:
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> zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:
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> > That her little teary-eyed, histrionic display was phony as
> > a three dollar bill. Just as was the claims of the Gestapo-like
> > tactics of the agents in supposedly breaking down the door.
>
> . . .or in beating the NBC pool crew . . ?
>
> . . .in using riot-control agents on people who weren't doing anything
> (across the street) . . ?

I'll give you the benefir of the doubt, and assume for the moment
you're a reasonable person. Youfigure it out. If the above
bluster was -- ummm, shal we say -- a tab oevrblown and inaccurate,
might claims of "beating the NBC pool crew" amdd "using riot-control
agents on people _who weren't doing anything_" be also just a bit
suspect WRT their accuracy?

Look, we have some of these people's _pwn_ words for exactly how
reliable a "source" they are:

> http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/articles/A21491-2000Apr26.html
> Man Who Found Elian Enjoys the Spotlight
> By Michael Leahy
> Washington Post Staff Writer
> Thursday , April 27, 2000 ; A01

. . .

> He has lost his train of thought, now asking whether his visitor wants
> to see how the Border Patrol agent aimed the gun at his head. "Well,
> actually it wasn't at my head," he says, grinning, shrugging. "It was
> right here." He points to a spot below his left shoulder.

Yep. The screaming RW foamers have got to love this. Wonder what
he will say next. "Well, maybe it was _near_ my shoulder. . . . Kind
of reminds you of a Monty Python skit, doesn't it? Except this guy
thinks that people are taking him seriously.

. . .

> He says he was married once, and divorced once -- and wants to leave
> it at that. Later, confronted with information to the contrary, he
> acknowledges there have been four marriages -- two to the same woman
> -- and that he is, in fact, married now back home in Lauderhill,
> Fla. Flustered at being caught dodging the truth, he sounds panicked,
> then offers that he is ashamed of his marital track record. "I looked
> for love in all the wrong places," says the fan of oldies tunes.

LOL. . . Let the hearings _BEGIN_!!!

. . .

> The day before, Dalrymple says, during a van ride to Andrews Air Force
> Base with the Gonzalez family, he told Marisleysis that she should
> back off her heated claim that a widely publicized photo of Elian
> reunited with his father had been doctored. "Let's face the facts,"
> he says he told her. "Elian is smiling in all the pictures they're
> releasing. It's not doctored."

A _mall_ dose of reality creeps in. . .

> Marisleysis and Lazaro, her father, tersely agreed, he says. "Maybe if
> somebody asked her about it in a calm way, she'd correct it," he says.
> "But, you know, there's pride there and reporters screaming at her and
.
> . . "

And Fidel to be fought. . . . At any price. Keep these people _away_
from that poor kid.

> He halts in mid-sentence, a cloud crossing his face. One misstatement
> and he's back to cleaning houses full time. Reinvention is dicey

> business. "God, I really hope the family doesn't flag me for talking
> about this and get annoyed," he says.

You nbet your booties, Donata. One wrong word and not only will the Cuban American National Foundation coffers snap shut and you're out on the streets, but they may even send their thugs after _you_. Not to mention your wife has probably changed the locks already.

. . .

From what I read, the lunatic Repuiblicans aren't backing down. They intend to hold hearings. I can only _hope_ that they do indeed try to drag the boy up there. He's a strong kid. I'm sure he will recover from that ordeal just fine, after everything else he's been through.

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

2956. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39083FF5.79657559@bctv.com>
Source record: 112557

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> > When someone at the Nutwork says "You'll never work in this business
> > again!" they don't have the power of the government behind them.
>
> With this government's history, that's just not true anymore.

I have to admit that you have a point, but thankfully, THIS government
is in its last season, and I don't think it will be picked up for
syndication.

2957. Say goodbye Herbie!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bagle Bernie <bagleman8@florida.tampa.com>
Message-ID: <ZwXN4.386$g4.4014@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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SAY GOODBYE HERBIE !

You hemorrhoid in the
bung-ring of ham radio

2958. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39084214.1FD83C67@bctv.com>
Source record: 112559

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:

> > > For all you know, Elian could grow up to be the next leader of Cuba, and
> > > could live the rest of his life in total luxury. Who knows what Elian's
> > > future might hold? But, whatever the case, you simply cannot go around
> > > yanking children from their parents because you think something bad
> > > might happen in that child's future.
> >
> > Gee, Dwight, the Child Protective people do this all the time.
>
> Are you ignoring the reports that Elian's father picked him up from
> school every day?

Did you believe Clinton saying that he never had a relationship with
Monica Lewinsky? Nixon, when he said he wasn't a crook? Even THIS
government doesn't find it hard to lie . . .and you believe what you are
told by CASTRO?!

> This doesn't sound like the story you are repeating here.

Gee, sorry about that. A lot of times the truth bears little
relationship to the official story. Perhaps you should complain to
Juan's handlers?

> And what's this obsession with "legitimacy"? What does that have to do with anything?

"Obsession"? I was merely mentioning it, and this is the only time that
I have.

What is has to do with anything is simply that there is no proof
whatsoever that Juan was a major part of Elian's life.

2959. Re: recent upgrades

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <390841F3.41C67EA6@my-deja.com>
Source record: 112560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Martin Meserve wrote:
> > Expect even more delays and errors. The current load has to be
> > tremendous for the VEs and the FCC.
> > I upgraded to Advanced about a year ago, when things were not so
> > busy. In the process, the FCC had replaced all occurences of
> > "OR" in my address with "AZ", my state designator. This changed
> > xxxx W. North Lane
> > Peoria, AZ
> > to
> > xxxx W. Nazth Lane
> > Peazia, AZ
>
> Are you sure it was the FCC? Might have been the VE's handwriting...

It could have been that, but all the copies I have, from the
upgrade process, look to be pretty clear. Some of the forms
I had to fill out myself. Maybe it was my handwriting.

I just thought that since I have been on their books for 35 years
that they wouldn't have any problem. My General upgrade, which
was only two months before the Advanced, went through with no
problem. Same VE, same handwriting.

From other postings, it seems that I am not the only one that
this has happend to. Could be their software wasn't Y1.999K
compliant.

Well, go figure. In the end, it all got fixed. It was just
annoying at the time.

Martin
KB7EQS

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Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS martin.e.meserve
Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2960. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39084638.54B5ABD7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112561

Keith Wood wrote:
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> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > > When someone at the Nutwork says "You'll never work in this business
> > > again!" they don't have the power of the government behind them.
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> > With this government's history, that's just not true anymore.
>
> I have to admit that you have a point, but thankfully, THIS government
> is in its last season, and I don't think it will be picked up for
> syndication.

Well, let's all keep our fingers crossed, and even though many of
us are in public school, PRAY. :)

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2961. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39084394.173F0FBA@bctv.com>
Source record: 112562

Jon Johnson wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > You NEVER reshot anything? Quick! Call NPPA and ask them to put you in
> > the book!
>
> Did you even *read* my response or did your knee jerk kick in too
> quickly?

I read it. Did you think about my response, or did your knee jerk kick in too quickly?

My point is that we ALL do walkthroughs when the situation calls for it. During the walkthroughs, reporters generally go over what will be discussed at which point. I've known a number of big-name talking heads who coached their interviews at one time or another.

I didn't see the skylink stuff, so I don't know what exactly was said, but the simple fact that there was a walkthrough isn't sinister in itself.

What I find a lot MORE sinister was the unprovoked and disabling physical attack on the pool camera team, and the likewise unprovoked riot gas attack on the people across the street.

2962. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bagle Bernie <bagleman8@florida.tampa.com>
Message-ID: <5YXN4.573$g4.10810@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Mad Nomad <madnomad@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:39084955.9259649@news.mindspring.com...
>
> I thought all those guys migrated to WGTG.

True, the bulk of the right-wing militia gun nuts
programs are now on WGTG. Mark Koernkie and Alex
Jones for example have found a nice rock to slither
under in WGTG to broadcast their hate-speech
from. WWCR has mainly gone the way of goofy
faux-Christian programming, such as Brother Stair
and Texe Marrs belch onto the airwaves.

Hopefully however, Art Bell's legal counsel will be
able to shut this garbage-can of a radio station
WWCR down for good via a multi-million dollar legalsuit.
The redneck idiots they had running WWCR in 93 nearly
managed to burn their transmitter shack to the ground
from un-insulated 220 and 440 3-phase wiring lying about
on the ground instead of having it in an approved enclosure
as sane people would normally do. Shame they didn't "go
down in flames" (literally) the first time. Hopefully
they will this time around after Bell's lawyers are finished
ripping them a new arsehole...

2963. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39084C91.BC862CFC@bctv.com>
Source record: 112564

Peter Maus wrote:
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> > I have to admit that you have a point, but thankfully, THIS government
> > is in its last season, and I don't think it will be picked up for
> > syndication.
>
> Well, let's all keep our fingers crossed, and even though many of
> us are in public school, PRAY. :)

I think that when the INS snatched Elian at the point of a machine pistol, they snatched the White House from Gore.

It's really too bad they beat up the NBC video crew, or we might be rid of Hillary, too. We still might be . . .

2964. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000427104639.00689.00008938@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112565

In article <39084638.54B5ABD7@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> writes:

> Well, let's all keep our fingers crossed, and even though many of
>us are in public school, PRAY. :)

How DARE you suggest such an act in a public newsgroup! The ACLU and ADL are
already drawing up a court challenge, I'm sure.

2965. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <3908541D.5D35E634@nashville.com>
Source record: 112566

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> During the walkthroughs, reporters generally go over what will be
> discussed at which point.

No problem here...assuming the "discussion" doesn't coach the
interviewee.

> I've known a number of big-name talking heads
> who coached their interviews at one time or another.

MAJOR problem here. This moves it from interview to press release. Do
you also super "Vote For Joe Blow" during the entire piece??

> I didn't see the skylink stuff, so I don't know what exactly was said,
> but the simple fact that there was a walkthrough isn't sinister in
> itself.

I repeat since you've missed it three times...It wasn't a "walkthrough"
it was a rehearsal until the decibel level got high enough to suit the
"news" team.

> What I find a lot MORE sinister was the unprovoked and disabling
> physical attack on the pool camera team, and the likewise unprovoked
> riot gas attack on the people across the street.

Guess its all in the eyes of the beholder. I have seen views from a
number of camera positions that evidently weren't physically attacked
and kept rolling. I also saw the genesis of an unruly mob heading for
the scene throwing various objects that was met with a measured
response.

This is the first time I can remember supporting an action of this
administration, but my frustration with the neverending histrionics of
the "Miami relatives" has reached its limit. I'm tired of "negotiating"
the law.

We see the event through different eyes. So be it.

2966. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39085439.6764D289@bctv.com>
Source record: 112567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

zuch@ix.netcom.com wrote:

> > > That her little teary-eyed, histrionic display was phony as
> > > a three dollar bill. Just as was the claims of the Gestapo-like
> > > tactics of the agents in supposedly breaking down the door.
> >
> > . . .or in beating the NBC pool crew . . ?
> >
> > . . .in using riot-control agents on people who weren't doing anything
> > (across the street) . . ?
>
> I'll give you the benefir of the doubt, and assume for the moment
> you're a reasonable person. Youfigure it out. If the above
> bluster was -- ummm, shal we say -- a tab oevrblown and inaccurate,
> might claims of "beating the NBC pool crew" amdd "using riot-control
> agents on people _who weren't doing anything_" be also just a bit
> suspect WRT their accuracy?

No, sorry.

From MSNBC: Then, suddenly, a shout came from the
crowd: ☐They☐re here!☐
A white van careened into the media
area, knocking over a microphone stand and
nearly hitting a man, who jumped out of the
way.

[. . .]

They knocked. They identified
themselves both in English and Spanish.
☐Open up! Open up!☐ they yelled. After 20
seconds, they brought up the battering ram
and ☐ pop! pop! pop! ☐ knocked down the
door.
Other agents, carrying weapons and
pepper spray, ran toward the crowd and
sprayed. Still others ordered the media to
stay where it was.

[. . .]

Then she lifted him gently into the
minivan as agents sprayed the crowd again.

[. . .]

The Gonzalez house was a mess. The
front door had an ugly gash from the battering
ram, and a bedroom door was torn jaggedly
in half. In the corner of the bedroom, a
framed picture of Jesus sat splayed in a
corner.
Elian was gone.
It was 5:18 a.m.

From NewsMax:

NBC cameraman Tony Zumbaudo was indeed on
the scene, complete with state-of-the-art
video equipment and a sound man.

[. . .]

"(Zumbado) said he was knocked to the ground
by agents and kicked in the stomach,"
reported USA Today. "We got maced, we got
kicked, we got roughed up," the NBC
cameraman told The New York Times. The
assault left Zumbado incapacitated for the
duration of the three minute raid.

Also from NewsMax:

It took five days, but at long last NBC News
is finally asking the Clinton administration
why it had Border Patrol and INS agents beat
up its camera crew, which had been
designated to provide live video coverage
for all TV networks from inside the Gonzalez
home as the feds seized Elian.

"It's fair to say that our people weren't
able to do their work because of the action
of agents," said NBC News Vice President
Bill Wheatley.

Clinton administration G-men repeatedly
struck the network's freelance cameraman
Tony Zumbado and his soundman Gustavo
Moeller. Both were then held at gunpoint as
agents carried out the raid.

Wheatley complained about the attack to INS
Commissioner Doris Meissner, who has yet to
respond.

The NBC News Veep told the Associated Press
that he was well aware that the camera crew
was covering a high-risk mission but, "Based

on the description we have, we believe that the agents went further than they had to and prevented (Zumbado) from taking pictures."

Also from NewsMax:

NBC Cameraman Hospitalized After
Elian Raid Beating

Freelance NBC cameraman Tony Zumbado has been hospitalized as a result of injuries sustained when agents for the INS and Border Patrol beat him and his soundman, Gustavo Moller, as they were trying to film the Clinton administration's gunpoint abduction of 6-year-old Elian Gonzalez.

Zumbado was the scene's designated pool reporter, whose video footage from inside the Gonzalez home was to be fed to all major broadcast and cable television networks.

[. . .]

Zumbado's NBC colleague, reporter Kerry Sanders, was outside the Gonzalez house in the pre-dawn hours on Saturday and talked to Zumbado and Moller seconds after the raid ended.

In an exclusive interview with NewsMax.com, Sanders said that Zumbado began to experience back pain over the weekend as a result of the attack. "I just got off the phone with Tony. Now he can't move really all that well." The NBC cameraman was removed from his home on a stretcher early Wednesday and was admitted to a Miami area hospital for an MRI and other tests to determine the extent of his injuries.

[. . .]

Unknown to the NBC camera crew, INS agents had already entered the house by the back door, Sanders said, and were inside when Zumbado opened the front door.

"As Tony makes it to the door, somebody inside the house grabs him and pulls him in and slams the door. Gustavo doesn't make it in. Gustavo's outside. He said one of the agents takes the butt of his gun and bangs

it right into his forehead, causing him to fall down. I saw the blood on his forehead.

"Tony is in the house but the plan all along had been that the camera was a pool camera and it was a live pool camera. So he's got cables that are dangling off the back of his camera that are now going into the house, slammed in the door. This is television equipment, this isn't your little home video camera.

"As the door reopens, which is only a matter of seconds, somebody is grabbing the cables, yanking them back. Tony's got the camera on his shoulder. They yank it back and pull it down. One of the cables gets pulled out of the camera, which is the audio cable. The video cable hangs on to the camera but it sends Tony falling backwards.

"At that point, somebody smacks him in the stomach. Tony is hit in the stomach and goes down. And then the agent puts his foot on Tony's back and puts a gun to him and says, 'Don't move or I'll shoot.'

"So, the camera is out of commission. Tony is now down and out of commission. Tony tells me that as he looks up around, he sees the family there and he sees these little red dots on Lazaro's forehead, on Marisleysis's forehead. Which of course are the laser sights from the machine guns. He sees them all trained there and then he hears what's going on in the back room. But he's not in that back bedroom because he's now down on the floor with a foot in his back and a gun to his head saying, 'Don't move.'

Sanders said that Zumbado has family members with law enforcement background and has actually undergone police SWAT training himself. As a former cameraman for the Fox TV show Cops, Zumbado had filmed hundreds of police raids prior to the Clinton administration's Saturday attack.

In fact, said Sanders, NBC selected Zumbado for the key job of videotaping Elian's abduction because of his filmwork on Cops.

"He knows exactly what these people are supposed to do when they go in because he's trained to do it."

The attack on Elian's home, however, was different, Zumbado admitted to Sanders.

"'Kerry,' he told me, 'it's amazing how humbling it is. You think you know how it goes down. I've been through the door with Cops plenty of times on raids. I know what it is. But it's such a different feeling when you're on the receiving end.'"

2967. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19513-390860F5-16@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112568

Bagel-Breath: And may the same demise be wished upon your left-wing commie counterpart, RFPI, Radio For Pravda International.

Don B.

2968. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19513-3908603E-15@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112569

And I suppose that goes for the JEWISH programs WWCR airs, Doc????

I can't stand people who don't know what they're talking about...

Don B.

2969. Re: New Poll - STOP THE CROSSPOSTING, GRANT!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19514-390861F5-6@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112570

The man constantly violates the charter he so vehemently defends. What an idiot.

Don B.

2970. Re: Say goodbye Herbie!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19513-39086135-17@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112571

But...Herbie's still here!
And...Herbie's #1 !!

Don B.

2971. Re: TS-440S question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobzuiker@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000427122104.26667.00000011@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 112572

The fan in my 440 runs during transmit, when things begin to heat up. w9sox

2972. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobzuiker@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000427123004.26667.00000013@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 112573

First of all, I don't think you can get an out of district vanity call. I picked up the call w9Sox, when vanity calls became available because I worked at Comiskey Park as a kid and have always been a Sox fan. I wanted that call when i was a teenager fifty years ago but there were no vanity calls then. Good Luck ! Bob/w9Sox

2973. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <39086B2F.E5D4AE13@nashville.com>
Source record: 112574

BOB ZUIKER wrote:
>
> I don't think you can get an out of district vanity call.

Unfortunately, your thinking is wrong.

2974. Re: RT Systems closed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9NWO <2121d@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <c8_N4.245$4A6.80877@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 112575
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

From: Christopher Michael Best <bestc@email.uah.edu>

: No, he said, AES had bought them out last Wednesday
: (April 17th). God, I wish I had know! Must of have been
: some real bargains.

I live in Huntsville and stopped by the store this week. The prices of most items were at best 5% off of what they were normally selling for. It seems that AES would like to absorb RT's inventory rather than sell it off. It is going to be different not having a local ham store in town.

Christopher Best KB3DXR

2975. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <2a5db304.08d25677@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 112576

Dwight, you made me laugh a little. Actually, I haven't had
a vehicle in my name in over 30 years (no vanity plate). The
xyl is a dealership manager. She even picked out the HP pc!
She even buys my watches and clothes. Friend, I'm totally
spoiled rotten. Oh, I did buy the ten-tecs however. 73
G "Boy Wonder" Wolf aka KZ5B

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2976. KE6HN WACKO / L.A.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: zyzxx@baker.com
Message-ID: <390875f8.307093@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112577

KE6HN - MOONWALKER DAVE...He is still running a C.W. 'Ad' on the 147.435 Mhz. repeater in L.A.. (20 WPM) Not only can NO ONE copy it, but if you go to the location mentioned in the CW, it is no longer accessible!!!!!! You need a password.... This was a 'discussion' board for control ops. vs. users... HOWEVER, Dave is NOT a Control Op.!!!!!!! What a moron....He is supposed to program the controller and keep it working.....but he wants more, of course........

MOONWALKER DAVE, go back in the Bread-Truck...

2977. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39085A35.4664@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112578

Keith Wood wrote:
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> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> > Keith Wood wrote:
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> > > > For all you know, Elian could grow up to be the next leader of Cuba, and
> > > > could live the rest of his life in total luxury. Who knows what Elian's
> > > > future might hold? But, whatever the case, you simply cannot go around
> > > > yanking children from their parents because you think something bad
> > > > might happen in that child's future.
> > >
> > > Gee, Dwight, the Child Protective people do this all the time.
> >
> > Are you ignoring the reports that Elian's father picked him up from
> > school every day?
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> Did you believe Clinton saying that he never had a relationship with
> Monica Lewinsky? Nixon, when he said he wasn't a crook? Even THIS
> government doesn't find it hard to lie . . .and you believe what you are
> told by CASTRO?!
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> > This doesn't sound like the story you are repeating here.
>
> Gee, sorry about that. A lot of times the truth bears little
> relationship to the official story. Perhaps you should complain to
> Juan's handlers?
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> > And what's this obsession with "legitimacy"? What does that have to do with anything?
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> "Obsession"? I was merely mentioning it, and this is the only time that
> I have.
>
> What is has to do with anything is simply that there is no proof
> whatsoever that Juan was a major part of Elian's life.

What is the evidence that Juan wasn't involved in his son's life? I'm
pretty sure that there is distortion on both sides of the issue. Kind
of like the "fog of war". In what way are you plugged in directly to
the "truth"? You've given an argument that states that we can't trust
the US government or the press position, but you're using them as
references to support your argument!

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

2978. FS: Kenwood TS-450SAT [Complete Package]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sickles, Matt [W2BYV]" <w2byv@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <WM%N4.61735$cZ.115432@typhoon.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 112579
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you have just upgraded and need some HF gear now is a great time. I have a complete package, all you need is an antenna and you will be on the air!

This rig is in excellent condition but I need a portable unit for an expedition I will be going on in the next few months, so this one needs a new home!

For Sale

$900.00 OBO [shipping included]

Kenwood TS-450SAT HF Transceiver (Manuals included)
Kenwood PS-53 Power Supply
Kenwood SP-230 Speaker
Kenwood MC-80 Base Microphone
Kenwood Hand Microphone
Kenwood HS-5 Headphones

$900.00 OBO [shipping included]

Contact me at:

Matt Sickles
w2byv@arrl.net
W2BYV
919.303.6657

2979. Re a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog <FrogRemailer@NoReply.org>
Message-ID: <4CC46A53F8C@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 112580

You _cant_ be serious.

This is a free-to-express-your-opinion nation moreover, it is
a global ng. Report to the FBI and ATF? I hope they come kick your
pansy pinko butt, you communist dumbass

Since when do you reign censor-supreme over this ng? If you dont
like a post, you report it to government agencies who will no doubt
have their time wasted by your report? BTW, they dont need whiny
reports from tattletales to see what is being written. Wake up

Grow a thicker skin America is not a nation of pansies who need
a large, overseeing government. If that is what you are aiming for,
your way will gladly be paid to a nation that will, without a shadow of
a doubt, oblige you.

There will also be _plenty_ of government people there to tell _you_
what you can say, think, or do. Kind of like what you are attempting,
but more so. I am sure youll find it quite accommodating.

You are the antithesis of our founding forefathers goals.

2980. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39089121.782E72E8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112581

> I think that when the INS snatched Elian at the point of a machine
> pistol, they snatched the White House from Gore.

Let's hope so...but, then, stranger things have happened
>
> It's really too bad they beat up the NBC video crew, or we might be rid
> of Hillary, too. We still might be . . .

If she's elected, the chance that indictments will come down, is
low. Sadly her opponent has announced his diagnosis of prostate
cancer, and may decide not to run.

That's not good.

2981. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39089150.4AEB422A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112582

> In article <39084638.54B5ABD7@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
> <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> writes:
>
> > Well, let's all keep our fingers crossed, and even though many of
> >us are in public school, PRAY. :)
>
> How DARE you suggest such an act in a public newsgroup! The ACLU and ADL
> are
> already drawing up a court challenge, I'm sure.
>

I'm also a life member of NRA, you think that might help?

2982. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bagle Bernie <bagleman8@florida.tampa.com>
Message-ID: <5B0O4.1640$g4.26694@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112583

Donald Burkhart <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:19513-390860F5-16@storefull-137.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> Bagel-Breath: And may the same demise be wished upon your left-wing
> commie counterpart, RFPI, Radio For Pravda International.
>
> Don B.

I actually prefer to listen
to either B.B.C. or R.C.I.
on shortwave Donnie. (that
is when I'm not listening
to NPR - grin)

R.F.P.I. is the shortwave selection I would
personally make, given the choice of listening
to them, or "Whacko Whoremaster's Crappy
Radio", or "Wideband Guttersnipe Transmissions
of Genitourinary".

Don, elevate yourself a bit. Educate yourself
also. Check out your local NPR affiliate on
the lower-half of the FM Band in your area
during the daytime. You will find much edifying
and informative programming that will give
you a MUCH better perspective over the pabulum
for the masses which so characterizes AM/FM
radio today.

Then, have yourself a nice egg or pumpernickel
bagel, or Caesar salad and take it eeeeazzzzy.

B. Bernie
The Bagel Man. :)

2983. Re: AF2Y Tells True Tale of Twenty Toddler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "MattD.." <matt@nospam.mdtech.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8eaii3$2bq$1@gxsn.com>
Source record: 112416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote in message <8e53hl$2oe$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>In article <390544E9.3A24770A@brigadoon.apana.org.au>,
> Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au> wrote:
>> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
<Snip>
>On HF, some General doesn't know what "over" means (talk about being a
>cave dweller). On 2 meters, some tech doesn't know that any HT out of
>the box has a vertical.
>

Funny, some HTs have helicals.....

>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

2984. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eaqjr$7ge$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Then she lifted him gently into the minivan

But one of Wood's first posts on the topic said that the kid was
"tossed into that back of a truck."

>as agents sprayed the crowd again.

...after the crowd began pushing over the barrier and throwing trash cans
at the agents.

> "(Zumbado) said he was knocked to the ground by agents

...after being ordered to "back off" but failing to do so.

This fellow, Wood, is full of half-truths. Earlier he claimed that
there was no warrant (one was issued the previous evening at about
7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the house
(CBS News); a cache of guns were in a neighbor's home -- that home was
neutralized prior to the hostage rescue (CBS News).

Jeff

2985. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ear1l$81i$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112418

BOB ZUIKER <bobzuiker@aol.com> wrote:
>First of all, I don't think you can get an out of district vanity call. I

He can, Bob. A ham living in call area zero through nine can request a
call from of any of those areas, but he can't request an 11th, 12th,
or 13th call area callsign.

73 from the 13th call area,
Jeff KH6O

2986. Re: KE6HN WACKO / L.A.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8earka$8lt$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112419

In article <390875f8.307093@news.earthlink.net> wrote:

>KE6HN - MOONWALKER DAVE...He is still running a C.W. 'Ad' on the
>147.435 Mhz. repeater in L.A.. (20 WPM) Not only can NO ONE copy it,
>but if you go to the location mentioned in the CW, it is no longer
>accessible!!!!!!

Are you sure you copied it correctly? The FCC data base shows you to
be a no-code tech.

>You need a password.... This was a 'discussion'
>board for control ops. vs. users...

So it's not a business advertisement, it's a URL for a discussion board.
Nothing in 47CFR97 prohibits that.

>HOWEVER, Dave is NOT a Control
>Op.!!!!!!! What a moron....He is supposed to program the controller
>and keep it working.....but he wants more, of course........

He programmed the URL into the controller/ID and you interpret that as
him wanting more? More what?

Jeff

2987. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eas26$974$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Then she lifted him gently into the minivan

But one of Wood's first posts on the topic said that the kid was
"tossed into the back of a truck."

>as agents sprayed the crowd again.

...after the crowd began pushing over the barrier and throwing trash cans
at the agents.

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7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the house
(CBS News); a cache of guns were in a neighbor's home -- that home was
neutralized prior to the hostage rescue (CBS News).

Jeff

2988. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000427225956.05250.00000125@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 112421

Why the name calling Doc (af2y)?
What I stated was true wasn't it?
If not I apologize.
If it IS, why'd you get angry?
What has Clinton done, good that is?

For some damn reason liberals ALWAYS resort to name calling.

As for the *other* Doc whomever you are - you've been in this NG how long? A couple weeks?

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

2989. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39090688.EA82E07F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

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> there was no warrant (one was issued the previous evening at about
> 7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
> three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the house
> (CBS News); a cache of guns were in a neighbor's home -- that home was
> neutralized prior to the hostage rescue (CBS News).
>
> Jeff
>

The warrant, according to a former district court judge, named Napolitano, writing in the New York Times, two days ago, said that there is no such a thing as a search warrant for a human being. That a search warrant is issued to find inanimate property, evidence to the commission of a crime. Further, the warrant that was issued for Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.

As for the weapons...CBS news as well as NBC and ABC have been reporting that there were potentially weapons in the house. It has since been admitted by Reno and Holder that there were three separate searches of the house by federal and local authorities, including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at the time of the incursion. As was the neighbor's house.

At the time of the incursion, all media had been taking the pool feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.

A friend of Reno, on the phone with her at the time of the incursion stated that at the time the decision was made to initiate the raid that the deal was all but signed between INS and the family, in DIRECT conflict, with the 11th District Court of Appeals ruling, by the way, with the family having conceded to all points demanded by the Federal government. The friend could hear Mr Craig, behind Ms Reno on the phone, veto the deal anyway, and launch the raid. Points at first admitted to, and then denied by Reno.

Don't blame Wood for being full of half truths. At this stage of the game, and make no mistake, it IS a game, half truths are all that anyone is getting from media, and 'official' sources.

The full truth will come out, it always does. But it's not going to be presented to the people of hte United States by official sources, because there is too much political clout at play in this matter. And the media, I'm embarrassed to say, are part of the problem.

2990. Re: RT Systems closed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <wAoJOSgB40ulcFy=tcJTxQkm3sEf@4ax.com>
Source record: 112423
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 27 Apr 2000 17:39:08 -0500, "Robert C. Cain"
<robert.cain@mindspring.com> wrote:

>It's odd that AES would buy them out, then promptly close the stores.
>Normally, when you buy out someone you are looking to expand your business
>into new locations. It's almost as if AES just wanted to get rid of the
>competition and get some inventory, rather than expand. Has AES made any
>formal announcements on the subject?

Yep, I was told by the guy in the Alabama store that AES simply wanted
to eliminate them as competition. I live in the St. Pete/Clearwater
area and I now have to drive all the way to Orlando to go to a store,
and that's AES. I think not. From what I hear AES used to have a
store here, then closed it down. Now they've shut down RT. I don't
think they'll get much business from this area anymore. Everyone I've
talked to about it says they'l just buy online from someone other than
AES.

Jim
KG4GXP

2991. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000428001243.09500.00000173@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 112424

Come come, now Radiosigs. Tim hates Clinton .. that makes him a dope?

2992. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <390b1094.276426495@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 27 Apr 2000 14:15:29 GMT, "Bagle Bernie"
<bagleman8@florida.tampa.com> wrote:

>
>Mad Nomad <madnomad@mindspring.com> wrote in message
>news:39084955.9259649@news.mindspring.com...
>>
>> I thought all those guys migrated to WGTG.
>
>True, the bulk of the right-wing militia gun nuts
>programs are now on WGTG. Mark Koernkie and Alex
>Jones for example have found a nice rock to slither
>under in WGTG to broadcast their hate-speech
>from.

I'v listen to Alex Jones on WGTG talking about the coming
police state but always took it with a grain of salt untill now.....
But after seeing a 6 year old in Miami taken out of his home at Gun
point so OUR goverment can send him back to Cuba I beginning to think
that Alex Jones is Right. I just know one thing, if President Reagan
was in office now that little boy would still be in Miami.

Rick

2993. Re: * * * I REFUSE TO UPGRADE !!! * * * It's a Gift, accept it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3909397f.61041878@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 21 Apr 2000 07:03:39 GMT, h-watson@pacbell.net (Howard Watson)
wrote:

>I was NOT in favor of restructuring, however I find it very
>interesting how so many people are badmouthing those who are taking
>advantage of it. "They aren't hams", "They are all lazy", etc. What
>I find most interesting is many (not all, so turn the flame throwers
>off) are NOT what I, and many others, would consider "real hams".
>Yes, they can pound a key. Yes, they collect that paper. Yes, they
>have DXCC on 5 bands. However, what are they doing in the way of
>public service? The last time I looked, our organization was called
>the Amateur Radio SERVICE. If you perform public service, good, I am
>NOT talking about you, but if you are one of these whining, doom
>saying, the sky is falling, and amateur radio is dead types (seems I
>heard the exact same thing about incentive licensing) and do NOT
>perform any public service, maybe YOU need to think about who is the
>"real ham"
>
>Howard N3TNQ
>
Let me thank you for being fair Howard as another ham that
does favor the restructing , but for not going near far enough IMO

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz

2994. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8ebd9q$ub1$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 112427

Robert Sherin <sherinsmiami@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:10910-3908E396-111@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> Herbie may be number 1. As a contester, he is world renowned, as an
> intellect, he is seldom matched, for lifestyles, he is the envy of many.

Yes, especially you.

>
> But he remains woefully without contrition, a captive of his own
> self-denial. While careful legal analysis shows great cases in law,
> they are bankrupt factually. Herb, no kingpin of crime, cannot bring
> himself to admit his de minimus tinkering with Calls and his subsequent
> lack of candor with the Commission.

So? Are we supposed to care? Why do you care so much? Didn't he have his
day in court some YEARS ago?

>
> Long ago he could have said: "No, I did not defraud Calls nor take
> anything from them. But I used bad judgement; I hacked with Calls'
> security system. And for that, I sincerely apologize."
>
> A simple statement yet an impossible one for Herb, it would have
> prevented adverse consequences from the moment it was issued. The
> judges were waiting for like words.
>
> In my view, all the legal arguments in the world, no matter how
> efficacious, cannot overcome his lack of factual admission and
> contrition.

That's nice. Are you a man of the cloth? Are you worried about Herb's
soul?

Why don't we talk about Ham Radio for a change?

>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

John KH2/K4ANA

>

2995. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390949c1.65204084@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 15 Apr 2000 22:38:07 GMT, k4yz@aol.com (Steve Robeson) wrote:

>>Subject: Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.
>>From: vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL)
>>Date: 04/15/2000 4:32 PM Central Daylight Time
>
>>Sorry Lair, I'd join you but I canceled my membership and sent in my badge.
>I'll wear a band of electrians around my arm. It wasn't old age that put'er
>down, it was a silly notion that quantity is somehow better than quality and
>laziness should be valued over ambition. So-long dear friend, you'll be
>missed.<
>
> Well, Folks, I have had to suffer through two REAL funerals in the last 12
>months...this "phantom" one I will pass attending.
>
> No, I didn't want to the the Code test changed as drastically as it was,
>but the biggest change was in the written nad the number of test questions in
>total. THERE is where Amateur Radio will suffer...in the lack of technical
>infrastructure.

Again Stevie what is with you. You state quite clearly that
did not want this result, but I can't choose to belive what you post
here represents your true feeling feelings rather than what you said
the FCC

>
> Until the tests are reinforced and we restore some credibility to what was
>once a respected and even revered program, THERE will be the weak link of
>Amateur Radio. I don't care if there's only ONE class of license, if it has no
>credibility as a true determination of technical knowledge or skill, it's a
>paper tiger.

Agreed, nor should have such credibility as such. The License
is a Learners permit not a degree, it would be nice if your could get
that though your head. Even the ARRL seems to have some grasp on that
concept, with education program, but of course even that depnds on
this notion that anyone needing to be able to Prove something by the
hobbies may well ahve something wrong with them
>
>73
>
>Steve Robeson, K4YZ
>
>

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2996. Re: Volume control for Regency 7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jonathan Clough, Javiation" <Clough@Javiation.co.uk>
Message-ID: <t5CwbNCM0WC5Ewq4@Javiation.co.uk>
Source record: 112429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <390741E2.B63132A@analon.com>, JA Moran <john@analon.com>
writes

>I need a volume control / squelch control for a Regency MX-7000 scanner. This
>is an all band unit (30mhz to 1300mhz with NO GAPS.....

The MX-7000 was "the same" as the AOR AR2001 (apart from the 800-1300MHz
coverage) so try contacting AOR (USA) and see if they can supply the
AR2001 volume/squelch.

http://www.aorusa.com

If they can't we have a couple.

>Also need LED lamp for the same. I tried several LED's I found at Trasher

Again the '2001 lamp is what you need.

>problems with they key panel... I fixed this by constructing a switch grid
>and wiring the switches the same way the touch panel was wired.....
>all I needed was a new touch pad.. but was unable to get this because regency

Keypads for the AR2001/MX5000/7000 are getting hard to get hold of - we
have just one left.

--
Cheers,
JC
Javiation
http://www.javition.co.uk

2997. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ebsi3$4iu$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve, you have a good head on your shoulders and furthermore I do too and
agree with you 100%. Are you related to the late Paul Robeson?
Doc,AF2Y

In article <390949c1.65204084@nntp.one-eleven.net>, konstans@oneleven.net
(Mark Morgan) wrote:

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2998. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

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Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ebsp5$qp2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112431

Guilty of what? Theft of telephone service. He made calls and caused others
to pay for it. That's a crime, isn't it? Isn't it like using a "black box?"
What's all this legalese about the guy? He's a goddamned crook and that's
that.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <3150-390904DF-13@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> Doc,
>
> Wait a minute. Guilty of what? Remember, we are talking here a felony
> count and an administrative action wherein he was found to have lacked
> candor in front of the FCC.
>
> But it could have been avoided.
>
> Legally, he cannot be guilty of "possession of a counterfeit access
> device with intent to defraud," because no such device was identified at
> his trial. Numbers in his head is too vague a concept to stand up under
> the law--and there was no one number described or entered into evidence.
> If he had acted forthrightly before the FCC, he wouldn't be facing
> license non-renewal of his ham license.
>
> Even in his defense, he has performed anathema to his own interest,
> demonstrating more of a potential personality disorder than the legal
> culpability he has ordained.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

2999. Mod for FT2200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary <grweiler@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <390976F4.9A38DF04@fuse.net>
Source record: 112432

Does anyone have the mods for the Yaesu FT2200. Thanks,
Gary

3000. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ebtan$8om$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112433

How can a Mariana Guacamolean know so much about what went on with KV4FZ?
Do me a favor and go bust open a coconut on your head as if you're not doing
it already. Don't question Bob Sherin. He was AT TRIAL. He went at his own
expense to help the felon and what did Herbert do? Sold him a linear that
was stored in the Caribbean Sea. Stole $300 from Mr. Sherin. Janssen, do
everyone a favor and go post on a Japanese rec. radio forum and leave us
great Yankees alone. Sayonara you turkey.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <8ebd9q$ub1$1@brokaw.wa.com>, "janssenjq"
<janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net> wrote:

>
> Robert Sherin <sherinsmiami@webtv.net> wrote in message
> news:10910-3908E396-111@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
>> Herbie may be number 1. As a contester, he is world renowned, as an
>> intellect, he is seldom matched, for lifestyles, he is the envy of many.
>
> Yes, especially you.
>
>>
>> But he remains woefully without contrition, a captive of his own
>> self-denial. While careful legal analysis shows great cases in law,
>> they are bankrupt factually. Herb, no kingpin of crime, cannot bring
>> himself to admit his de minimus tinkering with Calls and his subsequent
>> lack of candor with the Commission.
>
> So? Are we supposed to care? Why do you care so much? Didn't he have his
> day in court some YEARS ago?
>
>>
>> Long ago he could have said: "No, I did not defraud Calls nor take
>> anything from them. But I used bad judgement; I hacked with Calls'
>> security system. And for that, I sincerely apologize."
>>
>> A simple statement yet an impossible one for Herb, it would have
>> prevented adverse consequences from the moment it was issued. The
>> judges were waiting for like words.
>>
>> In my view, all the legal arguments in the world, no matter how
>> efficacious, cannot overcome his lack of factual admission and
>> contrition.
>
> That's nice. Are you a man of the cloth? Are you worried about Herb's

> soul?
>
> Why don't we talk about Ham Radio for a change?
>
>>
>> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>> Miami, Florida
>
> John KH2/K4ANA
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>

3001. Re: a rabid dog is loose(Conservatism)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ebuo3$9ek$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112434

Thank God for Liberalism. Lord help us if this country were dominated by rightwing ULTRA Conservative screwballs who care NOTHING about people but in only lining their own pockets at the expense of taxpayers. Leave it to the Conservatives to give a pats on the backs of pharmaceutical companies who gouge the hell out of the elderly. Leave it to the Conservatives to extinguish any plan for a comprehensive medical program in this nation to help ALL. Leave it to the Conservatives to back the cigarette industry so politicians can profit financially from lobbyists while we are poisoned and see the cost of medical treatment skyrocket. Leave it to a Conservative to leave the rich alone and tax hell out of the middle class. Leave it to a Conservative to cut back on the type of social programs needed to give eveyone an opportunity. Leave it to the Conservatives to put education on the backburner. Leave it to Conservatives to try and kill any decent legislation designed to better control gun sales. How many Columbines do we need before the jackasses realize that something's wrong? Leave it to Conservatives with shoddy pasts to try and run out of office a President who erred and apologized for it. Where are all the so called great Christian values of forgiveness and understanding perpetrated by the "family values" crowd? You're lousy hypocrites who are living in the America of the Wild Wild West in the 1800s and have insight and values and understanding where you sit. Conservatism has gone from an acceptable policy to one of ugliness, religious and racial intolerance and overbearance. It's a policy of narrowmindedness, deceit and cruelty. And those are compliments!
AF2Y, Doc

In article <20000427225956.05250.00000125@ng-cq1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Why the name calling Doc (af2y)?
> What I stated was true wasn't it?
> If not I apologize.
> If it IS, why'd you get angry?
> What has Clinton done, good that is?
>
> For some damn reason liberals ALWAYS resort to name calling.
>
> As for the *other* Doc whomever you are - you've been in this NG how long? A
> couple weeks?
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
>

3002. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ebuta$bs6$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112435

Tim hates the Liberty Net on one hand and then hates the forces of Liberalism which is its staunchest opponent.

In article <20000428001243.09500.00000173@ng-cn1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> Come come, now Radiosigs. Tim hates Clinton .. that makes him a dope?

3003. Re: RT Systems closed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clint@clintbradford.com>
Message-ID: <8ec1q2$nc6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112436
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <TdLN4.915$%D4.166024@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>,
"N9NWO" <N9NWO@AMSAT.org> wrote:
> I haven't been in the newsgroups lately but has
> anyone heard that RT Systems is going out of
> business tomorrow (April 27th)??

They are maintaining their excellent software products - and producing
new software. They just won't be selling amateur hardware any longer.

Clint Bradford
http://www.clintbradford.com

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3004. Enough of Elian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ec25khpi1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112437

CBS news just reported that from the time Elian was rescued at sea until yesterday, Apr.27th, the USA government has shelled out $578,000 regarding the kid and everything and everyone surrounding him. Let's go Uncle Sam. Make up your mind, NOW and stop screwing around with taxpayers' contributions.

3005. Drake R4-C, MS-4 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <c44jgsk36kpsuib5fcejma44aqkas39cjn@4ax.com>
Source record: 112438
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I've got 1/2 of a Drake C-line, and need an R4-C and MS-4 to finish it up. The details:

R4-C: Must be 5-position mode switch. I don't care if it has Sherwood or other mods, but must not be butchered. Filters and crystals a plus, but not required. Most important is that it be cosmetically very good, and with a minimum of corrosion on the chassis. Also must be complete, no missing parts please.

MS-4: Condition not that important, except must not be dented. Also, must have normal Drake MS-4 label in the front, and speaker must be ok. I don't need a power supply.

Please respond with price and condition to NeilR@innermedia.com, or you can call me at (603) 465-2788, or (yes toll-free) 800-962-2949

Thanks, and best 73's all.

Neil, N1DMA

3006. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000428102216.06861.00000101@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 112439

Tim (me), doesn't hate the liberty net, per se, some of the tactics they have used in thepast the take the frequency, or attack others views -YES. Some of the philosophies that a handful of thier participants propagate - YES,but the net - NO.

"liberalism" what's a good definition of it?

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3007. Re: a rabid dog is loose(Conservatism)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000428102322.08158.00010106@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 112440

In article <8ebuo3$9ek$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:

>It's a policy of
>narrowmindedness, deceit and cruelty. And those are compliments!
>AF2Y, Doc

You just preceeded to paint all conservatives with the same brush...and then
accuse others of narrowmindedness?

Get a life, Charles. Stop your spamming of this newsgroup and your jamming on
amateur radio.

3008. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39099F86.620F26E3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112441

KK7HO wrote:
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> used in thepast the take the frequency, or attack others views -YES. Some of
> the philosophies that a handful of thier participants propagate - YES,but the
> net - NO.
>
> "liberalism" what's a good definition of it?

Being FOR everything.

3009. FRS in Mexico?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tim@neudecker.org.nospam
Message-ID: <1e9skvs.131eyzm1aymmxcN%tim@neudecker.org.nospam>
Source record: 112442

HI Gang!
I am heading to Mexico withthe family for a nice vacation and
was wondering whatr the band plan there was. I will note be taking my
HAM gear as they want something near $80 for an alien lic. To much for a
1 week trip? What about my FRS gear? can I use that threre legally?

Tim

--
Tim
tim@neudecker.org.nospam

3010. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3909A3B0.22F16FE5@bctv.com>
Source record: 112443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> > This fellow, Wood, is full of half-truths. Earlier he claimed that
> > there was no warrant (one was issued the previous evening at about
> > 7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
> > three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the house
> > (CBS News); a cache of guns were in a neighbor's home -- that home was
> > neutralized prior to the hostage rescue (CBS News).
> >
> > Jeff

Uh, Jeffie . . ? If it was a "hostage rescue," why are you claiming
that a search warrant was NECESSARY?

Another Stupid Whiner-Extra Trick.

> The warrant, according to a former district court judge, named
> Napolitano, writing in the New York Times, two days ago, said that
> there is no such a thing as a search warrant for a human being. That
> a search warrant is issued to find inanimate property, evidence to
> the commission of a crime. Further, the warrant that was issued for
> Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
> issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
> behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.

If Jeffie had any understanding about grown-up stuff like this, he would
know that a warrant is ONLY a warrant when it is in full complaince with
the law. Call it what you like, if there is a fatal flaw, there is NO
warrant.

> As for the weapons...CBS news as well as NBC and ABC have been
> reporting that there were potentially weapons in the house. It has
> since been admitted by Reno and Holder that there were three
> separate searches of the house by federal and local authorities,
> including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The
> house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at the
> time of the incursion. As was the neighbor's house.

Are you SERIOUSLY suggesting that ANYONE in the Clintoon Administration
would LIE to the American People?!

> At the time of the incursion, all media had been taking the pool
> feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the
> house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.
>

> A friend of Reno, on the phone with her at the time of the
> incursion stated that at the time the decision was made to initiate
> the raid that the deal was all but signed between INS and the
> family, in DIRECT conflict, with the 11th District Court of Appeals
> ruling, by the way, with the family having conceded to all points
> demanded by the Federal government. The friend could hear Mr Craig,
> behind Ms Reno on the phone, veto the deal anyway, and launch the
> raid. Points at first admitted to, and then denied by Reno.

This brings up two interesting points. Who's paying Mr Craig? That guy doesn't come cheap -- I somehow doubt that Juan Gonzalez is writing any checks. And why was Craig with Reno at FIVE IN THE MORNING?

> Don't blame Wood for being full of half truths. At this stage of
> the game, and make no mistake, it IS a game, half truths are all
> that anyone is getting from media, and 'official' sources.
>
> The full truth will come out, it always does. But it's not going
> to be presented to the people of hte United States by official
> sources, because there is too much political clout at play in this
> matter. And the media, I'm embarrassed to say, are part of the
> problem.

To some extent. But remember that there is no cohesive bloc of people called "the media" who share the same views on everything. Even stations in the same network often compete for stories (I know of two CBS affiliates which routinely embargo uplinked stories from each other).

So, what you have are a core group in the Clintoon Administration who are willing to do just about anything to "normalize" relations with Cuba (Slick Willie needs SOME kind of legacy that doesn't include the word "sex"), another group which is more interested in the legality of the whole thing, plus one group in the media which is willing to play along, and the rest which are asking questions.

3011. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3909A43F.57413A09@bctv.com>
Source record: 112444

Unclaimed Mysteries wrote:
>
> Coyotes of the Canyon <fdecker@catskill.net> wrote in message
> news:sghr88a17qo166@corp.supernews.com...
>
> > Now, what I'd like to know is, how do you plant corn with an AK-47, or
> > irrigate it with a T-55 Main Battle Tank?
>
> Silly. You plant corn with an Uzi. AK-47s, those are for soybeans. Everybody
> knows that.

Depends on which bayonet you are using.

3012. Re: Enough of Elian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ecdnh$5e1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112445

In article <8ec25khpi1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> CBS news just reported that from the time Elian was rescued at sea
until
> yesterday, Apr.27th, the USA government has shelled out $578,000
regarding
> the kid and everything and everyone surrounding him. Let's go Uncle
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> contributions.
>

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wakky

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3013. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: semischolar@NOSPAMhotmail.com
Message-ID: <3909b921.354360703@news.visi.com>
Source record: 112446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

On Fri, 28 Apr 2000 03:33:42 GMT, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>> This fellow, Wood, is full of half-truths. Earlier he claimed that
>> there was no warrant (one was issued the previous evening at about
>> 7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
>> three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the house
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> The warrant, according to a former district court judge, named
>Napolitano, writing in the New York Times, two days ago, said that
>there is no such a thing as a search warrant for a human being.

Go look at this:

http://www.herald.com/content/archive/news/rafters99/insdocs/search.htm

What does it say the search is for?

"... there is concealed a certain person or property, namely (describe
the person or property"

NOTE - that sentence above is pre-printed right on the form - can't
get more SOP than that. And the field is filled in with:

"THE PERSON OF ELIAN GONZALEZ..."

> That
>a search warrant is issued to find inanimate property, evidence to
>the commission of a crime. Further, the warrant that was issued for
>Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
>issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
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>including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The
>house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at the
>time of the incursion. As was the neighbor's house.

How would they _possibly_ know that? Did they have metal detectors at the doors and did the frisk everybody? I mean come on - how can you say such a thing and expect people not to spew pop out their noses from laughing so hard?

We still don't know if there were guns in the house or not - the INS agents did such a good job that the people in the house were so intimidated that they wisely decided not to draw. But the raid only took less than three minutes - Elian was out of the house 55 seconds after the agents went in the door - they didn't stay around and search people.

>
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>feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the
>house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.
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>problem.

- SemiScholar

semischolar@hotmail.com

3014. OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earnest Angley <coozesli@getit.com>
Message-ID: <GHjO4.4331$g4.113593@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

New ham radio war is about to erupt. (??)

Yes sir! Listen as one pack of geriatric
old fools does battle with another group
of geriatric old fools on the great 20 Meters!

Their even gonna leave their teeth in the glass
on the bathroom sink for this one kiddies!!!

for info on this weekend's radio-war go to
http://members.aol.com/jcunham/

NOTE: the above webpage *is not* involved
in any way whatsoever with this pending
"Booer-War", they just report the news
much faster than that Rain Report guy
who's pre-recorded audio broadcasts
still sounds like he's using a $2.95
Radio Shack microphone in the bottom
of an empty 5lb. coffee can. (HEY R-R:
GET RID of that Heil SH-T microp, and
get a Shure Bro.'s dynamic - a real
man's microphone - not this overpriced
ham crap!

3015. Re: Enough of Elian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eckqcdpa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112448

In article <8ecdnh$5e1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8ec25khpi1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
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>
Doc,

I read in my newspaper that it was up to 2 million already.

And for summers EVE, I'm beginning to think he is kin to Drew.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3016. Re: OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8eclt4$f1r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

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> ham crap!
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3017. Help Antron 99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net>
Message-ID: <sgjli3cj7qo29@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

have aquired a used Antron 99

was wondering how i could test this antenna....

using a meter can i check each section...and where and how do i connect the meter...

3018. Re: Help Antron 99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott (Unit 69)" <upplus@-NOSPAM-hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3909DAE7.4DE1E9AE@-NOSPAM-hotmail.com>
Source record: 112451
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Put it together, hook up a radio and a meter to it. Check SWR and
see if people hear you. An ohmmeter will only show continuity or
an open at DC. The AC characteristics can only be tested as a unit.

"L.A. Computers" wrote:
>
> have aquired a used Antron 99
>
> was wondering how i could test this antenna....
>
> using a meter can i check each section...and where and how do i connect the
> meter...

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Unit SIX-NINE Chesapeake Bay
Channel 28 AM / 36 LSB

3019. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ecmeaipt1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112452

What's a good definition of liberalism you ask? I'm not looking in any dictionary for the answer but I'll tell you what my heart tells me. A Liberal is someone who cares about his fellow man and who has a broad encompassing view of society instead of tunnel vision Conservatism. A Liberal looks to expand programs while Conservatives restrict. A Liberal is tolerant of all peoples while a Conservative lives in his own church and bars anyone different from entering. In 2000 an American Liberal recognizes the need for better gun control while a Conservative is in the pocket of NRA extremists who thrive on fostering murder and mayhem in the States. A Liberal will write to his Senators and Congressman asking forlegislation to be passed easing the burdens of all of us from greedy physicians and drug companies while Conservatives feast off the proceeds taken in from their lobbyists. A Liberal has a vision of an ecologically better America while a Conservative is happy sponsoring toxic dumping non-stop because of big money interest enticement. A Conservative is a patsy for the intolerant religious right in this nation who want to push their stupid and bigoted agenda down everyones' throats. Conservatives want to control a woman's reproductive system; they want to ban abortion yet provide no answer as to what we do with millions of unwanted infants. Now chew on the info I just provided and I'll be back later to tell you what I really think of the festering zits on the backside of the American body politic. And just remember the America from 1930-1933. Millions unemployed on bread lines and in soup kitchens. Enormous despair with the ugly spectre of communism hovering over this nation. The idiot Herbert Hoover had no clue and neither did his Cabinet. The foundation of this nation was crumbling until a Liberal from New York named Franklin Delano Roosevelt came along with a new vision, the "New Deal", became elected and thanks to him and his Liberal braintrust, SAVED the USA from banruptcy, anarchism and/or communism
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In article <20000428102216.06861.00000101@ng-ca1.aol.com>,
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3020. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ecmgaipt2@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112453

Negative. Being for WHAT'S RIGHT!

In article <39099F86.620F26E3@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

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> Being FOR everything.

3021. Re: FRS in Mexico?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004282003050.230-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112454

On Fri, 28 Apr 2000, Tim Neudecker wrote:
> HI Gang!
> I am heading to Mexico withthe family for a nice vacation and
> was wondering whatr the band plan there was. I will note be taking my
> HAM gear as they want something near $80 for an alien lic. To much for a
> 1 week trip? What about my FRS gear? can I use that threre legally?

Don't expect to be able to use anything down there in that sewer without paying money.

3022. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ecrad$fe2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
> Agreed, nor should have such credibility as such. The License
>is a Learners permit not a degree,

How long is the usual "learner's permit" good for -- six months?
That would be fine -- after that period, have them come back and take
a more challanging exam to see how much they actually learned.

Good idea, Mark.

Jeff

3023. Re a rabid dog is looseConservatism

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frog <FrogRemailer@NoReply.org>
Message-ID: <2FD40BE5CCC@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 112456

Leave it to a Conservative to cut back on the type of social programs
needed to give eveyone an opportunity.
Right. America, the land of the handout. What about the droves of
immigrants who come with nothing, and through their own strife and
toil, make something of themselves? Oh, thats right, its more modern
to just hold out your hand and bitch about not having everything you
see on TV.

Leave it to the Conservatives to put education on the backburner.
See above. Since when is it not up to the individual to get their own
education? What would you prefer...spoon-feeding everybody? The new
HAM licensees are spat on because they didnt wokd hard enough, but
you want cracker-jack diplomas? Havent I read time and time again on
this ng that what you work for you appreciate more? So a government
hand-out education is the answer?

Leave it to Conservatives to try and kill any decent legislation
designed to better control gun sales. How many Columbines do we need
before the jackasses realize that somethings wrong?
Hey Einstein, guns are not the problem. If law-abiding citizens give
up their constitutional right to own guns, the black market will still
supply them to guess who....? Criminals Guns responsible for the Columbine
tragedy? What about plumbing supplies? There were what, around 100
homemade bombs? And cars? Theyre evil too since they were used to
transport the guns and bombs and people. And fast food is evil too...
no doubt those boys ate a burger or two at some point...videotape Thats
gotta be outlawed as well....those boys used video tape and a video
camera....OK, ALL guns, cars, fast food, video equipment are banned
Wait AIR They were breathing AIR OK, now air is hereby illegal.

Einstein--blaming guns on Columbine is like blaming spoons for Rosie
ODonnell being fat. How many spoons are in your house? Thatll be
10-15 years hard labor for each instrument of human demise.

Leave it to Conservatives with shoddy pasts to try and run out of
office a President who erred and apologized for it.
Actually, he didnt err, he phucked up. Learn the difference. He also
LIED to America. Only when he had dug a hole so far down he couldnt
ever get out, did he admit. Not a very valid apology in most of
Americas eyes. Or the worlds eyes for that matter. Pathetic fits
well here. The President is supposed to be the most powerful force in
the free world, and if Clinton is it, were all in trouble. And _that_
is a compliment

Where are all the so called great Christian values of forgiveness and
understanding perpetrated by the family values crowd?

Christian values such as forgiveness are wonderful and amazing traits.
But I dont believe for one minute that they are to be interpreted in
such a way as to make Christians sitting ducks for being taken advantage
of. Turn the other cheek doesnt mean sit there and get your ass
kicked, and do nothing about it. Moreover, if you are speaking about
forgiveness for Clintons dick usage, then forgiveness is one thing.
Lack of future trust is another. He is forgiven, but I dont trust him.
He has proven to the world that he can and will lie as easily as most
folks will blink an eye.

Youre lousy hypocrites who are living in the America of the Wild
Wild West in the 1800s and have insight and values and understanding
where you sit.
Hmmm...sounds like youre describing your point of view....

PS It is my right to preserve my identity. I do not owe that to you.
I know that upsets you, and your world is intolerant of it, but with
that, it is a Good Thing _you_ are not President.

3024. Re: Enough of Elian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ecum5pap1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112457

In article <8eckqcdpa1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8ecdnh$5e1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
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> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> Doc,
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> I read in my newspaper that it was up to 2 million already.
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> And for summers EVE, I'm beginning to think he is kin to Drew.
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> Dan/W4NTI
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> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> Telling the truth there baby killer. You and doc are butt buddies
dan the asshole doc the fustrated human being stick it butt head

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3025. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <3909FCDC.376D7489@nashville.com>
Source record: 112458

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> The warrant, according to a former district court judge, named
> Napolitano, writing in the New York Times, two days ago, said that
> there is no such a thing as a search warrant for a human being. That
> a search warrant is issued to find inanimate property, evidence to
> the commission of a crime. Further, the warrant that was issued for
> Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
> issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
> behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.

Looks like the "former district court judge" is wrong.

The Miami Herald has a copy of the warrant on their website...or read
the text at

http://www.newsmax.com/articles/?a=2000/4/24/95717

3026. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8ecu2k$lgr@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 112459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
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: How long is the usual "learner's permit" good for -- six months?

How long is your drivers license good for. Were you an expert when you
got the first one?

: That would be fine -- after that period, have them come back and take
: a more challanging exam to see how much they actually learned.

In affect it's already being done. It's called upgrading.

: Good idea, Mark.

You seem to be forgetting that to get a license you have to meet a set of
(minumum) requirements. Once you do that, there are no other requirements
(other than obeying the rules) that you have to meet or further learning
to do. In fact you could just be inactive and never even use the license.

: Jeff
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

3027. Re: OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <8ed05c$8di$1@ruby.mint.net>
Source record: 112460
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

That about do it for Ya ?

"Earnest Angley" <coozesli@getit.com> wrote in message
news:GHjO4.4331$g4.113593@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> New ham radio war is about to erupt. (??)
>
> Yes sir! Listen as one pack of geriatric
> old fools does battle with another group
> of geriatric old fools on the great 20 Meters!
>
> Their even gonna leave their teeth in the glass
> on the bathroom sink for this one kiddies!!!
>
> for info on this weekend's radio-war go to
> http://members.aol.com/jcunham/
>
> NOTE: the above webpage *is not* involved
> in any way whatsoever with this pending
> "Booer-War", they just report the news
> much faster than that Rain Report guy
> who's pre-recorded audio broadcasts
> still sounds like he's using a $2.95
> Radio Shack microphone in the bottom
> of an empty 5lb. coffee can. (HEY R-R:
> GET RID of that Heil SH-T microp, and
> get a Shure Bro.'s dynamic - a real
> man's microphone - not this overpriced
> ham crap!
>
>

3028. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ed30gtua1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112461

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Sorry Doc, your confusing conservatism with Jerry Falwell and
the "religious right". A true conservative believes in the constution
of the United States. Believes that a woman has a right to choose,
believes in rights for its citizens as well as for the criminals out
there. Believes in the right to own and bear guns, believes in a
government that is for the people by the people, and above all a
government that is ANSERABLE to the people.

Dan/W4NTI

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3029. KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10860-390A0745-79@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112462

Should Herb Schoenbohm, KV4FZ suffer some penalty, because we think he must have done something wrong? There are many who say "yes." This report tells why 1) he should be exonerated of the remaining criminal count, and 2) his ham radio license should be restored.

The story is unquestionably ham radio related.
The FCC stepped in after he was convicted of of the felony count, "possession of a counterfeit access device with intent to defraud." FCC rules specify the agency need not license a convicted felon; however, the provision is seldom invoked.

In Herb's case, the felony conviction opened the door to FCC jurisdiction. What the judge heard at the administrative hearing, rather than the felony conviction itself, was dispositive of dooming Herb's ham license. They held, he had not been candid.

I do not question the Commission's assessment. But the entire train of events culminating in that hearing was unfair.

Not at issue is Herb's culpability of committing an alleged misdemeanor against Call's. Had he been so charged, he likely would have been convicted without much contention. However, Herb was charged with three counts of felony, a horse of a different color. We cannot be convicted under our system of that which we are not charged.

At his criminal trial, the prosecution presented a list of his alleged illegal calls. Trouble was, after the trial the defense discovered the list was fabricated. The defense then moved successfully for reversal. Two of the three counts fell.

"Possession of a counterfeit access device with intent to defraud" is the specific count left standing. It too should fall, because when the printout was discredited, any such conceivable device dropped from the case. (The Miller audio tape contained telephone numbers, not access codes.)

The two counts which the judge reversed were more obvious. Both were grounded in a jurisdictional minimum of $1000. Since recipients on the bogus list testified by Affidavit that they didn't know Herb, hadn't heard from him yet had other business in the Virgin Islands, the case against Herb no longer came up to the jurisdictional amount. So the judge reversed those counts, upbraiding the prosecution.

Since the appearance of some guilt remained, the court wouldn't tinker with the counterfeit access count. The argument about no identifiable counterfeit access device was never made adequately.

Travelling the judicial road, causes of action do become foreclosed. But not necessarily all. Clever lawyers come up with clever causes all the time, and exoneration of the remaining criminal charge is still possible.

Though he had no obligation to testify in his criminal case, he was forced to the stand by the prosecution's tactical advantage with the bogus printout. Herb found himself in a position where he had left everything up to his lawyer. In turn, his lawyer, who expected a quick acquittal, argued everything in Herb's favor.

Counsel argued as fact that Herb had no computer expertise, expecting his client would never take the stand to testify contrarily. When Herb testified, he found himself in the untenable position of reconciling his lawyer's argument with the truth.

That's when his downhill journey began.

Because Herb is still pursuing certain remedies on the criminal side to exonerate himself, he could hardly come clean with the FCC. Essentially, the Commission's administrative hearing was an unintended invasion of his Consitutional rights. If he testified candidly before the FCC, he would have doomed his appellate rights on the criminal side. By not testifying candidly to the Commission, he doomed his ham license.

To the extent he's misbehaved, can Herb say he's sorry? Can our Government take remedial steps, recognizing the Catch22 into which he was thrust? To be continued ...

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3030. Re: Enough of Elian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ed45u$v79$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112463

In article <8ecum5pap1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
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> dan the asshole doc the fustrated human being stick it butt head
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> Before you buy.
>
No David, Doc and I are not butt buddies. What we are is aligned against radio terrorists, like you and those you call friends. When are you going to realise that the war is over David. And further more loser, that "baby killer" thing never did work with me DRAFT DODGER.

I'm proud of my service to my country, I just wish I had you in my outfit. I would have adjusted your attitude the only way you can understand, with a brogan up your butt.

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3031. Re: Help Antron 99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigastik bigastik <bbigastik@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <G5oO4.2436$lp.63812@cac1.rdr.news.psi.ca>
Source record: 112464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

R.F.M.!!!!!

"L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net> wrote in message
news:sgjli3cj7qo29@corp.supernews.com...
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3032. Re: Enough of Elian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigastik bigastik <bbigastik@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <f7oO4.2437$lp.63929@cac1.rdr.news.psi.ca>
Source record: 112465

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC TACTIC TALK ABT MONEY HOW MUCH DID HIS CIGAR MASTURBATING AFFAIRS COST THE TAXPAYER????

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From: bigastik bigastik <bbigastik@hotmail.com>
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STOP FUCKING WHINING !!!!!! GET ON WITH LIFE NOBODY LIKES A WHINER

"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote in message
news:390949c1.65204084@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> On 15 Apr 2000 22:38:07 GMT, k4yz@aol.com (Steve Robeson) wrote:
>
> >>Subject: Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.
> >>From: vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL)
> >>Date: 04/15/2000 4:32 PM Central Daylight Time
> > >
> > >>Sorry Lair, I'd join you but I canceled my membership and sent in my
badge.
> > >I'll wear a band of electrians around my arm. It wasn't old age that
put'er
> > >down, it was a silly notion that quantity is somehow better than quality
and
> > >laziness should be valued over ambition. So-long dear friend, you'll be
> > >missed.<
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> > > Well, Folks, I have had to suffer through two REAL funerals in the
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> > >months...this "phantom" one I will pass attending.
> > >
> > > No, I didn't want to the the Code test changed as drastically as it
was,
> > >but the biggest change was in the written nad the number of test
questions in
> > >total. THERE is where Amateur Radio will suffer...in the lack of
technical
> > >infrastructure.
> >
> > Again Stevie what is with you. You state quite clearly that
> > did not want this result, but I can't choose to belive what you post
> > here represents your true feeling feelings rather than what you said
> > the FCC
> >
> > >
> > > Until the tests are reinforced and we restore some credibility to
what was
> > >once a respected and even revered program, THERE will be the weak link of
> > >Amateur Radio. I don't care if there's only ONE class of license, if it
has no
> > >credibility as a true determination of technical knowledge or skill, it's

a
> >paper tiger.
>
> Agreed, nor should have such credibility as such. The License
> is a Learners permit not a degree, it would be nice if your could get
> that though your head. Even the ARRL seems to have some grasp on that
> concept, with education program, but of course even that depnds on
> this notion that anyone needing to be able to Prove something by the
> hobbies may well ahve something wrong with them
> >
> >73
> >
> >Steve Robeson, K4YZ
> >
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> >
>

3034. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: zuch@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <8ed5o9$12s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

In article <39090688.EA82E07F@worldnet.att.net>,
PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net wrote:
> > This fellow, Wood, is full of half-truths. Earlier he claimed that
> > there was no warrant (one was issued the previous evening at about
> > 7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
> > three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the
> > house (CBS News); a cache of guns were in a neighbor's home --
> > that home was neutralized prior to the hostage rescue (CBS News).
>
> The warrant, according to a former district court judge, named
> Napolitano, writing in the New York Times, two days ago, said that
> there is no such a thing as a search warrant for a human being. That
> a search warrant is issued to find inanimate property, evidence to
> the commission of a crime. . . .

What ever gave you the silly notion that a person cannot be
evidence of aa crime?

> . . . Further, the warrant that was issued for
> Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
> issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
> behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.

That is not true, either. The INS can and do arrest suspected
illegal aliens. How do you think they round them up anyways?
Ask them," pretty please, would you step into this van over
here?" Baldertdash.

> As for the weapons...CBS news as well as NBC and ABC have been
> reporting that there were potentially weapons in the house. It
> has since been admitted by Reno and Holder that there were three
> separate searches of the house by federal and local authorities,
> including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The
> house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at
> the time of the incursion.

Oh, really? Were they making everyone going into and out of the
house pass through a metal detector?

> As was the neighbor's house.

Are you saying there were no weapons there? On what basis?
Was the CBS report inaccurate?

> At the time of the incursion, all media had been taking the pool
> feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the

> house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.

"erroneously? How so?

[snip peripheral nonsense]

> Don't blame Wood for being full of half truths. At this stage of
> the game, and make no mistake, it IS a game, half truths are all
> that anyone is getting from media, and 'official' sources.

So you think you're free to pick anbd choose the version that
suits your ideology best? Why not _look_ at the UR:s I provided,
and judge for yourself who are the credible parties here. And
who are not.

[snip paranoia]

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3035. Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John - KI4RO <johnpsmith@freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <8ed400$jc5$1@news.smartworld.net>
Source record: 112468

Anyone heard of this or used one? I talked to WA5UTK the other night on 17m and he had one and it seemed to work just fine. What do you think?

73
John

3036. Re: Help Antron 99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott (Unit 69)" <upplus@-NOSPAM-hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <390A18A8.85BCA921@-NOSPAM-hotmail.com>
Source record: 112469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

lol, it probably didn't come with a manual. <:

bigastik bigastik wrote:
>
> R.F.M.!!!!!
>
> "L.A. Computers" <sgale@kingston.net> wrote in message
> news:sgjli3cj7qo29@corp.supernews.com...
> > have aquired a used Antron 99
> >
> > was wondering how i could test this antenna....
> >
> > using a meter can i check each section...and where and how do i connect
> the
> > meter...
> >
> >
> >
> >

--
Unit SIX-NINE Chesapeake Bay
Channel 28 AM / 36 LSB

3037. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390A1C8D.7DB005D6@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

> > As for the weapons...CBS news as well as NBC and ABC have been
> >reporting that there were potentially weapons in the house. It has
> >since been admitted by Reno and Holder that there were three
> >separate searches of the house by federal and local authorities,
> >including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The
> >house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at the
> >time of the incursion. As was the neighbor's house.
>
> How would they _possibly_ know that? Did they have metal detectors at
> the doors and did the frisk everybody? I mean come on - how can you
> say such a thing and expect people not to spew pop out their noses
> from laughing so hard?

They know this because there were three separate searches of the
house.
As admitted by the authorities who conducted them, the last of
which
took place on the day before the incursion.
>

3038. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390A21C1.E9A84EEA@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

> > . . . Further, the warrant that was issued for
> > Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
> > issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
> > behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.
>
> That is not true, either. The INS can and do arrest suspected
> illegal aliens. How do you think they round them up anyways?
> Ask them," pretty please, would you step into this van over
> here?" Baldertdash.
>
The INS was enjoined by the 11th district court of appeals from
taking action. The status of Elian was the very issue in question.
Therefore INS action to arrest Elian as an illegal alien was bogus.
Further the court SPECIFICALLY stated that Elian was NOT to be taken
from the family until the matter had been ajudicated. Not by INS,
not by Justice, not by the father, his agents or assigns. By the
court's order, Elian was to be left with the family until the
hearing on May 11th. Any warrants issued in the matter were,
therefore, in contempt of court, and bogus.

> > As for the weapons...CBS news as well as NBC and ABC have been
> > reporting that there were potentially weapons in the house. It
> > has since been admitted by Reno and Holder that there were three
> > separate searches of the house by federal and local authorities,
> > including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The
> > house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at
> > the time of the incursion.
>
> Oh, really? Were they making everyone going into and out of the
> house pass through a metal detector?

>
> > As was the neighbor's house.
>
> Are you saying there were no weapons there? On what basis?
> Was the CBS report inaccurate?
>
Apparently. The neighbor's house, also had been searched.

> > At the time of the incursion, all media had been taking the pool
> > feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the
> > house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.
>
> "erroneously? How so?

Simple, erroneously, as in 'not true'. Reports are surfacing that
what has been reported through 'official' sources as described is
not true. Person after person, eyewitnesses to the scene, have come
forward, to deny the story as reported. The crowd was not violent,
and the stories about the family are manufactured. Those who were
there. Including the cameraman beaten by INS agents, and local
police officials. These eyewitnesses are not being heard by
'offical'sources. But teh truth is coming out nonetheless, is slow
trickles.
>
> [snip peripheral nonsense]

Interesting use of labels. Labels, like taxes, are most
effectively used to destroy. You've learned well, Grasshopper.
>
> > Don't blame Wood for being full of half truths. At this stage of
> > the game, and make no mistake, it IS a game, half truths are all
> > that anyone is getting from media, and 'official' sources.
>
> So you think you're free to pick anbd choose the version that
> suits your ideology best? Why not _look_ at the UR:s I provided,
> and judge for yourself who are the credible parties here. And
> who are not.

I did. And they conflict with the stories that are surfacing from
parties directly involved, including Ms Reno's 30 year friend, who
handled the negotiations with the family, and judges offering
opinions in teh case.
>
> [snip paranoia]

You know what they say about paranoia.....don't you?

> Cheers,
>

3039. Re: Re a rabid dog is looseConservatism

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390A21EE.8AAAEF04@oio.net>
Source record: 112472

Frog,
I liked that! Pretty well sums up how a lot of
Americans feel.
'Doc

3040. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390A223F.C08BC0E6@oio.net>
Source record: 112473

John,
Probably as 'good' as any other sweep tube amplifier.
For what 'thats' worth.
'Doc

3041. HELP; DJ560 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mountain Bethell <bethell@frazmtn.com>
Message-ID: <sgkc0sdl7qo121@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112474

Is there a way to cross-band repeat the Alinco DJ-560 handheld? I really could use your help. Please reply to bethell@frazmtn.com. Thanks, Ray.

3042. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Myer <n8fgb@bignet.net>
Message-ID: <sgkdq237qo55@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112475

If I am not mistaken they are criminal bander amps.The word splatter comes
to mind.
John - KI4RO <johnpsmith@freewwweb.com> wrote in message
news:8ed400$jc5$1@news.smartworld.net...
> Anyone heard of this or used one? I talked to WA5UTK the other night on
17m
> and he had one and it seemed to work just fine. What do you think?
>
> 73
> John
>
>

3043. Icom 761

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Stark Jr <n1jio@banet.net>
Message-ID: <390a4f2a_3@news1.prserv.net>
Source record: 112476

I am looking for information about this rig as I have a chance to purchase one and know little about it and what I should look out for both pro/con.
Thanks John

3044. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10861-390A4E6D-51@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112477

janssenjq,

As a fellow ham, albeit one who made a significant contribution to Herb's cause, I surely have the right to publicly voice a good-faith opinion.

The evidence showed, Herb did in fact toy with Calls. FCC officials were there first outside, then inside the court room. Naturally, the Commission would want an explanation for what they witnessed.

While Herb is indeed not the big felon the prosecution portrayed, he could have saved his license, in my opinion, with a little humility. Experts in these type of cases know that an expression of de minimus remorse would have gone a long way--and still might--to remedy Herb's situation.

Witnessing the folly of the KV4FZ-type of blanket denial are the Watergate and Clinton matters, where minimal admissions and apologies would have remedied the situations before they got off the ground .

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3045. Re: OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barbequed Chicken <squeezehack@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <8edm8e$h4q$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 112478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

My attention span is too short!

"Earnest Angley" <coozesli@getit.com> wrote in message
news:GHjO4.4331$g4.113593@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> New ham radio war is about to erupt. (??)
>
> Yes sir! Listen as one pack of geriatric
> old fools does battle with another group
> of geriatric old fools on the great 20 Meters!
>
> Their even gonna leave their teeth in the glass
> on the bathroom sink for this one kiddies!!!
>
> for info on this weekend's radio-war go to
> http://members.aol.com/jcunham/
>
> NOTE: the above webpage *is not* involved
> in any way whatsoever with this pending
> "Booer-War", they just report the news
> much faster than that Rain Report guy
> who's pre-recorded audio broadcasts
> still sounds like he's using a $2.95
> Radio Shack microphone in the bottom
> of an empty 5lb. coffee can. (HEY R-R:
> GET RID of that Heil SH-T microp, and
> get a Shure Bro.'s dynamic - a real
> man's microphone - not this overpriced
> ham crap!
>
>

3046. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <390A5D2D.9E68552C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> But when Dan Rather, Peter Jennings,
> and Tom Brokaw are all saying
> the same things in an issue like
> this...using exactly the same
> language, the same words and phrases,
> and they are the same words and
> phrases coming out of official
> sources in Cuba, notably Cuban
> media, the issue of credibility
> comes into question.

Look Peter, there is really only two sides to most debates - those for something and those opposed to it. And people on both sides are going to use whatever argument, whatever evidence, they have heard others, who are also on their side of the issue, use. That is normal in any debate.

However, even if people didn't hear anyone else say something, it should not really be surprising to hear similar arguments because most arguments really boil down to a few simple points. Lets give an example - the issue of whether Elain should have been returned to the father. Now, either you're going to be opposed to that (and millions of people, who you have never met, are going to agree with you), or you're in favor of it (and millions of others are going to agree with the people saying this).

Now the fact that millions of people agree with your position (either way), and many agree for the same reasons that you do, does not mean that you got together and conspired to present the same argument. It simply means that there are a lot of people in this world and many of those people are going to have similar arguments (no matter which side of the issue they are on).

So, the fact that these journalists have an opinion, and Castro also has a similar opinion, is not related. There is not great conspiracy here. Millions of people think Elian should be returned to his father and allowed to go home to Cuba. The fact that Castro thinks the same thing is not really an issue (the only ones who seem to care what he wants are those opposed to Elian's return, not those in favor of it).

> It raises the issue of credibility.
> And upon credibility, not doctrine or
> ideology, it is incumbent upon us as
> citizens in a nation Of the People,
> By the People, and For the People, to

> demand full and open accounting of the
> facts, so that the truth may surface.
> And to pick and choose among the
> stories and sources, to find where
> the truth is hidden.

Look, the only doctrine or ideology I see here is from those opposed to Elian's return to his father, and to Cuba. It is the same doctrine and ideology that fueled the cold war for five decades. Those in favor of the boys return are simply saying that this should not be an issue here - in other words, forget the cold war rheteric and let the boy go back where he belongs (the cold war should not come between a boy and his father).

So, try to wrap yourself up in the flag (or constitution, in this case) all you want. Most people are not falling for your cold-war rheteric this time.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3047. Re: ART BELL SLAMS WWCR - QUITS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Patrick <arp@inet4u.com>
Message-ID: <390A5DAD.7DECA89F@inet4u.com>
Source record: 112480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Rick wrote:

> On Thu, 27 Apr 2000 14:15:29 GMT, "Bagle Bernie"
> <bagleman8@florida.tampa.com> wrote:
>
> >
> >Mad Nomad <madnomad@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> >news:39084955.9259649@news.mindspring.com...
> >>
> >> I thought all those guys migrated to WGTG.
> >
> >True, the bulk of the right-wing militia gun nuts
> >programs are now on WGTG. Mark Koernkie and Alex
> >Jones for example have found a nice rock to slither
> >under in WGTG to broadcast their hate-speech
> >from.
>
> I'v listen to Alex Jones on WGTG talking about the coming
> police state but always took it with a grain of salt untill now.....
> But after seeing a 6 year old in Miami taken out of his home at Gun
> point so OUR goverment can send him back to Cuba I beginning to think
> that Alex Jones is Right. I just know one thing, if President Reagan
> was in office now that little boy would still be in Miami.
>
> Rick

One fellow mentioned the old toilet-paper-in-a-tree-in-the-woods trick. If you're walking through the woods and see a roll of toilet paper in a tree, don't look up, look for the trip wire or mine that the toilet paper is distracting you from. Seems the Elian story could be the toilet paper to distract us from the other under handed things that this administration is doing!

Just food for thought.

You notice there have been a couple of other incidents of killings by guns lately. Expect the Klinton administration to push through more "gun control" bills for the U.N. Shortly after the guns are taken most everyone will be believers -- in physical or mental leg-irons.

Al
--
"The Truth is Hate, to Those Who Hate the Truth"
Do what's right. You'll please OR AMAZE everyone!

3048. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jmallen@altavista.net>
Message-ID: <8edml0qjm1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote in message
news:ezc#NarGA.238@cpmsnbbsa03...
> radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote
> >And to live in Arizona ain't no privilege either. It's a sentence.
>
> Boy do I wish more people thought that way...
>
>
>
>
AAAAAY-MEN! Just had our 4th >100deg day in a row. Travel on roads leading
north and east is now nearly impossible, for all the motorhomes and
5th-wheel travel trailers from Pacific NW and the Midwest leaving town!
Yaaaay! Now, if only the gods of Es would allow Six to open.........

Jim
KC7BDP
Yuma, AZ
DM22qq

3049. HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <f8HO4.11990$55.99192@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 112284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual Radio Operators Society)???

They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.

Look near the bottom of this link, below PARG.
http://www.hamvention.org/UnofficialFriday.html

3050. KE6HN WACKO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: zyzxx@baker.com
Message-ID: <390b3e36.252336@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112285

To Lrod....Eat shit and die asshole.. I copied the code 'ad' since I
just happen to be a good CW copier for 40 years!
Now for Moonwalker....Dave..KE6HN..What is the purpose of the CW 'AD'?

Since that URL is inaccesible due to a needed password now.??????

Further..There are NO control Ops on 147.435 Mhz. IN L.A., so why are
you trying to come across as one.???

And actually, who cares, Moonwalker.?? Take your rhetoric and
extremely long transmissions that say nothing to another frequency and
everyone will be happier... Go back to your Bread Truck Home......

3051. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <390B47C3.CCFDECB9@icss.net>
Source record: 112286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I don't know anything about them. How much is the forum?

Innocent John!!! wrote:

> Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual Radio
> Operators Society)???
>
> They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.
>
> Look near the bottom of this link, below PARG.
> http://www.hamvention.org/UnofficialFriday.html

3052. Re: zyzxx WACKO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8efiqp$g9b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112287

In article <390b3e36.252336@news.earthlink.net>,
zyzxx@baker.com wrote:

> To Lrod...

Bwahahahahahahaha. So, you're reading my responses to you.

> I copied the code 'ad' since I just happen to be a good CW copier for
> 40 years!

Sure you are. "a good cw copier." Yeah. That's what we CW ops call
ourselves; CW copiers.

Bwahahahahahahaha.

LRod

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3053. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8efig3med1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 112288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Innocent John!!!" <jmackey@parg.NOSPAMorg> writes:
>Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual Radio
>Operators Society)???

I'm having trouble imagining just *how* they operate their radios, if
being heterosexual is a requirement for what they do.

Dave

3054. Re: any contacts with MICREL?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P.A.Gillilan" <p.a.gillilan@usa.net>
Message-ID: <8efigq$16v8$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 112289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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Pat N4YMX

"Clark Savage Turner" <turner@rome.ICS.UCI.EDU> wrote in message
news:200004291043.aa26627@gremlin-relay.ics.uci.edu...
> Building a satellite control receiver here and found in the
> current 73 magazine, the perfect receiver on a chip for our
> project. I have tried to make contact with MICREL (San Jose)
> via phone and website and no response backfrom them. Has
> anyone make contact or can you recommend a person to speak with?
> We just need a few of these for prototyping and to put in our
> main satellite.
>
> Clark
> WA3JPG

3055. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Myer <n8fgb@bignet.net>
Message-ID: <sgmjqtk0i50140@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112290

I've heard of a CRIMINAL BAND,but not a free band.They fine a CB'er in Texas
17,000 dollers for operating out of band on 11 mtr.
Rich
N8FGB
Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid> wrote in message
news:12ec007e.cb7a7b12@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com...
> Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
> calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
> than its illegal. Thanks, Sam
> alphacentauri@iplus.net
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network
*
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
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3056. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12814-390B4A24-63@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112291

Do these folks have an address for membership?? I want to join!!

Don B.

3057. Now that you're a bigshot EXTRA, what's next?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <319B02BB7D2A8792.D080EE286F9989B6.399361BCD8F10105@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112292

After you've studied, taken and passed the Extra test....what do you do now? You can't sit around on your asses like they do on 75 meters until you can't get out of your chair, any more, can you?

So, let's go after something new!

As a pubic service to all those Extras who think they know it all....I offer you the NEXT generation of license/test/certification! Get your CSSA or CSSE! NO CODE TEST, EITHER! Should be real easy!

Start taking the practice tests on:

http://www.secure-1.com/cert.asp

Then, sit back down at your ham rig and tell me how much 20 wpm on Morse from 1900 is in the importance of it all.

Larry W4CSC

3058. Re: KE6HN WACKO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <B4D51815A851D905.3CF391BEC1B621A4.1F267EC8BB7AA832@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112293

Now....Don't you ALL wish you lived in Southern California?

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 20:00:37 GMT, zyzxx@baker.com wrote:

>
>To Lrod....Eat shit and die asshole.. I copied the code 'ad' since I
>just happen to be a good CW copier for 40 years!
>Now for Moonwalker....Dave..KE6HN..What is the purpose of the CW 'AD'?
>
>Since that URL is inaccesible due to a needed password now.??????
>
>Further..There are NO control Ops on 147.435 Mhz. IN L.A., so why are
>you trying to come across as one.???
>
>And actually, who cares, Moonwalker.?? Take your rhetoric and
>extremely long transmissions that say nothing to another frequency and
>everyone will be happier... Go back to your Bread Truck Home......
>

3059. FA: Heathkit HM-2140 wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzie Diaz <w6icm@sisqtel.net>
Message-ID: <8efi3n0atl@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112294
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

FA a very clean Heathkit HM2140 wattmeter.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=317571535

73

Ozzie, w6icm

3060. FA: Collins trim ring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzie Diaz <w6icm@sisqtel.net>
Message-ID: <8efibd0b4v@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112295
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

FA Collins S Line Trim Ring (Metal).

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=317942158

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Ozzie, w6icm

3061. FA; Jennings Vacuum variable UCS-300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzie Diaz <w6icm@sisqtel.net>
Message-ID: <8efijo0bcp@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112296
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

FA Jennings Vacuum Variable UCS-300. Nice.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=317976043

73

Ozzie, w6icm

3062. FA: Collins 51J4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzie Diaz <w6icm@sisqtel.net>
Message-ID: <8efiqj0bj1@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

FA Collins 51J4 nice receiver. It has very nice front panel. Looks great.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=318743532

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Ozie, w6icm

3063. FA: tube tester, Triplett 1-177-B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzie Diaz <w6icm@sisqtel.net>
Message-ID: <8efjhk09fj@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.audio.tubes

FA Tube tester, military type Triplett 1-177-B. Nice shape.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=316261473

73

Ozzie

3064. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429180545.00590.00010014@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112299

In article <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>, n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) writes:

>Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. Some of you are glad >to hear this I'm sure.

...as much an understatement as "Janet Reno may have used excessive force in Miami."

3065. FA: MX-949 A/U tube socket adapter kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozzie Diaz <w6icm@sisqtel.net>
Message-ID: <8efjog09k2@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.audio.tubes

FA Military MX-949 A/U tube socket adapter kit....this unit connects to tube tester.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=316261473

73

Ozzie

3066. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390b585e.107144365@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112301

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 00:37:42 -0700, Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
wrote:

>Scott,
>
>I am not trying to be contrary, but honestly am curious to know how you can
>be sure that you are working someone via long-path from your car, since
>your mobile antenna is almost certainly omni-directional? Is there a way to
>do this using a step-attenuator, or something like that?
>
>de Will KD7BFX

Not to be contray or present myself as knwoing that much about
HF, but I would think it would involve checking time of day and other
factors to conclude that Long path was the only valid means of
propagation. not sure myself what would be involved in this process
but such could with propagations modes based on the ostion pof Day
Night teminator (called Grey line or something like it I believe

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz

3067. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390b5bf8.108066944@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 28 Apr 2000 20:11:57 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
>> Agreed, nor should have such credibility as such. The License
>>is a Learners permit not a degree,
>
>How long is the usual "learner's permit" good for -- six months?
>That would be fine -- after that period, have them come back and take
>a more challanging exam to see how much they actually learned.

Indeed as I have posted I favor such a structure, but all the
teirs of license having the same priveldge. now I think it has the
chance of Liquid Heleium flowing though the street of Hell (-270 deg C
or 3 degrees K) of happening. But as an Ideal I favor 2-3 three
classes of license each none renewalable with all Ham preveldges. This
type of incentive license might reall work, would alose keep done the
size of the pool of questions and keep from froming devides like tend
to exist between VHF and HF people now
>
>Good idea, Mark.
>
>Jeff

3068. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390b5ccd.108279579@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112303
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 11:28:24 +0930, Mark Little
<mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au> wrote:

>This is central weakness of the licence as a measure of competence. It
>is, perhaps, relevant for the duration of the exam, but for the next
>30~40 years, it is a meaningless piece of paper when trying to determine
>the competence of the holder. If you don't care if a vetran Amateur
>could not currently pass the licence requriements, why require the
>neophyte to do so?

It is indeed something I favor retesting all Ham on renewal

3069. Re: FS: Shure 444D A1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429182458.00590.00010024@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112304

In article <v1HO4.485$l41.49084@news.intnet.net>, "Martyn" <hood@icsi.net>
writes:

>I hope my listing here does not offend.
>I have this mic for sale on e-bay

Then it's "for auction", not "for sale."

3070. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429182458.00590.00010025@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112305

In article <sgmjqtk0i50140@corp.supernews.com>, "Rich Myer" <n8fgb@bignet.net>
writes:

>I've heard of a CRIMINAL BAND,but not a free band.They fine a CB'er in Texas
>17,000 dollers for operating out of band on 11 mtr.

Um, I beg your pardon...I do believe the individual in question here was a
licensed amateur radio operator who was operating out-of-band, NOT a CB'er.

3071. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429182459.00590.00010026@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112306

In article <10860-390A0745-79@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) writes:

>Should Herb Schoenbohm, KV4FZ suffer some penalty, because we think he
>must have done something wrong? There are many who say "yes." This
>report tells why 1) he should be exonerated of the remaining criminal
>count, and 2) his ham radio license should be restored.

Old news. This episode in amateur radio history is now over and done with.

Can we move on? PLEASE?

3072. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429182459.00590.00010027@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 112307

In article <20000429004849.09841.00000219@ng-fs1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) writes:

>Strom why the stupidity? Why do you continue to instigate? Your like an old
>Japanese soldier lost in the jungle, not knowing the war is over he continues
>to fight.

Hey, I remember that episode of "Gilligan's Island!"

3073. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8efpplnge1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112308

In article <20000429182458.00590.00010025@nso-fi.aol.com>,
toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
> In article <sgmjqtk0i50140@corp.supernews.com>, "Rich Myer"
<n8fgb@bignet.net>
> writes:
>
> >I've heard of a CRIMINAL BAND,but not a free band.They fine a CB'er
in Texas
> >17,000 dollers for operating out of band on 11 mtr.
>
> Um, I beg your pardon...I do believe the individual in question here
was a
> licensed amateur radio operator who was operating out-of-band, NOT a
CB'er.
>
>
Actually it was Lenny, KC5???. He was a technician licensee, who decided to operate on 14.313. He then proceeded to (on the air, mind you) state he was NEVER going to learn cw. And the FCC couldn't stop him from playing on 20meters. Riley's rangers then popped him, told him to knock it off. He agreed and turned in his ticket. He then proceeded to play on the "free band", tear up his neighborhood and started frequenting 20 meters again. The rest is history.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3074. 900 Mhz in Cleveland Ohio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: chief305@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11116-390B5F40-5@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112309

Are there any 900 Mhz. amateur repeaters in Cleveland? If so,what frequencys are they on?

Thanks In Advance!

Dave

3075. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3771-390B6ABC-51@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112310

toomanyradios,

As long as all remedies are not yet exhausted, these issues are ripe. To consider them otherwise is to deprive KV4FZ of his Constitutional rights.

To my knowledge, this is the first time that the criminal and administrative actions, taken together, have been shown to be intrinsically repugnant to the Constitution. Simply put, Herb cannot enjoy his Fifth and Sixth Amendments, U.S. Const., while expected to be fully candid in an administrative action. The 5th and 6th provide for Due Process and the right against self-incriminate.

Though this may be unimportant to you, it means everything to me--and many others, including KV4FZ and the FCC.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3076. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Martell's <mike-n-terri@erols.com>
Message-ID: <390B6E98.12CE65C1@erols.com>
Source record: 112311

Neal Feldman wrote:

> If they are so 'well intentioned' they can EARN their additional privs just as I
> and millions of others have.

There are plenty of people who can EARN their privs in more ways than just learning CODE, without technical advances the fancy rigs that some of the higher classed hams use would not exist, that would leave them little to talk about on the radio (HI HI).

> I see no virtue in the lowering of standards, especially when done just to cater
> to selfserving and lazy whiners.

LOWERING ONLY ONE STANDARD, CODE SPEED. And who is whining, those who already took the code test!

If I upgrade, will I be banished to talk only on 14.313 or one of the other couple of freq's that everybody just has to talk on while the rest of the band is open, who is doing that, the no-code tech's and novices??

The rules have changed, you can't change them back, if you did not write in you are at fault also, stop your whining and use the bands (not just one freq) before they all get taken away!!

I spent 3 months working on a radio project with no help from the higher class guys (I belonged to 2 clubs), when I finished I put what they had done to shame, what does that say for them, they passed the higher class tests (even code) but got outdone by a tech plus, sometimes standards don't help!!

Mike..KA1IFQ..Tech Plus

3077. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8efr77$q3h$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112312

Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid> wrote:
>Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
>calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
>than its illegal. Thanks, Sam

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TROLL-O-METER
(courtesy K0HB)

Jeff KH6O

3078. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8efqp7$pq4$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112313

Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.comnospam> wrote:
>Next Thursday, I have to a root canal done by a dentist in town

Why not let Charles AF2Y do it? =:o

Jeff KH6O

3079. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000429193925.19415.00000528@ng-bg1.aol.com>
Source record: 112314

Now your back in the past ycthulhu. OLD NEWS, I'll tell you too, it's over. As for CXJ's site, not much there. My point is, strom has put up NEW (although ridiculous) BS in order to what? INSTIGATE. He's went out of his way to insult and attack people. Nothing he's remarked about is newsworthy, or enforcement related. It's just plain old instigation and harassment. Nothing USEFUL at all. Your welcome to stick up for kevin strom if you like, I will not. Not for actions like this. Designed not to help 3950 or amateur radio but to hurt it. Continue the fight, instigate, stir the pot kevin, show us what your all about OK?

3080. Re: WACKO 147.435 rptr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8efsgqrkb1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112315

In article <390b3e36.252336@news.earthlink.net>, <zyzxx@baker.com> wrote:

>To Lrod....Eat <stuff> and die <snip>.. I copied the code 'ad' since I
>just happen to be a good CW copier for 40 years!

But you said that "no one" could copy it. You were wrong about that,
so you're no doubt wrong about everything else you've accused Dave
of.

>Now for Moonwalker....Dave..KE6HN..What is the purpose of the CW 'AD'?

A URL which points readers to a discussion site is not a commercial
advertisement and thus, to answer your earlier question, no law
is being broken. Any forty-year ham would know the rules inside and
out.

>Since that URL is inaccesible due to a needed password now.??????

It's clear that the source of your present and earlier hostilities
is the fact that you've been locked out of that site. What did you
do that they kicked you off? Maybe if you apologize and stop the
annonymous name-calling, they'll give you the new password.

>Further..There are NO control Ops on 147.435 Mhz. IN L.A., so why are
>you trying to come across as one.???

He programs the controller. Apparently he welds more control than you.
It's easy to see that you're also bothered by that fact. Maybe you
could ask Dave to teach you some programming and volunteer to assist
him. But first you have to stop the anonymous name-calling.

Say, is there a web site which contains a live audio feed of the
147.435 repeater?

73, Jeff

3081. Mobile Power Connection 96 Chev Blazer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lottoman <lottoman@skypoint.com>
Message-ID: <8eftbi$3057$1@shadow.skypoint.net>
Source record: 112316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone have any ideas for running a power cable from the battery to inside the passenger compartment on a 96' Chevy Blazer?

Thanks in advance!!

3082. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arne Langsetmo <zuch@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <390B8009.14A9B5D7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 112317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> > > . . . Further, the warrant that was issued for
> > > Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
> > > issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
> > > behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.
> > >
> > That is not true, either. The INS can and do arrest suspected
> > illegal aliens. How do you think they round them up anyways?
> > Ask them," pretty please, would you step into this van over
> > here?" Baldertdash.
> >
> The INS was enjoined by the 11th district court of appeals from
> taking action. . . .

Nope. They expressly refused to do anything WRT custody. All
they said was that Elian had to remain in the U.S. Do you think
that the court contemplated that the _Miami_ clan was going
to spirit him off to Cuba?

> . . . The status of Elian was the very issue in question.
> Therefore INS action to arrest Elian as an illegal alien was bogus.

Nope. The INS often holds people, even in _jails_, pending their
hearings.

> Further the court SPECIFICALLY stated that Elian was NOT to be taken
> from the family until the matter had been ajudicated. . . .

Utter bovine scat. I've read the whole decision, and there was
nothing such as that in it.

Do you just make up facts as you go?

FWIW, the court, since the hearing has refused to even order
that the Miami clan be allowed to see Elian. If what you say
is true above, they would have ordered the boy _returned_.
That they did not. You're just _full_ of it. . . .

[snip further nonsense]

> > > At the time of the incursion, all media had been taking the pool
> > > feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the
> > > house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.
> > >
> > "erroneously"? How so?

>
> Simple, erroneously, as in 'not true'. Reports are surfacing that
> what has been reported through 'official' sources as described is
> not true. Person after person, eyewitnesses to the scene, have come
> forward, to deny the story as reported. The crowd was not violent,
> and the stories about the family are manufactured. Those who were
> there. Including the cameraman beaten by INS agents, and local
> police officials. These eyewitnesses are not being heard by
> 'offical'sources. But teh truth is coming out nonetheless, is slow
> trickles.

Say, _I've_ got an idea!!! Let's have some extended Congressional
hearings and get to the bottom of this!

[snip]

> > So you think you're free to pick anbd choose the version that
> > suits your ideology best? Why not _look_ at the URLs I provided,
> > and judge for yourself who are the credible parties here. And
> > who are not.
>
> I did. And they conflict with the stories that are surfacing from
> parties directly involved, including Ms Reno's 30 year friend, who
> handled the negotiations with the family, and judges offering
> opinions in the case.

Oh, really? Is he saying that the feds busted the door in, too?

[snip]

Another dim bulb shows why the RW is such a laughingstock. . . .

Cheers,

-- Arne Langsetmo

3083. More Power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jacksforyou <duhgzNOduSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1719ab84.28f2847b@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 112318

I would like info on homebuilt amps and antennea. (11M)

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3084. Re: More Power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390B7CB9.E44D5A30@oio.net>
Source record: 112319

jacksforyou,
Try here......

alt.rec.cb

3085. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390B7D11.4288E9A2@oio.net>
Source record: 112320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Nathan,
Got any of the older handbooks? Bunch of 'DF'ing
information there.
'Doc

3086. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17725-390B9812-64@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112321

janssequ,

Of course, everything here on the Newsgroup has a shelf life. When it is dead, it does fade away. But for me, not before the thread is thoroughly explored.

I wasn't the one who voluntarily revealed the $300 episode; I was questioned here on the NG, forced to open up on the subject. My posts about Herb's legal predicament have nothing to do with the $300, which I have reason to believe will be remedied.

My posts deal with the aftermath of a criminal case where the prosecution threw Herb's case into chaos by the introduction of fabricated evidence. That chaos extended into his administrative hearing before the FCC, putting his license at risk.

I'm not demanding anything. The story drives me as it did at trial; doing journalism that makes a difference is my motive.

Please, my friend, comprehend the difference between 1) the strategy of confession and avoidance and 2) an attempt to elevate Herb's case by adding famous company. The cases are cited because they are ones within the purview of everyone's knowledge. (Or would you rather I cite the remote Nova v. Askew et al.?)

The point is: a minimal confession at the threshold can save multitudes of grief later--and ham licenses too.

Now comes the problem of what Herb should do, an enigma. I am now aware any ham who has a criminal case followed by an administrative FCC hearing is open to invasion of his 5th and 6th Amendment rights. To be candid with the Commission can very well mean testifying against yourself for purposes of the criminal process.

I hope you can see the deeper meaning here, because this is not a matter of crime and punishment. It is a matter of being railroaded by prosecutorial misconduct, then having the FCC invoke its power when valuable Constitutional rights stand between you and and the fate of your criminal case.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3087. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <%ENO4.17087$I7.23797189@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 112322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Could it be that HeROS was formed in reaction to Lambda, whose announcement also appears in the program:

QUOTE

Lambda Amateur Radio Club
Join us at our hospitality suite, Friday at 4:00 PM. Look for the signs in the Ramada Inn lobby, Ramada Inn, 4079 Little York Road, Dayton, OH.

Established in 1975, LARC is the only open and visible public service-oriented club for gay and lesbian hams and their friends. We are also the only gay club that is affiliated with the ARRL. Membership is open to all. If you have questions, call Doug Braun, KB8TGT, at the Ramada Inn: 937-890-9500.

END QUOTE

Compare Lambda's notice to the HeROS notice:

QUOTE

The Heterosexual Radio Operator's Society (HeROS)
The Heterosexual Radio Operator's Society will meet Friday at 7 PM at Ryan's Family Restaurant, 4111 Little York Rd in Dayton, OH.

HeROS is a public-service-oriented club which proudly affirms the straight majority status of the of it's members. HeROS works publicly and visibly for the benefit of all amateurs by promoting actions with opposite genders, and good will in ham radio.

END QUOTE

Just a thought.
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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

Innocent John!!! wrote in message ...
>Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual Radio
>Operators Society)???
>
>They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.

>
>Look near the bottom of this link, below PARG.
>http://www.hamvention.org/UnofficialFriday.html
>
>

3088. WTB: UNIDEN HR-2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eagle One <zbr@edmail.com>
Message-ID: <FbOO4.2102$Xc.102521@news1.primary.net>
Source record: 112323
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I want to buy Uniden HR-2510 10 meter radio's. New or used. Please include your asking price on first e-mail. Please send inquires to: radiobuyer@hotmail.com

3089. Re: Now that you're a bigshot EXTRA, what's next?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390BA3AE.565B0AB5@oio.net>
Source record: 112324

Larry,
Might do that. Already did the commercial license
thing, just didn't see any point in the CSSA.
'Doc

3090. Re: Mobile Power Connection 96 Chev Blazer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390BA462.B8A9C3F8@oio.net>
Source record: 112325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lottoman,
Look around on the firewall, see if there is a plugged
access hole. If so, cut out the 'stopper' enough to feed
a power lead through it. If no access hole, drill one large
enough for the power lead AND a rubber grommet.
There are access holes 'all' over a vehicle, just gotta
find one....
'Doc

3091. Kenwood TH-G71 Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Allen <denis@ak.net>
Message-ID: <sgnk61iii50131@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112326

I am looking for information on mods for the Kenwood TH-G71 dual band hand held.
Email me if you know where I can find them on the net or have any information to pass along.
Denis NL7R

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"A Fear of Weapons Is a Sign of Retarded Sexual and Emotional Maturity"
--Sigmund Freud, A General Introduction to Psychoanalysis

3092. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390A2AC7.37538C06@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

> > Don't blame Wood for being full of half truths. At this stage of
> > the game, and make no mistake, it IS a game, half truths are all
> > that anyone is getting from media, and 'official' sources.
>
> So you think you're free to pick anbd choose the version that
> suits your ideology best? Why not _look_ at the UR:s I provided,
> and judge for yourself who are the credible parties here. And
> who are not.
>
> [snip paranoia]
>

You know, you raise a really good point here. The truth isn't about ideology. The truth doesn't take sides. It simply exists. And it comes from many sources in a dispute.

But when Dan Rather, Peter Jennings, and Tom Brokaw are all saying the same things in an issue like this...using exactly the same language, the same words and phrases,...and they are the same words and phrases coming out of official sources in Cuba, notably Cuban media, the issue of credibility comes into question. It is not the business of journalism to take sides. It is not the business of journalism to decide for us what is the truth and then report what they decide. It is the business of journalism to report what is being said, to report what is taking place,-- on both sides,--and let the truth surface.

I have to seriously question the credibility of sources when Dan Rather, Peter Jennings, Tom Brokaw, Bill Clinton, and Greg Craig all in agreement with Fidel Castro. And an attorney in this dispute, Mr Craig, pulls rank on the Attorney General of the United States, and the 'watchdog' media fails to report that detail.

Yes, you must pick and choose which sources to believe. Not on the basis of ideology, but on the basis of credibility. And what's being reported in this matter, suffers severely in this area, in that Journalism isn't asking WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, AND HOW, but is simply parroting what has all the earmarks of the Party Line.

If Journalism wants to be believed in this matter, where are the in depth exposes? Where are the questions? Why isn't Journalism RABID over the fact that, unlike wiht the family in Miami, when they had open access to Elian and his doings, and his relationship with the family at will, they are excluded from the 'reunion', and only getting information through Mr Craig, an attorney in the dispute who

speaks for the father, and Fidel Castro? Where is the outrage that the American Press hasn't the same open access to Elian and his relationship with his father? Where is that hunting dog tenacity over the issue of the faked reunion photograph?

Nowhere to be found.

When has the American Press ever been so docile?

And why?

It raises the issue of credibility. And upon credibility, not doctrine or ideology, it is incumbent upon us as citizens in a nation Of the People, By the People, and For the People, to demand full and open accounting of the facts, so that the truth may surface. And to pick and choose among the stories and sources, to find where the truth is hidden.

That is not happening here.

And that's not paranoia...it's the truth.

3093. 40 years old Grundig Shortwave receiver - Collector Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mar20tek@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8edbeo$71l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112335
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi,

I've inherited an old working original radio receiver, a Grundig Prima_Boy Luxus LW208, I can provide serial number if it helps. I guess it has 40 years or more. It's made in Germany.

I got no intention to sell it, though I'd like to know a little bit about this model, when was it built, if it's really worth and if so, how much could it be.

Do you know any qualified collector-guru I should address to get an opinion?

It's sound is really wonderful.

Thanks.

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Before you buy.

3094. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8ed9l1uue1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 112336

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8ebtan$8om$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> How can a Mariana Guacamolean know so much about what went on with KV4FZ?

I read QST like anybody else. I've never talked to him at any length but
it's also impossible to not admire his signal from any of the 5 continents
on which
I have been posted over the past 10 years. It's really unparalleled
in the Western Hemisphere. I'm sorry to say that I have never heard your
signal.
Lots of people know about Herb. You for one talk about him ALL the time
and there's no such thing as bad press.

> Do me a favor and go bust open a coconut on your head as if you're not
doing
> it already.
Don't question Bob Sherin. He was AT TRIAL.

Know that. So? Isn't he the one who pointed out the irregularities?
Apparently, it was hardly a cut and dry process but that didn't keep you
from calling Herb a
"guilty s.o.b.". Can't air personal conflicts on the bands so air them here
I guess.

He went at his own
> expense to help the felon and what did Herbert do? Sold him a linear that
> was stored in the Caribbean Sea. Stole $300 from Mr. Sherin.

So this is really about an amplifier? Personal (and unbelievably petty)
conflict.

Janssen, do
> everyone a favor and go post on a Japanese rec. radio forum and leave us
> great Yankees alone.

Like Herb or not, his accomplishments in Ham Radio are significant. Anybody
who could do what he did on the low bands from the noisy Caribbean has great
operating and
technical skill. His 20M signal to NA and most of EU set a standard for
consistency, clarity and strength. He never
lost much time rebuilding his station following devastating Hurricanes,
another
true accomplishment. I always wished that Herb would spend his on air time
(and in this NG) telling
the rest of us how he did it. (Then again you might have similar
accomplishments

in which case please tell us because that's why we are here..We all know how to point and click so we don't need you to tell us about Elian, Clinton etc). Instead, Herb let his enthusiasm
for his issues get the best of him, made a lot of enemies and jeopardized his ticket.
(That could never happen to you could it?)

To us that pass-by or try to enjoy Usenet, you and Herb are two of a kind...except that I can't find your call in ON4UN's low band book nor have I ever heard your signal or seen
your call in QST when it wasn't that you were receiving some kind of registered mail or
worked you when I was in a rare country.

Neither you, or I or Mr. Sherin or anybody else save maybe for the phone company has any contrition due them from Herb or any right to demand such.

Sayonara you turkey.

> AF2Y,Doc
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> ----------
> In article <8ebd9q$ub1$1@brokaw.wa.com>, "janssenjq"
> <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net> wrote:
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> >
> > Robert Sherin <sherinsmiami@webtv.net> wrote in message
> > news:10910-3908E396-111@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> >> Herbie may be number 1. As a contester, he is world renowned, as an
> >> intellect, he is seldom matched, for lifestyles, he is the envy of
many.
> >
> > Yes, especially you.
> >
> >>
> >> But he remains woefully without contrition, a captive of his own
> >> self-denial. While careful legal analysis shows great cases in law,
> >> they are bankrupt factually. Herb, no kingpin of crime, cannot bring
> >> himself to admit his de minimus tinkering with Calls and his subsequent
> >> lack of candor with the Commission.
> >
> > So? Are we supposed to care? Why do you care so much? Didn't he have
his
> > day in court some YEARS ago?
> >
> >>
> >> Long ago he could have said: "No, I did not defraud Calls nor take
> >> anything from them. But I used bad judgement; I hacked with Calls'
> >> security system. And for that, I sincerely apologize."
> >>

> >> A simple statement yet an impossible one for Herb, it would have
> >> prevented adverse consequences from the moment it was issued. The
> >> judges were waiting for like words.
> >>
> >> In my view, all the legal arguments in the world, no matter how
> >> efficacious, cannot overcome his lack of factual admission and
> >> contrition.
> >
> > That's nice. Are you a man of the cloth? Are you worried about Herb's
> > soul?
> >
> > Why don't we talk about Ham Radio for a change?
> >
> >>
> >> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> >> Miami, Florida
> >
> > John KH2/K4ANA
> >
> >>
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3095. Re: OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <390a2b05.348742748@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 28 Apr 2000 17:16:22 GMT, "Earnest Angley"
<coozesli@getit.com> wrote:

>New ham radio war is about to erupt. (??)
>
>Yes sir! Listen as one pack of geriatric
>old fools does battle with another group
>of geriatric old fools on the great 20 Meters!
>
>
Who is the players in this war? The pro-code vs the no-code hams or
is it the classic Liberal vs conservitive war that has been going on
for years?
Also what is the frequency of this war?

Rick KC2ESD/AG

3096. 40 years old Grundig Shortwave receiver - Collector Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mar20tek@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8edc9g$7v5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112338
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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3097. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <14C48C075D38BFB9.F0237D9387CDB9ED.22D9DC8EFE239DCF@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112339

On Fri, 28 Apr 2000 18:47:39 -0400, "John - KI4RO"
<johnpsmith@freewwweb.com> wrote:

>Anyone heard of this or used one? I talked to WA5UTK the other night on 17m
>and he had one and it seemed to work just fine. What do you think?
>
>73
>John
>
>
PIIIINNNNGGG!!

What Golden Eagle?

PIIINNNNGGG!!!

Larry....Best selling product defect ever gotten past QC! Primary DC
keying....as the receiver comes down, it pings feeding back into the
mic hearing its own transmitter! Sold a pile of them, I did....(c;

3098. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000428210932.16090.00000286@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Subject: Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.
>From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org (James Rosenthal)
>Date: 04/28/2000 3:59 PM Central Daylight Time

>How long is your drivers license good for. Were you an expert when you got the
first one? <

"Learner's Permit"

"Driver's License"

Two diffrent concepts, Jim.

>In affect it's already being done. It's called upgrading.<

Therein lies the difference between the two. I "upgraded" from my
learner's permit to an unrestricted license, just like I upgraded from Novice
to Extra.

73

Steve, K4YZ

3099. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <705A908CC607564D.65A76292A30F48EF.0E75A5315273D639@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112341

On Fri, 28 Apr 2000 18:43:59 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>John,
> Probably as 'good' as any other sweep tube amplifier.
>For what 'thats' worth.
> 'Doc

Doc, did you ever see that sweep tube linear someone built that had so
many tubes in parallel the OUTPUT impedance was 50 ohms?!

Can't remember where I saw that....a long time ago.

Larry W4CSC

3100. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ede06$5qj$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

In article <3909A3B0.22F16FE5@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Peter Maus wrote:
>> Jeff wrote:

>> > This fellow, Wood, is full of half-truths. Earlier he claimed that
>> > there was no warrant (one was issued the previous evening at about
>> > 7:30pm) (CBS News). He also claimed that the family was unarmed, but
>> > three days prior to the hostage rescue there were weapons in the house
>> > (CBS News); a cache of guns were in a neighbor's home -- that home was
>> > neutralized prior to the hostage rescue (CBS News).

>Uh, Jeffie . . ? If it was a "hostage rescue," why are you claiming
>that a search warrant was NECESSARY?

I'm not making any "claims" at all. Just stating the facts.

>Another Stupid Whiner-Extra Trick.

No trick. You said there was no warrant. You lied.

>> The warrant, according to a former district court judge, named
>> Napolitano, writing in the New York Times, two days ago, said that
>> there is no such a thing as a search warrant for a human being. That
>> a search warrant is issued to find inanimate property, evidence to
>> the commission of a crime. Further, the warrant that was issued for
>> Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
>> issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
>> behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.

The feds think otherwise. I believe them over the arm-chair lawyers
on here.

>If Jeffie had any understanding about grown-up stuff like this, he would
>know that a warrant is ONLY a warrant when it is in full complaince with
>the law. Call it what you like, if there is a fatal flaw, there is NO
>warrant.

That "flaw" is in your imagination.

>> As for the weapons...CBS news as well as NBC and ABC have been
>> reporting that there were potentially weapons in the house. It has
>> since been admitted by Reno and Holder that there were three
>> separate searches of the house by federal and local authorities,
>> including INS, that failed to find any weapons in the house. The
>> house was watched, and the house was known to be weapon free at the
>> time of the incursion. As was the neighbor's house.

It's not the house itself but the people in and around the house:

Washington Post: As many as 25 potentially armed individuals, many known to have concealed weapons permits and criminal records, around the Gonzalez house had been identified. All those individuals were involved in a security system designated to prevent Elian's removal from his relatives. The system included a five-man contingent of bodyguards around the family itself, one of whom had been seen carrying a gun inside the home.

Jeffie

3101. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8edeoj$6fq$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
>: Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:

>: >The License is a Learners permit not a degree,

>: How long is the usual "learner's permit" good for -- six months?

>How long is your drivers license good for. Were you an expert when you
>got the first one?

But the "learner's permit" (Mark's suggestion) comes before the DL.
After the six months of utilizing the permit, the examiner determines
if you're expert enough to be trusted on the road with full driving
privileges.

>: That would be fine -- after that period, have them come back and take
>: a more challanging exam to see how much they actually learned.

>In affect it's already being done. It's called upgrading.

That's voluntary. In regards to licensing of drivers, it's mandatory
that you "upgrade" from learner's permit to DL, or else you don't drive.

>You seem to be forgetting that to get a license you have to meet a set of
>(minumum) requirements.

We're discussing a learner's permit, not a license.

Jeff

3102. Re: OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Screw Microsoft <mhughes@aol.com>
Message-ID: <6orO4.6071$x4.179980@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Rick <Rickhit@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:390a2b05.348742748@netnews.worldnet.att.net...
> Who is the players in this war? The pro-code vs the no-code hams or
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> for years?
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> Rick KC2ESD/AG

Apparently a group of ex-"14.313'ers" who moved to 14.275
versus a group on 14.273 who like to run
high power and dirty amplifiers, (they claim that
they have been on 14.273 since Marconi discovered
radio....)

Appears to be your classic ham radio "turf-war" squabble
warming up to a slow then full-rolling boil. Dump in a pound
of spaghetti and make dinner....

Listen in on 14.273-275 USB during daylite USA hours.

3103. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Little <mark@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Message-ID: <390A41C0.85233AA1@brigadoon.apana.org.au>
Source record: 112345
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:
> > Agreed, nor should have such credibility as such. The License
> >is a Learners permit not a degree,
>
> How long is the usual "learner's permit" good for -- six months?
> That would be fine -- after that period, have them come back and take
> a more challanging exam to see how much they actually learned.
>
> Good idea, Mark.

Such a scheme seems rather pointless unless you also periodically test licenced Amateurs to see that they have retained that standard. Why set a standard if you don't care if it is maintained?

This is central weakness of the licence as a measure of competence. It is, perhaps, relevant for the duration of the exam, but for the next 30~40 years, it is a meaningless piece of paper when trying to determine the competence of the holder. If you don't care if a vetran Amateur could not currently pass the licence requriements, why require the neophyte to do so?

Amateur Radio already has a "Learner's Permit". Is is operating with a licenced Amateur - exactly in the same way a learner driver is accompanied by a appropriately licenced person (minus the learner's permit, of course).

This is the weakest link in the existing licence scheme because it does not test the ONLY thing which is likely to disrupt the bands - the on-air manners of the Amateur. This is obvious from the bands. Technical ingorance is vastly overshadowed by plain bad manners amd pig-headedness as the main cause of disruption on the bands.

The question of the technical standard of Amateurs is, in my view, being handled backwards. If you want to lift the knowledge level, concentrate on the long term Amateurs - they are a much higher percentage of the Amateur population and on _average_ they have a lower techncial level that any Amateur who has just passed the licence (no matter what it's level is). Mind you, many new Amateurs reach the same level as the average old-timer pretty quickly. ;-) BTW, I include myself in the old-timer category.

Mark.

3104. Re: Re a rabid dog is looseConservatism

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000428220832.07423.00000239@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 112346

good solid thoughts Frogie !

3105. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000428221707.07423.00000240@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 112347

Doc - your lost, but certainly entitled to your view.
Conservative - Traditional, responsible, accountable, I'll stop there since the current administration cannot get beyond those.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3106. Re: OhBoy-OhBoy! a NEW radio war :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000428222428.07423.00000242@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 112348

If you want a REAL mic try the
CAD Equitek E-100, compltely flat from 10Hz to 10kHz.
http://www.cadmics.com/products.htm
not cheap but GOOD

3107. Re: a rabid dog is loose(Conservatism)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000428222751.07423.00000243@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 112349

Sounds like you are calling for "socialism" there Charlie.>Thank God for
Liberalism. Lord help us if this country were dominated by
>rightwing ULTRA Conservative screwballs who care NOTHING about people but in
>only lining their own pockets at the expense of taxpayers. Leave it to the
>Conservatives to give a pats on the backs of pharmaceutical companies who
>gouge the hell out of the elderly. Leave it to the Conservatives to
>extinguish any plan for a comprehensive medical program in this nation to
>help ALL.

<<SNIP>>

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3108. 3950.net: The Unintentionally Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <390A57F0.79C48C51@innocent.com>
Source record: 112350
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.wa9kji,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

New on 3950.net (http://www.3950.net):

1. A new url for the FRG9600 3950 Jammers Page

2. A new alternate url for 3950.net, in case of server or network difficulties

3. Links to two unintentionally amusing web sites published by two well-known and aggressive QRMers of 3950

4. An hilarious new cartoon capturing the pure lunacy of WA9KJI

Have fun!

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://www.kevin-strom.com

3109. Re: In Memorium... So-long dear friend.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8edkb1$m1l@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 112351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:
: >Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: >: Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote:

: >: >The License is a Learners permit not a degree,

: >: How long is the usual "learner's permit" good for -- six months?

: >How long is your drivers license good for. Were you an expert when you
: >got the first one?

: But the "learner's permit" (Mark's suggestion) comes before the DL.
: After the six months of utilizing the permit, the examiner determines
: if you're expert enough to be trusted on the road with full driving
: privileges.

It's not likely that we are going to KILL someone with ham radio. So we
don't have such restrictive license classes :) But I think one could take
the "full privilege" driving test as the first test.

: >: That would be fine -- after that period, have them come back and take
: >: a more challanging exam to see how much they actually learned.

: >In affect it's already being done. It's called upgrading.

: That's voluntary. In regards to licensing of drivers, it's mandatory
: that you "upgrade" from learner's permit to DL, or else you don't drive.

See above about KILLING people/things. There is a public safety issue
involved with driving.

: >You seem to be forgetting that to get a license you have to meet a set of
: >(minumum) requirements.

: We're discussing a learner's permit, not a license.

I'll have to admitt I haven't read all of Marks suggestion (sorry Mark,
it's a real eye strain since you don't hav' a speel cihkerer).

Well, let me saaayy this a'but thaaat ..... ham radio doesn't -have- a
"learner's *permit*" we jump right to the license stage. Of course it is
recognized that one particular class is the "entry (learner)" class. :)

: Jeff
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

3110. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390A5F20.9550EC5D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > But when Dan Rather, Peter Jennings,
> > and Tom Brokaw are all saying
> > the same things in an issue like
> > this...using exactly the same
> > language, the same words and phrases,
> > and they are the same words and
> > phrases coming out of official
> > sources in Cuba, notably Cuban
> > media, the issue of credibility
> > comes into question.
>
> Look Peter, there is really only two sides to most debates - those for
> something and those opposed to it. And people on both sides are going
> to use whatever argument, whatever evidence, they have heard others, who
> are also on their side of the issue, use. That is normal in any debate.
>
> However, even if people didn't hear anyone else say something, it
> should not really be surprising to hear similar arguments because most
> arguments really boil down to a few simple points. Lets give an example
> - the issue of whether Elain should have been returned to the father.
> Now, either you're going to be opposed to that (and millions of people,
> who you have never met, are going to agree with you), or you're in favor
> of it (and millions of others are going to agree with the people saying this).
>
> Now the fact that millions of people agree with your position (either
> way), and many agree for the same reasons that you do, does not mean
> that you got together and conspired to present the same argument. It
> simply means that there are a lot of people in this world and many of
> those people are going to have similar arguments (no matter which side
> of the issue they are on).
>
> So, the fact that these journalists have an opinion, and Castro also
> has a similar opinion, is not related.

That's exactly the point. Journalists do not have opinions in the
matter they report. The report. The coincidences, you correctly
point out, are not conclusive of conspiracy. And it is not my
intention to state that they are. However, even in similar
circumstances, three distinct reporters express their witness three

distinct ways. This isn't happening here. Rather, Brokaw and
Jennings are using the same language, in the same ways. That
suggests that isn't individual information gathering taking place.
Again, not conclusive, but if it doesn't raise suspicions, there is
a problem with the willingness of a free people to pursue the truth.

> There is not great conspiracy
> here. Millions of people think Elian should be returned to his father
> and allowed to go home to Cuba. The fact that Castro thinks the same
> thing is not really an issue (the only ones who seem to care what he
> wants are those opposed to Elian's return, not those in favor of it).
>
> > It raises the issue of credibility.
> > And upon credibility, not doctrine or
> > ideology, it is incumbent upon us as
> > citizens in a nation Of the People,
> > By the People, and For the People, to
> > demand full and open accounting of the
> > facts, so that the truth may surface.
> > And to pick and choose among the
> > stories and sources, to find where
> > the truth is hidden.
>
> Look, the only doctrine or ideology I see here is from those opposed
> to Elian's return to his father, and to Cuba. It is the same doctrine
> and ideology that fueled the cold war for five decades. Those in favor
> of the boys return are simply saying that this should not be an issue
> here - in other words, forget the cold war rheteric and let the boy go
> back where he belongs (the cold war should not come between a boy and
> his father).
>
> So, try to wrap yourself up in the flag (or constitution, in this
> case) all you want. Most people are not falling for your cold-war
> rheteric this time.

Not cold war rhetoric...questions. Questions that have not been
asked in this matter as they should if the truth is ever an issue.

p
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3111. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000429004849.09841.00000219@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 112353

Strom why the stupidity? Why do you continue to instigate? Your like an old Japanese soldier lost in the jungle, not knowing the war is over he continues to fight. Most of the problems (99%) have been resolved or stopped on 3950. It has gotten back to some level of normalcy, and here you are starting your usual brand of instigation, with people who are not creating problems. Your a loser Strom, and bad for amateur radio.

3112. Re: a rabid dog is loose

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <390A6B1B.2F80BEE@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112354

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> What's a good definition of liberalism
> you ask? I'm not looking in any
> dictionary for the answer but I'll tell
> you what my heart tells me. A
> Liberal is someone who cares about
> his fellow man and who has a broad
> encompassing view of society instead
> of tunnel vision Conservatism.

And I see that your views about conservatism are really "broad" and "encompassing."

> A Liberal looks to expand programs while
> Conservatives restrict.

Even if the program makes no sense and is actually harmful to our society?

> A Liberal is tolerant of all peoples while
> a Conservative lives in his own church and
> bars anyone different from entering.

What he's actually saying is that, "a Liberal is tolerant" to everyone except conservatives, anyone who agrees with conservatives, anyone who does no agree with him, or anyone who disagrees with anything he likes.

> In 2000 an American Liberal recognizes
> the need for better gun control while
> a Conservative is in the pocket of NRA
> extremists who thrive on fostering
> murder and mayhem in the States.

Washington (DC) is the violence capital of the world, and has more Democrats, based on percentage of population, than any other city in the United States (and Washington also has the strongest anti-gun laws).

Of course, that really should not surprise anyone. If I were a criminal, I'd certainly support the liberal cause. For example, I would not want to run into a gun when I break into a house at night. And those liberals who want to ban guns will insure this does not happen. And, if I'm ever caught (not likely if liberals keep distracting the police with claims of brutality), those same liberals will insure I get a really light prison sentence. Heck, maybe I'll get no prison time if I can convince them I'm a poor victim of society or the police who arrested me are racist (oh shoot, I'm white - that ploy only works for blacks).

> A Conservative is a patsy for the
> intolerant religious right in this
> nation who want to push their
> stupid and bigoted agenda down
> everyones' throats.

And the liberal is tolerant of everyone except those who believe in religion (and, as stated earlier, anyone else who disagrees with anything the liberal likes). And "bigoted" is a word used most often by liberals to describe others, when it really best describes them.

> Conservatives want to control a
> woman's reproductive system; they
> want to ban abortion yet provide
> no answer as to what we do with
> millions of unwanted infants.

And liberal men, like possibly the writer of the paragraph above, just want to control a piece of pussy, even for a moment. And they will they will do, or say, anything to achieve that. So, if a woman wants to kill a baby, that is just find with most liberal men as long as they get some. After all, they don't have what it takes (moral courage or integrity) to attract women any other way.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3113. N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.comnospam
Message-ID: <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 112355

Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. Some of you are glad to hear this I'm sure. I have enjoyed the many years of on the bands. I am moving on to better things in my life and need to put some things behind. I have sold most of my ham gear and will keep a few SW radios around. I will still be active as a "lowly SWL" but so be it. I need some time to reflect on my life. I have sincerely awakened to some new things in life.

Next Thursday, I have to a root canal done by a dentist in town and I have been putting some of my affairs in order. I am hoping this will be a turning point in my life. I met this wonderful woman at a singles group in my area and she happens to work at the dentist I'm going to.

I am also submitting my retirement from the Better Amatuer Radio Federation. I just need time to reflect.

I am also stepping down as a spokesperson for Brother Stair and David J. Smith. They can premote themselves.

See ya'll in the logbook down the road..... .

Brother Lloyd.

3114. US Spies Trained in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcar9999@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ee13q$t5a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112356

Camp X - the secret military base where many of the World War II allied forces spies were trained.
This location was also used to communicate with Bletchley Park Mansion in England throughout World War II.
Learn more at
http://www.durhamradio.com/camp-x.htm
Pictures of the buildings, transmitters and an aerial view of the communications towers can be found here.
Contact the special event station VC3CX transmitting from Camp X on the ham bands May 6th, 7th and 8th.

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3115. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390A9D2F.6B5291BB@oio.net>
Source record: 112357

Larry,
I don't know about that one, but did see one that had
a total of 32 tubes... never all 'lit' at the same time.
'Doc

3116. Vente D&#65533;cam&#65533;trique

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: f5dvu <f5dvu@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <8eed1asja1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 112358

De: f5dvu <f5dvu@wanadoo.fr>
Objet: Vente Mat&#65533;riel Radioamateur.
Date : jeudi 27 avril 2000 08:53

Bonjour &#65533; tous je revend du mat&#65533;riel radioamateur qui est le suivant
D&#65533;cam&#65533;trique TS870 HF Toutes bandes avec en cadeau le SP31 Haut parleur avec
filtrage + un micro MC60 ** PRIX pour le tout 12000f..
Merci d'avoir lu se message de vente

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Cordialement Eddy.
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Mr et Mme Lannoy Eddy
et leurs enfants
chez Marmiton
74570 Evires
France
Tel : 04.50.62.08.94
Portable : 06.88.40.64.01
E-MAIL . f5dvu@wanadoo.fr
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3117. Re: 40 years old Grundig Shortwave receiver - Collector Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Ackroyd <martin.ackroyd@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <390AB820.DB93E44A@virgin.net>
Source record: 112359
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

mar20tek@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I've inherited an old working original radio receiver, a Grundig
> Prima_Boy Luxus LW208,

[Snip]

Radio Luxembourg on 208 metres was difficlut to tune in [fadin at night time]
but, in the late 50's v. early 60's was the only station in Europe carrying
lots of rock'n'roll.

Some makers produced models specially oriented to receiving Luxy.

Sounds as if yours is one.

Martin

3118. alinco 112e mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy@g6xcy.FReeserve.co.UK
Message-ID: <000001bfb1c8$33c6b7e0$4317893e@freeservesignup>
Source record: 112360
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HI,
Can you help me?,I have carried out the mod to change the receive range =
and that works well. I cannot get it to transmit in the 130-170 mHz,Have =
you any ideas how to do this?
73,
ROY G6XCY.

------=_NextPart_000_0005_01BFB1D0.6B258C40

charset="iso-8859-1"

HI,

Can you help me?,I have carried out the =
mod to=20
change the receive range and that works well. I cannot get it to =
transmit in the=20
130-170 mHz,Have you any ideas how to do this?

73,

ROY G6XCY.

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3119. Re: 40 years old Grundig Shortwave receiver - Collector Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rst <wumpus@snafu.de>
Message-ID: <8eegksjlu1@unlisys.unlisys.net>
Source record: 112361
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hello,
information about the year of construction, price in that year, collector price today, etc. you will find here:
http://www.oldradios.de/dating.htm
and
http://www.oldradios.de

Best regards
Rainer
Wumpus&#65533;s Old Radio World

<mar20tek@my-deja.com> schrieb in im Newsbeitrag:
8edbeo$71l$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
>
> Hi,
>
> I've inherited an old working original radio receiver, a Grundig
> Prima_Boy Luxus LW208, I can provide serial number if it helps. I guess
> it has 40 years or more. It's made in Germany.
>
> I got no intention to sell it, though I'd like to know a little
> bit about this model, when was it built, if it's really worth and if
> so, how much could it be.
>
> Do you know any qualified collector-guru I should address to get
> an opinion?
>
> It's sound is really wonderful.
>
> Thanks.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

3120. Re: US Spies Trained in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eei5voim1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112362

Three cheers for Canada for providing the facilities to train our spies during W.W.II. We Americans have a great country to our north and don't you forget it!
AF2Y

In article <8ee13q$t5a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, kcar9999@my-deja.com wrote:

> Camp X - the secret military base where many of the World War II allied
> forces spies were trained.
> This location was also used to communicate with Bletchley Park Mansion
> in England throughout World War II.
> Learn more at
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> ham bands May 6th, 7th and 8th.
>
>
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3121. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <A6D1DE8E2D05B5D3.B01F9DEC93E48928.33B087F34F5E853B@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112363

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 03:28:31 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>Larry,
> I don't know about that one, but did see one that had
>a total of 32 tubes... never all 'lit' at the same time.
> 'Doc

Naw, this one had them all lit all the time. The filament load alone must have been impressive. They kept adding tubes in parallel until all you needed was a decoupling capacitor to the antenna (or I guess we'd better have a LP filter) and a HEAVY current plate choke. No tuning was necessary, just like the transistor amps....(c;

Larry....How do you explain to the wife you need 3 cases of 6JB6's?

3122. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <1315E0015ED1F901.B00AD39EE724A842.616007F9A8723C88@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112364

On Fri, 28 Apr 2000 21:14:30 -0400, "Rich Myer" <n8fgb@bignet.net>
wrote:

>If I am not mistaken they are criminal bander amps.The word splatter comes
>to mind.
>John - KI4RO <johnpsmith@freewwweb.com> wrote in message

Sort of like the Swan amps.....or Heath?....(c;

Larry W4CSC

3123. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8eepev$m02$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112365

In article <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. Some of you
are glad to
> hear this I'm sure. I have enjoyed the many years of on the bands.
I am
> moving on to better things in my life and need to put some things
behind. I
> have sold most of my ham gear and will keep a few SW radios around.
I will
> still be active as a "lowly SWL" but so be it. I need some time to
reflect on
> my life. I have sincerely awakened to some new things in life.
>
> Next Thursday, I have to a root canal done by a dentist in town and
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> been putting some of my affairs in order. I am hoping this will be
a turning
> point in my life. I met this wonderful woman at a singles group in
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> she happens to work at the dentist I'm going to.
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> I am also submitting my retirement from the Better Amatuer Radio
Federation. I
> just need time to reflect.
>
> I am also stepping down as a spokesperson for Brother Stair and David
J. Smith.
> They can premote themselves.
>
> See ya'll in the logbook down the road..... .
>
> Brother Lloyd.
>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> He must have gotten laid for the first time!<<<<<<<<

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3124. Re: US Spies Trained in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Smith <ckvnfm@mb.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <Q7CO4.7133$TC1.130212@news1.mts.net>
Source record: 112366

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote in message
<8eei5voim1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>...
>Three cheers for Canada for providing the facilities to train our spies
>during W.W.II. We Americans have a great country to our north and don't you
>forget it!
>AF2Y

Howdy!

Thanks for the recognition! As your largest trading partner and closest ally in the defence of North America, your comments are appreciated.

I took the time to follow quite a few of the links for the Camp X sites, and it was a few minutes well spent. The "man Called Intrepid" William Stevenson, was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba and there is a section of The Commonwealth Society here which honours him regularly. By the way, "honours" IS spelt correctly....we use an interesting combination of British English and American English in our Canadian lexicon.

All the best for now.
73 de
Lee Smith
VE4ANC

3125. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390AEEFE.1C63BD94@bctv.com>
Source record: 112367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Dwight Stewart wrote:

> Look, the only doctrine or ideology I see here is from those opposed
> to Elian's return to his father, and to Cuba.

This tells more about you than about me.

> It is the same doctrine and ideology that fueled the cold war for five decades.

Oh? Just what do you think that the cold war was all about?

> Those in favor
> of the boys return are simply saying that this should not be an issue
> here - in other words, forget the cold war rheteric and let the boy go
> back where he belongs (the cold war should not come between a boy and
> his father).

You would send a 6-year-old black kid back to the plantation?

> So, try to wrap yourself up in the flag (or constitution, in this
> case) all you want. Most people are not falling for your cold-war
> rheteric this time.

What would JFK have to say? Or was he a member of the VRWC?

3126. Special Event Stations for the movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
Message-ID: <390AF815.AE8A3E9B@gte.net>
Source record: 112368

Are there any special event stations operating today to
commemorate the opening of the movie 'Frequency'?

The EARC (Emergency Amateur Radio Club) in Honolulu, HI will
be
operating today (Saturday) on 15m and 10m, 21.250, 21.350,
and
28.450 from 2200Z to 0600Z (Sunday).

3127. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earnest Angley <coozesli@getit.com>
Message-ID: <uWCO4.7576$g4.179832@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112369

Brother Lloyd <n0vfp@aol.comnospam> wrote in message
news:20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com...
> Yes folks, I have decided to announce
> my retirement. Some of you are glad to
> hear this I'm sure.

It's the best move you've made of recent Lloyd.

Might I suggest some constructive alternates
to ham radio?

1) Sailing
2) Travel
3) Vintage Auto shows
4) Beach + swimsuits + binoculars (grin)

I find great satisfaction in all and endorse them fully.

3128. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jmallen@altavista.net>
Message-ID: <8eeuej$5os$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Trey Thompson <trey@dtgnet.com> wrote in message
news:39067919.AB5EE0BC@dtgnet.com...
> > Ham radio has value as an electronics training medium, but it's true
> > communications value is obsolete. We keep hearing about how the hams
> > will save the day when all other communications are down. I work for
> > one of the four largest telecomm companies in the US. Due to
> > competition and deregulation, the current phone network is unbelievably
> > redundant, the chance of a total failure is probably nil. The weak
> > spots in telecom are all exposed to weather, as in outside plant, and
> > with current diverse routing, even they aren't that weak. Once apon a
> > time when there was ONE local phone company and ONE national connector,
> > the chances of failure were much greater, and even then, it never really
> > happened.
>
Wish I had jumped into this thread earlier, could respond to Barry directly.

Yep, it's redundant, and the chance of total failure is nearly nil.
EXCEPT.....
I , too, "...work for one of the four largest telecom companies in the U.S."
So far in the last six months:

1.)We lost the trunk from one of our "big" C.O.'s to an outlying area. The subscribers in the LE (Somerton)could talk to each other, but not to the rest of the world! Took 1.5 days to get glass and copper in to repair it.

2.) Same C.O.....first part of April, the RPU card in the "front end" of the switch (Nortel DMS100) took the big dump. Since we are "...one of the four largest telecomm(sic) companies in the U.S." and very centralized, the CO techs aren't allowed to program subscriber lines; and, with the card DOA (Yuma's not "big enough" to warrant spares), neither could the programmers in Portland! 3 days without any new connects; and any repairs that required OE reprogramming - we've got a TON of IPG and SLC-96 lines out here -were also out of luck. Now, this is a small CO by our company's standards (only 5 prefixes), but it covers about 250 sq. miles, including one of the largest Marine Air Bases in the country, besides trunking to the aforementioned "little" CO and our larger cellular service. Now, what would happen if the whole switch died? Or what about our "Main" switch - 9 prefixes and microwave to an Army base and yet another "small" SLC96 based exchange, well as most of our city and county EMS/Law enforcement?

Thankfully, we've got a very active ACS in Yuma County.

Jim
KC7BDP

3129. Elian (just 2 more parody sites)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earnest Angley <coozesli@getit.com>
Message-ID: <47DO4.7610$g4.203028@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112371
Cross-posted to: alt.tasteless.humor,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,soc.culture.israel,soc.culture.usa

Yes, I wan it to go away also, BUT, you have
got to see the last two Elian/Marysellis/Corollo
parody sites:

www.mayorcarollo.com

www.marisleysis.com

3130. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 60)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000429120102.09846.00000307@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 112372

The 60th episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled "Rocky Mountain Ultra High"
is now on-line for your viewing pleasure.

The comic strip can be seen at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
or
http://members.aol.com/ScannerDweeb
Thanks for your support of the hobby of Radio scanning !

"The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb"
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
or
http://members.aol.com/ScannerDweeb
A comic strip about radio scanning.
Special monthly episodes can be seen
in Popular Communications magazine !

3131. Re: Special Event Stations for the movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <911C5C287F00ECB5.404DFCA99CB596BB.53B4A7B12F79B168@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112373

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 14:54:28 GMT, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
wrote:

>Are there any special event stations operating today to
>commemorate the opening of the movie 'Frequency'?
>
>The EARC (Emergency Amateur Radio Club) in Honolulu, HI will
>be
>operating today (Saturday) on 15m and 10m, 21.250, 21.350,
>and
>28.450 from 2200Z to 0600Z (Sunday).

Hey! That WOULD be fun. Run HF right from the lobby!......

With all the electronic controls on modern automated projection
systems I can imagine what the RF would do to the movie....(c;

And, I can imagine what that big Xenon arc light with the RF starter
will do to the ham radio....hee hee..

Maybe we can operate from the other side of the parking lot,
though....(c;

Larry

3132. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429122654.23665.00000450@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 112374

KK7HO declared:

>
>Strom why the stupidity? Why do you continue to instigate? Your like an old
>Japanese soldier lost in the jungle, not knowing the war is over he continues
>to fight. Most of the problems (99%) have been resolved or stopped on 3950.
>It
>has gotten back to some level of normalcy, and here you are starting your
>usual
>brand of instigation, with people who are not creating problems. Your a
>loser
>Strom, and bad for amateur radio.
>

Ya know .. I visited those websites that Mr. Strom is talking about, and THEY are guilty of what you are complaining about.
Your buddy WB0CXJ's website is full of the kind of crap that you're complaining about. Why aren't you asking WB0CXJ to clean up his act? Oh, that's right ... I forgot ... it's only the Liberty Net that created all the problems on 3950, right? Certainly not years and years of illegal jamming by K5BLB, WA9KJI, W9ART, and others, right?

3133. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ef4gg$1j0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112375

In article <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
> Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. Some of you
are glad to
> hear this I'm sure. I have enjoyed the many years of on the bands.
I am
> moving on to better things in my life and need to put some things
behind. I
> have sold most of my ham gear and will keep a few SW radios around.
I will
> still be active as a "lowly SWL" but so be it. I need some time to
reflect on
> my life. I have sincerely awakened to some new things in life.
>
> Next Thursday, I have to a root canal done by a dentist in town and
I have
> been putting some of my affairs in order. I am hoping this will be
a turning
> point in my life. I met this wonderful woman at a singles group in
my area and
> she happens to work at the dentist I'm going to.
>
> I am also submitting my retirement from the Better Amatuer Radio
Federation. I
> just need time to reflect.
>
> I am also stepping down as a spokesperson for Brother Stair and David
J. Smith.
> They can premote themselves.
>
> See ya'll in the logbook down the road..... .
>
> Brother Lloyd.
>
>
Good riddance dipshit.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Before you buy.

3134. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ef7ve$51o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112376

In article <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:

> Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. >

Yawn. I give it a week.

LRod

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Before you buy.

3135. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <eaFO4.1583$cO.7726@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112377

"Brother Lloyd " <n0vfp@aol.comnospam> wrote in message
news:20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com...
> Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. Some of you are
glad to
> hear this I'm sure. I have enjoyed the many years of on the bands. I am
> moving on to better things in my life and need to put some things behind.
I
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> still be active as a "lowly SWL" but so be it. I need some time to
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> my life. I have sincerely awakened to some new things in life.
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> been putting some of my affairs in order. I am hoping this will be a
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> point in my life. I met this wonderful woman at a singles group in my
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> she happens to work at the dentist I'm going to.
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Federation. I
> just need time to reflect.
>
> I am also stepping down as a spokesperson for Brother Stair and David J.
Smith.
> They can premote themselves.
>
> See ya'll in the logbook down the road..... .
>
> Brother Lloyd.
>
>

And may you find the peace, happiness, and purpose you are looking for --
those needs common to all members of the human race.

Dick McCollum N0BK

3136. any contacts with MICREL?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark Savage Turner <turner@rome.ICS.UCI.EDU>
Message-ID: <200004291043.aa26627@gremlin-relay.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 112378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Building a satellite control receiver here and found in the
current 73 magazine, the perfect receiver on a chip for our
project. I have tried to make contact with MICREL (San Jose)
via phone and website and no response backfrom them. Has
anyone make contact or can you recommend a person to speak with?
We just need a few of these for prototyping and to put in our
main satellite.

Clark
WA3JPG

3137. Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <12ec007e.cb7a7b12@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 112379

Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
than its illegal. Thanks, Sam
alphacentauri@iplus.net

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3138. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8efddraoe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112380

In article <12ec007e.cb7a7b12@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>,
Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid> wrote:
> Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
> calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
> than its illegal. Thanks, Sam
> alphacentauri@iplus.net
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
>
>
Try rec.radio.braindead.fool or rec.radio.cb.moron

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3139. 2000 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Nominations Deadline: MAY 30, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <390b3185.109111927@news.swcp.com>
Source record: 112381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

Do you know of a deserving youth Amateur Radio who could be a candidate for the 2000 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Award? This bit of information is for you. Please spread the word to all Amateur Radio operators and Amateur Radio clubs you know, and consider nominating that young individual who has contributed to the betterment of Amateur Radio. Nomination Deadline: MAY 30, 2000

The nominating period for 2000 "Young Ham of the Year Award" is now open. Originally known as the "Westlink Report Young Ham of the Year," this award program, now entering its second decade, is presented annually to a United States licensed Radio Amateur (Ham) who is 18 years of age or younger and who has provided outstanding service to the nation, his community or the betterment of the state of the art in communications through the Amateur Radio hobby/service. (Please see application form for details.) Any continental United States (48 contiguous states) FCC licensed Amateur Radio operator aged 18 and younger who has used Amateur Radio to significantly contribute to the benefit of the service, to the sate of the communications art, to their community or the nation is eligible to be nominated.

All nominations must be submitted BEFORE May 30, 2000 on an official application and accompanied by verification materials. Applications forms are available for a self addressed stamped envelope mailed to the 2000 Young Ham of the Year Award % Newsline, 28197 Robin Avenue Santa Clarita California 91350. These nominating applications are also available for electronic download from our website at http://www.arnewsline.org. With continued corporate sponsorship, the award presentation is scheduled take place this summer at the 1999 Huntsville Hamfest. The Huntsville Hamfest, Chaired by Mr. Scotty Neustadter, W4WW, is one of the nations largest and most popular Amateur Radio conventions. It is held annually the third weekend in August at the Von Braun Civic Center in downtown Huntsville and usually attracting some 7000 attendees.

3140. Re: How To Get A Club Call?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <91HO4.11949$55.99086@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 112382

Apply to the FCC using their Form 605.

"Tony Heatwole" <heatwole@shell.clark.net> wrote in message
news:HPpO4.19046$0o4.151296@iad-read.news.verio.net...
> Hello and thanks for reading. I'm trying to go about getting a club call
> sign for a local radio club, but am having some difficalty locating the
> correct forms. Does anyone know how I might go about applying for a club
> call (preferably on-line) using the new ULS Filing system on the FCC web
> site? Or (to take a step backwards) does anyone know the correct forms to
> fill out, etc.? ANY and ALL help is, as always, greatly appreciated.
>
> 73's de Nat,
> WZ3AR

3141. FS: Shure 444D A1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <v1HO4.485$l41.49084@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112383
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I hope my listing here does not offend.
I have this mic for sale on e-bay
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=320813442

3142. Q: Collins SM-2 mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@pobox.upenn.edu
Message-ID: <8ed8svbof1@netnews.upenn.edu>
Source record: 112482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have come across an old Collins SM-2 microphone (no stand, no
cable) in good condition. However, I don't have a way to test it.

Q: What are the signals on the 4 (four) pins on the mic?
(please forgive me, but I'm unfamiliar with this configuration. I'm
used to seeing a 3 pin switchcraft type of connector.)

Q: What would be a fair value for this (assuming it, in fact, even works)?

Many thanks.

--tony

3143. How To Get A Club Call?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <HPpO4.19046$0o4.151296@iad-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 112483

Hello and thanks for reading. I'm trying to go about getting a club call sign for a local radio club, but am having some difficalty locating the correct forms. Does anyone know how I might go about applying for a club call (preferably on-line) using the new ULS Filing system on the FCC web site? Or (to take a step backwards) does anyone know the correct forms to fill out, etc.? ANY and ALL help is, as always, greatly appreciated.

73's de Nat,
WZ3AR

3144. Correction: WTB: GE MVP Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Little <keithl@folk.federated.com>
Message-ID: <390C9631.137799FB@folk.federated.com>
Source record: 112134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

WTB: GE MVP radios... Looking for +12V, 5-20 Watts, VHF (138-174) or
UHF (420-450).

Thanks,

Keith Little
KC0CPN

3145. Re: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <oC0P4.13738$4w1.164987@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 112135

Gee, I actually saw and enjoyed the movie. They did a better job than Jodie Foster on the radio. Gerd, W2ISB

3146. Radio Luxembourg Site address

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Meacham <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <390C7A05.3E18554F@coqui.net>
Source record: 112136
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

See address at end of thread.

Bill Meacham wrote:
>
> "M. Schneider" wrote:
> >
> > Martin,
> > Boy, does that bring back some memories!! I lived in Antwerp, Belgium
> > 1968-1969 and I listened avidly to "208-Colourfull Radio Luxembourg" (as the
> > jingle went) every night when they signed on (7:30pm as I recall). Are they
> > still on the air?
> > Mark
> >
> > "Martin Ackroyd" <martin.ackroyd@virgin.net> wrote in message
> > news:390AB820.DB93E44A@virgin.net...
> > >
> > >
> > > mar20tek@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Hi,
> > > >
> > > > I've inherited an old working original radio receiver, a Grundig
> > > > Prima_Boy Luxus LW208,
> > >
> > > [Snip]
> > >
> > > Radio Luxembourg on 208 metres was difficlut to tune in [fadin at night
> > time]
> > > but, in the late 50's v. early 60's was the only station in Europe
> > carrying
> > > lots of rock'n'roll.
> > >
> > > Some makers produced models specially oriented to receiving Luxy.
> > >
> > > Sounds as if yours is one.
> > >
> > > Martin
>

Alot of people have e-mailed me asking for the address for
the site...its http://www.pjede.de/208

Its pretty slow to load at this hour (primetime in Europe?)
but has the full history of Luxy.

Good luck,
> --
> Bill Meacham
> Vieques, PR

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Bill Meacham
Vieques, PR

3147. Win Great Prizes!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lorna & Tim Mize <timlornamize@mciworld.com>
Message-ID: <390CB9FC.F94E4CEC@mciworld.com>
Source record: 112137

Win great prizes like a Palm IV, cash, vacations! Check it out at
http://www.jackpot.com/win.asp?ref=123-2655
Its lots of fun too!
Tim Mize

3148. NEW WORLD WIDE VOICE TEXT CHAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: MITBR <mitbr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <%L1P4.11111$g4.321955@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

Hello!!
I have a web page dedicated to the radio hobby here in Tampa Bay Florida. I am in the process of launching a new audio chat network on a channel for amateur radio enthusiasts. The idea is for webmasters to put the small html code somwhere on their amateur radio web page which would be linked all together worldwide. The system utilizes the new HearMe plugin which is a small 80k or so program new visitors of the amateur radio audio chat would download upon landing on the page which has the html code for the plugin. Please let me know if you decide to use the system so I can add your site to my links page to let others know your site is connected to the network. For a demonstration of the system you may email me for a time and date so you can see it in action. To get the html code please visit my web site below. To get further info on the HearMe requirments to have it work click on the help are for Hear Me on my web site. I am in no way affiliated with HearMe and my web site is a noncomercial page.You may also visit my radio page at the url below from 7pm to 8pm eastern time every day I try to be in my scanner audio chat at that time. I look forward to hearing from.
Thankyou
Best Regards
Tim Breckon--
Please visit my web site url below
Tampa Bay Radio Page
http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/Mi01000.htm

3149. MFJ-941D Antenna Tuner Info Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Susan <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
Message-ID: <sgpaiu7po6q144@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112139
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello...I recently purchased an MFJ 941D antenna tuner at a Hamfest, and it did not have an instruction manual with it. If anyone knows how to operate this tuner, please email me so I can get back on the air!

Thanks in advance.

Adam
chip1@theramp.net

3150. W.T.B....ADAPTER KW MJ48

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tipatcarmc@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000430180359.28980.00000482@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 112140

HI I need a 4 pin to 8 pin adapter for kenwood radios...E-mail me at ...tipcarmc@aol.com..Thankyou..Tim..KC2ESQ..

3151. mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Gao/BD4OS <write@mail-me.com>
Message-ID: <8ehfp3$31f4$1@news.cz.js.cn>
Source record: 112141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

UTC:4/30/1:03 I have received mir voice and recorded it,if you need it,email me....

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Mike Gao/BD4OS (WeiHai) .-.
Tel:631-5806721,9023454 / \
Fax:631-5805837 / \
Icq Uin: 4224945 / \
Http://210.77.34.60/hamradio / \ .-. .-. .-
E-mail: ham@mail.com (Only Ham) \ / \ / \ /
write@mail-me.com (Business) \ / \ / \ /
Packet-mail: bd4os@vk6tn.#wa.aus.oc `-' `-' `-'

3152. Re: MFJ-941D Antenna Tuner Info Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000430190655.23660.00000660@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 112142

goto MFJ's user manaul download page at

http://www.mfjenterprises.com/manuals/

It should have the complete manual there for downloading

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3153. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <XD4P4.57$7t.18746@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 112143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

All of which begs the question of what the hey does sexual preference or lack thereof have to do with amateur radio? The question applies equally to the Lambda and HeROS crowds. I'd just like to be able to put up an antenna in my subdivision -- they can go stick their private parts wherever they please.

--

Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
>No, I don't think they are "wierdos/nut cases". Probably just a bunch of
>normal ham radio operators that believe that sticking a penis into another
>male's rectum is offensive and starting a ham radio club and celebrating
>that abnormality as being even more offensive. But that's just a guess.
>
>--
>____
>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>
>NRA Life Member
>"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
>guns, are we still a free people?"
>
>Please find out about rec.guns at:
>http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
>
>Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
>to get the Clintons
>____
>
>"Screw Microsoft" <mhughes@aol.com> wrote in message
>news:fIVO4.9890$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>>
>> Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote in message
>> news:f8HO4.11990$55.99192@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com...
>> > Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual
>Radio
>> > Operators Society)???

>> >
>> > They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.
>>
>> Are these the wierdo/nut-cases that walk around with miniature cubical
>quad
>> antennas or auto-ball mounted 6-foot rods on their heads..??
>>
>> First time I saw these loons at Dayton I knew then and there
>> without any doubt that all you have to do to attract every
>> screwball living in a 100 square mile radius is to hold a hamfest.
>>
>>
>>
>
>

3154. Mobile RFI in Jeep Grand Cherokees...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Klein <ronklein@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <87mpgs0tvjrorr3jgvq22a7r30ljvif801@4ax.com>
Source record: 112144

I'm considering buying a 2000 Grand Cherokee Laredo and would want to
install a VHF/UHF transceiver in it, as I have my existing
'98 Cherokee. I'd expect to use my Icom 207 dual bander with a dual
band mag mount antenna on the roof

Is there anybody that may have 2 meter/ 440 transceivers
installed in 1999 or 2000 Grand Cherokees who watch this newsgroup?

I'd like to be sure there aren't reported problems with EMI/RFI in the
Grand...

Comments, anyone?

Ron - W0OSK

Ron Klein
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ronklein@ix.netcom.com

3155. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <8eike302v1q@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112145

Others were right when they said practice, practice, practice, but you need to be careful not to overdo it. But it's best to keep at it, every day, but 15 minutes a day will do it. Don't try sitting for more than a half-hour. If you feel that you need more work, maybe 15 minutes twice a day, but keep the sessions short.

The W1AW code practice isn't bad, and there's bound to be one band where you can receive it reliably. Sure, at first you'll only get an occasional letter, but just do the 5WPM practice every night (it's only a 5-10 minute piece) and in a month you'll be confident to take the test.

..

unknown wrote in message <390BBA1E.27D9A674@nospam.com>...
>
>What's the best way to learn the code?
>

3156. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25017-390CE87E-34@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112146

Jeffrey Herman,

Gripping report but because I live in Miami, don't assume I was against the extraction of Elian.

Living here, I've long felt Cuban politics, which now carries the majority. As an activist, I've been fearful of speak out any opinion different from the majority one. Anytime I've raised these cross-cultural issues with my Cuban friends, I've been met with hysterical talk. During a demonstration in downtown Miami

3157. Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25017-390CF0FC-36@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112147

Jeffrey Herman,

Now that I've hit the wrong button, posting a fragment, let me continue.

During a demonstration in downtown Miami, pro-Castro Unitarians were stoned. So much for our First Amendment, alien to the Cuban mentality if you don't agree with them.

To get to the bottom of all the fiery emotion, yesterday I checked out "Fidel; A Critical Portrait" by Tad Szulc, Morrow & Company, New York (1986). A 700 page book, it has already revealed to me one of the reasons behind the hysteria.

You see, Castro expressly condones his own lieing, explaining that historic justification vitiates truth when need be. It's the old notion of "manifest destiny," or Castro's rules of order interpreted by Castro. Typical of messianic leaders, Castro views himself as the ultimate futurist and savior of the third world. He sees Christianity as a potential ally, which might explain the Pope's visit.

Of course, he acts on his beliefs, going as far as sparing the lives of would-be assassins who fought beside him in the revolution. He did indeed hide his Communist leanings because he didn't think the nation would buy such radical "reforms" until he could consolidate power.

There are those who love him and those who hate him. Peasants near the Escambray Mountains, where the revolution took root, remember that Castro and his band helped them harvest their crops. The refugees here know only betrayal, perfidy that makes Batista's criminal connections look like child's play.

And so you have an irresistible force in Havana meeting the immovable Hispanic community here in Miami. There is no compromise. Many of the revolutionaries who fought with him still support him. Occupying cushy, government posts may explain their support, or it could be sincere without the patronage.

According to our scheme of ethics, he cannot be trusted. How can we put our trust in someone who has expressly announced his propensity to lie if historically justified? By reserving the final judgement in all cases, Castro is essentially staking a claim on being virtually God-like,

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3158. Re: Mobile RFI in Jeep Grand Cherokees...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerWilco <>
Message-ID: <6pupgsofdr1ek87a9pufhcsta1rk8d75l8@4ax.com>
Source record: 112148

On Sun, 30 Apr 2000 19:09:43 -0600, Ron Klein <ronklein@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>I'm considering buying a 2000 Grand Cherokee Laredo and would want to
>install a VHF/UHF transceiver in it, as I have my existing
>'98 Cherokee. I'd expect to use my Icom 207 dual bander with a dual
>band mag mount antenna on the roof
>
>Is there anybody that may have 2 meter/ 440 transceivers
>installed in 1999 or 2000 Grand Cherokees who watch this newsgroup?
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>I'd like to be sure there aren't reported problems with EMI/RFI in the
>Grand...
>
>Comments, anyone?
>
>Ron - W0OSK
>
>Ron Klein
>-----------------
>ronklein@ix.netcom.com

Most of the assholes on here couldn't afford one. Most drive 70's
model camaro's that match their mobile homes.

3159. Re: Mobile RFI in Jeep Grand Cherokees...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390CFD4F.745E98C9@oio.net>
Source record: 112149

Ron,
Do like with any new vehicle, be carefull ho/where you
route cables, etc. By-pass and shield where you have to.
We use a '99 Jeep Chereokee on our local department with
radios in the 150 Mhz range and no problem.
'Doc

3160. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <390B8A0F.9DE80C5B@innocent.com>
Source record: 112234
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.wa9kji,rec.radio.amateur.misc

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Now your back in the past ycthulhu. OLD NEWS, I'll tell you too, it's over.

I wouldn't say that; KJI is still up to his usual antics even though
those he jams and lies about are now sometimes absent during his
vomitings.

> As
> for CXJ's site, not much there.

There's not much intelligent there, true. But there are pages upon
pages of false allegations of homosexuality and scatological
references, some of them quite recent.

It's at

http://www.angelfire.com/ms/vicvtorious/

for those who want to see for themselves.

> My point is, strom has put up NEW (although
> ridiculous) BS in order to what? INSTIGATE. He's went out of his way to insult
> and attack people. Nothing he's remarked about is newsworthy, or enforcement
> related. It's just plain old instigation and harassment. Nothing USEFUL at all.
> Your welcome to stick up for kevin strom if you like, I will not. Not for
> actions like this. Designed not to help 3950 or amateur radio but to hurt it.
> Continue the fight, instigate, stir the pot kevin, show us what your all about
> OK?

Actually, the cartoon (at http://www.3950.net) is harmless fun; and
it deflates the pomposity of a few self-styled "moral crusaders" in
the process.

I do note that your "outrage" was notably absent when certain other
(pro-jammer) webmasters, including yourself, were making obscenely
defamatory and utterly false allegations about child abuse and
family deaths of legitimate 3950 participants.

The fact that the patriot folks can respond with good humor and
light-hearted fun to the most scurrilous attacks imaginable from the
BLB/KJI/MVK axis does, indeed, tell the reader volumes about the
starkly contrasting respective breeding and civility of the two
sides involved.

With all good wishes,

--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://www.kevin-strom.com

3161. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMDX <AMDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <y%LO4.40956$WF.2102548@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>>restructured hams in the area that causing interference
Why would you need to track them down if you know
who the are?

--
Mike Knowlton
Panama City Fl.
Nathan <no-spam@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8eg137$qi5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> I need some links for direction finding antennas for 20 meters and 10
meters.
> We have some restructured hams in the area that causing interference with
> other hams and we need to track them down so we can give Mr Riley a proper
> report. thanks
>
> nat

3162. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429214452.00689.00009853@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112236

In article <3771-390B6ABC-51@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) writes:

>Though this may be unimportant to you, it means everything to me--and
>many others, including KV4FZ and the FCC.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida

If I lived in your city, I'd be more concerned about the impending
rioting/burning/looting that could break out at any time now.

3163. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429214452.00689.00009854@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112237

In article <8efpplnge1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> writes:

>Actually it was Lenny, KC5???. He was a technician licensee, who
>decided to operate on 14.313. He then proceeded to (on the air, mind
>you) state he was NEVER going to learn cw. And the FCC couldn't stop
>him from playing on 20meters.

Openly defy the federal government and challenge them to stop you. Real smart move. Ask "Great Uncle LOOSERO" in Miami how well that tactic works.

3164. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429214453.00689.00009855@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112238

In article <8eftntssq1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>A better catagory to place him in would be a CBer who happened to
>have a ham license. Given his history on CB, that's a much more
>accurate label. Having a ham license but committing federal offenses
>on 11m doesn't necessarily make one an "amateur radio operator."
>One of his offenses was operating *between* designated CB channels.
>That's not "out-of-band."

Agreed. But my point was that he was a licensed amateur radio operator. As such, he certainly understood his actions were illegal and also understood the potential consequences of his illegal operation, more so than would the average CB'er. In my mind, this makes his actions more contemptable than if he were merely an unlicensed CB'er.

Apparently the FCC saw it this way also. I doubt he would have been fined $17K if he were just a common outband CB'er.

Good call by the FCC.

3165. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000429224115.05661.00000355@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 112239

How do you know that they are of the "restructured" type?

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3166. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004300242371.551-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112240

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000, Sam wrote:
> Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
> calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
> than its illegal. Thanks, Sam

27.410 - 28.000 MHz.

3167. Re: 2000 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Nominations Deadline: MAY 30, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10004300243590.551-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

TSIA: SPAM! A secret, covert operation of Bill Pasternak surfaces again.

3168. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000429225918.05661.00000360@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 112242

Strom spewed
>I wouldn't say that; KJI is still up to his usual antics even though
>those he jams and lies about are now sometimes absent during his
>vomitings.

Now I ask you Kevin how can kji jam, as you've stated above, those that are absent from the frequency? RIDICULOUS.
KJI has not been lying or jamming and you know it. If he has I'd like to know it and have you produce a tape of it more recent than 6 months ago.

>> As
>> for CXJ's site, not much there.
>There's not much intelligent there, true. But there are pages upon
>pages of false allegations of homosexuality and scatological
>references, some of them quite recent.

At that page, which is probably 1 year old or more Kevin, cxj seems to be poking fun at and "deflating the pomposity of a few self-styled "moral crusaders" in the process."

>I do note that your "outrage" was notably absent when certain other
>(pro-jammer) webmasters, including yourself,
I am not "pro-jammer" kevin and you know it. I am biased as are you. The events on 3950 were begun by participants of the net.
All of this has ceased, things are well on 3950, let's not (you) start problems on there again OK?

were making obscenely
>defamatory and utterly false allegations about child abuse and
>family deaths of legitimate 3950 participants.

>The fact that the patriot folks can respond with good humor and
>light-hearted fun to the most scurrilous attacks imaginable

I think that is sort of what CXJ has done with that page. It certainly isn't a serious page now is it kevin.

Your just stirring the pot again. You cannot stand for 3950 to be as any other amateur frequency. You have to have this one in a state of turmoil, chaos or tension before your happy.

with 3 wishes left, Tim, KK7HO

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3169. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429232418.16111.00000445@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112243

Dreadful news. What are we going to do?

The Great Liberty Net is meeting on 3950.5 tonight. I guess this is their way of flying the flag at half mast.

3170. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390BAB1A.7E5266EC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Arne Langsetmo wrote:
>
> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > > > . . . Further, the warrant that was issued for
> > > > Elian's arrest was also bogus, in that an arrest warrant is only
> > > > issued for the apprehension of persons suspected of criminal
> > > > behaviour, which also in this case, did not apply.
> > >
> > > That is not true, either. The INS can and do arrest suspected
> > > illegal aliens. How do you think they round them up anyways?
> > > Ask them," pretty please, would you step into this van over
> > > here?" Baldertdash.
> > >
> > The INS was enjoined by the 11th district court of appeals from
> > taking action. . . .
>
> Nope. They expressly refused to do anything WRT custody. All
> they said was that Elian had to remain in the U.S. Do you think
> that the court contemplated that the _Miami_ clan was going
> to spirit him off to Cuba?
>
> > . . . The status of Elian was the very issue in question.
> > Therefore INS action to arrest Elian as an illegal alien was bogus.
>
> Nope. The INS often holds people, even in _jails_, pending their
> hearings.
>
> > Further the court SPECIFICALLY stated that Elian was NOT to be taken
> > from the family until the matter had been ajudicated. . . .
>
> Utter bovine scat. I've read the whole decision, and there was
> nothing such as that in it.
>
> Do you just make up facts as you go?
>
> FWIW, the court, since the hearing has refused to even order
> that the Miami clan be allowed to see Elian. If what you say
> is true above, they would have ordered the boy _returned_.
> That they did not. You're just _full_ of it. . . .
>
> [snip further nonsense]
>

> > > > At the time of the incursion, all media had been taking the pool
> > > > feed from the site for some time, and were reporting about the
> > > > house, family and neighbors, in large part, erroneously.
> > >
> > > "erroneously"? How so?
> >
> > Simple, erroneously, as in 'not true'. Reports are surfacing that
> > what has been reported through 'official' sources as described is
> > not true. Person after person, eyewitnesses to the scene, have come
> > forward, to deny the story as reported. The crowd was not violent,
> > and the stories about the family are manufactured. Those who were
> > there. Including the cameraman beaten by INS agents, and local
> > police officials. These eyewitnesses are not being heard by
> > 'offical'sources. But teh truth is coming out nonetheless, is slow
> > trickles.
>
> Say, _I've_ got an idea!!! Let's have some extended Congressional
> hearings and get to the bottom of this!
>
> [snip]
>
> > > So you think you're free to pick anbd choose the version that
> > > suits your ideology best? Why not _look_ at the URLs I provided,
> > > and judge for yourself who are the credible parties here. And
> > > who are not.
> >
> > I did. And they conflict with the stories that are surfacing from
> > parties directly involved, including Ms Reno's 30 year friend, who
> > handled the negotiations with the family, and judges offering
> > opinions in the case.
>
> Oh, really? Is he saying that the feds busted the door in, too?
>
> [snip]
>
> Another dim bulb shows why the RW is such a laughingstock. . . .
>
> Cheers,
>
> -- Arne Langsetmo

You know, for someone who has been treated with respect, you have
certainly shown your contempt.

Your choice, I suppose.

But you may wish to read more carefully, as some of the documents
you cite, contradict your assertions.

Have a good evening, Arne.

3171. Re: 3950.net: The Un Amusing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000430001341.05660.00000474@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 112245

Well, kevin from the sound of 3950 tonight you've stirred up the commotion you were seeking and none of the individuals that you attacked in your webpage were involved.
You must be very happy right now. It'll give you something to propagandize and pontificate about. Let's hear your diatribe

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3172. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000430001619.16111.00000460@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112246

And another ..

Rainbow Amateur Radio Association:
The Rainbow Amateur Radio Association will hold their hospitality suite at the Huber Heights Comfort Inn, 7907 Brandt Pike in Huber Heights, Ohio on both Friday, May 19 and Saturday, May 20 at 4:00 p.m. The Rainbow Amateur Radio Association is a radio club for gays, lesbians, and their friends. Look for a sign in the motel's lobby for the location of our hospitality suite. For more club info, please check our web page at www.rara.org.

3173. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <390BB45A.207DA8DE@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> That's exactly the point.
> Journalists do not have opinions
> in the matter they report.

You're mixing up news reporting and commentary. News reporting is more what you see on the front page of the typical newspaper - hard facts without much opinion.

And you can still see some of this type of reporting on television during the hourly newscasts. However the discussion shows are not hardcore news reporting - they are pure commentary (the opinions of the host or station/network).

Commentary by news journalist is not new - it has been going on for hundreds of years (just look at some of the early newspapers in this country).

> The coincidences, you correctly
> point out, are not conclusive of
> conspiracy. And it is not my
> intention to state that they are.
> However, even in similar
> circumstances, three distinct
> reporters express their witness three
> distinct ways. This isn't happening
> here. Rather, Brokaw and Jennings
> are using the same language, in the
> same ways. That suggests that isn't
> individual information gathering
> taking place. Again, not conclusive,
> but if it doesn't raise suspicions,
> there is a problem with the
> willingness of a free people to
> pursue the truth.

There hasn't been "individual" news gathering in many years. All of the news programs rely on similar sources, or even the same source in many instances.

That is exactly the same as you see with the written press - most rely on the AP for their news articles. Therefore, it is hardly surprising to see many newspapers across the country with exactly the same (word-for-word) lead story on the front page - they all got it from the same source (along with most of the other articles in the paper).

I don't know why you would consider this suspicious, especially since it has been going on for so many years (and is widely known).

And lets face it - this is the only thing that can work in a large society. My god, there is already enough news people hanging around the major news stories as it is. Could you imagine what would happen if there were news crews there from every newspaper, every television station, and every network, in this country? I don't think any city in this country could deal with the resulting chaos.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3174. If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unknown <unknown@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <390BBA1E.27D9A674@nospam.com>
Source record: 112248

It was 1965 that I decided that, someday, I'd get my ham license.
That was after visiting the shack of a now-silent key, W2IPR
Thirty-five years later, in February 2000, I obtained my no-code
Technician license.
I've had my no-code tech license only 2 months. On Monday,
I'm taking the written test for both General and Extra. I expect
to pass the exams with a score of 85 or better.

Unfortunately, after I pass the exams, I'll still be a Technician,
since I don't know the code.

What's the best way to learn the code?

3175. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Reeve <don236@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8eghp7$3g3a$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 112249

>
> What's the best way to learn the code?
>
>
>
Others will probably come up with other suggestions, but I'd recommend a
MFJ-418 code tutor and....

PRACTICE!

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Donald Reeve

3176. Re: Now that you're a bigshot EXTRA, what's next?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8eghuv$b66$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112250

Lets see.... Got the extra, a BSEE, 13 patents, one paper.

3177. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390BCD72.FC5448F1@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > That's exactly the point.
> > Journalists do not have opinions
> > in the matter they report.
>
> You're mixing up news reporting and commentary. News reporting is
> more what you see on the front page of the typical newspaper - hard
> facts without much opinion.
>
Not so. Even the papers are offering a slant to their reportage,
pursuant
to the politics of the editor, publisher, or reporter. Reportage
as you de
scribe hadn't happened years. But has been replaced by commentary
and spin masquerading as reportage for years.

> And you can still see some of this type of reporting on television
> during the hourly newscasts.

That's my point. Not so. Rather's political position and his
influence on the writing are well known. Brokaw's threats to
walk off the NBC news if the Juanita Broaderrick story was
broadcast, are almost legendary. The suppression of stories has
become something of a recent SOP of late, and is a direct assault
to teh concept of unbiased journalism.

> the discussion shows are not
> hardcore news reporting - they are pure commentary (the opinions of the
> host or station/network).

Which is why I do not include them in this discussion. I refer to
what masquerades as hard news. It's not. It's just as biased by the
people who write, edit and anchor the news as content of the chat
shows.

Further, the lack of followup and the inclination to take
'official' sources at their face, shows a lack of journalistic
initiative, that the opportunistic exploit to their political
advantage.
>
> Commentary by news journalist is not new - it has been going on for
> hundreds of years (just look at some of the early newspapers in this country).

True enough. But recently the opinion expressed has drifted often
to that of the person providing the 'official' story. With little or
no investigation, often even corroboration. Hundreds of years ago,
the papers reported what was told to them as well as what they could
find through their own sources. In the particular case of hte
Gonzales affair, it is a suspiciou coincidence that the three
network anchors tell not only the same story, but use the same
language. It indicates a lack of initiative to find additional or
alternative information, is as much propaganda as the White House
Press office.
>
> > The coincidences, you correctly
> > point out, are not conclusive of
> > conspiracy. And it is not my
> > intention to state that they are.
> > However, even in similar
> > circumstances, three distinct
> > reporters express their witness three
> > distinct ways. This isn't happening
> > here. Rather, Brokaw and Jennings
> > are using the same language, in the
> > same ways. That suggests that isn't
> > individual information gathering
> > taking place. Again, not conclusive,
> > but if it doesn't raise suspicions,
> > there is a problem with the
> > willingness of a free people to
> > pursue the truth.
>
> There hasn't been "individual" news gathering in many years. All of
> the news programs rely on similar sources, or even the same source in
> many instances.

Which is exactly my point. When News relies on a single source,
manipulation of the information, and the public opinion is possible.
And THAT in a Free Society, is something to be alarmed about.
>
> That is exactly the same as you see with the written press - most rely
> on the AP for their news articles. Therefore, it is hardly surprising
> to see many newspapers across the country with exactly the same
> (word-for-word) lead story on the front page - they all got it from the
> same source (along with most of the other articles in the paper).
>
> I don't know why you would consider this suspicious, especially since
> it has been going on for so many years (and is widely known).

You confuse same story reportage with same language presentation.
Even individuals reading the same story have different
understandings of the story. Taht would lead to different
presentation, pursuant to the varying writing talents of the script
writers, and the varying interpretations of editors. And yet, the
language is curiously the same. That should raise suspicions.

>
> And lets face it - this is the only thing that can work in a large
> society. My god, there is already enough news people hanging around the
> major news stories as it is. Could you imagine what would happen if
> there were news crews there from every newspaper, every television
> station, and every network, in this country? I don't think any city in
> this country could deal with the resulting chaos.

Pooled sources are nothing new, as you point out. And pooled
sources do in fact, produce efficiencies. However, covering a speech
or a live event is one thing. Uncovering facts after an event is
something else. Uncovering facts after an event has taken place is
subject to individual variations, of viewpoint, language,
presentation. That three bloodthirtily competitive networks agree
not only on the facts of the case, but present it in the same
language indicates that there is some steps in the reportage, some
steps in the watchdog media's vigilance, that are not happening.

That's suspicious.
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3178. Re: 40 years old Grundig Shortwave receiver - Collector Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <gbQO4.1996$cO.10648@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 112252
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Martin,
Boy, does that bring back some memories!! I lived in Antwerp, Belgium 1968-1969 and I listened avidly to "208-Colourfull Radio Luxembourg" (as the jingle went) every night when they signed on (7:30pm as I recall). Are they still on the air?
Mark

"Martin Ackroyd" <martin.ackroyd@virgin.net> wrote in message news:390AB820.DB93E44A@virgin.net...
>
>
> mar20tek@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > Hi,
> >
> > I've inherited an old working original radio receiver, a Grundig
> > Prima_Boy Luxus LW208,
>
> [Snip]
>
> Radio Luxembourg on 208 metres was difficlut to tune in [fadin at night time]
> but, in the late 50's v. early 60's was the only station in Europe carrying
> lots of rock'n'roll.
>
> Some makers produced models specially oriented to receiving Luxy.
>
> Sounds as if yours is one.
>
> Martin

3179. Re: Special Event Stations for the movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <8egq4ojqs1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 112253

Larry W4CSC (W4CSC@lostonthe.net) wrote:
: On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 14:54:28 GMT, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
: wrote:

: >Are there any special event stations operating today to
: >commemorate the opening of the movie 'Frequency'?
: >
: >The EARC (Emergency Amateur Radio Club) in Honolulu, HI will
: >be
: >operating today (Saturday) on 15m and 10m, 21.250, 21.350,
: >and
: >28.450 from 2200Z to 0600Z (Sunday).

: Hey! That WOULD be fun. Run HF right from the lobby!......

: With all the electronic controls on modern automated projection
: systems I can imagine what the RF would do to the movie....(c;

: And, I can imagine what that big Xenon arc light with the RF starter
: will do to the ham radio....hee hee..

: Maybe we can operate from the other side of the parking lot,
: though....(c;

: Larry

Hell, put a key and an antenna on the Xenon lamp striker...it'd be
"interesting" to try to get a STA for that though.

3180. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390BF83E.8E7AA8F5@oio.net>
Source record: 112254

unknown,
There's no 'free' or easy way to learn Morse code. It
requires listening/practice/listening/practice, and more
of the same. "There ain't no such thing as a free lunch."
'Doc

3181. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg4fet@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000430063519.19183.00000480@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 112255

>I've had my no-code tech license only 2 months. On Monday,
>I'm taking the written test for both General and Extra. I expect
>to pass the exams with a score of 85 or better.
>
>Unfortunately, after I pass the exams, I'll still be a Technician,
>since I don't know the code.
>
>What's the best way to learn the code?
>
>
>
>

Try out Morse Academy. It is a freeware program that can found at ah0o.org.
It is a DOS based program that has a TON of features for learning the code. It
was the best I found for practice and learning the code. I had a difficult
time learnig code and this prgram was a great help. Nice thing about this
Program is there is no fluff ie no talking cats ect...
Also check out you local clubs for classes. Here locally several clubs
offer classes on code and the varios licenses.
Good Luck
KG4FET Sandor

3182. AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112256

I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than awful. How bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with twenty grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any legitimate ham could do.

I'm talking bad, brother hamlets, really BAD! A mishmosh of a film in which the viewer isn't sure of what's in the present, past or future. An utterly ridiculous plot about a firefighter ham who died in a blaze in Oct.1969 just when the Mets were upsetting the Orioles in the World Series but who didn't die because his now grown son finds a beaten up Heathkit and QSOs this dead dad to tell him he was going to die in a blaze which Quaid then avoids by jumping out of the factory inferno into the Hudson or some other New York river.

The living son(no insult to "Brother" John" intended) is able to QSO his dead father thanks to an aurora borealis which is constantly seen lighting up the firmament framed against the structure of a beam. A viewer who's not a ham might buy this whole stupid concept but if one has a ticket and then watches how disgracefully the hobby/service is portrayed in the film, he'll e-mail rholling@fcc.gov/
It is shown to be way below that of CB; in fact, it borders on the days when we tied two tin cans together by string and Marconied it from one backyard to the other.

Some metaphysical films are outstanding, for example "GHOST" AND "IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE." and even "Back to the Future." And I'm sure there are others based on the plot of how things in the past could be changed by communicating with persons in it and warning how to avoid calamities such as serial murders. The best part of the entire 2 hours of hell are the flashback kinescopes of the '69 World Series since the shoepolish on the ball that hit Cleon Jones's foot is the KEY to the ridiculous ending of the whole thing. And why didn't the Heathkit have no cover? And by accentuating everything via two hams using no protocol whatsoever aside from Officer Tooties yelling, "Car 54 Where are You?" is sheer torture.

Good heavens bored viewers of this board-save your time and money. Do something more challenging and rewarding like taking a hot zitzbath to relieve your hemorrhoids.

Doc, AF2Y

3183. Re: Special Event Stations for the movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eh6um$dp9$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112257

After seeing that movie last night, the sincerest form of a special event is
to take it out of theaters and burn every tin of celluloid.

In article <390AF815.AE8A3E9B@gte.net>, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
wrote:

> Are there any special event stations operating today to
> commemorate the opening of the movie 'Frequency'?
>
> The EARC (Emergency Amateur Radio Club) in Honolulu, HI will
> be
> operating today (Saturday) on 15m and 10m, 21.250, 21.350,
> and
> 28.450 from 2200Z to 0600Z (Sunday).

3184. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eh730$886$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112258

That Rich fellow can say more in nine words than I could in a thousand!

In article <8eepev$m02$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rich7@my-deja.com wrote:

> In article <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
>> Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. Some of you
> are glad to
>> hear this I'm sure. I have enjoyed the many years of on the bands.
> I am
>> moving on to better things in my life and need to put some things
> behind. I
>> have sold most of my ham gear and will keep a few SW radios around.
> I will
>> still be active as a "lowly SWL" but so be it. I need some time to
> reflect on
>> my life. I have sincerely awakened to some new things in life.
>>
>> Next Thursday, I have to a root canal done by a dentist in town and
> I have
>> been putting some of my affairs in order. I am hoping this will be
> a turning
>> point in my life. I met this wonderful woman at a singles group in
> my area and
>> she happens to work at the dentist I'm going to.
>>
>> I am also submitting my retirement from the Better Amatuer Radio
> Federation. I
>> just need time to reflect.
>>
>> I am also stepping down as a spokesperson for Brother Stair and David
> J. Smith.
>> They can premote themselves.
>>
>> See ya'll in the logbook down the road..... .
>>
>> Brother Lloyd.
>>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> He must have gotten laid for the first time!<<<<<<<<
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

3185. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Screw Microsoft <mhughes@aol.com>
Message-ID: <dIVO4.9889$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112259

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than awful.
How
> bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with
twenty
> grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any legitimate ham
> could do.

Thanks Doc. As I expected the film is another "French Atlantic Affair".
Destined to be heartly heaved into the $1.98 for-a-5-day-rental at Apu's
House of Video and Dunkin Donuts.

By your movie review I do gather that it does reflect one truth
of ham radio aa it pretains to this film... Both are living in a
fantasy world.

3186. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Screw Microsoft <mhughes@aol.com>
Message-ID: <fIVO4.9890$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote in message
news:f8HO4.11990$55.99192@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com...
> Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual Radio
> Operators Society)???
>
> They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.

Are these the wierdo/nut-cases that walk around with miniature cubical quad
antennas or auto-ball mounted 6-foot rods on their heads..??

First time I saw these loons at Dayton I knew then and there
without any doubt that all you have to do to attract every
screwball living in a 100 square mile radius is to hold a hamfest.

3187. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8eh9er$b3b$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 112261

Bob Sherin <Trebb@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:17725-390B9812-64@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> jansseqj,
>
> Of course, everything here on the Newsgroup has a shelf life. When it
> is dead, it does fade away. But for me, not before the thread is
> thoroughly explored.
>
> I wasn't the one who voluntarily revealed the $300 episode; I was
> questioned here on the NG, forced to open up on the subject. My posts
> about Herb's legal predicament have nothing to do with the $300, which I
> have reason to believe will be remedied.

Mr. Sherin, You have talked about the amplifier. I suspect that most
logical people would not reject my observation as being unfair.

--I, too, believe that Herb's "predicament" will be remedied--in his
favor.

>
> My posts deal with the aftermath of a criminal case where the
> prosecution threw Herb's case into chaos by the introduction of
> fabricated evidence. That chaos extended into his administrative
> hearing before the FCC, putting his license at risk.
>
> I'm not demanding anything. The story drives me as it did at trial;
> doing journalism that makes a difference is my motive.

Fine and admirable. It IS an interesting story. But, you personally,
leading with "Ham without Contrition" is IMO a dangle, speaks of axes
grinding and is just not relevant. That was my point.

>
> Please, my friend, comprehend the difference between 1) the strategy of
> confession and avoidance and 2) an attempt to elevate Herb's case by
> adding famous company. The cases are cited because they are ones within
> the purview of everyone's knowledge. (Or would you rather I cite the
> remote Nova v. Askew et al.?)
>
> The point is: a minimal confession at the threshold can save multitudes
> of grief later--and ham licenses too.

Agree. Obviously, an expression of contrition before a court or a jury is
usually viewed favorably. Why don't you convey that to Herb? Do you hope
to reach him through this NG? Aren't you his friend?

>
> Now comes the problem of what Herb should do, an enigma. I am now aware
> any ham who has a criminal case followed by an administrative FCC
> hearing is open to invasion of his 5th and 6th Amendment rights. To be
> candid with the Commission can very well mean testifying against
> yourself for purposes of the criminal process.

I didn't know that. (Why didn't you lead your thread with that?)-- If what you say is true, its significance is deserving of a wider audience and more in-depth analysis than it will ever receive in this NG. I encourage you to make it so.

> I hope you can see the deeper meaning here, because this is not a matter
> of crime and punishment. It is a matter of being railroaded by
> prosecutorial misconduct, then having the FCC invoke its power when
> valuable Constitutional rights stand between you and and the fate of
> your criminal case.

You've clarified for me information I read about the case in other places. Most won't/don't see the deeper meaning though and are happier, from what I've seen, just "bloodying up" Herb for their own reasons or ignoring the whole thing.

john.
KH2/K4ANA

>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

3188. kind invitation: NL0FS-RadioPages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franz <fschmidt@casema.net>
Message-ID: <390b7af4$0$10036@reader2>
Source record: 112262

Regards

--
Frans Schmidt

The -=NL0FS=-RadioPages:
REFERENCES FOR THE RADIOHOBBYIST:
included:
* best digital multimode stations webring
* radio chatroom
* live talking chatroom
* icq cb/shortwave/scanner people ring
* radio-modes poll
* radio message board
* askme.com : about radio
ETC.

WELCOME AT:

http://go.to/nl0fs

3189. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <017AF4B1806131EB.43FEA384CDFB0985.CFE1258FF20AFEDE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112263

On 30 Apr 2000 01:44:52 GMT, toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios)
wrote:

>In article <3771-390B6ABC-51@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
>Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) writes:
>
>>Though this may be unimportant to you, it means everything to me--and
>>many others, including KV4FZ and the FCC.
>>
>>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>>Miami, Florida
>
>If I lived in your city, I'd be more concerned about the impending
>rioting/burning/looting that could break out at any time now.
>
Look closer. The Cuban community can't afford that kind of negative
publicity. I watched some videos that WEREN'T on CNN or network TV
run by the liberals. The gentlemen I saw smashing windows weren't
Cubans. Cubans aren't black......if you get my drift.

Besides, most of them are still carrying green cards. Aliens guilty
of crimes are put in prison, without so much as a hearing, for years!
They loose the green card, and might be SENT BACK, TOO! That holds
the ones with any brains from looting and rioting. Considering the
heavy handed idiocy of the snatch, I think they are very well behaved.

Larry

3190. Re: Special Event Stations for the movie Frequency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <455E8187D933644F.A7BEFACB79F92B62.3C9AECC67AB9FEC7@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112264

Is it really that bad? I got the screen saver for a laugh. They must
have 24V on the filaments inside the radios to get them to light up as
bright as they are! The cinematographer must appreciate it...(c;

Larry....Keep in mind it's a FANTASY aimed at the average KLOD who's
flashlight battery replacement requires a call to tech support.....

On Sun, 30 Apr 2000 07:56:17 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>After seeing that movie last night, the sincerest form of a special event is
>to take it out of theaters and burn every tin of celluloid.
>
>----------
>In article <390AF815.AE8A3E9B@gte.net>, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
>wrote:
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>
>> Are there any special event stations operating today to
>> commemorate the opening of the movie 'Frequency'?
>>
>> The EARC (Emergency Amateur Radio Club) in Honolulu, HI will
>> be
>> operating today (Saturday) on 15m and 10m, 21.250, 21.350,
>> and
>> 28.450 from 2200Z to 0600Z (Sunday).

3191. Re: Now that you're a bigshot EXTRA, what's next?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8826E923682D13CD.ADEA2E79EFB45D2C.36811619C79B69D2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112265

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 22:08:30 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>Larry,
> Might do that. Already did the commercial license
>thing, just didn't see any point in the CSSA.
> 'Doc

I think a Microsoft Certification could be most profitable, even if
they split up the company.

Larry

3192. Re: Now that you're a bigshot EXTRA, what's next?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <06B215CA1A8A2D03.F827CE2E69C665FB.F7479631DB7DB193@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112266

On 30 Apr 2000 05:56:47 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey) wrote:

>Lets see.... Got the extra, a BSEE, 13 patents, one paper.

Wow! Congratulations. I guess you don't hang out around 3950 or
14313, etc., very much, Robert. Some of you might rub off and ruin
their image.....(c;

Larry

3193. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <B7AB989A26DFF9AA.AB07CBA8A85ECECB.C902698DB1689DFD@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112267

On Sun, 30 Apr 2000 04:09:18 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>unknown,
> There's no 'free' or easy way to learn Morse code. It
>requires listening/practice/listening/practice, and more
>of the same. "There ain't no such thing as a free lunch."
> 'Doc

What's really too bad is he can't copy the ship traffic to WCC or WOM, any more. I learned the basic code when I was 10 and became more interested in getting my code speed up so I could copy the ship traffic of the day than I was in ham radio. I almost flunked the Novice code test because they were not using Farnsworth and it was too slow.....

Larry W4CSC....sorry you missed the old days, but I'm anti code now as its day has passed.

Practice is the ONLY way you'll pass it.

3194. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <F27FE592CAEEEA88.B2D6474483328C9A.DDB519073F5C758A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112268

On 30 Apr 2000 10:35:19 GMT, kg4fet@aol.com (KG4FET) wrote:

> Also check out you local clubs for classes. Here locally several clubs
>offer classes on code and the varios licenses.
>Good Luck
>KG4FET Sandor

One of the oldest hams in SC, Linwood N4LS, holds code classes on 2m FM through one of the repeaters so everyone can hear a few times a year. Maybe you and some of your buds on 2m should mic a few code practice oscillators to the FM rigs and get everyone up to 5wpm for the test! It's LOTS better if you're actually copying it for a reason. Get a little code program for your computer off qrz.com or someplace and use the computer to generate perfect code for the group. Code funny stories to make copying interesting. Send the club's newsletter, if you have one. Send the front page of the newspaper if you don't. That way, after the sender has sent an article, everyone can just look at the front page of their newspaper to check their text for accuracy...or the club bulletin. It reduces the checking-on-the-air time to zero.

Best of luck on your upgrades. Get a bunch of guys/gals together on 2m and you'll all be generals and extras in no time.

Larry W4CSC....

3195. Re: 40 years old Grundig Shortwave receiver - Collector Item

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Meacham <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <390C4684.60C67BBE@coqui.net>
Source record: 112269
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"M. Schneider" wrote:
>
> Martin,
> Boy, does that bring back some memories!! I lived in Antwerp, Belgium
> 1968-1969 and I listened avidly to "208-Colourfull Radio Luxembourg" (as the
> jingle went) every night when they signed on (7:30pm as I recall). Are they
> still on the air?
> Mark
>
> "Martin Ackroyd" <martin.ackroyd@virgin.net> wrote in message
> news:390AB820.DB93E44A@virgin.net...
> >
> >
> > mar20tek@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi,
> > >
> > > I've inherited an old working original radio receiver, a Grundig
> > > Prima_Boy Luxus LW208,
> > >
> > > [Snip]
> > >
> > > Radio Luxembourg on 208 metres was difficlut to tune in [fadin at night
> > time]
> > > but, in the late 50's v. early 60's was the only station in Europe
> > carrying
> > > lots of rock'n'roll.
> > >
> > > Some makers produced models specially oriented to receiving Luxy.
> > >
> > > Sounds as if yours is one.
> > >
> > > Martin

Last I checked, their website had some of the old jingles,
etc. to listen to as well as live audio, I think.
--
Bill Meacham
Vieques, PR

3196. FT-100 below 140MHz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wired@genes.pl.my
Message-ID: <957103636.-20446snx@genes.pl.my>
Source record: 112270

Can the FT-100 transmit below 140MHz? A friend of mine has one and it can't do below 140. 140 itself is fine (it's an open unit).

thanks!

3197. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000430111322.00689.00010063@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112271

In article <8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:

>I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than awful. How
>bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with twenty
>grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any legitimate ham
>could do.

I understand the sequel is going to be about a Jewish dentist who loses his
license to practice, then builds an amateur radio station and uses it to harass
other operators for the next 40 years...

3198. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Myer <n8fgb@bignet.net>
Message-ID: <sgokajn4i5027@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112272

practice, practice,practice,study, study, study,and a good tape or towo
unknown <unknown@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:390BBA1E.27D9A674@nospam.com...
> It was 1965 that I decided that, someday, I'd get my ham license.
> That was after visiting the shack of a now-silent key, W2IPR
> Thirty-five years later, in February 2000, I obtained my no-code
> Technician license.
> I've had my no-code tech license only 2 months. On Monday,
> I'm taking the written test for both General and Extra. I expect
> to pass the exams with a score of 85 or better.
>
> Unfortunately, after I pass the exams, I'll still be a Technician,
> since I don't know the code.
>
> What's the best way to learn the code?
>
>
>

3199. Re: More Power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Myer <n8fgb@bignet.net>
Message-ID: <sgokdm9bi5089@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112273

amps,howebuilt or otherwise are illiegle on 11M
jacksforyou <duhgzNOduSPAM@email.com.invalid> wrote in message
news:1719ab84.28f2847b@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com...
> I would like info on homebuilt amps and antennea. (11M)
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network
*
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

3200. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Myer <n8fgb@bignet.net>
Message-ID: <sgokhfqfi50138@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112274

what is a free band?
Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid> wrote in message
news:12ec007e.cb7a7b12@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com...
> Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
> calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
> than its illegal. Thanks, Sam
> alphacentauri@iplus.net
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network
*
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

3201. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ehp4enuj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112275

In article <20000430111322.00689.00010063@nso-ch.aol.com>,
toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
> In article
<8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:
>
> >I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than
awful. How
> >bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with
twenty
> >grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any
legitimate ham
> >could do.
>
> I understand the sequel is going to be about a Jewish dentist who
loses his
> license to practice, then builds an amateur radio station and uses it
to harass
> other operators for the next 40 years...
>
I heard the same thing. The plot is, this demented, paranoid,Jewish dentist from a state close to New York, loses his license to practice. He gets on amateur radio and imagines he hears voices persecuting him and his religion. To get away from the voices, he starts going to cheap second run theatres and imagines himself to be a latter day Siskel and Ebert. He gives reviews on a obscure amateur radio forum (not asked for). These prove to be very unpopular. He rants against the dumb ignorant ones who do not like his reviews. He is finally committed to a mental hospital with a rubber bone secured between his teeth for his own protection. His last days are spent hollaring "Get Herbie, Get Herbie, he caused it all", His people turn against him and he expires in front of the camera to the delighted pleasure of the few nudnicks left who see the end of the movie..

What a Bummer!!

W4FQF

>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3202. REQ: Oskerblock 200B information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garnet <garnie@dlcwest.com>
Message-ID: <0googss2vahrcg67b37ssao135589ptsd8@4ax.com>
Source record: 112276

Greets to all;

I have a buddy with an Oskerblock 200B swr/wattmeter but he's lost the settings card for it. Would anyone with one be able to post a scan of it or email a scan to my email address?

Thanks for your time and efforts.

Garnet Moser
ve5arc

garnie@dlcwest.com

3203. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390C6492.9B158E49@bctv.com>
Source record: 112277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > Peter Maus wrote:
> > >
> > > That's exactly the point.
> > > Journalists do not have opinions
> > > in the matter they report.
> >
> > You're mixing up news reporting and commentary. News reporting is
> > more what you see on the front page of the typical newspaper - hard
> > facts without much opinion.
> >
> Not so. Even the papers are offering a slant to their reportage,
> pursuant
> to the politics of the editor, publisher, or reporter. Reportage
> as you de
> scribe hadn't happened years. But has been replaced by commentary
> and spin masquerading as reportage for years.

I have to second that. The News Director decides which stories are to be covered, and how. The reporter (who is hired by the ND and thus likely shares viewpoint) can slant a story simply in the choice of quotes, or even facial expression and tone of voice.

Consider a recent rally held on the steps of the Utah state capitol. Observers from nearby buildings mentioned having never seen so many attendees at any rally in years. One station reported "hundreds" in attendance, another said "over 500" while another said "1200 - 1400." All of those stations gave estimates which TECHNICALLY agreed with each other, but do you see how they guided opinion?

None reached the semi-official count of 2000+, but all stations covered the "counter-rally" -- which was composed of two women and a boy, off at one side, each of whom were intereviewed.

Now, contrast that with coverage of another rally (official count 250 - 275). One station said "as many as a thousand," another said "hundreds from across the state."

The counter-rally drew over half the number of the main rally, including at least 50 children. Coverage of the counter-rally was ten seconds of mixed video (showing both sets of signs together) and a mention that "there were a number of marchers" opposing the main rally.

I'll bet that just about anyone here can you tell me which was rally was held by a pro-abortion group, and which was held by Women Against Gun Control.

3204. WTB: Motorola MVP radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Little <keithl@folk.federated.com>
Message-ID: <390C73D0.108F89DE@folk.federated.com>
Source record: 112278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

WTB: Motorola MVP radios. Standard, +12V, 5-20 Watts, VHF (138-174) or UHF (420-450).

Thanks,

Keith Little
KC0CPN

3205. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sgot47lqi5044@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

No, I don't think they are "wierdos/nut cases". Probably just a bunch of
normal ham radio operators that believe that sticking a penis into another
male's rectum is offensive and starting a ham radio club and celebrating
that abnormality as being even more offensive. But that's just a guess.

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons
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"Screw Microsoft" <mhughes@aol.com> wrote in message
news:fIVO4.9890$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote in message
> news:f8HO4.11990$55.99192@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com...
> > Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual
Radio
> > Operators Society)???
> >
> > They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.
>
> Are these the wierdo/nut-cases that walk around with miniature cubical
quad
> antennas or auto-ball mounted 6-foot rods on their heads..??
>
> First time I saw these loons at Dayton I knew then and there
> without any doubt that all you have to do to attract every
> screwball living in a 100 square mile radius is to hold a hamfest.
>
>
>

3206. Re: Golden Eagle Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sgot8nmpi5013@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112280

First, they are not tube amp they are solid state. I also talked to the guy
on 20 and his signal appeared very clean. He e-mailed a description. If
you did not get it from him I can e-mail it to you.

--

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"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:1315E0015ED1F901.B00AD39EE724A842.616007F9A8723C88@lp.airnews.net...
> On Fri, 28 Apr 2000 21:14:30 -0400, "Rich Myer" <n8fgb@bignet.net>
> wrote:
>
> >If I am not mistaken they are criminal bander amps.The word splatter
comes
> >to mind.
> >John - KI4RO <johnpsmith@freewwweb.com> wrote in message
>
> Sort of like the Swan amps.....or Heath?....(c;
>
> Larry W4CSC
>

3207. KV4FZ's 5th & Sixth Amendment Rights

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25017-390C7404-3@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112281

janssenqj,

Great dialogue, thank you.

Please be assured that my posting about the amplifier was a response to a post pointedly requesting recount of the episode. Otherwise it wouldn't have been put in the public domain. After it was revealed, I felt free to use it in any journalistic context.

The twists and turns of this thread is an educational process for me, the loftiest purpose of NGs. Had I started off knowing what I do now, the headline would have been different, of course.

Being unconnected from Herb, though I do hear from him occasionally, my posts on this subject are a continuation of the chilling criminal trial in 1992, where FBI and Secret Service fanned out following and bugging us. The FCC was also there but in a lesser role to testify about ham radio.

Observing the Odyssey, I've been driven to follow every detail, weighing in to make the public privy to my observations. (After all, QST won't report these facts.) It is a picture punctuated with intrigue, also one in which Herb has made mistakes. For me, those small mistakes have been especially grating because they detract from the deprivation of his 5th and 6th Amendment rights, his real cause.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3208. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000430150829.16108.00000617@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112282

That probably sums it up. Maybe the keynote speaker at their banquet will be
Sir Sidney, K5BLB, to give his famous "Nazi Faggots" lecture.

3209. looking for a Ghz receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <236e0eba.5cff4439@usw-ex0101-007.remarq.com>
Source record: 112283

Iam trying to find a receiver that can receive Ghz 1-2.6 or 2.8.
Must be in mint condition. If anyone knows where I can find one,
please let me know . Thanks, Sam
alphacentauri@i-plus.net

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3210. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8efu2q$t4f$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112327

The Martell's <mike-n-terri@erols.com> wrote:
>LOWERING ONLY ONE STANDARD, CODE SPEED. And who is whining, those who
>already took the code test!

But look at the decade of whining which came from the no-code side!

>If I upgrade, will I be banished to talk only on 14.313 or one of the
>other couple
>of freq's that everybody just has to talk on while the rest of the band
>is open, who is doing that, the no-code tech's and novices??

Feel free to come up on CW. You'll encounter absolutely no prejudice
on the low end of the bands.

>I spent 3 months working on a radio project with no help from the higher
>class guys

That was a cool dummy load you built!

73, Jeff

3211. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eftntssq1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112328

TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote:
>In article <sgmjqtk0i50140@corp.supernews.com>, "Rich Myer" <n8fgb@bignet.net>

>>I've heard of a CRIMINAL BAND,but not a free band.They fine a CB'er in Texas
>>17,000 dollers for operating out of band on 11 mtr.

>Um, I beg your pardon...I do believe the individual in question here was a
>licensed amateur radio operator who was operating out-of-band, NOT a CB'er.

A better catagory to place him in would be a CBer who happened to
have a ham license. Given his history on CB, that's a much more
accurate label. Having a ham license but committing federal offenses
on 11m doesn't necessarily make one an "amateur radio operator."

One of his offenses was operating *between* designated CB channels.
That's not "out-of-band."

Jeff

3212. Re: KE6HN WACKO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Screw Microsoft <mhughes@aol.com>
Message-ID: <4mLO4.8916$x4.287563@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112329

<zyzxx@baker.com> wrote in message
news:390b3e36.252336@news.earthlink.net...

> Now for Moonwalker....Dave..KE6HN..What is the purpose of the CW 'AD'?
>
> Since that URL is inaccesible due to a needed password now.??????
>
> Further..There are NO control Ops on 147.435 Mhz. IN L.A., so why are
> you trying to come across as one.???
>
> And actually, who cares, Moonwalker.?? Take your rhetoric and
> extremely long transmissions that say nothing to another frequency and
> everyone will be happier... Go back to your Bread Truck Home......

SUGGESTION: How about puttin up a web page with audio recordings
of this clown, and his cohorts? I aint been in Cali-Land in a couple
of years and would enjoy hearin some of this famous SoCal repeater
stuff. I guess many others would. Add some fotos! Show us a pic
of the "Bread Truck QTH". Does Moonwalk look much like Ted the
Uniabomber Kazinski? INQUIRING MINDS WANT TO KNOW!

3213. whatever happened to Freeman Lang kh6ax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000429204513.17098.00000445@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 112330

he operated from Honolulu yacht basin in the 60 s>

kh6lem

3214. Re: KE6HN WACKO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Screw Microsoft <mhughes@aol.com>
Message-ID: <MnLO4.8917$x4.289603@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112331

Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:B4D51815A851D905.3CF391BEC1B621A4.1F267EC8BB7AA832@lp.airnews.net...
> Now....Don't you ALL wish you lived in Southern California?

I stayed in Calistoga, in the heart of Napa wine country for an
extended period on business. It was great! Freeway Traffic sucks big-time
however.

3215. Re: KV4FZ; Ham Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8efvdchfc1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 112332

Bob Sherin <Trebb@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:10861-390A4E6D-51@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> janssenjq,
>
> As a fellow ham, albeit one who made a significant contribution to
> Herb's cause, I surely have the right to publicly voice a good-faith
> opinion.

Mr. Sherin, You're a hard guy to read. Your posts on Herb are
contradictory. You want something. Maybe it's the apology...maybe you
just want your 300 dollars. I'm not sure.

>
> The evidence showed, Herb did in fact toy with Calls. FCC officials
> were there first outside, then inside the court room. Naturally, the
> Commission would want an explanation for what they witnessed.

He was convicted, wasn't he? What more is there to say?

>
> While Herb is indeed not the big felon the prosecution portrayed, he
> could have saved his license, in my opinion, with a little humility.
> Experts in these type of cases know that an expression of de minimus
> remorse would have gone a long way--and still might--to remedy Herb's
> situation.

What Herb (apparently) did was a crime. Was it a bad thing? Yes. Should
he pay for it? Yes. But he shouldn't lose his Ham license IMO any more
than he should lose his fishing license or his Sam's Club card. Isn't he
still operating Commercial transmitter(s)? What's more significant?

>
> Witnessing the folly of the KV4FZ-type of blanket denial are the
> Watergate and Clinton matters, where minimal admissions and apologies
> would have remedied the situations before they got off the ground .

Really? To compare Herb's case with "Watergate and Clinton matters" is just
silly and is an attempt by you to elevate the issue to a higher and
different level of (off-topic) discussion.

I would note to you that except for an insulting, one line Electronic Rage
message I received from radiosigs@mindspring.com in my personal mailbox,
that my NS shows that no additonal comments were generated into this thread.
Your thread is dead; silence speaks volumes.

73,
John

>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

3216. Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: no-spam@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8eg137$qi5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I need some links for direction finding antennas for 20 meters and 10 meters.
We have some restructured hams in the area that causing interference with
other hams and we need to track them down so we can give Mr Riley a proper
report. thanks

nat

3217. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <390DC084.3A2A@rpi.edu>
Source record: 112034

> Jeff, just for a different perspective than the infiltrated US media,
> where everything you see and hear are controlled from TelAviv, go to
> www.virtualtuner.com and use that site to find BBC World TV News and
> ITN News on Demand. You can watch either, any time. BBC is
> controlled, partially, by MI5, but ITN is not. UK news is a different
> place to get real information in our language. The slope of it, and
> it has a slope I know, is different. I watch ITN news daily. The
> Clinton Liberals don't own the UK press.
>
> Larry W4CSC....

It is amazing to me that such blatant anti-semitism still exists in the modern age. Has nothing been learned in the 20th century?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

3218. w9Sox on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sox@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000430201053.14503.00000536@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 112150

Very intersting film. Not meant to promote or glorify ham radio. Meant only as entertainment. It's a good thing it wasn't accurate on what goes on in ham radio, especially if it portrayed the hobby as it exists on 14.313. The place would have emptied out in the first 5 minute segment. I mean your popcorn would have been warm on the floor. On a scale of 4, I'm giving it a 3. w9Sox

3219. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eimm6$22o$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112151

>What's the best way to learn the code?

What ever method you choose, make sure that you copy behind, i.e., what you write down is a character which came before the character you're currently hearing. That technique is so very important! At first, try to copy one character behind. As time goes on, you'll begin to hear entire words rather than the individual letters which compose them. Soon after, you'll be able to copy in your head -- no written copy will be necessary. That's when Morse takes on the aspect of being a language!

Please consider getting on the air and using your new Morse skills. Nothing will build your speed quicker than some friendly and fun QSOs with folks in far off lands.

73 and GL, Jeff KH6O

3220. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eio7k$3o7$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112152

Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
>Considering the heavy handed idiocy of the snatch,

From the Washington Post, 4/28/00:

"... there was a layered threat element... The first layer was an immediate bodyguard contingent of five men who provided immediate, close-in security for the Gonzalez family and Elian. All of the five were found to have concealed weapons permits... part of what they were to do, if needed, was to help prevent the recovery of Elian from the house... A second layer consisted of a cadre of between 15 and 20 individuals based directly behind the Gonzalez residence... Virtually all had notable criminal histories, including convictions for crimes such as armed robbery, weapons, aggravated assault. They were acting in a robust and somewhat structured security effort... they viewed their mission as alerting the Gonzalez family to any attempt by the government to recover Elian as well as, if possible, to thwart that effort. Using walkie-talkies and cell phones, traveling on foot and on bicycle, the individuals had set up observation posts and maintained a link to a local Spanish-language radio station, which they contacted to broadcast a call for large quantities of demonstrators whenever they felt it was necessary. A third layer was the crowd itself... there were people in the crowd who had threatened to literally die to prevent Elian's removal. The agents also identified a cadre of five members of Alpha 66, a radical anti-Castro Group that employs paramilitary and weapons training, which was active in the crowd..."

73, Jeff KH6O

3221. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eioer$3qv$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112153

>What's the best way to learn the code?

Whatever method you choose, make sure that you copy behind, i.e., what you write down is a character which came before the character you're currently hearing. That technique is so very important! At first, try to copy one character behind. As time goes on, you'll begin to hear entire words rather than individual letters. Soon after, you'll be able to copy in your head -- no written copy will be necessary. That's when Morse takes on the aspect of being a language!

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73 and GL, Jeff KH6O

3222. Re: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8eiueauro1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112154

As I am sure I will too, if/when I see it.

However, if I buy a ticket with expectations such as:
1) Deification of the HAM radio operator
2) Cold, unforgiving accuracy in filmmaking
3) The film being best viewed by closed-minded viewers
4) 'Reality' and 'Hollywood' in the same sentence
5) Everybody leaving the theater noticing my Amateur Radio tags
on my vehicle, and rushing up to meet a "RealHAM"(TM)

Then I am sure I would agree with post #1 in this thread.

But I don't and won't, so I am sure the movie will be enjoyable.

Glad you liked it.
73

In article <oC0P4.13738$4w1.164987@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>,
"Gerd Henjes" <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com> wrote:
> Gee, I actually saw and enjoyed the movie. They did a better job than
Jodie
> Foster on the radio. Gerd, W2ISB
>
>

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Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3223. Re: More Power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <390cfb51.35188597@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112155

On Sat, 29 Apr 2000 17:40:54 -0700, jacksforyou
<duhgzNOduSPAM@email.com.invalid> wrote:

>I would like info on homebuilt amps and antennea. (11M)
>

Only if I can retune both for 10M :-)

Rick KC2ESD

3224. Re: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ej5r8cel1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112156

Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:8eiueauro1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> 5) Everybody leaving the theater noticing my Amateur Radio tags
> on my vehicle, and rushing up to meet a "RealHAM"(TM)

Tough break, d00d. It happens to me all the time, at the grocery store, gas station, anywhere. The adulation is overwhelming. In fact, I'm on the verge of getting an entourage - maybe even a posse.

It's lonely at the top. 73. Peace. Out.

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
What part of "I never use catch phrases" don't you understand?

3225. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <390D2132.25443F4C@sccoast.net>
Source record: 112157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> Not so. Even the papers are offering
> a slant to their reportage, pursuant
> to the politics of the editor, publisher,
> or reporter.

And, slanting the news reporting has been going on for humdreds of years (I'm sure Ben didn't exactly give the Redcoats unbiased coverage in his newspaper). And as long as there is a wide selection of news sources (insuring a wider spectrum of bias), this free enterprise system of news reporting works.

However, in the last few dozen years, we have seen the consolidation of newspapers, magazines, tv networks, and tv stations, under fewer and fewer owners.

For example, my newspaper in South Carolina is owned by a group that also owns a newspaper in Chicago (and a few hundred other newspapers around the country). Now, obviously that newspaper staff cannot truly present news in a manner that is totally consitent with the opinions and values of the local population.

Sadly, I can say exactly the same thing for the cable tv company - also owned by a company based in Chicago. That company in Chicago picks which cable channels are offered, and it is out of step with the local population (the population here is mostly white, for example, while the programming is heavily weighted towards black viewers).

So, in the end, if you want more coverage of diverse opinion, you really need to look for ways to break up the news monopoly in most cities (give the viewers more than one cable company to choose from, break up the publishing giants, etc).

By the way, does anyone know how we ended up with only one cable tv company, one phone company, one electric company, and so forth? Who decided it was a good idea to divide the cities into chunks with one each of these companies in control of the population in that area (mini monopolies)? And who decided on the exact areas these companies control? For that matter, how was it decided (back room deals)?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3226. OKLAHOMA FREQUENCIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wi_football@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <390d23c8$0$19896@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 112158

HI,

I'll be visiting the Tulsa / Taft Oklahoma area this June. Anyone
have any frequencies to share? Like which are the major 2 meter and
440 repeaters.
any weather frequencies? plus other scanning type freqs?

Thanks in advance

3227. Re: Press using a different photo.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390D2783.11DE6A74@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.society.liberalism

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > Not so. Even the papers are offering
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> in his newspaper). And as long as there is a wide selection of news
> sources (insuring a wider spectrum of bias), this free enterprise system
> of news reporting works.
>
Well, quoting out of context, certainly doesnt' help, either.
What I have pointed out now three times, and you're still failing to
address, is that there is a uniformity in teh presentation of big
three, and numbers of the smaller news outlets, that should be
alarming. When have you known so many different individuals, so many
competitors, to speak with one voice? Using the same language? And
more importantly take a single source for their story?

I"m not talking about a pool feed, or AP, and Reuters. There is a
significant difference between taking a common story feed from a
group of news professionals, even with their biases, and comparing
notes to gleen the truth, and taking the story, unsubstantiated,
from a party to the dispute in question, with no corroborating
information, other than, a common, 'well why should he lie?' Where
are the investigative reporters that bulldog their way into detailed
stories? Where are the muckrakers whose bylines grace every front
page? Why are they so suddenly, and totally silent? Why, with all
the reporting talent in this country, with such a rich history of
skepticism and dogged pursuit of detail, is the only information in
this second chapter in the saga, coming from Greg Craig? Why is no
one bothered by that?

I don't have an answer...Why is no one else asking the question?

Never before has the press in this country simply rolled over and
not only failed to ask Who, What, When, Where, Why, and How, but
actually defended the trickle of information from one side of the
dispute in question.

Why? And why is no one asking? That alone should be alarming.

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> fewer owners.
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> decided it was a good idea to divide the cities into chunks with one
> each of these companies in control of the population in that area (mini
> monopolies)? And who decided on the exact areas these companies
> control? For that matter, how was it decided (back room deals)?
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3228. See Jeff Herman's Post of 5/1 on KV4FZ thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25016-390D2E08-99@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112160

Jeffrey Herman posted a Washington Post report which unearths what was really happening behind those images. It should more properly be here.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3229. Re: KV4FZ's 5th & Sixth Amendment Rights

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: janssenjq <janssenjq@kuentos.guam.net>
Message-ID: <8ejh2a$mi2$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 112161

Bob Sherin <Trebb@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:25017-390C7404-3@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> janssenqj,
>
> Great dialogue, thank you.

Yes.
>
> Please be assured that my posting about the amplifier was a response to
> a post pointedly requesting recount of the episode. Otherwise it
> wouldn't have been put in the public domain. After it was revealed, I
> felt free to use it in any journalistic context.

Yes. Understand.

>
> The twists and turns of this thread is an educational process for me,
> the loftiest purpose of NGs. Had I started off knowing what I do now,
> the headline would have been different, of course.
>
> Being unconnected from Herb, though I do hear from him occasionally, my
> posts on this subject are a continuation of the chilling criminal trial
> in 1992, where FBI and Secret Service fanned out following and bugging
> us. The FCC was also there but in a lesser role to testify about ham
> radio.

Can you elaborate on that? What's with the bugging and surveillance?

>
> Observing the Odyssey, I've been driven to follow every detail, weighing
> in to make the public privy to my observations. (After all, QST won't
> report these facts.)

Why? Have you tried to get them to print it?

It is a picture punctuated with intrigue, also one
> in which Herb has made mistakes. For me, those small mistakes have been
> especially grating because they detract from the deprivation of his 5th
> and 6th Amendment rights, his real cause.

Do you know if Herb is pursuing the issue based on the infringement issue?
If so, perhaps that will yield the needed coverage in "the media"(?).

john
KH2/K4ANA

>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

3230. Re: Frequency and ham radio promotion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad <vk2qq@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <390d64bc@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 112162

And you can always ask the other operator what his beam heading is.
Brad VK2QQ

"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote in message
news:390b585e.107144365@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 00:37:42 -0700, Will <catroach@mindspring.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Scott,
> >
> >I am not trying to be contrary, but honestly am curious to know how you
can
> >be sure that you are working someone via long-path from your car, since
> >your mobile antenna is almost certainly omni-directional? Is there a way
to
> >do this using a step-attenuator, or something like that?
> >
> >de Will KD7BFX
>
>
> Not to be contray or present myself as knwoing that much about
> HF, but I would think it would involve checking time of day and other
> factors to conclude that Long path was the only valid means of
> propagation. not sure myself what would be involved in this process
> but such could with propagations modes based on the ostion pof Day
> Night teminator (called Grey line or something like it I believe
>
> Mark Morgan
> kb9rqz

3231. Mosley Tri-band Beam 4-sale NH area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: beavereater <testcircuitsNOteSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0257078a.63997f09@usw-ex0108-063.remarq.com>
Source record: 112163

if you are within driving distance to New Hampshire and want a
completely rebuilt beam for $150.00 19' turning radius all new
stainless steel hardware Please e-mail me direct
(testcircuits@yahoo.com) 73 AA1GR

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3232. Looking for Grandfather's Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net
Message-ID: <FnWD5oJPMmeW090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>
Source record: 112164

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I'm about ready to take the entry level tech exam and am pretty
confidant about passing ... still have a few glitches to learn
but should pass.

After I pass, I'd like to get a vanity call and honor my
silent key Grandfather who was in the hobby for years, but as
luck would have it my folks didn't keep a copy of his old
ticket.

I would appreciate it if anyone with an older callbook could
help out ... his name would be H. Douglas Seielstad Sr., and
probably would have a listing that expired in the late 70's or
early 80's, if you happen to have a listing, could you please
e-mail it, thank you.

- --

+--------------------------------------------------------------------------+
| Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
| Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ |
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| "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average, everyday |
| guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no significant |
| use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time ... and |
| trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views" |
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| To obtain my PGP Public Key: finger mrhuey@wizvax.net |
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3233. Re: w9Sox on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Earnest Angley <coozesli@getit.com>
Message-ID: <cOeP4.12445$x4.458681@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112165

W9Sox <w9sox@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000430201053.14503.00000536@ng-fw1.aol.com...
> Very intersting film. Not meant to promote or glorify ham radio.
> Meant only as entertainment. It's a good thing it wasn't
> accurate on what goes on in ham radio, especially if it
> portrayed the hobby as it exists on 14.313.

14.313 (...and it's adjunct "frequencies") *ARE* entertainment.
It's ham radio style entertainment, although R.H. has put
the kabash on some of the more "bawdy" acts of recent.

> The place would have emptied out in the first
> 5 minute segment. I mean your popcorn would
> have been warm on the floor.

I would be inclined to doubt that. Comedy Central's "The Daily
Show" sould consider doing a spot about the historic 14.313
Booer Wars. They go all the way back to the Jim Jones incident
in 1978 which lit KV4FZ's fuse (..or lit the string on his
tampon - whichever you prefer) Just a shame that more tapes were
not made of the early days of KV4FZ, N5FX, WB4GDP, KA4MUJ, KA1SKV
NQ2C, NX0T and many many others... No doubt that you could have made
a "Best of .313" CD Boxed-set and sold them at hamfests.
My all time favorite was the "Lesbian Lovers Letter" that Mike
read on the air one night, allegedly came from the late Doris P.
of Newark NJ. I was *literally* rolling on the floor with tears in
my eyes an turning red from laughter, that fool in Ft. Liqurdale
actually thought it was genuine. Oy, I wish I'd have recored that one!

On a scale of 4, I'm giving it a 3. w9Sox

3234. Re: See Jeff Herman's Post of 5/1 on KV4FZ thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390D7B80.C7A1482E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112166

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman posted a Washington Post report which unearths what was
> really happening behind those images. It should more properly be here.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

And there are witnesses from the scene, including those present during the 'snatch' who are claiming that what was reported by the Post just isn't true.

The interesting thing is that it was reported by the paper in Washington. Interesting also that it wasn't quoted from the paper in Miami. Which suggests, along with conflicting eyewitness accounts, the Post is quoting the Party Line.

Which is NOT to say that this is conclusive, or that there is a clear attempt to defraud the public.

What it does is raise significant questions. Questions that are NOT being asked by the media. THAT indicates that something is a foot.

3235. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <AC2DF7BE307C48E4.69DB13840CFE1ACE.8E12CAA650EE12B2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112167

On 1 May 2000 01:56:04 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
>>Considering the heavy handed idiocy of the snatch,
>
>From the Washington Post, 4/28/00:

Wow....a report from the Clintonistas OWN newspaper! Must be very
accurate. That fisherman looked like he had bandoliers of 50 caliber
machine gun bullets hanging over Elian's shoulder.....

Oh oh....big problem.....Aliens aren't allowed to have gun permits, I
think. Does anyone know if aliens are allowed to carry guns in S
Florida/Miami??
>
>"... there was a layered threat element... The first layer was an
>immediate bodyguard contingent of five men who provided immediate,
>close-in security for the Gonzalez family and Elian. All of the
>five were found to have concealed weapons permits... part of what
>they were to do, if needed, was to help prevent the recovery of
>Elian from the house... A second layer consisted of a cadre of
>between 15 and 20 individuals based directly behind the Gonzalez
>residence... Virtually all had notable criminal histories,
>including convictions for crimes such as armed robbery, weapons,
>aggravated assault. They were acting in a robust and somewhat
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>to recover Elian as well as, if possible, to thwart that effort.
>Using walkie-talkies and cell phones, traveling on foot and on
>bicycle, the individuals had set up observation posts and
>maintained a link to a local Spanish-language radio station,
>which they contacted to broadcast a call for large quantities
>of demonstrators whenever they felt it was necessary. A third
>layer was the crowd itself... there were people in the crowd who
>had threatened to literally die to prevent Elian's removal.
>The agents also identified a cadre of five members of Alpha
>66, a radical anti-Castro Group that employs paramilitary
>and weapons training, which was active in the crowd..."
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>
>73, Jeff KH6O

Mrs. Gonzales, especially, looked like a commando-type to me. I think
I've heard her, disguised in English, on 3950, late at night. I

noticed all the women had on riot gear and flack jackets. Oh, excuse me, those were the social workers from child protection wearing the flack jackets.

Jeff, just for a different perspective than the infiltrated US media, where everything you see and hear are controlled from TelAviv, go to www.virtualtuner.com and use that site to find BBC World TV News and ITN News on Demand. You can watch either, any time. BBC is controlled, partially, by MI5, but ITN is not. UK news is a different place to get real information in our language. The slope of it, and it has a slope I know, is different. I watch ITN news daily. The Clinton Liberals don't own the UK press.

Larry W4CSC....

3236. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <3F1D4A12FF5621DC.ECA58D1D22A2AE1A.FF5F8F51F47AAAB0@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112168

On Sun, 30 Apr 2000 22:50:36 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

This paragraph could also be truthful if it said:

>
>You see, Clinton expressly condones his own lieing, explaining that
>historic justification vitiates truth when need be. It's the old
>notion of "manifest destiny," or Clinton's rules of order interpreted by
>Clinton. Typical of messianic leaders, Clinton views himself as the
>ultimate futurist and savior of the third world.
>

Larry....just an observation.

3237. Re: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <11b74808.a0984ed0@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 112169

'Know where you're coming from man. 'Hafta carry upchuck
sticks to keep the admirers away.

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3238. Re: WB2OTK; Pork Without Contrition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20756-390D841D-11@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112170

My kids have a video game that has a similar melody to the now infamous "Pork Butt Song". My kids can't help but wonder why I go around the house singing:

"I, I, I...Pork Butt Song, Pork Butt Song"

Don B.

3239. Re: Looking for Grandfather's Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ek64t$7qf$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112171

In article <FnWD5oJPMmeW090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>,
<mrhuey@wizvax.net> Ramsay D. Seielstad wrote:
> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
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> I'm about ready to take the entry level tech exam and am pretty
> confidant about passing ... still have a few glitches to learn
> but should pass.
>
> After I pass, I'd like to get a vanity call and honor my
> silent key Grandfather who was in the hobby for years, but as
> luck would have it my folks didn't keep a copy of his old
> ticket.
>
> I would appreciate it if anyone with an older callbook could
> help out ... his name would be H. Douglas Seielstad Sr., and
> probably would have a listing that expired in the late 70's or
> early 80's, if you happen to have a listing, could you please
> e-mail it, thank you.
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> | Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net;
Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
> | Schenectady, NY |
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Go to this page;

www.qcwa.org

Then drop a e-mail to the general manager. Ask him for help in looking it up. Without a call it may be a problem. They do have lots of old callbooks.

You may also try dropping the FCC in Gettysburg a note if you have the approximate date he was licensed.

Good luck.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3240. FS: MFJ-9020 20 Meter QRP CW Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete Buehner <kc8er@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <bJgP4.8137$ZE4.145706@ord-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 112172

For Sale:

MFJ-9020 20 Meter QRP CW Transceiver. Includes the MFJ-412 Iambic Keyer Module (installed) and the MFJ-726 Narrow Audio CW Filter (installed). Rig less than 2 years old. Non-smoker. Appearance (on a scale of 10): 9+ Everything in excellent working condition. With all documentation and in original box. Selling because I just purchased the MFJ-9420 with CW board.

Original Prices:

MFJ-9020 Transceiver 169.95
MFJ-726 Narrow Audio Filter 29.95
MFJ-412 Curtis Iambic Keyer 39.95

$239.85 Original Cost!

Asking: $180.00 Like New!
You pay for shipping.

...Pete

Email address: kc8er@oh.verio.com
Phone: (440)-354-4538

3241. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ek6fn$80f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112173

In article <25017-390CF0FC-36@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
> Jeffrey Herman,
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> Now that I've hit the wrong button, posting a fragment, let me
continue.
>
> During a demonstration in downtown Miami, pro-Castro Unitarians were
> stoned. So much for our First Amendment, alien to the Cuban mentality
> if you don't agree with them.
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> To get to the bottom of all the fiery emotion, yesterday I checked out
> "Fidel; A Critical Portrait" by Tad Szulc, Morrow & Company, New York
> (1986). A 700 page book, it has already revealed to me one of the
> reasons behind the hysteria.
>
> You see, Castro expressly condones his own lieing, explaining that
> historic justification vitiates truth when need be. It's the old
> notion of "manifest destiny," or Castro's rules of order interpreted
by
> Castro. Typical of messianic leaders, Castro views himself as the
> ultimate futurist and savior of the third world. He sees
Christianity
> as a potential ally, which might explain the Pope's visit.
>
> Of course, he acts on his beliefs, going as far as sparing the lives
of
> would-be assassins who fought beside him in the revolution. He did
> indeed hide his Communist leanings because he didn't think the nation
> would buy such radical "reforms" until he could consolidate power.
>
> There are those who love him and those who hate him. Peasants near
the
> Escambray Mountains, where the revolution took root, remember that
> Castro and his band helped them harvest their crops. The refugees
here
> know only betrayal, perfidy that makes Batista's criminal connections
> look like child's play.
>
> And so you have an irresistible force in Havana meeting the immovable
> Hispanic community here in Miami. There is no compromise. Many of
the
> revolutionaries who fought with him still support him. Occupying
cushy,

> government posts may explain their support, or it could be sincere
> without the patronage.
>
> According to our scheme of ethics, he cannot be trusted. How can we
> put our trust in someone who has expressly announced his propensity to
> lie if historically justified? By reserving the final judgement in
all
> cases, Castro is essentially staking a claim on being virtually
> God-like,
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>
> >>>>> Sounds like FZ and Castro, are one of a kind!<<<<<<<<<<<<

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Before you buy.

3242. WTT: My Icom R-8500-03 for your TM641/2 + cash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <8ek5ps$1v0$1@news.enteract.com>
Source record: 112174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,chi.forsale

Howdy! I have a near-mint (one scratch on the cabinet top) *unblocked* Icom R-8500 receiver I would like to trade for some other gear. This receiver covers 0.1 -1999 MHz, continuous, AM, FM, WFM, SSB, and CW. Too many features to list here, so see:

http://www.icomamerica.com/receivers/tabletop/ and click on R-8500 for complete details.

My radio includes the following extras:
o FL-52A 500 Hz CW filter
o RSR-8500 PC programming/control software
o Service manual

What I am looking for:

(1) Kenwood TM-641A or TM-642A with a 1.2 GHz module installed
(1) bunch of cash

-or-

(1) Kenwood TM-641A or TM-642A with a 1.2 GHz module installed
(1) Garmin StreetPilot GPS unit (color or not)
(1) little bit of cash

Any gear you're offering must be in perfect operational condition, and at least a cosmetic 8.5, complete with manual(s), power cord, mic, and mounting bracket.

I don't really want anything else, so please don't make any other offers.

The unit is located outside of Chicago.

Please drop me a note if you're interested,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

3243. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ek6ldhhu1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112175

A good communist is a dead communist and there's something wrong with our operatives who, in 41 years, were never able to take out that bearded bastard who tortured and murdered the opposition, nationalized our industries on the island without any form of compensation, sent troops to communize parts of Africa and the Caribbean and who allowed Russian nuclear missiles to be stationed on his soil to menace, blackmail and ultimately destroy our nation. To hell with Fidel and everyone associated with him! Viva Cuba democratica...Viva Cuba libre y muerte a Castro y la basura communista de el!

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> Escambray Mountains, where the revolution took root, remember that
> Castro and his band helped them harvest their crops. The refugees here
> know only betrayal, perfidy that makes Batista's criminal connections
> look like child's play.
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> Hispanic community here in Miami. There is no compromise. Many of the
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> lie if historically justified? By reserving the final judgement in all
> cases, Castro is essentially staking a claim on being virtually
> God-like,
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

3244. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5647-390D9C92-8@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112176

Larry, W4CSC,

Wow, we like to think we occupy the moral high ground. But you've effectively blasted that away on that particular paragraph, ha, ha. Well done.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3245. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ek7qqsqn1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112177

If "Frequency" stays in theatres for more than two weeks, I'll be surprised. Now let's take "Contact" for example. Sure, Jodie's hamming did have an important role but the basic story was so beautiful and the acting so inspiring, a ham viewer couldn't care less about the technical flaws. It was a grippping film from the outset. On the other hand, "Frequency" lacked any credibility whatsoever, was beset with constant flashbacks and fast forwards to the point of incredulity and annoynace, hampered by the worst acting possible, brazen technical flaws beyond belief and the preposterous and bungled handling of a good idea concerning how the present can change the past to change the present. What a mess!
AF2Y,Doc

In article <dIVO4.9889$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Screw Microsoft" <mhughes@aol.com> wrote:

>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
>> I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than awful.
> How
>> bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with
> twenty
>> grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any legitimate ham
>> could do.
>
> Thanks Doc. As I expected the film is another "French Atlantic Affair".
> Destined to be heartly heaved into the $1.98 for-a-5-day-rental at Apu's
> House of Video and Dunkin Donuts.
>
> By your movie review I do gather that it does reflect one truth
> of ham radio aa it pretains to this film... Both are living in a
> fantasy world.
>
>
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>

3246. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ek83qalr1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112178

That's my main argument. Anyone who wants to call himself a ham and can't handle even five words a minute of code should seek another avocation. My suggestion to this fool is, STAY ANONYMOUS!
AF2Y,Doc

In article <390BBA1E.27D9A674@nospam.com>, unknown <unknown@nospam.com> wrote:

> It was 1965 that I decided that, someday, I'd get my ham license.
> That was after visiting the shack of a now-silent key, W2IPR
> Thirty-five years later, in February 2000, I obtained my no-code
> Technician license.
> I've had my no-code tech license only 2 months. On Monday,
> I'm taking the written test for both General and Extra. I expect
> to pass the exams with a score of 85 or better.
>
> Unfortunately, after I pass the exams, I'll still be a Technician,
> since I don't know the code.
>
> What's the best way to learn the code?
>
>
>

3247. Re: N0VFP: My retirement from Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ek86lalr2@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112179

How could he retire from something he was never in?

In article <8ef7ve$51o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <20000429022449.22334.00000571@ng-md1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.comnospam (Brother Lloyd) wrote:
>
>> Yes folks, I have decided to announce my retirement. >
>
> Yawn. I give it a week.
>
> LRod
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

3248. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <390da811.3244644@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112180

On Mon, 01 May 2000 11:45:25 GMT, W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC)
wrote:

>On 1 May 2000 01:56:04 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
>wrote:
>
>>Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
>>>Considering the heavy handed idiocy of the snatch,
>>
>>From the Washington Post, 4/28/00:
>
>Wow....a report from the Clintonistas OWN newspaper! Must be very
>accurate. That fisherman looked like he had bandoliers of 50 caliber
>machine gun bullets hanging over Elian's shoulder.....

My HERO !!!!

Next time we send YOU in UNARMED carrying a bible anywhere there's an
angry mob / standoff / Waco / Elian situation. I'll stand back at a
safe distance with the paramedics and a fresh body bag. Sounds good to
me, how about you ?

>Oh oh....big problem.....Aliens aren't allowed to have gun permits, I
>think. Does anyone know if aliens are allowed to carry guns in S
>Florida/Miami??

Damn !! Never thought of that !!!

And we ALL _KNOW_ that no one would EVER , I mean NEVER EVER NEVER
carry a GUN if it was Illegal , why that just DOESN'T HAPPEN ;-)

The Feds need some Quick Study's like you in charge !!!

>>
>>"... there was a layered threat element... The first layer was an
>>immediate bodyguard contingent of five men who provided immediate,
>>close-in security for the Gonzalez family and Elian. All of the
>>five were found to have concealed weapons permits... part of what
>>they were to do, if needed, was to help prevent the recovery of
>>Elian from the house... A second layer consisted of a cadre of
>>between 15 and 20 individuals based directly behind the Gonzalez
>>residence... Virtually all had notable criminal histories,
>>including convictions for crimes such as armed robbery, weapons,
>>aggravated assault. They were acting in a robust and somewhat
>>structured security effort... they viewed their mission as
>>alerting the Gonzalez family to any attempt by the government
>>to recover Elian as well as, if possible, to thwart that effort.

>>Using walkie-talkies and cell phones, traveling on foot and on
>>bicycle, the individuals had set up observation posts and
>>maintained a link to a local Spanish-language radio station,
>>which they contacted to broadcast a call for large quantities
>>of demonstrators whenever they felt it was necessary. A third
>>layer was the crowd itself... there were people in the crowd who
>>had threatened to literally die to prevent Elian's removal.
>>The agents also identified a cadre of five members of Alpha
>>66, a radical anti-Castro Group that employs paramilitary
>>and weapons training, which was active in the crowd..."
>>
>>
>>73, Jeff KH6O
>
>Mrs. Gonzales, especially, looked like a commando-type to me. I think
>I've heard her, disguised in English, on 3950, late at night. I
>noticed all the women had on riot gear and flack jackets. Oh, excuse
>me, those were the social workers from child protection wearing the
>flack jackets.

Nah,
we should bring a bit O' Cuba right home here to the states. In Cuba
the LAWS don't mean squat it's what their dictator CASTRO wants.

Lets do the SAME here, to hell with the damn US LAWS , Elian's
relatives are running the show down there by God , let them make the
rules.

>
>Jeff, just for a different perspective than the infiltrated US media,
>where everything you see and hear are controlled from TelAviv, go to
>www.virtualtuner.com and use that site to find BBC World TV News and
>ITN News on Demand. You can watch either, any time. BBC is
>controlled, partially, by MI5, but ITN is not. UK news is a different
>place to get real information in our language. The slope of it, and
>it has a slope I know, is different. I watch ITN news daily. The
>Clinton Liberals don't own the UK press.
>
>Larry W4CSC....

3249. Re: Looking for Grandfather's Call

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@nashville.com>
Message-ID: <390DB12A.3D3A5D51@nashville.com>
Source record: 112181

"Ramsay D. Seielstad" wrote:
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> I would appreciate it if anyone with an older callbook could
> help out ... his name would be H. Douglas Seielstad Sr., and
> probably would have a listing that expired in the late 70's or
> early 80's, if you happen to have a listing, could you please
> e-mail it, thank you.

Unfortunately, callbooks are just that...listing by call rather than
name.

If you've searched for even a scrap of paper that may have his call, try
the local ham club. There may still be a member who would know his
call.

Good luck

-Jon NU4JJ

3250. Morse exercises No.20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8ekcrlrfo1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 112182
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr20_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr20_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr20_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

3251. FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki5ss@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ekhjv$l2b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

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Clinton Statement on Global Positioning System Accuracy

To: National Desk
Contact: White House Press Office, 202-456-2100

WASHINGTON, May 1 /U.S. Newswire/ -- The following was released today by the White House:

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STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT REGARDING
THE UNITED STATES' DECISION TO STOP DEGRADING
GLOBAL POSITIONING SYSTEM ACCURACY
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Today, I am pleased to announce that the United States will stop the intentional degradation of the Global Positioning System (GPS) signals available to the public beginning at midnight tonight. We call this degradation feature Selective Availability (SA). This will mean that civilian users of GPS will be able to pinpoint locations up to ten times more accurately than they do now. GPS is a dual-use, satellite-based system that provides accurate location and timing data to users worldwide. My March 1996 Presidential Decision Directive included in the goals for GPS to: "encourage acceptance and integration of GPS into peaceful civil, commercial and scientific applications worldwide; and to encourage private sector investment in and use of U.S. GPS technologies and services." To meet these goals, I committed the U.S. to discontinuing the use of SA by 2006 with an annual assessment of its continued use beginning this year.

The decision to discontinue SA is the latest measure in an on-going effort to make GPS more responsive to civil and commercial users worldwide. Last year, Vice President Gore announced our plans to modernize GPS by adding two new civilian signals to enhance the civil and commercial service. This initiative is on-track and the budget further advances modernization by incorporati ng some of the new features on up to 18 additional satellites that are already awaiting launch or are in production. We will continue to provide all of these capabilities to worldwide users free of charge.

My decision to discontinue SA was based upon a recommendation by the Secretary of Defense in coordination with the Departments of State, Transportation, Commerce, the Director of Central

Intelligence, and other Executive Branch Departments and Agencies. They realized that worldwide transportation safety, scientific, and commercial interests could best be served by discontinuation of SA. Along with our commitment to enhance GPS for peaceful applications, my administration is committed to preserving fully the military utility of GPS. The decision to discontinue SA is coupled with our continuing efforts to upgrade the military utility of our systems that use GPS, and is supported by threat assessments which conclude that setting SA to zero at this time would have minimal impact on national security. Additionally, we have demonstrated the capability to selectively deny GPS signals on a regional basis when our national security is threatened. This regional approach to denying navigation services is consistent with the 1996 plan to discontinue the degradation of civil and commercial GPS service globally through the SA technique.

Originally developed by the Department of Defense as a military system, GPS has become a global utility. It benefits users around the world in many different applications, including air, road, marine, and rail navigation, telecommunications, emergency response, oil exploration, mining, and many more. Civilian users will realize a dramatic improvement in GPS accuracy with the discontinuation of SA. For example, emergency teams responding to a cry for help can now determine what side of the highway they must respond to, thereby saving precious minutes. This increase in accuracy will allow new GPS applications to emerge and continue to enhance the lives of people around the world.

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3252. Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Texas <txladyinoh@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eki6vlps1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112184

My husband wants to get into Ham Radio. (his grandfather was active in it many many years ago). I've been doing some research on it for him and have some questions I was hoping someone could help me with.

1. The ARRL website states that renewal licenses are free. I could not find anything on the cost of the first license. Does anyone know what the first license for the Novice and the Technician cost?

2. I saw several websites that said the test cost $5 to $6 and some that said the test are free. Has anyone taking any of the test recently that could tell me if you paid for them, which test you took and how much it cost?

Any help with these questions would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you,
Beckie

Please post to newsgroup or reply to above email address.

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3253. N9GOR GET OFF THE SAUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ekjk0nll1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112185

HAY PHILL GET OFF THE SAUSE THE FCC DONT LIKE YOU GETTING ON AND
QRMMING WHILE DRUNK.

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3254. KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ekjsgnph1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112186

MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR NOT SO WIDE LEAVE 3950 ALONE .

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3255. Re: recent upgrades (Approximate turnaround time)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
Message-ID: <sgrjijc7oog92@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:1b_M4.2565$Aa4.43180@news.swbell.net...
> Are all the recent upgrades making much of a difference in the amount of
> time that it takes for 'em to show up in the online license data-bases?...
> As-in any idea how long it'll take for mine to finally 'appear'? ;)

Speaking from my own experience, I passed my 5wpm and General Written exams
on March 26th and the Tech Plus Upgrade was posted on the FCC site on April
25th so it'll take about a month (or a lil' more).
Oddly, April 25th was Marconi's birthday.
'73 de Scott, KC2FBV

3256. Amateur Radio Discussion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Kost <k1hk@k1hk.org>
Message-ID: <eojrgskp9pg2mhu9a2of4kv06bfvus9j3p@4ax.com>
Source record: 112188

Amateur Radio Discussion Board - an open board for the use of the amateur radio community and for others interested in radio communications.

http://www.k1hk.org/bb.shtml

73 de Hal
K1HK

3257. Astron RS-7 Help Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gym1_2_98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <390DD38F.F83E743A@yahoo.com>
Source record: 112189

I'm wondering the 2N number of the SCR used in an Astron RS-7 power supply. I politely asked Astron and they wouldn't tell!

TNX,

gym

3258. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <390DDB6C.5CCCB930@shecora.com>
Source record: 112190

Greetings,

I have read all the responses, but I think they all miss the the
mark on learning code.

The question you must ask yourself is do I want to learn code to
pass the 5 WPM test or do I want to use it.

Either way I think the way to go is the Koch Method.

Check out http://www.qis.net/~k3pzn/links4.htm

They talk about using SuperMorse, I like MorseCat beta version.
The release version of MorseCat mustn't be used. It will only
do Farnsworth at 12 WPM. Not helpful! The beta version it is
setable to 18 WPM like it should be.

Good luck!

unknown wrote:
>
> It was 1965 that I decided that, someday, I'd get my ham license.
> That was after visiting the shack of a now-silent key, W2IPR
> Thirty-five years later, in February 2000, I obtained my no-code
> Technician license.
> I've had my no-code tech license only 2 months. On Monday,
> I'm taking the written test for both General and Extra. I expect
> to pass the exams with a score of 85 or better.
>
> Unfortunately, after I pass the exams, I'll still be a Technician,
> since I don't know the code.
>
> What's the best way to learn the code?

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON/AE
x929

3259. Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg4fet@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000501153041.26669.00000861@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 112191

Testing here in this district (NE FLORIDA) is $6.85. This is regardless of what test you take and how many you take at once. He will need to renew every 10 years(12 with the grace period) and that is free. I can't imagine it being much more expensive then that as the VEC can only charge for admin fees and supplies. Check with your local ham clubs to see who offers the testing and see if they offer classes as well this is a great way to get started and meet other prospective hams.
Good Luck and 73
Sandor KG4FET

3260. Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <390DDC05.41C67EA6@my-deja.com>
Source record: 112192

Texas wrote:
>
> My husband wants to get into Ham Radio. (his grandfather was active in
> it many many years ago). I've been doing some research on it for him
> and have some questions I was hoping someone could help me with.
>
> 1. The ARRL website states that renewal licenses are free. I could not
> find anything on the cost of the first license. Does anyone know what
> the first license for the Novice and the Technician cost?
>
> 2. I saw several websites that said the test cost $5 to $6 and some
> that said the test are free. Has anyone taking any of the test
> recently that could tell me if you paid for them, which test you
> took and how much it cost?
>
> Any help with these questions would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thank you,
> Beckie
>

The license is in fact free, however, the license tests are
administered by Volunteer Examiners (VE) that are usually
coordinated by a local club. The clubs usually charge a small
amount to cover their administration. The last session I was
at, in July 1999, charged $6.45.

For that $6.45 you can take as many tests as you want, in one
sitting. I have personally taken 3 tests at one sitting, but
most people take them one at at time. It will then cost you
$6.45 each time you go back. No refunds if you don't pass.
This figure may vary slightly between different testing sessions.

The entry level test is currently, as of April 15,2000, the
Technician License. There use to be a Novice license but
the FCC restructured the license setup and now there is only
Technician, General, and Extra. Prior classes of licenses,
Novice and Advanced, still have privileges acording to that
license.

The 13 and 20 WPM Morse Code tests have also been eliminated.
Only the 5 WPM test is required. The ARRL web site should have
all the details on the license re-structuring.

You should also be able to use the ARRL web site to search
for a VE session near you. Usually they are given the first

Saturday of every month.

NOTE: Once your husband gets his license, he may be able to
get his Grandfather's old call letters. Check out the Vanity
Call Sign section at the ARRL web site. The fee for a Vanity
Call Sign is $14.00.

Martin

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responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

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3261. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ekpjvulf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <8ekhjv$l2b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
ki5ss@my-deja.com wrote:

> Clinton Statement on Global Positioning System Accuracy
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> today by the White House:
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> the intentional degradation of the Global Positioning System (GPS)
> signals available to the public beginning at midnight tonight.

Okay, you Clinton haters, start spinning.

LRod

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3262. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <EB31B81215E99474.65A1EB396F022007.C3EBBF1A8B0C55C3@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112194

On Mon, 1 May 2000 11:02:42 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

>Larry, W4CSC,
>
>Wow, we like to think we occupy the moral high ground. But you've
>effectively blasted that away on that particular paragraph, ha, ha.
>Well done.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>
Just a flashback to Monica, Bob. We've had a whole line of liars since Abe Lincoln. He wasn't any alter boy, either! Ask anyone in Charleston!

Larry...Who? Us? Start a war?? You must be mistaken!
April 12th, 0530 or so....Citadel Cadets on Ft Moultrie....It's just a little cannon ball, you know....

3263. Re: N9GOR GET OFF THE SAUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Check the Tape <lastprodu2@attnet.net>
Message-ID: <lLIP4.13413$x4.487834@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112195

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8ekjk0nll1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> HAY PHILL GET OFF THE SAUSE THE FCC DONT LIKE YOU GETTING ON AND
> QRMMING WHILE DRUNK.

No, but the rest of us were
rolling on the floor laughing our respective
asses off at the antics of this dumbass coon.

I think it's a *safe bet* to say that Phil has
now become the Official Replacement for the
infamous K6KPS. Eh?

3264. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Klein <ronklein@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <mmsrgsgtmbojg6tfn6lakmnccmq99e6ln0@4ax.com>
Source record: 112196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Ok - I'll start "spinning"....

His Chinese buddies need more navigation accuracy to hit Taiwan with
projectiles, and he hasn't found any American corporate execs willing
to transfer more technology for him, eh?

Sorry.... but, this is a national security issue that should not be
allowed to be implemented

Ron - W0OSK

On Mon, 01 May 2000 20:31:59 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

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> ki5ss@my-deja.com wrote:
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>LRod
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Ron Klein
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ronklein@ix.netcom.com

3265. Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8ekrl0$cds@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 112197

I'm just starting to get into the HF bands after many years of VHF and above. I am currently a tech+ and will upgrade soon to General. I am have a hard time finding an online source that makes it clear which classes can operate on which frequencies in which modes! Part 97 hase one chart for Frequencies by class, then another chart for Modes by frequency, and then I have to go look at the ARRL band plan to see how it differs from the Mode chart in Part 97! Isn't there an easy chart that just shows it all in one place? I'm ITU Region 2.

Thanks fro your help.

Brett - N7OLQ

3266. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <390df6ec.360052@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112198

On Mon, 1 May 2000 15:09:19 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
<brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:

>I'm just starting to get into the HF bands after many years of VHF and
>above. I am currently a tech+ and will upgrade soon to General. I am have
>a hard time finding an online source that makes it clear which classes can
>operate on which frequencies in which modes! Part 97 hase one chart for
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>have to go look at the ARRL band plan to see how it differs from the Mode
>chart in Part 97! Isn't there an easy chart that just shows it all in one
>place? I'm ITU Region 2.
>
>Thanks fro your help.
>
>Brett - N7OLQ
>
Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?

3267. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <390ef722.414848@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112199

On Mon, 01 May 2000 18:54:17 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

>MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
>TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR NOT SO WIDE LEAVE 3950
>ALONE .
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

You're such an illiterate asshole, Mike.

3268. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8ektvc$f4i@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 112200

What are "welfare hams"?

<John> wrote in message news:390df6ec.360052@news.mindspring.com...
> On Mon, 1 May 2000 15:09:19 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
> <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:
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3269. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <390DFD7B.80E297F6@Telocity.com>
Source record: 112201

Brett...

Some old f*rts are still bent out of shape that everyone doesn't have to be able to send and receive CW at a gazillion WPM to be able to enjoy HF.

The link below will take to to an ARRL page that will give you the option of a PDF or GIF chart that should answer your questions.

http://www.arrl.org/field/regulations/bands.html

Illigitimus carborundum est.

-Jon NU4JJ

3270. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <A2D3DE405B5091DF.82ADEF2CFFD7FD68.5CE590402E5E3299@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112202

John wrote in article <390df6ec.360052@news.mindspring.com>...
> On Mon, 1 May 2000 15:09:19 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
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> >Brett - N7OLQ
> >
> Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?
>

This person posted a nice, inquisitive message, stated the reasons why he is dissatisfied with what he's found thusfar, and all you can do is come back with such unfriendliness as this? And, in what "class" do you place yourself?

Kim W5TIT

3271. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000501180256.05634.00000665@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 112203

Start spinning? You mean to tell us that you think this is something GOOD that he is, or has done, for this country?? sheesh.

3272. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Currie <Tom.Currie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390DFFA9.A4B650AF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Ron Klein wrote:
>
> Ok - I'll start "spinning"....
>
> His Chinese buddies need more navigation accuracy to hit Taiwan with
> projectiles, and he hasn't found any American corporate execs willing
> to transfer more technology for him, eh?
>
> Sorry.... but, this is a national security issue that should not be
> allowed to be implemented

Sorry, Ron, but you're wrong.

In the first place, the Chinese happen to know where Taiwan is.

In the second place, even if they were going to rely on GPS to find a target, the SA function of our military GPS is worthless for reducing the accuracy. All they need is one station at any known point in the general vicinity and they have all they need to overcome the "inaccuracy" we have been adding to the signal.

In fact, the only people who have fought against removing SA have been the handful of companies who have been making big bucks by doing exactly that.

For the last several years we have had the Defense Department paying to operate the GPS system, and paying super premium prices for one-of-a-kind cryptographic GPS gear, and paying still more to deliberately degrade the GPS signals -- all in the supposed name of "National Security"

And at the same time, we have had the Commerce Department paying civilian firms to defeat that inaccuracy, and those same civilian firms then selling the correction signal at a tremendous profit.

But even with the big bucks these companies' lobbyists threw at Congress, eventually our elected benchwarmers figured out that it didn't make much sense for one piece of the federal government to be paying to screw up the system and another piece of the federal government to be paying to unscrew it. When all was said and done, no one could actually show any real "National Security" advantage to SA -- the only security involved was the financial security of a few companies selling Differential GPS receivers and the subscriptions to their signal service that defeated SA.

3273. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <390E037D.70957FDC@icss.net>
Source record: 112205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

LRod wrote:

> In article <8ekhjv$l2b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
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>
> LRod

Rogue terrorist nations can now put a missile in your ear (say that 3
times real fast).

3274. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390E0560.2C206EB8@bctv.com>
Source record: 112206

John wrote:
>
> On Mon, 1 May 2000 15:09:19 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
> <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:
>
> >I'm just starting to get into the HF bands after many years of VHF and
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> >Brett - N7OLQ
> >
> Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?

John (who seems to expect us to believe that his license wasn't free and
granted by the Feds) has just demonstrated the difference between
whiners and the worthwhile. Rather than providing any kind of help he
instead throws out a completely worthless comment.

Of course, if he actually KNEW anything, maybe that would be different .
. .

3275. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8el181$ipq@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 112207

Can you say "misplaced aggression"? Some people feel justified in attacking innocent people as long as it helps them make their point. These are the same people that feel the bands belong to them because they got there first.

I guess being a ham for 11 years still doesn't make me an equal in some peoples eyes. Even if I never upgrade to General, I'd still have the same question about my existing HF rights as a Tech+. I Bought an HF rig and am trying to figure out what type of antenna to build.

Thanks to those who value people more than issues.

Brett - N7OLQ

"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:A2D3DE405B5091DF.82ADEF2CFFD7FD68.5CE590402E5E3299@lp.airnews.net...
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> Kim W5TIT

3276. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390E075A.C7AF059C@bctv.com>
Source record: 112208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Ron Klein wrote:
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> projectiles, and he hasn't found any American corporate execs willing
> to transfer more technology for him, eh?
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> Sorry.... but, this is a national security issue that should not be
> allowed to be implemented
>
> Ron - W0OSK

Sorry, Ron, I have to disagree with you. Clinton will have made sure that his bosses have good GPS gear.

There is no valid security issue with "stutter removal." At the time that it was originally developed, it was not foreseen that GPS would be in such common use by surveyors and general aviation (two groups requiring the absolute best GPS fixes possible).

As far as military use, anyone with the capability to build a weapon where the GPS would be of value can easily get past the stutter (or just build a weapon which won't notice the difference between this spot right here and that spot 16 meters over there).

3277. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8el36i$9h7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <390DFFA9.A4B650AF@worldnet.att.net>,
Tom.Currie@att.net wrote:
>
> And at the same time, we have had the Commerce Department paying
> civilian firms to defeat that inaccuracy, and those same civilian
> firms then selling the correction signal at a tremendous profit.

Not just Commerce; the DOT's FAA has spent elephant bucks setting up a correction system so that GPS based instrument approaches can perform at greater precision. When I first heard the briefing on that my thought was, "what's the other hand doing?"

By the way, GPS approaches are not trivial toys for general aviation; the number of approaches being developed has absolutely mushroomed since receive systems started getting affordable. It is so popular (and effective) that it killed the microwave landing system (MLS) that had been in develepment for nearly 20 years, and was acutally installed at MDW for a short time. Phffft. Gone.

LRod

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3278. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8el3fq$a22$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112210
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <390E037D.70957FDC@icss.net>,
burke1@icss.net, demonstrating his ignorance of GPS wrote:

> Rogue terrorist nations can now put a missile in your ear...

Where before it might have only gotten as close as 30 ft away, the
result being exactly the same.

Of course, if you'd read the release, you'd know that they can degrade
the signal again at any time (as well as regionally), thus assuring the
direct safety of your ear, but still not its ultimate survival.

LRod

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3279. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8el3jf$a2t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112211

In article <390ef722.414848@news.mindspring.com>,
(John) wrote:
> On Mon, 01 May 2000 18:54:17 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> >MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
> >TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR NOT SO WIDE LEAVE 3950
> >ALONE .
> >
> >
> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> >Before you buy.
>
> You're such an illiterate asshole, Mike.
GO SUCK YOUR WIFES MOLDE GREEN PUSSY AND FUCK OFF!!!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3280. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8el4q2bce1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112212

In article <8el181$ipq@news.or.intel.com>,
"Brett - N7OLQ" <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:
> Can you say "misplaced aggression"? Some people feel justified in
attacking
> innocent people as long as it helps them make their point. These are
the
> same people that feel the bands belong to them because they got there
first.

You are being too nice to these guys. You have to FLAME them right
back. They are like vicious old attack dogs that have lost there
teeth - all they can do is try to gum you to death!

> I guess being a ham for 11 years still doesn't make me an equal in
some
> peoples eyes. Even if I never upgrade to General, I'd still have the
same
> question about my existing HF rights as a Tech+. I Bought an HF rig
and am
> trying to figure out what type of antenna to build.

Good luck with your HF rig.

> Brett - N7OLQ

Stewart - N0MHS

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3281. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerWilco <>
Message-ID: <0m4sgs8307a5siehs1ahjsjsolbqeli450@4ax.com>
Source record: 112213

On 1 May 2000 21:57:44 GMT, "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:

>> Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?
>>
>
>This person posted a nice, inquisitive message, stated the reasons why he is
>dissatisfied with what he's found thusfar, and all you can do is come back with
>such unfriendliness as this? And, in what "class" do you place yourself?
>
>Kim W5TIT

This from a female ham with TIT in her call. What self respecting
female hame would keep a call such as that?

3282. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8el5jj$c45$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112214

In article <0m4sgs8307a5siehs1ahjsjsolbqeli450@4ax.com>,
RogerWilco <> wrote:
> This from a female ham with TIT in her call. What self respecting
> female hame would keep a call such as that?

A female "hame". Looks like a Freudian slip for "dame".

Anyway, why are you trying to change the subject? Was she getting too
close the the truth?

Stewart - N0MHS

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3283. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Klein <ronklein@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <kf8sgs8geavddgackl0dsnq3rfs5hialgu@4ax.com>
Source record: 112215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

On Mon, 01 May 2000 23:20:42 GMT, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <390E037D.70957FDC@icss.net>,
> burke1@icss.net, demonstrating his ignorance of GPS wrote:
>
>> Rogue terrorist nations can now put a missile in your ear...
>
>Where before it might have only gotten as close as 30 ft away, the
>result being exactly the same.
>
>Of course, if you'd read the release, you'd know that they can degrade
>the signal again at any time (as well as regionally), thus assuring the
>direct safety of your ear, but still not its ultimate survival.
>
>LRod
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

Maybe the first "ear" hit will be Clinton's..... and maybe it won't
be his "ear".
Ron Klein
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ronklein@ix.netcom.com

3284. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <390E24CB.4B75DC7E@icss.net>
Source record: 112216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

LRod wrote:

> In article <390E037D.70957FDC@icss.net>,
> burke1@icss.net, demonstrating his ignorance of GPS wrote:
>
> > Rogue terrorist nations can now put a missile in your ear...
>
> Where before it might have only gotten as close as 30 ft away, the
> result being exactly the same.
>
> Of course, if you'd read the release, you'd know that they can degrade
> the signal again at any time (as well as regionally), thus assuring the
> direct safety of your ear, but still not its ultimate survival.
>
> LRod

Hardened targets require precise hits. Thirty feet away probably isn't close enough. Can we assume that whats inside your head is a hardened target? ;^)

Hey, I removed -packet from the address.

3285. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <390E2608.B63F273A@icss.net>
Source record: 112217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Ron Klein wrote:

> On Mon, 01 May 2000 23:20:42 GMT, LRodHubbard <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >In article <390E037D.70957FDC@icss.net>,
> > burke1@icss.net wrote:
> >
> >> Rogue terrorist nations can now put a missile in your ear...
> >
> >Where before it might have only gotten as close as 30 ft away, the
> >result being exactly the same.
> >
> >Of course, if you'd read the release, you'd know that they can degrade
> >the signal again at any time (as well as regionally), thus assuring the
> >direct safety of your ear, but still not its ultimate survival.
> >
> >LRod
> >
> >
> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> >Before you buy.
>
> Maybe the first "ear" hit will be Clinton's..... and maybe it won't
> be his "ear".
> Ron Klein
> -----------------
> ronklein@ix.netcom.com

A GPS strapped to a rocket propelled CIGAR?

3286. Re: recent upgrades (Approximate turnaround time)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Smith <JDSmith8@Rest.Net>
Message-ID: <390E27EE.8053A1AA@Rest.Net>
Source record: 112218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Scott Verity wrote:
>
> BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> news:1b_M4.2565$Aa4.43180@news.swbell.net...
> > Are all the recent upgrades making much of a difference in the amount of
> > time that it takes for 'em to show up in the online license data-bases?...
> > As-in any idea how long it'll take for mine to finally 'appear'? ;)
>
> Speaking from my own experience, I passed my 5wpm and General Written exams
> on March 26th and the Tech Plus Upgrade was posted on the FCC site on April
> 25th so it'll take about a month (or a lil' more).
> Oddly, April 25th was Marconi's birthday.
> '73 de Scott, KC2FBV

I up-graded from advanced to extra on the 15th.of April and it was
posted at the FCC site on the 20th. So I would say it all depends on how
soon the VEC sends in the paper work....

3287. FA Mint Drake FS-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <RKpP4.496$l41.50436@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112219
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Available on e-Bay

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322606962

3288. FA Drake 2-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <1OpP4.498$l41.50409@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112220
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322616436
Mint No corrosion

3289. FA Collins 75S-1 (WE) mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <oPpP4.499$l41.50431@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112221
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322621198

Like new

3290. FA PCR-1000 UNBLOCKED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <XQpP4.500$l41.50442@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112222
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322626386

Unused and new

3291. FA Collins 51J-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <%RpP4.501$l41.50409@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112223
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322643717

3292. FA Collins CP-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <eTpP4.502$l41.50367@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112224
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322647360

3293. FA Drake AC-4 Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn <hood@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <oUpP4.503$l41.50106@news.intnet.net>
Source record: 112225
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=322650255

3294. KV4FZ: When the Feds Fanned Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1823-390E30B2-67@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112226

It was before Hurricane Andrew, 1992. I had been invited to St. Croix, all expenses paid. From the airport, we twisted some twenty minutes through the old island, turning up a dirt road where we bounced slowly to the top of a hill and stopped. Herb, Monika Shoenbohm and I got out of the car.

The scene was breath-taking: standing atop a one hundred foot cliff, the shimmering Caribbean, turquoise in color, danced gently as far as the eye could see, etched by a receding sun that highlighted St. Croix's tropical allure. Close by was a seventy foot tower crowned by monobanders, an unmistakable clue that a zealous ham lived nearby. This had to be the best ham location in the world!

Next day, a world away, we entered the island's, old federal Courthouse. (A new one has since been built.) I was told to sit outside the courtroom in an old veranda appointed with rickety chairs. During my few days wait there, characterized by dodging real time pigeon droppings in soaring temperatures, I would see a panorama of intrigue unfolding.

Like musical chairs, witnesses came and went. Except for some amiable FCC guys, people showed their animus against Herb as they buzzed secretively. An aura of importance underscored this scene, one I could never have imagined if I weren't seeing it with my own eyes.

The grapevine soon told that I was there to assist Herb, and the human dynamic changed from a modicum of warmth to ice cold. Some would not sit next to me or within ear shot. Education about federal prosecution was just beginning.

At lunchtime the Court took recess. Herb and Monika invited me for lunch a few blocks away. As we strolled, taking care to step up and down the curb stones of zany sizes, we were followed by several of the trial people. We arrived at the restaurant, quaintly decorated with smart woodwork. Sipping my drink, I surveyed the lunch crowd with the natural curiosity of a tourist. That's when I noticed the same people from the trial sitting nearby.

Herb pointed out the prosecutor. Others remained nameless during the entire ordeal, but I would see them everywhere. And whenever I used the telephone back at Herb's house, I heard suspicious clicks.

Some one million dollars was poured into this prosecution. The Secret Service and FBI, which had interviewed dozens of witnesses on the island and in the States, were there in force. It didn't take a genius to determine, they were scrutinizing our every move.

Herb, strong minded, outspoken and, at times, using very bad judgement, had made many enemies. As one of the Republican party faithful, he had exposed corruption and wrongdoing, impacting the careers of many, including the Governor. He had also rankled many hams.

I first met Herb in the mid-eighties at Miami International Airport. Seeking something meaningful in my ham life, I was there to interview him about the telephone, toll, bypass feud polarizing the ham community. Herb had taken a stand against the Intercon Net for allegedly misusing amateur phone patching. He often pointed out that the Jim Jones' group had used Intercon for some of their business. Herb was just the kind of subject I needed: hot news for information bulletins and print journalism.

Only the future would tell how hot the story would become. As Mr. Law and Order, Herb had raised the bar of justice for himself and created a coterie out to get him.

When Caribbean Long Lines Services started operating on St. Croix, Herb mailed a one hundred dollar check as enrollment fee. That check, which the prosecution tried to cover up, was never cashed. Meanwhile, the irrepressible Herb was fascinated by new telephone technology. His mind danced with protocols, frequencies, coverage, and entry codes.

He began hacking to learn how secure the system was, astonished to find that one out of three numbers went through. This new company, Calls, had virtually no security. Wrapped up with his discovery, he discussed it openly, including on ham radio.

That's when his enemies joined forces. Among one another they cited the thousands of letters written to the FCC and others as evidence that Herb must be doing something wrong that needed to be stopped. His open talk about Calls' security was ideal corroboration. At the same time, new legislation was being enacted to thwart credit card crime and funded to go after exemplary cases. Herb was in the crosshairs: The million dollars was spent on building this one case against him.

But in order to return a conviction, the government had to prove more than $1000 telephone fraud. No such crime, in fact, existed, so they fabricated a printout with phoney charges that rose slightly above the minimum. The fact, the alleged recipients didn't know Herb and hadn't talked with him didn't matter.

The prosecution, with the cooperation of the investigators, invented real people out of thin air who in reality denied taking with Herb. Their expert testified to the authenticity of the list, and the Secret Service testified that they had interviewed every recipient of every call. With exculpatory evidence hidden, here was the trial's prelude: Pointing his finger at Herb, the prosecutor warmed up to the jury by telling them that here was a kingpin of crime. Seemed an open and shut case.

Only after the trial was Herb able to research calls on the surprise printout. One was a Franklin Gell of Miami,Florida. I looked up Mr.

Gell in his Little Havana home. Warmly welcoming me into his home, he offered me a cup of Cuban coffee. We sat at the kitchen table where I produced the printout. Yes, we were looking at his Miami telephone number, but he said he didn't know any Herb Schoenbohm.

I asked him if he could document his telephone calls. Returning from a closet with an old leather binder, he searched his records. Although he hadn't ever talked with Herb, he was in contact at the time with a colleague on St. Thomas.

Here was a bold faced deception involving many on the prosecutorial team: random calls having nothing to do with him had been arbitrarily connected to Herb. The Judge reversed two counts of his conviction. One count remains to the time of this writing: "possession of a counterfeit access device with intent to defraud."

And what is the device? Numbers in Herb's head. Not one number or any precise number but some number. Talk about Constitutional rights but don't put Herb under that umbrella, because those rights can be snatched in a heartbeat by those in control.

Like him or hate him, Herb Schoenbohm's right against self incrimination and to due process have been violated. What's more, because the FCC, at their administrative hearing, expected Herb to be completely open while still involved in his judicial process, his position has grown worse. His ham license may not be renewed.

Overreach is understatement!

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3295. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1caf5914.e8001d1c@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 112227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

I asked a fellow ham that had a qso with mir back in 97. He said
that made the qso with only 50 watts. I asked him via e-mail if
I used 200 watts would it be good. He told me that 200 watts
would be overkill. If I used 200 watts would the cosmonauts tell
me to turn down my power? I was wanting to find out if 200 watts
would really be too much or would it just give me a better
chance at the qso before I purchased the 200 watt amp. Thanks
for your time and help. Thanks, Sam
alphacentauri@i-plus.net

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3296. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8elfgf$tv6$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112228

12BY7G <nboneafon4@juno.com> wrote in message
news:J%pP4.14853$x4.514682@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> Welfare Hams are assholes like "John" - who's wife spends days
> at the bus stop trollin for black-ass coons while he sits around
> the house in his underwear, all 350 pounds of the sack-o-shit
> whilst purveying B&D or S&M web sites. How disgusting!

1) You're not helping.
2) And your newsreader is broked. ($1)
3) You used the word "whilst" in the above paragraph. That's just too
unspeakably weird...

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It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/

3297. Re: Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390E3A96.44C745D4@oio.net>
Source record: 112229

symbiot,
By now most, if not all, of the Extra class 1x2's, and
2x1's are probably already issued. So, that leaves the 2x2
calls, AA#xx through AZ#xx call signs. You may 'find' one
of the 1x2/2x1's still around, but don't count on it.
'Doc

3298. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael1998@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12836-390E442D-6@storefull-136.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112230

Hey Gene Shalit? What movie were you watching? I kind of liked "Frequency" in fact I'm thinking of going to see it again. Of course it's just Hollywood make-believe, that's the whole point. Somebody obviously liked the movie, it was number 3 at the box office this weekend!

KU4UV

3299. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8elm84$dd1@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 112231

Sorry, I've been on Usenet for 12 years I have learned that flame-mail is
both useless and annoying to bystanders. I believe the rest of the world
can see what drooling morons these guys are without any flames. I'd rather
they just went away than lower myself to their neanderthal mentality.

It is quite sad that this very newsgroup I've been reading for so long used
to be an incredible fountain of knowledge where I saved about 1/3 of the
daily traffic as reference material! Now it more closely resembles a
cesspool. It just goes to show that many people can't handle freedom or
power - they have no self disclipline (sadly our government has also
realized this fact and is doing their best to take it away from us).

Brett - N7OLQ

<RogerWilco> wrote in message
news:0m4sgs8307a5siehs1ahjsjsolbqeli450@4ax.com...
> On 1 May 2000 21:57:44 GMT, "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
>
> >> Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?
> >>
> >
> >This person posted a nice, inquisitive message, stated the reasons why he
is
> >dissatisfied with what he's found thusfar, and all you can do is come
back with
> >such unfriendliness as this? And, in what "class" do you place yourself?
> >
> >Kim W5TIT
>
> This from a female ham with TIT in her call. What self respecting
> female hame would keep a call such as that?

3300. Re: Elian and his Kooky Relatives PARODY PAGE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <390DD4A1.2F2B7C1@sgi.net>
Source record: 112232

NO - what is a hoot is that you people are so taken with this Elian thing. Grow up...!!!

Glad it's over. It should have never made it this far. Now, maybe the politicians can get back to doing what we pay them to do, run the United States.

Jose-A Jose-B wrote:

> Yes, you just KNEW it was comming down the Pike.
>
> Didn't you??? BAAAA HA HA HA!!!!!
>
> clickinzie here---> http://www.geocities.com/stopmiami/
>
> this page is a HOOT!

3301. Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390DEA91.9373DD38@bctv.com>
Source record: 112233

Texas wrote:
>
> My husband wants to get into Ham Radio. (his grandfather was active in
> it many many years ago). I've been doing some research on it for him and
> have some questions I was hoping someone could help me with.
>
> 1. The ARRL website states that renewal licenses are free. I could not
> find anything on the cost of the first license. Does anyone know what
> the first license for the Novice and the Technician cost?

There are no new Novice licenses being issued -- the entry level is
Technician. The license is free.

> 2. I saw several websites that said the test cost $5 to $6 and some
> that said the test are free. Has anyone taking any of the test recently
> that could tell me if you paid for them, which test you took and how
> much it cost?

This depends on the group overseeing the exam. I've never seen a free
exam session, most exams are proctored by ARRL-directed Volunteer
Examiners, and cost $6.65.

3302. Re: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <390e200b@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 112035

Someone wrote:
> > 5) Everybody leaving the theater noticing my Amateur
Radio tags
> > on my vehicle, and rushing up to meet a "RealHAM"(TM)

Unclaimed Mysteries wrote:
> ...The adulation is overwhelming. In fact, I'm on the
verge
> of getting an entourage - maybe even a posse...

Very true:
That zero with a line through it is a real chick magnet.

lumpy ab0gd

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http://www.digitalcartography.com

3303. Re: Giovannini D2T Stealth Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000501205729.23693.00000511@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 112036

http://www.qth.com/K5MDM/antennas.htm

Here is a US importer.

LW

3304. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 12BY7G <nboneafon4@juno.com>
Message-ID: <aYpP4.14845$x4.514062@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112037

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8el3jf$a2t$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <390ef722.414848@news.mindspring.com>,
> (John) wrote:
> > On Mon, 01 May 2000 18:54:17 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > >MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
> > >TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR NOT SO WIDE LEAVE 3950
> > >ALONE .
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> > >
> > >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > >Before you buy.
> >
> > You're such an illiterate asshole, Mike.
> GO SUCK YOUR WIFES MOLDE GREEN PUSSY AND FUCK OFF!!!

Right on Mike, and may I add that he can go suck off his XYL *after* she's done the trick with 3 or 4 pueto-rickans first :)

3305. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 12BY7G <nboneafon4@juno.com>
Message-ID: <s%pP4.14852$x4.515513@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112038

Welfare Hams are assholes like "John" - who's wife spends days
at the bus stop trollin for black-ass coons while he sits around
the house in his underwear, all 350 pounds of the sack-o-shit
whilst purveying B&D or S&M web sites. How disgusting!

Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote in message
news:8ektvc$f4i@news.or.intel.com...
> What are "welfare hams"?
>
> <John> wrote in message news:390df6ec.360052@news.mindspring.com...
> > On Mon, 1 May 2000 15:09:19 -0600, "Brett - N7OLQ"
> > <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:
> >
> > >I'm just starting to get into the HF bands after many years of VHF and
> > >above. I am currently a tech+ and will upgrade soon to General. I am
> have
> > >a hard time finding an online source that makes it clear which classes
> can
> > >operate on which frequencies in which modes! Part 97 hase one chart
for
> > >Frequencies by class, then another chart for Modes by frequency, and
then
> I
> > >have to go look at the ARRL band plan to see how it differs from the
Mode
> > >chart in Part 97! Isn't there an easy chart that just shows it all in
> one
> > >place? I'm ITU Region 2.
> > >
> > >Thanks fro your help.
> > >
> > >Brett - N7OLQ
> > >
> > Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?
>
>

3306. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 12BY7G <nboneafon4@juno.com>
Message-ID: <J%pP4.14853$x4.514682@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112039

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3307. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <8elb1r$65m@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 112040
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 2000 - ILLINOIS
last updated March 27, 2000

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, John Wass KA9QJX, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

MAY 2000

May 6 (Sat) - Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee RC Hamfest, Circle B Recreation Center (St. Hwy 60 and Ozaukee Cty I) Admission $4. VEC Exams 9AM-Noon. Info: AA9HR (262)377-2137 (6PM-8PM), email aa9hr@execpc.com or write O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, 1702 Holly Lane, Grafton, WI 53024

May 7 (Sun) - Sandwich, IL - DeKalb Hamfest; Sandwich Fairgrounds (intersection of Suydam and Gletty roads). 8AM - 1PM, admission - $6.00, 2 indoor buildings. No VEC testing. Talk-in on 146.730/- or 146.520. Info: W9ICU at (815)895-3219, email W9ICU@tbcnet.com.
http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm

May 13 (Sat): Manitowoc, WI - Lakeshore Hamfest, Mancorad RC. Manitowoc County Expo Center, intersection of HWYS 42-15 and I-43 on County R. Starts 8AM. VEC exams at Silver Lake College, Hwy 151 West (regestration closes at 9 AM). Admission $5. Talk-in 146.61/-. Info: Red (920)684-3733 or Fred (920)682-9264. Mancorad Radio Club, P.O. Box 204, Manitowoc, WI 54221-0204.

May 19-21 (Fri-Sun): Dayton, Ohio - Dayton Hamvention; Hara Arena. Admission $22 (advance - $16) for three days; talk-in on 146.94/- , 146.91/-. Biggest hamfest in USA. Info: call (937)276-6934 or write Hamvention, Box 964, Dayton, OH 45401-0964. Email: info@hamvention.org or see web page http://www.hamvention.org

May 20 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

May 21 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm Rd. & Manchester Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2.

May 28 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JUNE 2000

Jun 4 (Sun): Princeton - IL Starved Rock RC. Bureau County Fairgrounds. Exit 56 from I-80. Admission $7 (ouch!) at gate. Talk-in 146.955, -600, PL103.5 Hz. info: AL Erbrederis, tel. 1-815-498-9675, 262 Easy St., Somanauk IL.60552. ERB.N9PIB@juno.com. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks. E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 11 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. http://cyberconnect.com/orion/smcc.html. Info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Avenue, Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. Tel: 630-963-4922 or 708-442-4961 . Email: wa9rij@mc.net

Jun 24 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jun 25 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JULY 2000

Jul 8 (Sat): Oak Creek, WI - South Milwaukee ARC. American Legion Post 434, 9327 South Shepard Ave. Admission $5. Talk-in 146.52 MHz. Info, call (414)762-3235.

Jul 9 (Sun): Peotone, IL - Kankakee Area Radio Society, Will County Fairgrounds. I-57 to Peotone exist 327 (East). Free parking. Talk-in 146.94 MHz. http://www.w9az.com. Admission $5. Info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. Tel: 815-939-7548. Email: k9nr@juno.com

Jul 15 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jul 23 (Sun): Sugar Grove, IL - Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. Admission $5. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html Info: Maurice Schietecatte,

W9CEO, 813 Cindy Lane, Sandwich, IL 60548. Tel: 815-786-2860. Email: w9ceo@arrl.net (good, small to midsized ham-fest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 2000

Aug 12 (Sat): Quincy, IL - Western Illinois ARC. http://www.qsl.net/w9awe. Info: Jim Funk, N9JF, PO Box 3132, Quincy, IL 62305-3132. Tel: 217-336-4191 . Email: jfunk@adams.net

Aug 13 (Sun): Peotone, IL - 66th Annual Hamfesters Hamfest. Will County Fairgrounds. 45 mintues from Downtown Chicago, take I-57 to Peotone Exut 327 (East). 35 acres of free parking. 14,200 square feet of exhibits open at 8 AM. Flea market open at 6 AM to 3 PM. No additional charge for flea market space. Rain or shine -six covered pavilions for Flea Market. Tickets are $4.00 in advance with double stub, $5.00 at gate with single stub. Children under 12 free. Advance ticket sales and information: SASE and check by July 25th, Christine Mack, PO Box 2161, Oak Park, IL 60303. tel. 708-358-1786, email: christine1@mediaone.net. Talk in on 146.52 simplex and 146.64-(107.2) Stars Repeater

Aug 19 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Bel-videre Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Aug 27 (Sun): Danville, IL - Vermilion County ARA. Info: Gary Denison, KA9SKS, 14704 East 2750 North Road, Danville, IL 61834-5610. Tel: 217-759-7389 . Email: gdenison@danville.net

Aug 27 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

SEPTEMBER 2000

Sep 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Bel-videre Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Sep 16 & 17 (Sat & Sun): Peoria, IL - Peoria Area ARC. Info: Ron Morgan, KB9NW, or John Coker, N9FAM, both c/o: PO Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel: (309)692-3378. Email kb9nw@juno.com or n9fam@juno.com. http://www.peoriasuperfest.com

Sep 23 & 24 (Sat & Sun): Grayslake, IL - Chicago FM Club Radio Expo. Lake County Fairgrounds.

http://www.chicagofmclub.org. Admission $8, good both days. Info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Avenue, Norridge, IL 60706. Tel: 708-457-0966, Email: mbrost@cin.net (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

Sep 24 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

OCTOBER 2000

Oct 14 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Oct 22 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

NOVEMBER 2000

Nov 5 (Sun): Davenport, IA - Davenport Radio Club. Iowa National Guard Hanger, Mt. Joy Airport. Talk-in 146.88 MHz repeater. http://www.gwltd.com/hamfest

Nov 18 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Nov 18, 19 (Sat, Sun): Ft. Wayne, IN Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo. Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society. 2000 Indiana ARRL State Convention. Allen County War Memorial Coliseum Exposition Center. Hours 9 AM - 4 PM EST Sat, 9 AM - 3 PM EST Sun. Admission $5 plus $2 parking. http://www.acarts.com

Nov 26 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

DECEMBER 2000

Dec 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5

admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are held by Micro Media, Inc. Shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (708)974-3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies, games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors, diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables, expansion boards, services, etc. Lake County Fairgrounds, Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet. For a show map, exhibitor info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at http://www.ccxpo.com.

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http://www.megsinet.com/~parnass

3308. Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas C. Sefranek" <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <390E270D.33194329@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 112041

KG4FET wrote:

> Testing here in this district (NE FLORIDA) is $6.85.

I think you mean $6.65.

> This is regardless of
> what test you take and how many you take at once. He will need to renew every
> 10 years(12 with the grace period) and that is free. I can't imagine it being
> much more expensive then that as the VEC can only charge for admin fees and
> supplies. Check with your local ham clubs to see who offers the testing and
> see if they offer classes as well this is a great way to get started and meet
> other prospective hams.
> Good Luck and 73
> Sandor KG4FET

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*
| __O Thomas C. Sefranek tcs@cmcorp.com
|_-\<,_ Amateur Radio Operator: WA1RHP
(*)/ (*) Bicycle mobile on 145.41, 448.625 MHz

http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html
http://www.harvardrepeater.org

3309. Re: recent upgrades (Approximate turnaround time)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <ryqP4.18022$55.142241@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 112042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The VEC no longer "sends in the paper work". Any more, anything a VEC sends
in
is electronically uploaded & no paperwork is sent.

"Jerry Smith" <JDSmith8@Rest.Net> wrote
> I up-graded from advanced to extra on the 15th.of April and it was
> posted at the FCC site on the 20th. So I would say it all depends on how
> soon the VEC sends in the paper work....

3310. Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: symbiot@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8eldkokrj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112043

Greetings:

I'm confused as to what formats are acceptable when applying for extra class vanity calls.

I've read the blurb on the ARRL website, but I'm still alittle confused.

I was told that extra class calls are now all 2x2. Is this correct?

Is "A<number><letter><letter>" valid? Is "A<letter><number><letter>" valid? How about "A<letter><number><letter><letter>"?

Thanks for your help!

--
"Wife who put husband in doghouse, soon find him in cathouse."
-- Wisdom of the Tao

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Before you buy.

3311. Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: TomR@astro.net
Message-ID: <390e3736.35196414@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 112044

On Mon, 01 May 2000 18:25:56 GMT, Texas <txladyinoh@my-deja.com>
wrote:

>My husband wants to get into Ham Radio. (his grandfather was active in
>it many many years ago). I've been doing some research on it for him and
>have some questions I was hoping someone could help me with.
>
>1. The ARRL website states that renewal licenses are free. I could not
>find anything on the cost of the first license. Does anyone know what
>the first license for the Novice and the Technician cost?

The test cost depends on the test team. My last test cost $6.65
which I believe is the highest they are supposed to charge currently.

There is no more Novice class licenses, Technician class is the
"beginners" license now. Then General and then Extra. The Tech test
requires no code test.

Tom - KB2SMS

>Any help with these questions would be greatly appreciated.
>
>Thank you,
>Beckie

3312. Re: See Jeff Herman's Post of 5/1 on KV4FZ thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8elel9$4gc$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112045

Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> And there are witnesses from the scene, including those present
>during the 'snatch' who are claiming that what was reported by the
>Post just isn't true.

How would those present know that no one had a concealed weapons
permit?

Either the house behind the Gonzalez home was "neutralized" first
(due to cadre of some 15 "soldiers" with criminal histories) or it
wasn't. Which is it? TV video certainly shows that neighbor's home
being "neutralized."

Either there were those in the crowd who claimed that they would
die preventing the child from being taken or no such words were
ever spoken by any of them. Which is it?

Either spectators were assaulting agents with trash cans or they
weren't. Which is it?

Try to be open to both sides; weigh the reports and evidence carefully.

Jeff

3313. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000501224720.16096.00000987@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 112046

Some guys wrote:

>> >
>> > >MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
>> > >TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR NOT SO WIDE LEAVE 3950
>> > >ALONE .
>> > >
>> > >
>> > >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> > >Before you buy.
>> >
>> > You're such an illiterate asshole, Mike.
>> GO SUCK YOUR WIFES MOLDE GREEN PUSSY AND FUCK OFF!!!
>
>Right on Mike, and may I add that he can go suck off his XYL *after* she's
>done the trick with 3 or 4 pueto-rickans first :)
>
>

Are you guys some of KJI's "friendlies"?

3314. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <390e432e.19884958@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112047

On Mon, 01 May 2000 23:22:39 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

>In article <390ef722.414848@news.mindspring.com>,
> (John) wrote:
>> On Mon, 01 May 2000 18:54:17 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
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>> >MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
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>> >
>> >
>> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> >Before you buy.
>>
>> You're such an illiterate asshole, Mike.
>GO SUCK YOUR WIFES MOLDE GREEN PUSSY AND FUCK OFF!!!

If I were as dumb as you I would kill myself. I'll bet your children
are real proud of their daddy, whoever he may be.

3315. Re: Elian was snatched

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8elfqn$5pd$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112048

>Organization: Uncensored-News.com $9.95 Uncensored newsgroups

In article <hutpgsool7aoqca8re71f5n37uj68f20eu@4ax.com>,
<elian.who@cuba.com> wrote:
>1. I don't care
>2. Take this discussion ELSEWHERE!

You paid $9.95 to post that? =:o

3316. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <M4sP4.18419$55.144553@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 112049
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

So are you saying you have actually seen the HeROS group at
Dayton??

"Screw Microsoft" <mhughes@aol.com> wrote
> Are these the wierdo/nut-cases that walk around with miniature cubical
quad
> antennas or auto-ball mounted 6-foot rods on their heads..??
>
> First time I saw these loons at Dayton I knew then and there
> without any doubt that all you have to do to attract every
> screwball living in a 100 square mile radius is to hold a hamfest.

3317. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8eliok$kfd@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 112050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian (burke1@icss.net) wrote:
: LRod wrote:
: > ki5ss@my-deja.com wrote:
[snip to]

: Rogue terrorist nations can now put a missile in your ear (say that 3
: times real fast).

Assume YOU were the target - would a 1 kilo nuke do more damage 15' or 150'
from your car? =80
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

3318. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8eliv1$kfd@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 112051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian (burke1@icss.net) wrote:

: A GPS strapped to a rocket propelled CIGAR?

Only if it has the optional (silent) vibrating alarm clock feature. :0
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

3319. Re: Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8elm6btlr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112052

There are 4 groups of callsigns, A, B, C, D. An Extra can request a call from any of the groups. but they usually get either a Group A or a Group C call. We'll ignore Group C for this discussion, but many of the rules mentioned here also apply to Group C.

Group A calls are for Extras only (although you will encounter some old timers with 1x2 calls who are Advanced or even General from the old days).

It used to be that each Group was further broken down into subgroups, but I can't seem to find reference to that at the moment. In the case of Group A, the priority was 1) 1x2 (not currently being issued), 2) 2x1, and 3) 2x2 with a prefix beginning with A.

Whenever the systematic issuance of calls from a subgroup have exhausted the supply, the call is issued from the next lower Group or subgroup. For example, there aren't any domestic 2x1s being issued, so Extras would get a 2x2 (prefix Ax). When those run out (don't think any have yet), the FCC will start issuing 2x2s from Group B.

Group A calls may have the format 1x2, 2x1, or 2x2 where the first letter in the prefix is A.

Any 1x2 with the prefix K, N, or W is valid. No 1x2 call may have the prefix A.

Any 2x1 with a prefix of K, N, or W is valid except for those where the second letter in the prefix is H, P, or L (those are reserved for residents of Pacific, Carribean, and Alaska, respectively). 2x1 calls may begin with A so long as the second letter is between A and K (except H, as above).

Any 2x2 with a prefix from AA through AK (AL is valid for Alaskan residents) is valid except AH (except for Pacific residents).

Here is an important point: no callsign change will be made, regardless of upgrades, unless YOU request it. Not for upgrades, not for renewals, not for address changes, nothing. You have to do something to get a new call.

Now, when a person upgrades, AND if the person checks the form for a call sign change, the call will be issued from the pool of calls still available. In the case of Group A, that would NOT be a 1x2, and in many areas is not a 2x1, so could be a 2x2 with a prefix starting with A. I don't believe any areas have run out of 2x2 beginning with A calls yet.

However, if you request a vanity call, you may select from any available, including a 1x2 or 2x1, even if they are not being systematically issued. You could also request a call from any of the other Groups.

Just remember you can't have A2XZ, but you might be able to get K2XZ. You can't get AM6F, but you might be able to get AI6F. You can't get AZ3RF, but you might be able to get AD3RF. You also can't get a 2 letter prefix where the second letter is H, P, or L, unless you live in one of those areas.

I hope this helps clear things up.

LRod

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3320. Re: Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8elmhg$u7t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112053

In article <390E3A96.44C745D4@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> By now most, if not all, of the Extra class 1x2's,

True in some areas, but not all.

> and 2x1's are probably already issued.

Not very true, unless it's happened in the last week. 1x2s are the most popular. In any event the 9th and 0th areas haven't been hit nearly as hard as the 4th.

> So, that leaves the 2x2 calls, AA#xx through AZ#xx call signs.

Correction: the A prefixes go from AA#xx through AL#xx. No U.S. calls may start with AP#, for example (Pakistan).

Note my long post in this thread that also covers the exclusions of H, L, and P in the second letter of a 2 letter prefix.

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3321. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390e5d8c.305089640@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 30 Apr 2000 20:58:45 -0400, "Joe Schlatter"
<joe@schlatter.org> wrote:

>All of which begs the question of what the hey does sexual preference or
>lack thereof have to do with amateur radio? The question applies equally to
>the Lambda and HeROS crowds. I'd just like to be able to put up an antenna
>in my subdivision -- they can go stick their private parts wherever they
>please.

Indeed I agree but for some reason some operators and and
common posting in the NG keep trying to make an issue of BOTH my
religion, and my sexuality as if or both should disbar me form having
a Ham License
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>--
>
>
>Regards,
>Joe Schlatter
>joe@schlatter.org
>http://www.schlatter.org/
>http://www.miafacts.org/
>Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
>
>
>J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
>>No, I don't think they are "wierdos/nut cases". Probably just a bunch of
>>normal ham radio operators that believe that sticking a penis into another
>>male's rectum is offensive and starting a ham radio club and celebrating
>>that abnormality as being even more offensive. But that's just a guess.
>>
>>--
>>____
>>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>>
>>NRA Life Member
>>"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
>>guns, are we still a free people?"
>>
>>Please find out about rec.guns at:
>>http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
>>
>>Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
>>to get the Clintons

>>_____
>>
>>"Screw Microsoft" <mhughes@aol.com> wrote in message
>>news:fIVO4.9890$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>>>
>>> Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote in message
>>> news:f8HO4.11990$55.99192@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com...
>>> > Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual
>>Radio
>>> > Operators Society)???
>>> >
>>> > They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.
>>>
>>> Are these the wierdo/nut-cases that walk around with miniature cubical
>>quad
>>> antennas or auto-ball mounted 6-foot rods on their heads..??
>>>
>>> First time I saw these loons at Dayton I knew then and there
>>> without any doubt that all you have to do to attract every
>>> screwball living in a 100 square mile radius is to hold a hamfest.
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>

3322. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <390f5da2.125907044@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112055

On Mon, 01 May 2000 21:28:48 GMT, (John) wrote:

>
>>
>Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?

Well John, you are a F*cking A*sh*le.
I am tire of hearing and reading this welfare CRAP on the air and on the internet! I HOPE the FCC does the ultimate Body slam and drops the code and the extra class by 2002. I hope they also change the band plan so that there are no more CW only bands and that Phone is permitted up and down the Ham Bands. You bitter people DESERVE IT!!! I hope the FCC Reads this and listens to the 80 and 20 Meter so they can change the rules as possible.

Rick

3323. Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24601-390E5EC4-119@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112056

Jeff Herman is right. How does being there endow the witnesses with knowledge of behind the scenes machinations?

Sorry if the statement comes on too strong. I think everyone will agree that without editors we should exercise common sense before posting. Then we will stand some chance of making a meaningful contribution to the NG.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida.

3324. Herald's Silence Confirms Washington Post Story ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24602-390E5CAD-41@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112057

Unless there were a factual basis, no newspaper would publish the Washington Post account, including the National Enquirer. Every piece about a controversial subject has supporters and detractors who make every conceivable argument to weight the scales in their favor.

As long as the story is correct, the Miami Herald won't touch it. As Miami turned multi-cultural, the Herald's circulation dipped dangerously. The newspaper famous for breaking news is but a characterture of what it was.

From the north, the Fort Lauderdale Sun Sentinal has invaded its territory with an eye on replacing it. Upset about Herald coverage, the Hispanic community demanded a change in editorial policy, with the result that the newspaper took in many anti-Castro personnel.

When the Herald responded thusly to the Hispanic voice, African American readership dipped. Feeling betrayed, the now-minority black community believer its interest was forfeited. As a consequence, African-Americans migrated to the African-American, Miami Times and Fort Lauderdale Gazette. The large Jewish population has been put off by the Herald's rich Hispanic coverage while its affairs languish unreported.

The fact that the Miami Herald hasn't covered that story is ultimately controlled by one immutable fact: Carrying the story at this time in this town could be its deathknell.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3325. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8elp3a$f57$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112058

Rick <Rickhit@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>I hope they also change the band
>plan so that there are no more CW only bands and that Phone is
>permitted up and down the Ham Bands.

Hi Rick,
Do you know which bands have "CW-only" sub-bands? We'll wait 10 seconds
for you to answer...

Time's up. The only CW-only sub-bands exist up on VHF and UHF. They're
the weak-signal segments. On HF, you'll find CW users in the "Data
sub-bands" where you'll also hear FSK (RTTY) and other digital modes.
There are no CW-only sub-bands on HF. In fact, CW is the only mode
privileged to use *any* frequency on *any* band; there is no restriction
as to where CW can be used. By a gentlemen's agreement, CW operators
voluntarily remain out of the phone segments, but they don't have to.

So, you're actually calling for the end of the data sub-bands, meaning
you'll then have packet and RTTY and phone all intermixed. What a mess for
the phone ops. But it won't bother the CW users and their very narrow-
bandwidth filters.

73, Jeff KH6O

3326. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390e67b6.307692633@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112059

On Mon, 01 May 2000 23:43:02 GMT, horseshoestew@my-deja.com wrote:

>In article <8el181$ipq@news.or.intel.com>,
> "Brett - N7OLQ" <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com> wrote:
>> Can you say "misplaced aggression"? Some people feel justified in
>attacking
>> innocent people as long as it helps them make their point. These are
>the
>> same people that feel the bands belong to them because they got there
>first.
>
>You are being too nice to these guys. You have to FLAME them right
>back. They are like vicious old attack dogs that have lost there
>teeth - all they can do is try to gum you to death!

No you are wrong we don't Have to flame them right back. We
are justifed if we choose to do so, but none of us is obilged to take
the time. WE might have something better, having to flame them back
gives them TOO much power, which is often what they are seeking, so we
should supprise them from timte to time and not flame, got to keep em
on their toes

3327. Re: Go BARF yourselves!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <390e5f02.339465625@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 112060

You are right on the money regarding phone patches. Of course they are legal. Would sure as hell shoot the crap out of MARS patches wouldn't it? However, what the heck is that first part of the first line all about? Why should anybody have any "qualms"? They didn't make the rules. They aren't "evading" anything. It is not as if there is a choice of taking a higher code test. If somebody says something stupid (including me) fine...correct them. If you disagree with restructuring then fight IT, not the hams. Its time to stop blaming the individual hams. I'm not sure what many of the people on this group want. They think nobody should upgrade now because things have changed? It might show some opinions, but wouldn't that pretty much gaurantee the end of amateur radio?

Howard N3TNW

On Thu, 27 Apr 2000 07:31:30 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>If present day hams have no qualms in calling themselves Extras by having >evaded the proper protocol and testing to qualify them as such, then they >should have no gripe against any ham wanting to legally avoid paying a >telephone charge. The whole thing with the "illegality" of phone patching >was concocted anyway by the phone related felon, KV4FZ from the Virgin >Islands, who simply wanted all parties concerned to think it impossible that >a fellow like he, so concerned with telephone patching "illegalities" on ham >radio, could ever steal services from the Caribbean Automated Long Lines >Service in the Virgin Islands. And of course, on whom better to blame the >phone patch issue than the Jewish guys on Intercon? You anti-phone patching >nitwits, go BARF yourselves.
>AF2Y

3328. Re: OKLAHOMA FREQUENCIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lloyd Colston <kc5fm@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8emepknfc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112061

In article <390d23c8$0$19896@news.execpc.com>,
Wi_football@yahoo.com wrote:
> I'll be visiting the Tulsa / Taft Oklahoma area this June. Anyone
> have any frequencies to share? Like which are the major 2 meter and
> 440 repeaters.
> any weather frequencies? plus other scanning type freqs?

http://www.artscipub.com/repeaters/ will be your place to start for
repeater listings in Oklahoma and beyond.

146.88 is the weather channel in Tulsa. There is a 440 box. I don't
remember the frequency.

See the OK FAQ in preparation for your visit to OK. It is at
http://www.lloyd.colston.com/okfaq.htm

Let me know how more I can help.

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3329. Re: See Jeff Herman's Post of 5/1 on KV4FZ thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390EBCBC.5CF81C76@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112062

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> > And there are witnesses from the scene, including those present
> >during the 'snatch' who are claiming that what was reported by the
> >Post just isn't true.
>
> How would those present know that no one had a concealed weapons
> permit?
>
> Either the house behind the Gonzalez home was "neutralized" first
> (due to cadre of some 15 "soldiers" with criminal histories) or it
> wasn't. Which is it? TV video certainly shows that neighbor's home
> being "neutralized."
>
> Either there were those in the crowd who claimed that they would
> die preventing the child from being taken or no such words were
> ever spoken by any of them. Which is it?
>
> Either spectators were assaulting agents with trash cans or they
> weren't. Which is it?
>
> Try to be open to both sides; weigh the reports and evidence carefully.
>
> Jeff

That's exactly been my point, Jeff. There are two sides, but only one is being reported. Not only are there no dissenting reports from the mainstream press, but there has been no individual variations in interpretations of the mainstream press. That calls for suspicion in an open mind, and yet no one in the mainstream seems to find it odd that the skeptical, suspicious nature of the mainstream press is absent.

Yes, Jeff, keep and open mind. And question. Because what we're being told, isn't what the truth is.

3330. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390EBF84.65DAE7C7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112063

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> Jeff Herman is right. How does being there endow the witnesses with
> knowledge of behind the scenes machinations?
>
> Sorry if the statement comes on too strong. I think everyone will agree
> that without editors we should exercise common sense before posting.
> Then we will stand some chance of making a meaningful contribution to
> the NG.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida.

How convenient that editors should be there not only to save us from information overload, but that they should all be in lockstep with each other.

Witnesses on the scene can see things the camera, with it's narrow angle, does not. Witnesses on the scene can see 'behind the scenes.' When was the last time you saw anything as dramatic as what went down Holy Saturday, that the Press wasn't all over the neighbors getting the 'behind the scenes' perspective, with cameras in the faces of those that were there? When was the last time that you saw a dramatic event of ANY kind that a reporter didn't ask bystanders, and neighbors, people on the street, 'how do you FEEL about that?", "what did you see?","where were you when it all happened?" Where are THOSE interviews? Where are the cameras in the faces of the people in the neighboring house? Where are these intrusive, watchdog media, asking questions, digging out 'The Real Story--Film at 11'? Why are the so silent, and why are they willing to take the words of Greg Craig, attorney to one side of the dispute, as Gospel?

Being there endows witnesses on the scene to see what the camera doesn't point at. And right now, the camera isn't pointing at anything that raises the kind of questions that journalism exists to ask.

3331. Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Twaddle my minkie <remove64323@juno.com>
Message-ID: <81AP4.17546$g4.488198@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Saw "Frequency last nite.

PPFHBBLTTT!!! <---(that's how you write
the "fart noise" folks)

Forget it. Plot is stupid, no balance of
reality, sappy actors. If this movie is
supposed to promote ham radio, then we
were suckered into buying a lemon that
blows blue-smoke out the tailpipe.

Sorry, no refunds.

3332. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8emlfe$v44$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112065

In article <390e432e.19884958@news.mindspring.com>,
(John) wrote:
> On Mon, 01 May 2000 23:22:39 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> >In article <390ef722.414848@news.mindspring.com>,
> > (John) wrote:
> >> On Mon, 01 May 2000 18:54:17 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> >>
> >> >MABEY YOU CAN SOMTHING GOOD FOR HAM RADIO. YOU CAN GET ON 14310
AND
> >> >TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR NOT SO WIDE LEAVE
3950
> >> >ALONE .
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> >> >Before you buy.
> >>
> >> You're such an illiterate asshole, Mike.
> >GO SUCK YOUR WIFES MOLDE GREEN PUSSY AND FUCK OFF!!!
>
> If I were as dumb as you I would kill myself. I'll bet your children
> are real proud of their daddy, whoever he may be.
HE CALLS HIMSELF JOHN CAUSE THATS WHAT HE IS HE DONT GET NONE AT HOME.
THE BITCH WOUNT PUT OUT.

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3333. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390ED2D4.D43229EE@bctv.com>
Source record: 112066

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> Jeff Herman is right. How does being there endow the witnesses with
> knowledge of behind the scenes machinations?

Well, the house was searched just a few days prior to the raid. No weapons were found. The house was under constant surveillance between the search and the raid. No weapons were taken into the house.

The Feds defend their waving guns around on the claim that there were "rumors" of weapons in the house, yet they knew that the only weapons brought in were the machineguns they were carrying.

If that doesn't cry of "behinds the scenes machination," what would?

3334. Re: My thoughts on Restructuring, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Theresa M." <mike-n-terri@erols.com>
Message-ID: <390ED91E.50263EAE@erols.com>
Source record: 112067

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>
> >I spent 3 months working on a radio project with no help from the higher
> >class guys
>
> That was a cool dummy load you built!
>

Not quite! I purchased a used commercial rig (motorola), ordered xtals, retuned it into the ham bands(440), built and tested a 9600 baud modem, then made modifications to the radio to get it to run 9600 data, how silly for a Tech.

Mike..Ka1ifq

3335. Re: Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8emlfehbo1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Congrats. I agree 1000% and have been doing my best to warn the boys against wasting their time and money.
AF2Y,Doc

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3336. Re: Go BARF yourselves!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8emloi$gu0$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112069

Oh Howie, come on. You question "qualms?" Yesterday a guy wrote that he passsed the Extra theory but can't copy even 5 wpm of CW and that's disgraceful. And by the grace of God, if this dope ever does "master" the code and receives an Extra, he indeed will no qualms about classifying himself as the "elite." It's a sham Howie and you know it. Hams are being set up to see that awful movie" Frequency" and we were set up to buy this restructuring bullsnot engineered by the Feds and sanctified by the ARRL to which I USED to belong.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <390e5f02.339465625@news.pacbell.net>, h-watson@pacbell.net (Howard Watson) wrote:

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> Howard N3TNW
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>>nitwits, go BARF yourselves.
>>AF2Y
>

3337. Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18607-390EDDB0-12@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112070

A clarification needs to be made on the BS David Castle is spreading to new AG's on 3.950 MHz. Mr. Castle implies that he's not being allowed to check-in to the Liberty Net because they don't allow dissenting viewpoints. That's crap! Dissenting viewpoints are always allowed on the Liberty Net! And since when has the Liberty Net been some type of single mass opinion anyway?? Liberty Net members often disagree among themselves on various political matters. This situation with the boy from Cuba is a good example.

No, Mr. Castle (along with W9ART, Art Visser) are not allowed on the Liberty Net because of their CONTINUED reckless and malicious misbehavior on 3.950. The new complaint from March bears this out. It's my understanding that the fella who filed the complaint hired a lawyer because he was so fed up with Riley pussyfooting around with these two radio outlaws. And I guess he's not even a Liberty Net member!

This puts Riley between a rock and a hard place. Has he been told by Clinton supporting higher ups within the FCC to let Castle and Visser do their thing?? Or will Riley's hand now be forced through legal channels to do something about these jammers. Stay tuned...

Don B.

3338. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8empr5$48e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112071

In article <18607-390EDDB0-12@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> A clarification needs to be made on the BS David Castle is spreading
to
> new AG's on 3.950 MHz. Mr. Castle implies that he's not being allowed
> to check-in to the Liberty Net because they don't allow dissenting
> viewpoints. That's crap! Dissenting viewpoints are always allowed on
> the Liberty Net! And since when has the Liberty Net been some type of
> single mass opinion anyway?? Liberty Net members often disagree among
> themselves on various political matters. This situation with the boy
> from Cuba is a good example.
>
> No, Mr. Castle (along with W9ART, Art Visser) are not allowed on the
> Liberty Net because of their CONTINUED reckless and malicious
> misbehavior on 3.950. The new complaint from March bears this out.
> It's my understanding that the fella who filed the complaint hired a
> lawyer because he was so fed up with Riley pussyfooting around with
> these two radio outlaws. And I guess he's not even a Liberty Net
member!
>
> This puts Riley between a rock and a hard place. Has he been told by
> Clinton supporting higher ups within the FCC to let Castle and Visser
do
> their thing?? Or will Riley's hand now be forced through legal
channels
> to do something about these jammers. Stay tuned...
>
> Don B.
>
>
And now that nastly little worm begins to turn. This will get
interesting.

Riley got snookered the last time around by the "friendlies". Lets see
where his heart is NOW.

Dan/W4NTI
--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3339. Re: Mobile Power Connection 96 Chev Blazer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jmallen@altavista.net>
Message-ID: <8emov6$gl5$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lottoman <lottoman@skypoint.com> wrote in message
news:8eftbi$3057$1@shadow.skypoint.net...
> Anyone have any ideas for running a power cable from the battery to inside
> the passenger compartment on a 96' Chevy Blazer?
>
> Thanks in advance!!
>
>

If I remember correctly, the '96 Blazer was the same body style as the '89-'98 pickups. Working in a LMRS shop, I've punched and grommeted holes in the passenger side of the transmission hump (on the vertical riser) with some success (fairly quick, but you get "greased" by the undercarriage - so that's the "quick and dirty method"). On my own '91 Silverado; I didn't want to try that - wanted to keep spinning drill bits away from the 3-day old clutch slave cylinder. I found that the broadcast radio antenna coax went out through a HUGE THICK grommet just below the A/C evaporator box on the passenger side firewall. It took some time, but I managed to pull two #10 stranded lines out to the power buss next to the A/C dryer without cutting into the grommet; just "stuffed and cussed" it through with the antenna lead.

Before anybody starts yelling: 1.) Yes, stray RFI could be coupled from the new power leads onto the coax shield; if repeat IF you aren't using some kind of noise choke on the power. My thought's (and my Elmer's at the shop) was that strange noises on the stereo were preferable to erratic operation of the ABS system should go out the driver's side. 2.) That power buss is where the high-amp accessories and the alternator are connected to the battery. This almost guarantees the need for a noise filter on the radio lines; but is a much cleaner location to tie down the B+ leads. I've powered much gear from those points, 75W Micors, MASTR II - based IMTS rigs, solid state HF amps. My own gear has been powered from that point since July '91 with virtually no problems - can't say *zero trouble* - when one of the diodes gave up in my alternator, the chokes couldn't keep the ringing noise out of 6M TX with the brick on. Since it also didn't charge the battery properly, I just decided to replace the alternator. Problem solved.

Jim Allen
KC7BDP

"Empirical data derived by the author may not necessarily be duplicated by the reader. Posted mileage figures are typical, your mileage may vary. Professional driver on closed course. etc., etc."

3340. Re: Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <390EE828.897C1C94@shecora.com>
Source record: 112073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi,

People should never see movies that they are expert in. After
all it was just a movie. Sure the tech is flawed, all sci-fi
are (this one a little more than most others I have to admin).
Time plots are really flawed because things have to happen
they way they did. Otherwise there would be no reason to go back
and change them. The classic paradox.

I thought this was a fun movies as long as you keep your eyes
off the man behind the curtain. If you don't you find flaws
all over the place.

Not a great movie, but not a bad one either.

--
Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON
x929

3341. Re: FA Drake 2-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Praetorian <NOSPAMtordarroch@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <390F14E9.2D8E@yahoo.com>
Source record: 112074
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Just my own opinion .. I have decided that I don't like EBAY sales.

I would much rather come to some agreement instantly with some other post which sells an object ... and to find out immediately whether or not I will get the object. Waiting out several days to find out whether or not I win a bid does not get me the coveted object usually. To my experience, most EBAY bids wildly exceed the worth of the object. OK for the seller, I guess, and for those who simply MUST have it at any price.

3342. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <390ee838.1271675@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112075

On Tue, 02 May 2000 13:06:28 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>
>
>Robert Morris wrote:
>>
>> Jeff Herman is right. How does being there endow the witnesses with
>> knowledge of behind the scenes machinations?
>
>Well, the house was searched just a few days prior to the raid. No
>weapons were found. The house was under constant surveillance between
>the search and the raid. No weapons were taken into the house.
>
>The Feds defend their waving guns around on the claim that there were
>"rumors" of weapons in the house, yet they knew that the only weapons
>brought in were the machineguns they were carrying.

Oh yeah !

Whenever I see law enforcement personnel have to *forcibly* enter a
dwelling they're *ALWAYS* unarmed, and they do so only after a
personal visit by the Attorney General of the United States has
failed.

Despite who knows who or what outside , there's NO CHANCE someone
inside will grab a butcher knife , a baseball bat, screwdriver etc. No
sirree that just doesn't happen. (No heated emotions or anything here,
just a bunch of real *stable* friendly folks)

>If that doesn't cry of "behinds the scenes machination," what would?

Sure seems like some folks that are always spouting about their 'Right
To Bear Arms' sure get upset when law enforcement personnel protect
themselves.

3343. Re: Go BARF yourselves!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ems99$74f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112076

In article <8emloi$gu0$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Oh Howie, come on. You question "qualms?" Yesterday a guy wrote that
he
> passsed the Extra theory but can't copy even 5 wpm of CW and that's
> disgraceful. And by the grace of God, if this dope ever does "master"
the
> code and receives an Extra, he indeed will no qualms about classifying
> himself as the "elite."

You're right - This is outrageous! What person with even a modicum of brains would delude themselves that holding ANY Amateur Licence would qualify them as a member of the "Elite"? Such a person must be so insular that they have lost touch with the reality.

Mark.

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3344. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390eeb58.341392792@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 09:18:08 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>Brian wrote
>> After these new hams have
>>40 years of experience, they'll know just as much as or more than the old
>>hams with 40 years of experience.
>
>So why have a pretend test at all? Why not just give them a booklet of rules
>with the license pasted in the back cover. In 40 years they'll know just as
>much...

I don't know why? Frankly the most usefull part of the whole
procedure is the paperwork of licensure, and the act of dealing with
officaldom in getting the license. We could as I have often said
survive no test at all by the looks of things. Might not be the best
method of licenuse but might not be that much different. Indeed the
more I read the newgroup the more I question the need for anything
more than GRMS type licensing
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3345. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28184-390EEEDC-1@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112078

kw,

I only know "the facts" from the coverage I see.

The Washington Post reported a well organized strategy to stop the government from taking custody of Elian. Of this I have no doubt. Waco taught us a new regard for safe techniques to execute law and order.

No responsible executive would attempt that operation with minimal threat of force, because the situation was clearly fraught with potential violence. Besides the "three tier" plan, the crowd was on the verge of anarchy. An extraction even a few seconds slower could have resembled Waco.

The government's non-violent strategy is a show of force accompanied by the loud the barking of directions, then peaceful removal. Thank God it worked.

In this scenario, the guns needn't be stored in the house to be a threat, because the house is surrounded by the hundreds of thousands of supporters in Little Havana. No telling among those folks, who would do what to whom with what.

If history provides any lessons, I believe they had no choice in the extraction.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3346. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28182-390EE9CC-18@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112079

PeterMause,

In a dark cave, you cannot see the sun either. That doesn't mean it isn't shining.

These inside machinations could not have been detected solely by cameras and eye witnesses. Much more had to be done to unearth the "three tier" system of "protection."

Peter, to my mind you are arguing truisms that, throughout, do not support your premise. Having studied your piece, I was left with a feeling of having read glittering generalities that don't address the lengths to which the family went in flauting U.S. law. And your piece lent utterly no credibility to you position.

Nonetheless, thank you for proffering it.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3347. Re: See Jeff Herman's Post of 5/1 on KV4FZ thread

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <390fee9a.2906522@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112080

On Tue, 02 May 2000 11:32:28 GMT, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>
>> Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>> > And there are witnesses from the scene, including those present
>> >during the 'snatch' who are claiming that what was reported by the
>> >Post just isn't true.
>>
>> How would those present know that no one had a concealed weapons
>> permit?
>>
>> Either the house behind the Gonzalez home was "neutralized" first
>> (due to cadre of some 15 "soldiers" with criminal histories) or it
>> wasn't. Which is it? TV video certainly shows that neighbor's home
>> being "neutralized."
>>
>> Either there were those in the crowd who claimed that they would
>> die preventing the child from being taken or no such words were
>> ever spoken by any of them. Which is it?
>>
>> Either spectators were assaulting agents with trash cans or they
>> weren't. Which is it?
>>
>> Try to be open to both sides; weigh the reports and evidence carefully.
>>
>> Jeff
>
> That's exactly been my point, Jeff. There are two sides, but only
>one is being reported. Not only are there no dissenting reports from
>the mainstream press, but there has been no individual variations in
>interpretations of the mainstream press. That calls for suspicion in
>an open mind, and yet no one in the mainstream seems to find it odd
>that the skeptical, suspicious nature of the mainstream press is
>absent.
>
> Yes, Jeff, keep and open mind. And question. Because what we're
>being told, isn't what the truth is.

Naturally.

Nothing like this can EVER be taken at face value. This is definitely straight out of the X-Files with hidden agendas, secret agents, behind the scenes machinations and black helicopters full of *armed* UN Troops providing surveillance and backup using super-secret 'Cloaking' technology so they couldn't be seen or heard. I just happened to be wearing my Sony X-Ray glasses (to see what Marilysis looked like under those clothes ;)) when I happened to glance skyward and saw the 'Cloaked' chopper hovering there.

3348. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <390ef287.343232602@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 112081

On Tue, 2 May 2000 11:06:04 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>
>In this scenario, the guns needn't be stored in the house to be a
>threat, because the house is surrounded by the hundreds of thousands of
>supporters in Little Havana. No telling among those folks, who would do
>what to whom with what.
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them out in the Courts, rather than for the Attorney General et al to
make these decisions themselves without going though the due process
of law
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

3349. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <390ef78b.66065136@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 112082

On Tue, 02 May 2000 13:33:35 GMT, nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:

>HE CALLS HIMSELF JOHN CAUSE THATS WHAT HE IS HE DONT GET NONE AT HOME.
>THE BITCH WOUNT PUT OUT.
>
>
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I rest my case.

3350. MOTOROLA GM900 Research diagram interfacing programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc <marc.bourrely@libertysurf.fr>
Message-ID: <8emu52$ba2$4@news2.isdnet.net>
Source record: 112083

Hello,

I search for the diagram of wiring of the cord of the issuing Motorola GM900. On the http://www.batlabs.com site I didn't find the diagram of the cord with the interfacing of programming.

All information have this topic is the welcome. Thank you.

Marc 73 of F1ITO marc.bourrely@libertysurf.fr

3351. Numerical quadrature of antenna gain?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: minus148@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8en42o$gm3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112084

Hi all,
I'm working on a computer program that simulates the way that a satellite-borne passive microwave radiometer views an Earth scene. One thing that I have left to do is to include the antenna response. Currently, my program operates in "pencil-beam" mode. That is, the antenna gain pattern is a delta-function. My question is, given a more realistic gain pattern (gain as a function of angle from the boresight), what is an intelligent way to integrate over this pattern such that computational time and errors are minimized? I'm sure someone's worked on this before... My algorithm basically works by shooting rays out from the antenna, through a 3D environmental scene, to the earth's surface. I then integrate back along this path to the the top-of-the-atmosphere brightness temperature. So, I see myself sampling some angular space around the boresight and applying gain corrections to the incoming signal. I'm wondering if there's an intelligent way to sample that angular space???
Matthew
K7MTN

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3352. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8en5k2ieo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112085

In article <8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than
awful. How
> bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with
twenty
> grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any
legitimate ham
> could do.
>
> I'm talking bad, brother hamlets, really BAD! A mishmosh of a film
in which
> the viewer isn't sure of what's in the present, past or future. An
utterly
> ridiculous plot about a firefighter ham who died in a blaze in
Oct.1969 just
> when the Mets were upsetting the Orioles in the World Series but who
didn't
> die because his now grown son finds a beaten up Heathkit and QSOs
this dead
> dad to tell him he was going to die in a blaze which Quaid then
avoids by
> jumping out of the factory inferno into the Hudson or some other New
York
> river.
>
> The living son(no insult to "Brother" John" intended) is able to
QSO his
> dead father thanks to an aurora borealis which is constantly seen
lighting
> up the firmament framed against the structure of a beam. A viewer
who's not
> a ham might buy this whole stupid concept but if one has a ticket and
then
> watches how disgracefully the hobby/service is portrayed in the film,
he'll
> e-mail rholling@fcc.gov/
> It is shown to be way below that of CB; in fact, it borders on the
days when
> we tied two tin cans together by string and Marconied it from one
backyard
> to the other.
>
> Some metaphysical films are outstanding, for example "GHOST"

AND "IT'S A
> WONDERFUL LIFE." and even "Back to the Future." And I'm sure there
are
> others based on the plot of how things in the past could be changed by
> communicating with persons in it and warning how to avoid calamities
such as
> serial murders. The best part of the entire 2 hours of hell are the
> flashback kinescopes of the '69 World Series since the shoepolish on
the
> ball that hit Cleon Jones's foot is the KEY to the ridiculous ending
of the
> whole thing. And why didn't the Heathkit have no cover? And by
accentuating
> everything via two hams using no protocol whatsoever aside from
Officer
> Tooties yelling, "Car 54 Where are You?" is sheer torture.
>
> Good heavens bored viewers of this board-save your time and money. Do
> something more challenging and rewarding like taking a hot zitzbath to
> relieve your hemorrhoids.
>
> Doc, AF2Y
>
> I saw the movie and I thought it was great. What is the matter with
you. If someone said the sun rose in the east you would say it rose in
the west. Frequency is a FINE flick. Sign off Dr. Hate

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3353. ISO Icom IC-2A PTT Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Smith <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <390F0F86.BF510081@innercite.com>
Source record: 112086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Good morning. I have a Icom IC-2A that is in need of the PC mounted PTT switch that mounts on the main board. Everything works fine with the external mike but would like to get it to work without the external mike. Does anybody have an extra switch that they can send, or point me in the right direction. Will gladly cover all costs. Thanks and
73's Don KB6GQA

3354. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <39120edb.11164177@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112087

On Tue, 02 May 2000 15:24:26 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Tue, 2 May 2000 11:06:04 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
>wrote:
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>>In this scenario, the guns needn't be stored in the house to be a
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>>supporters in Little Havana. No telling among those folks, who would do
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>>extraction.
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> Frankly the US had a choice it could have Long before this
>point that I am certain would avoided all the alarm and most of the
>Noise,
>
> what was it simple Stay out the State of Florida's legal
>process,

You mean Florida is in charge of Immigration/Naturalization ? When did
that happen ? At a search engine I typed in 'INS' (Immigration and
Naturalization Service) and this page came up:

http://www.ins.usdoj.gov/graphics/index.htm

And there's an icon on there that says 'Department of Justice' but I
didn't see a damn thing about Florida ?? A bad search engine perhaps??

> and let what was clearly a case of family with problems

One that didn't involve *FOREIGN* governments or anything.

> work
>them out in the Courts, rather than for the Attorney General et al to
>make these decisions themselves without going though the due process
>of law

Hmmm, a woman from a *FOREIGN* country (Cuba) leaves there with her
son, unknown to his *father*, dies in the process of getting to this
country *illegally* (though for a good cause) The child survives, the
leader (Castro) and many people of that *FOREIGN* country (CUBA)
SCREAM for his return and this, an Internationally Televised
INTERNATIONAL EVENT, is a matter that falls under the State of

Florida's jurisdiction ? You might want to research matters just a bit more.

>>
>>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>>Miami, Florida
>>

3355. Re: Numerical quadrature of antenna gain?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8en77h$kf9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112088

n0vfp?
nd8v?
w4fqf?
kb1eve?
keith?
stew?
brian?
john?
don?

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3356. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8en5cq$ln9@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 112089

That is only partially true. As a Tech+ there are several CW only bands for me. I can do CW but not any of the other data modes. That may have been what he was referring to.

Brett - N7OLQ
http://N7OLQ.home.att.net/Radio

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message news:8elp3a$f57$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Rick <Rickhit@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >I hope they also change the band
> >plan so that there are no more CW only bands and that Phone is
> >permitted up and down the Ham Bands.
>
> Hi Rick,
> Do you know which bands have "CW-only" sub-bands? We'll wait 10 seconds
> for you to answer...
>
>
>
>
>
> Time's up. The only CW-only sub-bands exist up on VHF and UHF. They're
> the weak-signal segments. On HF, you'll find CW users in the "Data
> sub-bands" where you'll also hear FSK (RTTY) and other digital modes.
> There are no CW-only sub-bands on HF. In fact, CW is the only mode
> privileged to use *any* frequency on *any* band; there is no restriction
> as to where CW can be used. By a gentlemen's agreement, CW operators
> voluntarily remain out of the phone segments, but they don't have to.
>
> So, you're actually calling for the end of the data sub-bands, meaning
> you'll then have packet and RTTY and phone all intermixed. What a mess for
> the phone ops. But it won't bother the CW users and their very narrow-
> bandwidth filters.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

3357. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Twaddle my minkie <remove64323@juno.com>
Message-ID: <88FP4.17967$x4.595763@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112090

Donald Burkhart <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:18607-390EDDB0-12@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> A clarification needs to be made on the BS David Castle is spreading to
> new AG's on 3.950 MHz. Mr. Castle implies that he's not being allowed
> to check-in to the Liberty Net because they don't allow dissenting
> viewpoints.

Some people desperately need to get a life......

3358. Drake HF Station For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carver Washburn <clwashburn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390F1E3B.8523D5C5@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112091

Full HF station complement of operating Drake equipment for sale: T4X transmitter with two extra 500 KHz bands for MARS frequencies, AC4 power supply for T4X, R4A receiver (built in power supply) and MS-4 speaker & equipment manuals. I'll throw in extra pair of T4X final tubes and a new Heil dynamic microphone. $375. takes all plus shipping.
Name: Carver Washburn
Callsign: W2TFM
Email: clwashburn@worldnet.att.net

3359. Re: If I make 5wpm, I'll be an Extra - need advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <390F2327.1225F429@shecora.com>
Source record: 112092

Hi,

I just found a great web page that teaches Morse using the Koch Method
with a java applet. The URL is:

http://www.vmeng.com/minow/MorsePractice/MorsePractice.html

I have only played with it a little bit, but it is without a doubt the
best code teaching program that I have seen. I would learn the code
at 15+ WPM. 5 WPM is a trap and unless you want to waste your time
learning the code you should start at 15+. Then when you learn it
will stay with you. You may even find that you like the code.

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Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON/AE
x929

3360. Re: Giovannini D2T Stealth Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Tatum <miket@cybatek.fsnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8encir$d81$1@newsg3.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 112093

Hi!

Already spoken to Murray, but thanks for the info anyways!

Best regards,

MikeT ...

KK4TL <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000501205752.23693.00000512@ng-fu1.aol.com...
> Mike
>
> http://www.qth.com/K5MDM/antennas.htm
>
> Here is a US importer.
>
> LW
>

3361. Hi! Nice To Meet You!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hilal@connect4free.NET
Message-ID: <20000502184607.08C4153634@latimer.mail.easynet.net>
Source record: 112094

DON'T READ THIS EMAIL IF:

1. YOU ARE NOT INTERESTED IN MAKING US$46,650 OR MORE IN THE NEXT 90 DAYS; OR
2. YOU DON'T BELIEVE THAT IT CAN HAPPEN; OR
3. YOU ARE TRULY SATISFIED WITH WHAT YOU ARE EARNING FROM WEB-BASED REFERRAL PROGRAMS.

If you would like to make at least $46,650 in less than 90 days! Please read the enclosed program...THEN READ IT AGAIN!!!

THIS IS A LEGITIMATE, LEGAL, MONEY MAKING OPPORTUNITY. It does not require you to come into contact with people, do any hard work, and best

of all, you never have to leave the house except to get the mail. If you believe
that someday you'll get that big break that you've been waiting for, THIS IS IT! Simply follow the instructions, and your dreams will come true.

This is what you MUST do:

1. Order all 5 reports shown on the list below. You can't sell them if you
don't order them.

a. For each report, send $5.00 CASH, the NAME & NUMBER OF THE REPORT YOU

ARE ORDERING, YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS, and YOUR NAME & RETURN ADDRESS (in case of a problem) to the person whose name appears on the list next to the report. MAKE SURE YOUR RETURN ADDRESS IS ON YOUR ENVELOPE IN CASE OF ANY
MAIL PROBLEMS!

b. When you place your order, make sure you order each of the five reports. You will need all five reports so that you can save them on your computer and resell them.

c. Within a few days you will receive, via e-mail, each of the five reports. Save them on your computer so they will be accessible for you to send to the 1,000's of people who will order them from you.

2. IMPORTANT-- DO NOT alter the names of the people who are listed next to each report, or their sequence on the list, in any way other than is instructed below in steps "a" through "g" or you will lose out on the majority of your profits. Once you understand the way this works, you'll

also see how it doesn't work if you change it. Remember, this method has

been tested, and if you alter it, it will not work.

a. Look below for the listing of available reports.

b. After you've ordered the five reports, take this advertisement and REM0VE the name and address under REPORT #5. This person has made it through the cycle and is no doubt counting their $46,000! Also, change the name of the company, the address, and the REM0VE e-mail address on the top of this document to your own.

c. Move the name and address under REPORT #4 down to REPORT #5.

d. Move the name and address under REPORT #3 down to REPORT #4.

e. Move the name and address under REPORT #2 down to REPORT #3.

f. Move the name and address under REPORT #1 down to REPORT #2.

g. Insert your name/address in the REPORT #1 position.

Please make sure you copy every name and address ACCURATELY!

3. Take this entire letter, including the modified list of names, and save it to your computer. Make NO changes to the instruction portion of this letter.

Your cost to participate in this is practically nothing (surely you can afford $25). You obviously already have an Internet connection and e-mail is FREE!

To assist you with marketing your business on the internet, the 5 reports you purchase will provide you with invaluable marketing INF0RMATION which includes how to send bulk e-mails, where to find thousands of free
classified ads and much, much more.

In addition you will be provided with INF0MATION on Internet Marketing Clubs such as INTERNET MARKETING RESOURCES(IMR): This is one the premiere internet marketing clubs on the INTERNET. This club provides a forum where internet marketers from all over the world can exchange ideas and
secrets on Internet Marketing. In addition, members of this club are provided free internet marketing tools and services for the Do-Yourself-Internet-Marketer.

They will provide you with free bulk e-mail software and up to 1,000,000

fresh e-mail addresses each week. This club will provide you with hundreds of free resources which include: How to obtain free web sites, how to obtain top rankings in search engines for your web-site, how to send
bulk e-mail into AOL and Compuserve, how to market your products on newsgroups, free classified ads, electronic malls, bulletin boards, banner ads and much more.

There are two primary methods of building your downline:

METHOD #1: SENDING BULK E-MAIL

Let's say that you decide to start small, just to see how it goes, and we'll assume you and all those involved send out only 2,000 programs each. Let's also assume that the mailing receives a 0.3% response. Using

a good list the response could be much better. Also, many people will send
out hundreds of thousands of programs instead of 2,000. But continuing with
this example, you send out only 2,000 programs. With a 0.3% response, that is only 6 orders for REPORT #1. Those 6 people respond by sending out 2,000 programs each for a total of 12,000. Out of those 0.3%, 36 people
respond and order REPORT #2. Those 36 mail out 2,000 programs each for a

total of 72,000. The 0.3% response to that is 216 orders for REPORT #3. Those
216 send out 2,000 programs each for a 432,000 total. The 0.3% response to
that is 1,296 orders for REPORT #4. Those 1,296 send out 2,000 programs each for a 2,592,000 total. The 0.3% response to that is 7,776 orders for
REPORT #5.

That's 7,776 $5 bills for you, CASH!!! Your total income in this example

is $30 + $180 + $1,080+ $6,480 + $38,880 for a total of $46,650!!!

REMEMBER FRIEND, THIS IS ASSUMING 1,994 OUT OF THE 2,000 PEOPLE YOU MAIL

TO WILL DO ABSOLUTELY NOTHING AND TRASH THIS PROGRAM! DARE TO THINK FOR A MOMENT WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF EVERYONE, OR HALF SENT OUT 100,000 PROGRAMS
INSTEAD OF 2,000.

Believe me, many people will do just that, and more! By the way, your cost to participate in this is practically nothing. You obviously already have an internet connection and e-mail is FREE!!!

REPORT #2 and #5 will show you the best methods for bulk emailing, tell you where to obtain free bulk e-mail software and where to obtain e-mail

lists and show you how to send out 1,000,000 e-mails for free.

METHOD #2 - PLACING FREE ADS ON THE INTERNET

1. Advertising on the 'Net is very, very inexpensive, and there are HUNDREDS of FREE places to advertise. Let's say you decide to start small just to see how well it works. Assume your goal is to get ONLY 6 people to participate on your first level. (Placing a lot of FREE ads on the
internet will EASILY get a larger response.) Also assume that everyone else in YOUR ORGANIZATION gets ONLY 6 downline members. Follow this example to

achieve the STAGGERING results below.

1st level--your 6 members with $5 ($5 x 6).....$30
2nd level--6 members from those 6 ($5 x 36).....$180
3rd level--6 members from those 36 ($5 x 216).....$1,080
4th level--6 members from those 216 ($5 x 1,296).....$6,480
5th level-6 members from those 1,296 ($5 x 7,776)....$38,880
.....$46,650

Remember friends, this assumes that the people who participate only recruit 6 people each. Think for a moment what would happen if they got 20 people to participate! Many people will get 100's of participants! THINK ABOUT IT!

For every $5.00 you receive, all you must do is e-mail them the report they ordered. THAT'S IT! ALWAYS PROVIDE SAME-DAY SERVICE ON ALL ORDERS! This will guarantee that the e-mail THEY send out, with YOUR name and address
on it, will be prompt because they can't advertise until they receive the report!

AVAILABLE REPORTS

*** Order Each REPORT by NUMBER and NAME ***

Notes:

ALWAYS SEND $5 CASH (U.S. CURRENCY) FOR EACH REPORT
CHECKS NOT ACCEPTED
ALWAYS SEND YOUR ORDER VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL
Make sure the cash is concealed by wrapping it in at least two sheets of

paper. On one of those sheets of paper, include: (a) the number & name of the report you are ordering, (b) your e-mail address, and (c) your name & postal address.

PLACE YOUR ORDER FOR THESE REPORTS NOW:

REPORT #1 "The Insider's Guide to Advertising for Free on the Internet"

ORDER REPORT #1 FROM:

Hilal Kanafani
9 Rivercourt Rd.
Hammersmith
London
W6 9LD
United Kingdom

REPORT #2 "The Insider's Guide to Sending Bulk E-mail on the Internet"

ORDER REPORT #2 FROM:

Nick Chan
1055 Nam Yiu House

Nam Shan Estate
Kowloon
Hong Kong

REPORT #3 "The Secrets to Multilevel Marketing on the Internet"

ORDER REPORT #3 FROM:

WH Chan
Flat 16, 7/F Nam Cheong Theatre Building
223-237 Nam Cheong Street
Kowloon
Hong Kong

REPORT #4 "How to become a Millionaire utilizing the Power of Multilevel

Marketing and the Internet"

ORDER REPORT #4 FROM:

Joshua Benton
1314 W. Mossman
Springfield,Illinois
62702
USA

REPORT #5 "How to SEND 1,000,000 e-mails for FREE"

Ryan Mack
4656 Nine Oaks Circle
Bloomington,MN
55437
USA

ORDER REPORT #5 FROM:

******* TIPS FOR SUCCESS *******

* TREAT THIS AS YOUR BUSINESS! Be prompt, professional,
and follow the directions accurately.

* Send for the five reports IMMEDIATELY so you will have
them when the orders start coming in because:
When you receive a $5 order, you MUST send out the requested
product/report.

* ALWAYS PROVIDE SAME-DAY SERVICE ON THE ORDERS YOU RECEIVE.

* Be patient and persistent with this program. If you follow the
instructions exactly, your results WILL BE SUCCESSFUL!

* ABOVE ALL, HAVE FAITH IN YOURSELF AND KNOW YOU WILL SUCCEED!

******* YOUR SUCCESS GUIDELINES *******

Follow these guidelines to guarantee your success:

If you don't receive 20 orders for REPORT #1 within two weeks, continue advertising or sending e-mails until you do. Then, a couple of weeks later you should receive at least 100 orders for REPORT#2. If you don't,

continue advertising or sending e-mails until you do.

Once you have received 100 or more orders for REPORT #2, YOU CAN RELAX, because the system is already working for you, and the cash will continue to roll in!

THIS IS IMPORTANT TO REMEMBER:

Every time your name is moved down on the list, you are placed in front of a DIFFERENT report. You can KEEP TRACK of your PROGRESS by watching which report people are ordering from you. If you want to generate more income, send another batch of e-mails or continue placing ads and start the whole process again! There is no limit to the income you will generate
from this business!

Before you make your decision as to whether or not you participate in this program. Please answer one question. DO YOU WANT TO CHANGE YOUR LIFE? If the answer is yes, please look at the following facts about this
program:

1. YOU ARE SELLING A PRODUCT WHICH DOES NOT
COST ANYTHING TO PRODUCE!

2. YOU ARE SELLING A PRODUCT WHICH DOES NOT
COST ANYTHING TO SHIP!

3. YOU ARE SELLING A PRODUCT WHICH DOES NOT
COST YOU ANYTHING TO ADVERTISE!

4. YOU ARE UTILIZING THE POWER OF THE INTERNET
AND THE POWER OF MULTI-LEVEL MARKETING TO
DISTRIBUTE YOUR PRODUCT ALL OVER THE WORLD!

5. YOUR ONLY EXPENSES OTHER THAN YOUR
INITIAL $25 INVESTMENT IS YOUR TIME!

6. VIRTUALLY ALL OF THE INCOME YOU GENERATE
FROM THIS PROGRAM IS PURE PROFIT!

ORDER YOUR REPORTS TODAY AND GET STARTED ON YOUR ROAD TO FINANCIAL FREEDOM!

NOW IS THE TIME FOR YOUR TURN

DECISIVE ACTION YIELDS POWERFUL RESULTS

PLEASE NOTE: If you need help with starting a business, registering a business name, learning how income tax is handled, etc., contact your local office of the Small Business Administration (a Federal agency) 1-(800)827-5722 for free help and answers to questions. Also, the

Internal Revenue Service offers free help via telephone and free
seminars about business tax requirements. Your earnings and results are
highly
dependant on your activities and advertising. This letter constitutes no

guarantees stated nor implied. In the event that it is determined that
this letter constitutes a guarantee of any kind, that guarantee is now
void. Any
testimonials or amounts of earnings listed in this letter may be factual

or non-verifiable. If you have any question of the legality of this
letter contact the Office of Associate Director for Marketing Practices
Federal
Trade Commission Bureau of Consumer Protection in Washington DC.

Fed up with free web-based e-mail?
Get your free POP3 e-mail from http://www.HotPOP3.com/ now!
Please report spam to antispam@HotPOP3.com & abuse to abuse@HotPOP3.com.

3362. Icom IC-W32A 144/440 MHz Dual Band Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dimitri Velros <dv@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <d1HP4.34931$Xk2.128298@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 112095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tor.forsale

Icom IC-W32A 144/440 MHz Dual Band Handheld

Advanced Operations Have Never Been Easier!

"With its five big watts and a plethora of features, the IC-W32A provides just about everything you could possibly need in an H-T. Best of all, perhaps, the IC-W32A makes a serious effort to take some of the pain out of using a small, complex piece of technology" -- QST, July 1997

- Dimensions: 2.25 (W), 5.5 (H), 1.4 (D), 16 oz
- 5 Watts of power @ 13.5 V
- 200 memory channels
- 8 character alphanumeric memory channel identification, keypad entry
- Backlit display and keypad
- ICOM rugged! Meets MIL SPEC C/D/E for shock and vibration
- Handheld to handheld cloning capability or PC programming capability
- Independent band controls for tuning and volume
- VHF/UHF exchange function

More detailed IC-W32A specifications and options at
http://www.icomamerica.com/amateur/dualhand/

Asking CAN$399

Licensed Amateur Radio Operators only please!

Contact: dv@interlog.com

3363. Re: Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eng81$i0t$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112096
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hey "Daddy Wags," were we watching the same movie? You give it a fair review? I wish I had your temperament and aplomb . You're like the guy who gets dumped on and rubs it in for shampoo.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <390EE828.897C1C94@shecora.com>, Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com> wrote:

> Hi,
>
> People should never see movies that they are expert in. After
> all it was just a movie. Sure the tech is flawed, all sci-fi
> are (this one a little more than most others I have to admin).
> Time plots are really flawed because things have to happen
> they way they did. Otherwise there would be no reason to go back
> and change them. The classic paradox.
>
> I thought this was a fun movies as long as you keep your eyes
> off the man behind the curtain. If you don't you find flaws
> all over the place.
>
> Not a great movie, but not a bad one either.
>
> --
> Darryl Wagoner - WA1GON
> x929

3364. Re: ISO Icom IC-2A PTT Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <6zHP4.18346$x4.608597@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

All Electronics and places like DigiKey routinely sell those
little switches. While I don't know EXACTLY what switch is
in the IC-2A, you might be able to kludge something in.

If you do buy generic, be aware that some of those switches
DO NOT short, they just go from high resistance to moderate
resistance. This is actually ok in most matix applications.

I had to repair a radio in an old Dodge Caravan that had a
soft drink splash on it, and it took out about 5 or so of the
buttons. They aren't hard to replace, but if you can't get
exact, get one that is not as 'TALL' as the original. You can
always space it up, you can't always easily cut it down.

I'd have to actually look at my IC-3AT to see what the switch
is.

Mike

Donald Smith <desmith@innercite.com> wrote in message
news:390F0F86.BF510081@innercite.com...
> Good morning. I have a Icom IC-2A that is in need of the PC mounted
PTT
> switch that mounts on the main board. Everything works fine with the
> external mike but would like to get it to work without the external
> mike. Does anybody have an extra switch that they can send, or point
me
> in the right direction. Will gladly cover all costs. Thanks and
> 73's Don KB6GQA
>

3365. Re: Go BARF yourselves FAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8enhgctgg1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112098

Whoa there Marcus. If you want to classify ham radio licenses, the Extra is ELITE which has nothing to do with the ham himself or herself. You deny it's SUPPOSED to be nothing less than the Rolls Royce of amateur radio even though the driver might be a dingbat? If it weren't the elite ticket, then why did hams USED to study like crazy for it and murder themselves as I did to master 20 wpm? It USED to mean something noble, Mark, and you know it. Now it's the reward for INCOMPETENCE, a function of ham illiteracy. The lazy man's way out. Look at a guy like KE9RY. Tom could have sat back and gotten a WELFARE EXTRA but he refused to go the chintzy route. And I venture to guess we have a lot of Toms out there who are NOT lazy slobs, wanting everything GIVEN to them. THOSE are the guys who deserve respect EVEN IF THEY FAILED before April 15th. That's right; even if they failed! They are more of a ham than the shiftless lazy bums who purposely waited until the April handout began. What has happened to ham radio is reflected by your post which says that the Extra ticket is NOT the pinnacle of ham radio but rather a so-so piece of paper. Are you sure you want any testing at all to get a ticket? Sounds to me like you're a palms up ham...gimme..gimme..gimme and to hell with proficiency in any phase of anything.

Let's say the experts state that we are 150,000 short of qualified physicians in this nation. And so the medical schools conspire with the experts to lower their standards in order to put into the field what's needed. What would happen? We the people would be menaced. The infrastrucure of the entire medical profession would be injured because gullible but naive very ill individuals would seek out incompetents and die because of it. You see the analogy? Standards must NEVER be compromised for the sake of numbers and that's what's happened to the greatest hobby/service in the world.
AF2Y.Doc

In article <8ems99$74f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:

> In article <8emloi$gu0$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> Oh Howie, come on. You question "qualms?" Yesterday a guy wrote that
> he
>> passsed the Extra theory but can't copy even 5 wpm of CW and that's
>> disgraceful. And by the grace of God, if this dope ever does "master"
> the
>> code and receives an Extra, he indeed will no qualms about classifying
>> himself as the "elite."
>
> You're right - This is outrageous! What person with even a modicum of
> brains would delude themselves that holding ANY Amateur Licence would

> qualify them as a member of the "Elite"? Such a person must be so
> insular that they have lost touch with the reality.
>
>
> Mark.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

3366. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Cox <peacox@gloryroad.net>
Message-ID: <390F4C8F.A7171EBD@gloryroad.net>
Source record: 112099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

You don't need the amp. K4AVO

Sam wrote:

> I asked a fellow ham that had a qso with mir back in 97. He said
> that made the qso with only 50 watts. I asked him via e-mail if
> I used 200 watts would it be good. He told me that 200 watts
> would be overkill. If I used 200 watts would the cosmonauts tell
> me to turn down my power? I was wanting to find out if 200 watts
> would really be too much or would it just give me a better
> chance at the qso before I purchased the 200 watt amp. Thanks
> for your time and help. Thanks, Sam
> alphacentauri@i-plus.net
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3367. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Pr...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1437-390F4922-23@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112100

Mark Morgan,

You must realize that now you're wading into the question of jurisdiction. Though I haven't studied the legal tilting, I know that the federal government had the jurisdiction to do what it did.

There are often cases of parallel jurisdiction, called pendant jurisdiction. We just don't know how deep the duties of federal authorities were without a legal scholar. I'm certain there is a huge legal history underpinning the episode.

Bob Sherin, W5ASX
Miami, Florida

3368. See: When the Feds Fanned Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1436-390F4A29-76@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112101

Sensational, it's a fresh, untold, thought-provoking chapter in the story of the ham others love to hate. Look for the KV4FZ thread. This is promotion of that story.

3369. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <0964CE1EDB04E6A6.93940850A262C9EF.1E753C9846A4F6D2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112102

Good grief, Doc...I didn't like it either, but I wouldn't be as aggressive as
you are about not liking it. Sheesh, remind me to stay out of the way when you
are on the road. Your road rage would have to be a kagillion times worse than
a fantasy film :p

Kim W5TIT

dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote in article <8en5k2ieo1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> In article <8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than
> awful. How
> > bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with
> twenty
> > grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any
> legitimate ham
> > could do.
> >
> > I'm talking bad, brother hamlets, really BAD! A mishmosh of a film
> in which
> > the viewer isn't sure of what's in the present, past or future. An
> utterly
> > ridiculous plot about a firefighter ham who died in a blaze in
> Oct.l969 just
> > when the Mets were upsetting the Orioles in the World Series but who
> didn't
> > die because his now grown son finds a beaten up Heathkit and QSOs
> this dead
> > dad to tell him he was going to die in a blaze which Quaid then
> avoids by
> > jumping out of the factory inferno into the Hudson or some other New
> York
> > river.
> >
> > The living son(no insult to "Brother" John" intended) is able to
> QSO his
> > dead father thanks to an aurora borealis which is constantly seen
> lighting
> > up the firmament framed against the structure of a beam. A viewer
> who's not
> > a ham might buy this whole stupid concept but if one has a ticket and
> then
> > watches how disgracefully the hobby/service is portrayed in the film,
> he'll
> > e-mail rholling@fcc.gov/

> > It is shown to be way below that of CB; in fact, it borders on the
> days when
> > we tied two tin cans together by string and Marconied it from one
> backyard
> > to the other.
> >
> > Some metaphysical films are outstanding, for example "GHOST"
> AND "IT'S A
> > WONDERFUL LIFE." and even "Back to the Future." And I'm sure there
> are
> > others based on the plot of how things in the past could be changed by
> > communicating with persons in it and warning how to avoid calamities
> such as
> > serial murders. The best part of the entire 2 hours of hell are the
> > flashback kinescopes of the '69 World Series since the shoepolish on
> the
> > ball that hit Cleon Jones's foot is the KEY to the ridiculous ending
> of the
> > whole thing. And why didn't the Heathkit have no cover? And by
> accentuating
> > everything via two hams using no protocol whatsoever aside from
> Officer
> > Tooties yelling, "Car 54 Where are You?" is sheer torture.
> >
> > Good heavens bored viewers of this board-save your time and money. Do
> > something more challenging and rewarding like taking a hot zitzbath to
> > relieve your hemorrhoids.
> >
> > Doc, AF2Y
> >
> > I saw the movie and I thought it was great. What is the matter with
> you. If someone said the sun rose in the east you would say it rose in
> the west. Frequency is a FINE flick. Sign off Dr. Hate
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

3370. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: TomR@astro.net
Message-ID: <390f58dc.109357708@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 112103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Tue, 02 May 2000 17:45:51 -0400, Pat Cox <peacox@gloryroad.net>
wrote:

>You don't need the amp. K4AVO

I agree. No amp is needed, my first year I got into the packet
station with a meager 5w through an HT whip but got a mobile rig and
ringo ranger after that. 50W is PLENTY even though some guys use much
more. If you use a beam 5-10w would probably do you just fine.

73,
Tom - KB2SMS

>Sam wrote:
>
>> I asked a fellow ham that had a qso with mir back in 97. He said
>> that made the qso with only 50 watts. I asked him via e-mail if
>> I used 200 watts would it be good. He told me that 200 watts
>> would be overkill. If I used 200 watts would the cosmonauts tell
>> me to turn down my power? I was wanting to find out if 200 watts
>> would really be too much or would it just give me a better
>> chance at the qso before I purchased the 200 watt amp. Thanks
>> for your time and help. Thanks, Sam
>> alphacentauri@i-plus.net
>>
>> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
>> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

3371. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <DC9C23E232E306E4.F455E72933CBCE00.4A36B47A93574024@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112104

horseshoestew@my-deja.com wrote in article <8el5jj$c45$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> In article <0m4sgs8307a5siehs1ahjsjsolbqeli450@4ax.com>,
> RogerWilco <> wrote:
> > This from a female ham with TIT in her call. What self respecting
> > female hame would keep a call such as that?
>
> A female "hame". Looks like a Freudian slip for "dame".
>
> Anyway, why are you trying to change the subject? Was she getting too
> close the the truth?
>
> Stewart - N0MHS
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

When I leave 'em speechless, Stew, the only thing that's left to attack *is*
the callsign! I think it's hilarious...LOL

Kim W5TIT

3372. Re: Go BARF yourselves FAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8enojl$8cc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112105

In article <8enhgctgg1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> What has happened to ham radio is reflected by
your
> post which says that the Extra ticket is NOT the pinnacle of ham radio
but
> rather a so-so piece of paper. Are you sure you want any testing at
all to
> get a ticket? Sounds to me like you're a palms up
ham...gimme..gimme..gimme
> and to hell with proficiency in any phase of anything.

I don't have a problem with ANY level of testing for the Amateur Licence. I was professionally trained in Electronics and Morse. There is nothing "elite" about sitting for an exam that has always been below my professional standards.

I am also aware some in the status brigade who were also professionally trained, and this makes a mockery of all the nonsense about striving and achieving. There is NO achievement is passing a test when you have already been trained to a higher standard. As there is no requirement to declare whether you have had previous training, it is only possible to judge whether a person "strived and achieved" to pass the exam by getting to know them personally.

> Let's say the experts state that we are 150,000 short of qualified
> physicians in this nation. And so the medical schools conspire with
the
> experts to lower their standards in order to put into the field what's
> needed. What would happen? We the people would be menaced. The
infrastrucure
> of the entire medical profession would be injured because gullible
but
> naive very ill individuals would seek out incompetents and die
because of
> it. You see the analogy? Standards must NEVER be compromised for the
sake of
> numbers and that's what's happened to the greatest hobby/service in
the
> world.

I'm astounded that you equate a profession with a HOBBY! If you want to do this, I'm happy that you scrap the Amateur exams (and current licences) and only give licences to those who have passed REAL tests (college level exams) and haved passed Morse exams at commercial

standards (maritime colleges, etc).

It has been my experience that often people who hide behind "status" do so because they have nothing else to commend themselves. The most brilliant scientists I have dealt with have been the least status conscious people I know. Why? Because they don't have to go around trying to convince people they have status, people GIVE them status without question. Idiot scientists with PHDs don't get respect, even though they have an impressive piece of paper.

All this status nonsense is nothing more than some people wanting to be big fish in a small pond. This is obvious be the fact that these status freaks are unprepared to judge the people they meet on the merits of each person, rather than applying a blanket prejudice.

The people coming in on the new licence have no choice as to how they are tested and hence even the potential "elite of yesteryear" will enter the same way. To treat them as one would treat an ignorant imbecile shows that shallow self pity for perceived status lost, rather than concern for standards, is the motivating force.

Standards are a long term issue and Amateurs who do not attempt to assist newcomers purely on prejudice contribute more to declining standards than any single exam. Such actions deny those newcomers access to the wisdom and experience of the "elite". Sharing knowledge and experience is what lifts standards. An exam lasts a couple of hours, while Amateur Radio lasts a lifetime.

Yes, the licence IS just a piece of paper. REAL standards rest within the Amateurs who use the bands. Standards relies on the current knowledge and experience of the complete Amateur fraternity. The maintenance of standards relies on the ability of individual Amateurs to share their experience. It does NOT rely on a piece of paper that tells of a test that may have been passed 30~40 years ago on obsolete technology and possibly long forgotten.

Mark.

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3373. Re: NEW WORLD WIDE VOICE TEXT CHAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: primetim@frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <8ennuf$3cao$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 112106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <%L1P4.11111$g4.321955@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "MITBR"
<mitbr@earthlink.net> wrote:
>Hello!!
> I have a web page dedicated to the radio hobby here in Tampa Bay
>Florida. I am in the process of launching a new audio chat network on a
>channel for amateur radio enthusiasts. The idea is for webmasters to put the
>small html code somwhere on their amateur radio web page which would be
>linked all together worldwide. The system utilizes the new HearMe plugin
>which is a small 80k or so program new visitors of the amateur radio audio
>chat would download upon landing on the page which has the html code for the
>plugin. Please let me know if you decide to use the system so I can add your
>site to my links page to let others know your site is connected to the
>network. For a demonstration of the system you may email me for a time and
>date so you can see it in action. To get the html code please visit my web
>site below. To get further info on the HearMe requirments to have it work
>click on the help are for Hear Me on my web site. I am in no way affiliated
>with HearMe and my web site is a noncomercial page.You may also visit my
>radio page at the url below from 7pm to 8pm eastern time every day I try to
>be in my scanner audio chat at that time. I look forward to hearing from.
>Thankyou
>Best Regards
>Tim Breckon--
>Please visit my web site url below
>Tampa Bay Radio Page
>http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/Mi01000.htm
>

I thought that's what RADIOS were for?
>

3374. My Mind's Eye of KV4FZ: When the Feds Fanned Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11012-390F68EA-14@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112107

Herb, please read.

3375. Re: See: When the Feds Fanned Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <390F56AA.F2928BA4@oio.net>
Source record: 112108

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> Sensational, it's a fresh, untold, thought-provoking chapter in the
> story of the ham others love to hate. Look for the KV4FZ thread. This
> is promotion of that story.

Bob,
Why would you want to 'promote' a convicted felon, and someone
who had their license revoked/rejected?
'Doc

PS - There's more than one "Doc" on here, be sure to get the right one!

3376. Coded Communications Modem Information Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Smith <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <390F6C88.C1D1272E@innercite.com>
Source record: 112109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good evening. I have a Coded Communications IQmodem mod 1702741-1 that I am seeking information on. I believe it was used to interface a mobile display to a RF link in a vehicle. I have been told that they have changed the company name or have been bought out by another company. Any info will be greatly appreciated. Thanks and 73's Don KB6GQA

3377. To: W5LZ, See: When the Feds Fanned Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11011-390F7B04-73@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112110

W5LZ, Please read the article for the answer to those very valid questions. Then, after your reading, feel free to fire away, because the causes dwarf Herb's two case, however bad his judgement was.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3378. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sgv03at31g2162@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

If a group of amateurs starts a club or organization based upon one's choice
of sexual orientation or religion (as both are a choice); then why is it
wrong for other groups to start? Why is it that some people seem to think
that one group of amateurs are trying to exclude people who have made a
different choice? I did not see anything in the homosexual amateur radio
groups that excluded heterosexuals; nor did I see anything in the
heterosexual groups that excluded homosexuals. No one has said that you
cannot be an amateur radio operator because of the choices you have made for
your religion or your sexual orientation. Please do not read something into
it because it does not exist.

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
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guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

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to get the Clintons
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"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote in message
news:390e5d8c.305089640@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> On Sun, 30 Apr 2000 20:58:45 -0400, "Joe Schlatter"
> <joe@schlatter.org> wrote:
>
> >All of which begs the question of what the hey does sexual preference or
> >lack thereof have to do with amateur radio? The question applies equally
to
> >the Lambda and HeROS crowds. I'd just like to be able to put up an
antenna
> >in my subdivision -- they can go stick their private parts wherever they
> >please.
>
> Indeed I agree but for some reason some operators and and
> common posting in the NG keep trying to make an issue of BOTH my
> religion, and my sexuality as if or both should disbar me form having
> a Ham License
> >
> >--

> >
> >
> >Regards,
> >Joe Schlatter
> >joe@schlatter.org
> >http://www.schlatter.org/
> >http://www.miafacts.org/
> >Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
> >
> >
> >J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
> >>No, I don't think they are "wierdos/nut cases". Probably just a bunch
of
> >>normal ham radio operators that believe that sticking a penis into
another
> >>male's rectum is offensive and starting a ham radio club and celebrating
> >>that abnormality as being even more offensive. But that's just a guess.
> >>
> >>--
> >>____
> >>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
> >>
> >>NRA Life Member
> >>"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
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> >>
> >>Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
> >>to get the Clintons
> >>____
> >>
> >>"Screw Microsoft" <mhughes@aol.com> wrote in message
> >>news:fIVO4.9890$x4.341246@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> >>>
> >>> Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote in message
> >>> news:f8HO4.11990$55.99192@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com...
> >>> > Does anyone know anything about the group called HeROS (Heterosexual
> >>Radio
> >>> > Operators Society)???
> >>> >
> >>> > They are listed in the program for the Dayton Hamvention this year.
> >>>
> >>> Are these the wierdo/nut-cases that walk around with miniature cubical
> >>quad
> >>> antennas or auto-ball mounted 6-foot rods on their heads..??
> >>>
> >>> First time I saw these loons at Dayton I knew then and there
> >>> without any doubt that all you have to do to attract every

> >>> screwball living in a 100 square mile radius is to hold a hamfest.
> >>>
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> >
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>

3379. Re: Go BARF yourselves FAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8envq5$i6s$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 112112
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <8enojl$8cc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:

> I don't have a problem with ANY level of testing for the Amateur
> Licence. I was professionally trained in Electronics and Morse. There is
> nothing "elite" about sitting for an exam that has always been below my
> professional standards.

<<>>

>I am also aware some in the status brigade who were also professionally
trained, and this makes a mockery of all the nonsense about striving and
achieving. There is NO achievement is passing a test when you have
already been trained to a higher standard.<

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AF2Y,Doc

3380. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9890-390F8DB3-77@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112113

Curt Breneman,

Yes, Larry, W4CSC, betrays his prejudice; however, in all fairness his post is otherwise unbiased. The BBC has long been known for its objectivity. And ITN appears like it's trying to outdo the BBC.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3381. Re: Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005031949580.217-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111934

On Mon, 1 May 2000, W5LZ wrote:
> symbiot,
> By now most, if not all, of the Extra class 1x2's, and
> 2x1's are probably already issued. So, that leaves the 2x2
> calls, AA#xx through AZ#xx call signs. You may 'find' one
> of the 1x2/2x1's still around, but don't count on it.

Wrong. AM#xx through AZ#xx do not belong to the allowable allocation.

3382. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <39108117.445267216@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 03 May 2000 01:34:07 -0700, Meg A Hertz
<meghertzNOmeSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

>I agree. The airwaves belong to all of us, and we have a right
>to use them, coupled with the responsiblility to use them
>correctly (which aptitude is tested by exams).
>
>It is not a privilege that is some sort of reward for passing a
>bizare initiation ceremony... (although Morse testing certainly
>is weird)

Meg I really must disagree with you. It is CURRENTLY some sort
of reward for an initaion ritual. That is what we (you me NCI others)
are trying to change
>
>*MegHz*
>
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3383. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910816d.445352631@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 03 May 2000 13:21:42 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Weird only to the mindless ones....

Strange that lacking a PHYSICAL skil is equated to
middlessness.

The Other point I realy must thank who has gone to the trouble
(little though it is) of trying to use MY name in this way. It
certainly makes a person feel important that others feel driven to
discridit his positions
>
>Meg A Hertz wrote:
>>
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>> to use them, coupled with the responsiblility to use them
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3384. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391081B7.87C14986@bctv.com>
Source record: 111937

Chip wrote:

>
> > no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
> >refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
> >asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
> >is irrelevant.
>
> Not really , the interpretations I've read say that the absence of
> *mention* of age limits was an accidental *omission* not a designated
> part of the law.

Hmmm . . .the law was passed by the House and Senate, then signed by Jimmy Carter. While many of the aforementioned had serious judgement challengeges, nobody has ever claimed that they were illiterate.

Thus, for a section of a law to be "accidentally omitted" is a pretty far-out claim.

However, that point is moot. Any law is as the law was signed.

3385. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <16c14024.5a0a9788@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>
Source record: 111938

Rob, by all means go for it. Ham radio is many things to many people and Vanity Calls are too. I have seen many odd calls that would mean nothing to me but had a definite meaning to them. Since you will be the one using the call, and assuming it isn't offensive, it should be your choice. Remember, though, that what you might be doing in ham radio in later years might change. If you get a long call (2x3) with lousy phoentics, it might be a paion when chasing DX.

Best of luck es 73 de Kenn W5KAP

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3386. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <39108223.445535046@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111939

On Tue, 02 May 2000 18:00:53 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:

>On Tue, 02 May 2000 15:24:26 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
>wrote:
>
>>On Tue, 2 May 2000 11:06:04 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
>>wrote:
>>
>>
>>>
>>>In this scenario, the guns needn't be stored in the house to be a
>>>threat, because the house is surrounded by the hundreds of thousands of
>>>supporters in Little Havana. No telling among those folks, who would do
>>>what to whom with what.
>>>
>>>If history provides any lessons, I believe they had no choice in the
>>>extraction.
>>
>> Frankly the US had a choice it could have Long before this
>>point that I am certain would avoided all the alarm and most of the
>>Noise,
>>
>> what was it simple Stay out the State of Florida's legal
>>process,
>
>You mean Florida is in charge of Immigration/Naturalization ? When did
>that happen ? At a search engine I typed in 'INS' (Immigration and
>Naturalization Service) and this page came up:

Never said that but Florida IS empowered to deal with child
guardianship and other domsetic arrangents of person within the State
of Florida. The INS had no bussness in the matter until the Sate
decided who was Elain's legal guardian. indeed after that I doubt the
INS would need to more than mimaly consulted. If the uncle won cousty
then clear US law would say the Elain has right to asylum in the US,
per the unlces request. if his father won then the INS would merely be
involed in arrnaging Elains return to Cuba
>
>http://www.ins.usdoj.gov/graphics/index.htm
>
>And there's an icon on there that says 'Department of Justice' but I
>didn't see a damn thing about Florida ?? A bad search engine perhaps??

Not a bad search engine but a fialiure of either Logic or
knowledge that the US Federal Goverment is Made up of the National

Govt based in DC and the several States each of which has duties and
powers to excercise. Givent that the US Constitution does not give the
National Govt the power to decide Cjild coutay case that power is
reseved by the 10 amd to the States, in this case Florida.

I know that increasingly asking that the Highest law in the
land be obeyed is getting to be too much to ask but...
>
>> and let what was clearly a case of family with problems
>
>One that didn't involve *FOREIGN* governments or anything.

Indeed IT did not involve a FOREIGN GOVERMENT at all
>
>> work
>>them out in the Courts, rather than for the Attorney General et al to
>>make these decisions themselves without going though the due process
>>of law
>
>Hmmm, a woman from a *FOREIGN* country (Cuba) leaves there with her

With Legal guardian and responiblity to makes decision wether
good or bad for the child

>son, unknown to his *father*, dies in the process of getting to this
>country *illegally* (though for a good cause) The child survives, the
>leader (Castro) and many people of that *FOREIGN* country (CUBA)
>SCREAM for his return and this, an Internationally Televised
>INTERNATIONAL EVENT, is a matter that falls under the State of
>Florida's jurisdiction ? You might want to research matters just a bit
>more.

That Cuba choose to make this a politcal football has nothing
to do with US law. So in this case the US Govt has given the Father
rights in our coutry that are greater than the rights of our own
citizens. IF I had childern was boating off florida with MY son
fludered and was picked up taken to florida and my ex wife wanted to
claim my son over the objections of the my bother the matter of who
has the right and duty to speak for my son would decided by florida.
This is supposed to be a Govt of LAWS not MEN, the law did not change
becuase Fidel Castro spoke or did he aquire legistive power in the US
while I was not looking

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>>>
>>>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>>>Miami, Florida
>>>
>

3387. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3910831B.D850C29@bctv.com>
Source record: 111940

General Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> From what I can tell it is an automatic weapon, not a "MACHINE" gun.
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Liberty_nits wrote:
> > >
> > > Funny, I didn't see any MACHINE GUNS!
> >
> > Pray tell, what do you think the MP-5K is?

Well, "General," if you actually knew anything about firearms, you would know that "machine gun" is the blanket definition for automatic weapons below 15mm caliber.

In fact, there is a Federal definition, which essentially is "any firearm capable of firing more than one round per actuation of the trigger."

And if you knew anything about the MP-5K, you would know that the name is the abbreviation for "Machine Pistole, Model 5, Kurz" (in English, "Submachinegun Model 5, Short").

Perhaps next time you would prefer not to broadcast your ignorance to the world, "General."

BTW, what are you a general of, that you are so proud of the designation?

3388. Re: To KW, I'm ill informed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39108450.7AF6510A@bctv.com>
Source record: 111941

If you are serious about this, and not just sarcastic, there is a wealth of information out there on this, and legal precedents going back decades.

I would suggest that you start with the State Dept report, at the URL I gave you earlier. Newsmax has links to columns by Dershowitz and Tribe (both "flaming" liberals) concerning the issue, which is the reason you haven't seen Hillary out there claiming that the only opposition to the Elian assault was coming from the "Vast, Right-Wing Conspiracy."

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> Another great, great post. What an improvement of posts in this NG.
>
> Your points are entirely valid. The reason I'm ignoring the rhetoric of
> our luminaries is that I'm spending all my time on ham radio and
> exercise at the expense of reading, ha, ha. An insulated world where
> information, other than this NG, doesn't penetrate, ha, ha. So I've
> become the ill informed poster, which I will try to change in the next
> week. Perservere and I'll be following all of your posts as well.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

3389. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39108548.55F65276@bctv.com>
Source record: 111942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Charles Brabham wrote:
>
> Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message news:39103AE7.196B469C@bctv.com...
> >
> >
> > BTW, the aviation GPS isn't affected by "stutter mode" (SA) anyway . . .
>
> It's not the aviation GPS that is being discussed.
>
> Try to stay on-topic.

Nice dodge.

The topic is your assertion that the discontinuation of SA is a threat to national security. For it to be a threat, there must be no simple, cost-effective way for this nation's enemies to circumvent the SA stutter. This has been proven not to be the case.

As I said, any terr who could put GPS to work would have no problem getting SA-proof GPS equipment. It's like so-called "gun control" -- SA only affects people who aren't going to put GPS to an evil use.

3390. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8eq0o8$kk4@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 111943

You should have just told him it was a Vanity Callsign!! :-0

"Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:DC9C23E232E306E4.F455E72933CBCE00.4A36B47A93574024@lp.airnews.net...
> horseshoestew@my-deja.com wrote in article
<8el5jj$c45$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> > In article <0m4sgs8307a5siehs1ahjsjsolbqeli450@4ax.com>,
> > RogerWilco <> wrote:
> > > This from a female ham with TIT in her call. What self respecting
> > > female hame would keep a call such as that?
> >
> > A female "hame". Looks like a Freudian slip for "dame".
> >
> > Anyway, why are you trying to change the subject? Was she getting too
> > close the the truth?
> >
> > Stewart - N0MHS
> >
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> >
>
> When I leave 'em speechless, Stew, the only thing that's left to attack
is
> the callsign! I think it's hilarious...LOL
>
> Kim W5TIT

3391. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391085E0.BB7FA098@bctv.com>
Source record: 111944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

LRod wrote:
>
> In article <39103AE7.196B469C@bctv.com>,
> kw@bctv.com wrote:
>
> > BTW, the aviation GPS isn't affected by "stutter mode" (SA) anyway . .
>
> That is utterly incorrect. The FAA has been spending zillions of dollars
> to devolop the very correction systems discussed earlier in this thread
> to allow more precision in GPS approach procedures.
>
> LRod
>
> 30 year FAA employee

Oh, well, that explains a LOT! ;)

I was referring not to robot-mode accuracy, but nav-suitable accuracy.

But, again, the point is moot. The only uses that a terr could put GPS
to would absorb a 16m inaccuracy without flinching.

3392. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sh14pgoga4n78@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Try http://www.homingin.com
This is a good starting point for DF links. You should get the book
"Transmitter Hunting & Radio Direction Finding" too.

As far as Riley goes, your report will be like farting in the wind. The
FCC doesn't care about amateur radio anymore. If the FCC cared, they would
have had a different restructuring plan.

73

no-spam@mindspring.com (Nathan) wrote in
<8eg137$qi5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>:

>I need some links for direction finding antennas for 20 meters and 10
>meters. We have some restructured hams in the area that causing
>interference with other hams and we need to track them down so we can
>give Mr Riley a proper report. thanks
>
>nat
>

3393. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <391093E9.59F8B297@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 111946

> Someone wrote about an easy to use HF Band plan?

See URL:
http://www.icomamerica.com/amateur/band_charts/HF_band.html

More at URL:
http://ac6v.com/pagefreq.html#HF

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73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca
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AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 100+ PAGES, 700 INDEXED TOPICS, AND 3000 LINKS
Over 580,000 Visits On The Counter
http://www.ac6v.com - General Ham Pages
http://www.ac6v.com/pagedx.html - DX Reference Pages

3394. Live amateur radio voice and text chat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: MITBR <mitbr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Dx0Q4.23435$x4.718017@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111947

Hello I am now online in my new live voice text chat system dedicated to amateur radio!! click on the link below scroll down the page click on the amateur radio chat page to join if no one is there check the other chat channels i offer.
thnks
Tim Breckon----
Please visit my web site url below
Tampa Bay Radio Page
http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/Mi01000.htm

3395. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3910951D.FDB01807@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 111948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>
> no-spam@mindspring.com (Nathan) wrote in
> <8eg137$qi5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>:
>
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> >meters. We have some restructured hams in the area that causing
> >interference with other hams and we need to track them down so we can
> >give Mr Riley a proper report. thanks
> >
> >nat
> >

Nat -- try URL:
http://ac6v.com/pagew.html#TH
Several to choose from

--
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3396. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <VI0Q4.653$R5.16815@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 111949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

> As far as Riley goes, your report will be like farting in the wind. The
> FCC doesn't care about amateur radio anymore. If the FCC cared,
> they would have had a different restructuring plan.

I haven't seen any change in the FCC enforcement actions since the
restructuring was announced. I see no evidence that the FCC doesn't care
about Amateur Radio. Quite the contrary; the amount of staff time they have
invested into restructuring and enforcement has been considerable.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

3397. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <elIHATESPAMdowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <DQ0Q4.5242$ex6.1751887@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 111950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

WAA! WAA! WAA!

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote in message
news:sh14pgoga4n78@corp.supernews.com...
>
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> >give Mr Riley a proper report. thanks
> >
> >nat
> >
>

3398. ** New England Ham - Electronic Fleamarket Dates ** May ** Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1gsl@mit.edu
Message-ID: <39109a71$0$10891@senator-bedfellow.mit.edu>
Source record: 111951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,ne.forsale

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6 May Montreal PQ WIARC EmmuelCSch $15/T@7:30 $5@8:30 RegVE2AYU 514 697 3660 F+

7 May Yonkers NY Metro70 **** CANCELLED **** Otto WB2SLQ 914 969 1053 +

8 May Greenfield MA FCARA Mon 6PM @WESCO $2/tg Dick N1EWK 413 774 4669 F+

12,13 May Rochester NH Hoss Traders @FG x13 rt16 Joe K1RQG 207 469 3492 F

20 May Forestdale RI RIFMRS @VFW rt146 8A flea+auct Rick K1KYI 401 725 7507

21 May Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F
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21 May Farmingville NY Radio CentralARC Neil KC2KY 516 737 0019 A

26 May Sorel-Tracy PQ HamfestduQuebec $15/T@6 $5@9 Noble VE2HQT 450 743 4387 R

27 May Vernon CT NARC@TollandAgC I84x67 $3@9 $7TG $15/T Wayne 860 487 1921 F

2-4 June Rochester NY ARRL Atlantic Conv Harold K2HC 716 424 7184 A

3 June Herman ME PineStARC @HS $8@6:30 $4@8 Ed K1DTW 207 825 4417

3 June E Hartford CT VintageR Mus 711 Main $12/T@7 $1@8 John 860 675 9916 F

4 June Corona NYC @ HallofScience $5@9 $10/S@7:30 Steve WB2KDG 718 898 5599 F

4 June Newington CT NARL Thomas WB1CZX 860 666 4539 A

10 Jun Doaktown NB @AnglicanCH $3/T@8 $3@10 Ron VE1BCQ 506 365 4674 R+

10 June E.Falmouth MA FARA @FG Rt151 $8/sp@7 $3@9 Ralph N1YHS 508 548 6405 F+

11 June Bethpage NY LIMARC @Briarcliff $5@8:30 $15/Sp Ed KC2AYC 516 520 9311 F+

17 June Goshen CT SoBARC @FG rt 63 nr4 8AM Lee K1LEE 860 435 0051 +

18 June Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

8 July Summerside PEI SARC @ WilmontCC $3@9 $5/T Ella VE1PEI 902 886 2280 R

8 July Union ME Pen-BayARC @FG Paul N1ZR 207 549 3072 A+

15 July Nashua NH NE Antique RC $5@8 $1@9 @ Res Ctr Church 617 923 2665 F
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16 July Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

12 Aug Burlington VT BARC @Elks Club B$6@8 S@06:30 Renee N1UXK 802 893 7660 W+

13 Aug Orange MA Mohawk ARC John AE1B 978 249 5905 A

20 Aug Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

20 Aug Adams MA NoBARC @BoweFG $20/S@6 $5@8 Joel N1WCF 413 442 2609 F+
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27 Aug Yonkers NY YARC @SaundersHS $5@8:30 $20/T@7 John WB2AUL 914 963 1021 F+

27 Aug Enfield CT East V-UHF Conf @Radisson $3B$8S@8 Mark K1MAP 413 566 2445 +

9 Sept BallstonSpa NY SCRACES fri6P $5+5/T+15cmp Darlene N2XQG 518 587 2385 W+

10 Sept S Dartmouth MA SE MassARA @club $2@9 $0/S@7 Bill K1IBR 508 996 2969 F

10 Sept Bethpage NY LIMARC Rich N2WJL 516 520 9311 A

16 Sept White Plains NY WECA Thomas WB2NHC 914 741 6606 A

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17 Sept Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F
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17 Sept Newtown CT CARA @TownHall $4@9 $10/T@7 203 796 2400 F+

24 Sept Yonkers NY Metro70 @LincolnHS $19/T@7 $6@9 Otto WB2SLQ 914 969 1053 F

6,7 Oct Rochester NH Hoss Traders @FG x13 rt16 Joe K1RQG 207 469 3492 T

8 Oct Wallingford CT NUTMEG CT Conv $6@9 $15/tg@6 Gordon K1BIY 860 342 3258

15 Oct Flea at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

15 Oct Corona NYC @ HallofScience $5@9 $10/S@7:30 Steve WB2KDG 718 898 5599 F

21 Oct Nashua NH NE Antique RC $5@8 $1@9 @ Res Ctr Church 617 923 2665 F

28 Oct Longueuil PQ Montreal SARC $10/T@6 $5@9 Micheline VE2XW 450 446 0477 R

29 Oct Lindenhurst NY GSBARC+SCRC @KoC $6@9 $20@7 Phil N2MUN 631 226 0698 F

28,29 Oct Waltham MA Photographica @HS $5@10 ~photo~ bef 9PM Ed 617 965 0807 F+

4 Nov Londonderry NH IRS @Lions Hall $10@6 $3@8 Paul K1LL 603 883 3308 +

5 Nov Framingham MA FARA @HS $14/T@7:30 $2@9 Bev N1LOO 508 626 2012 +

18 Nov Newton MA WARA/1200RC Auction @Masonic $2@11 Eliot W1MJ 617 484 1089 T

2 Dec E Hartford CT VintageR Museum @Church $12/T@7 $1@8 John 860 675 9916 F
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73 Steve F
W1GSL

3399. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391099a7.451556031@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111952
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 03 May 2000 13:13:14 GMT, Liberty_nits
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>ATTN: Dumbshit Mark Morgan or is it GENERAL Morgan... What you just
>stated is how CB started. Simple paper work for a license. See
>what happened.... Will happen to ham radio also....

Well I guess Now I know who is posting the General morgan
Posting. But as I understand the the matter their are important
differences mostly to do with fees and enforcement. Interesting How
you claim that a hypothecal postion is the future of ham radio

But Indeed assuming your are right what is it about a pretend
test as so many of you put that seems to keep order on the VHF bands
by and large. If that element could be understood and isoloated and
used then ARS licensing could likely be vastly improved

>
>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 09:18:08 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Brian wrote
>> >> After these new hams have
>> >>40 years of experience, they'll know just as much as or more than the old
>> >>hams with 40 years of experience.
>> >
>> >So why have a pretend test at all? Why not just give them a booklet of rules
>> >with the license pasted in the back cover. In 40 years they'll know just as
>> >much...
>>
>> I don't know why? Frankly the most usefull part of the whole
>> procedure is the paperwork of licensure, and the act of dealing with
>> officaldom in getting the license. We could as I have often said
>> survive no test at all by the looks of things. Might not be the best
>> method of licenuse but might not be that much different. Indeed the
>> more I read the newgroup the more I question the need for anything
>> more than GRMS type licensing
>> >
>> >
>> >
>> >

3400. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503173949.06844.00001226@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111953

>Subject: Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000
>From: Frank nospam@nospam.org
>Date: 05/03/2000 7:44 AM Central Daylight Time

>What you are apparently ignorant of is one of the reasons this upgrade occurred is the military now has the means of selectively limiting the accuracy of GPS in different areas of the world as security needs require. It can be set to be perfectly accurate in North America at the same time meaurements can be completely skewed in the Far East.<

Who cares about the Far East...?!?! Let them blow each other to Kingdom Come.

It >>IS<< North America we need to worry about, unfortunately. Most low altitude, high spped threats would not be seen on most domestic radar systems, and even those that might see them, it would be civilian air traffic controllers that would see them, not military intercept operators.

In the time it would take to see, identify and determine the track of a bogey, chances are it would already be on target. And even if a civilian controller DID recognize it as a threat, they still need to communicate that to defense personnel.

Today's Chattanooga Free Press carried a wire service item on how woefully poor the Air Force's readiness is. Do you ALSO expect them to be able to launch a defensive air strike against an incomming threat in the US?

And it does not need to be a fast mover, either.

Sure...call it a Chicken Little response, but until August of 1990, we never thought we would REALLY fight in another theater war, either.

Slick Willy getting his licks in till the last.

Steve

3401. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910a4ea.454439006@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 2 May 2000 21:27:12 -0400, "J. Duffy Beischel"
<duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote:

>If a group of amateurs starts a club or organization based upon one's choice
>of sexual orientation or religion (as both are a choice); then why is it

There is some reason to say it is gentics but I''l let that
slide

>wrong for other groups to start? Why is it that some people seem to think

Where did I say it was?

>that one group of amateurs are trying to exclude people who have made a
>different choice? I did not see anything in the homosexual amateur radio
>groups that excluded heterosexuals; nor did I see anything in the

I know of No group BTW of Homosexaul operators in the first
place, let alone one that excludes heterosexuals

>heterosexual groups that excluded homosexuals. No one has said that you
>cannot be an amateur radio operator because of the choices you have made for
>your religion or your sexual orientation. Please do not read something into
>it because it does not exist.

Your advice not to read something inot because it does not
exist is something you should have applied before making this post

OTH your statement that no one has has said I should be
allowed and ARS based on BOTH my religion and and upon my sexaul
orientation has indeed happened in this NG and is done with regularity
by readers of this group sending me email to that effect I truely wish
your statement was correct. Iam not OTH saying that anyone in this
thread has done so, merely in the ARS at large and In this NG as a
whole
>--
>____
>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>
>NRA Life Member
>"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
>guns, are we still a free people?"
>
>Please find out about rec.guns at:
>http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
>

>Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
>to get the Clintons

3402. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <39109b74.1572367@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111955

On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:59:10 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Tue, 02 May 2000 18:00:53 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
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>>On Tue, 02 May 2000 15:24:26 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
>>wrote:
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>>>On Tue, 2 May 2000 11:06:04 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
>>>wrote:
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>>>>In this scenario, the guns needn't be stored in the house to be a
>>>>threat, because the house is surrounded by the hundreds of thousands of
>>>>supporters in Little Havana. No telling among those folks, who would do
>>>>what to whom with what.
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>>>>If history provides any lessons, I believe they had no choice in the
>>>>extraction.
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>>> Frankly the US had a choice it could have Long before this
>>>point that I am certain would avoided all the alarm and most of the
>>>Noise,
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>>> what was it simple Stay out the State of Florida's legal
>>>process,
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> Never said that but Florida IS empowered to deal with child
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>of Florida.

WHICH person was a *LEGAL* resident of the State of Florida ? His
dead mother ? His Father in Cuba ? or Elian who was taken from a
foreign country *WITHOUT* his father's consent ?

> The INS had no bussness in the matter until the Sate
>decided who was Elain's legal guardian.

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for his return and it's up to the State of Florida ? Show me in the

Constitution (or anywhere else) where Florida is empowered to handle
international disputes ?

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>per the unlces request. if his father won then the INS would merely be
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>knowledge that the US Federal Goverment is Made up of the National
>Govt based in DC and the several States each of which has duties and
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>National Govt the power to decide Cjild coutay case that power is
>reseved by the 10 amd to the States, in this case Florida.

The only problem with that is that Elian *WASN'T* a US citizen and
most certainly WASN'T a legal *resident* of Florida. It's *OUT* of
Florida's hands and into the INS.

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> I know that increasingly asking that the Highest law in the
>land be obeyed is getting to be too much to ask but...
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>>One that didn't involve *FOREIGN* governments or anything.
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> Indeed IT did not involve a FOREIGN GOVERMENT at all
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>>>make these decisions themselves without going though the due process
>>>of law
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> With Legal guardian and responiblity to makes decision wether
>good or bad for the child.

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children with them and set up permanent residence in another country
without the consent of the other parent ??? You might tell me which

country that's *legal* in as it's not legal in the US.

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>>Florida's jurisdiction ? You might want to research matters just a bit
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>to do with US law.

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children back from foreign nations when one parent unlawfully flees
with them. I watched a lengthy segment on one of the news commentaries
last year on that very subject.

>So in this case the US Govt has given the Father
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is rescued and brought to shore. Do you _honestly_ think the State of
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or would the kid go _back_ to Canada in a heartbeat ?? Now then,
should _we_ change/ignore and subvert the laws just because none of us
happen to like that SOB Castro ?

Or by playing little games with the *law* just because we dislike
that SOB does that drag *ALL* of us and our country down to that
SOB's Level ?

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>>>>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>>>>Miami, Florida
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3403. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3911aa00.5296281@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111956

On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:44:55 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

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>Chip wrote:
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>> > no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
>> >refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
>> >asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
>> >is irrelevant.
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>> Not really , the interpretations I've read say that the absence of
>> *mention* of age limits was an accidental *omission* not a designated
>> part of the law.
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>Hmmm . . .the law was passed by the House and Senate, then signed by
>Jimmy Carter. While many of the aforementioned had serious judgement
>challengeges, nobody has ever claimed that they were illiterate.

Nor did I. Omissions and illiteracy are two different things.

>Thus, for a section of a law to be "accidentally omitted" is a pretty
>far-out claim.
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>However, that point is moot. Any law is as the law was signed.

Which is open to *interpretation* and decisions with respect to
Constitutionality which is what our Supreme Court and others spend
large amounts of time doing.

3404. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910a99a.455639641@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111957

On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:50:51 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

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>General Mark Morgan wrote:
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>> From what I can tell it is an automatic weapon, not a "MACHINE" gun.
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>> Keith Wood wrote:
>> >
>> > Liberty_nits wrote:
>> > >
>> > > Funny, I didn't see any MACHINE GUNS!
>> >
>> > Pray tell, what do you think the MP-5K is?
>
>Well, "General," if you actually knew anything about firearms, you would
>know that "machine gun" is the blanket definition for automatic weapons
>below 15mm caliber.

I tought it was simply anygun that the ATF did not want
private citizens to own :)

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>In fact, there is a Federal definition, which essentially is "any
>firearm capable of firing more than one round per actuation of the
>trigger."
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>And if you knew anything about the MP-5K, you would know that the name
>is the abbreviation for "Machine Pistole, Model 5, Kurz" (in English,
>"Submachinegun Model 5, Short").
>
>Perhaps next time you would prefer not to broadcast your ignorance to
>the world, "General."
>
>BTW, what are you a general of, that you are so proud of the
>designation?

It is my belief that General Mark Morgan is AKA Liberty nit from
lloking at some materail. It is possible that he wishes to be taken
for me Mark Morgan in some pathetic effort to dicredit my posting

3405. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Pr...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910aa3f.455804751@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111958

On Tue, 2 May 2000 17:31:14 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>Mark Morgan,
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>You must realize that now you're wading into the question of
>jurisdiction. Though I haven't studied the legal tilting, I know that
>the federal government had the jurisdiction to do what it did.

I have studied the matter and disagree althouth the issue is
murky I grant you
>
>There are often cases of parallel jurisdiction, called pendant
>jurisdiction. We just don't know how deep the duties of federal
>authorities were without a legal scholar. I'm certain there is a huge
>legal history underpinning the episode.

Again I disagree I think however a huge set of legal history
is likel to made either now or as this case becomes precedent. I have
never heard of the US Govt interenving in a child cousty case not
involving active duty members of the Armed Forces

None of you points while being at least argueble over turn my
orginal statment that the US Govet had the choice to simply stay out
of it long near the begining. Indeed IMO that decision had the
cponsences of making this such a damaging circus for Ealin His father,
his uncle the Cuaban Amercian Comunity, the City of Miami, the State
of Florida, the Govt of the US and of Cuba were so obvious that Reno
should have choosen to stay out of and should have know to do so,
rather like anyone that ever met Koresh would have known the only
outcome of an armed raid was a lot of death, while the sheriff had
been able to serve serve another warrant days earlier. For Waco I
adknowledge REno inheriting a bad sence and making the best of it, bad
though it was. Her I have to question her judgement in steping into it
at all several months ago. What could have been to improve things NOW
was and remains unclear to me. I am gald it did not go worse than it
did but it could have, but it was clear that Reno et al had invested
too much politcal capital to back of it.

A Bad sence all round
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>Bob Sherin, W5ASX
>Miami, Florida
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3406. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000503191219.23670.00001019@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111959

A lot of accusations and insinuations there kevy but no facts, evidence or proof. Do you really expect people to believe you?
Some of what I read, and I didn't read it all, in KJI's letter are facts. SAG does call the people not in the libnet trogladytes or what have you. YOU and the some of the NET MEMBERS are not innocent of wrong doing. Which is how you are trying to present it.
Also I noticed that you've taken the time to eliminate the "addressee(s)" that were in KJI's letter. Something to hide. Why even post it in the NG? It was sent to SAG and others "personally". I suppose that you just want to start some trouble.
Well, anyway everyone knows what you're all about. when you make your accusations and insinuations you should be more specific. Of course you would rather propagandize than cut to the chase.
I also wonder why you had to answer for the other post. Certainly curious.
Also if the last time KJI was checked into the "So Called" net was in 94, I think it's about time to wake up Kevin, the war is over, KJI should be allowed to check into the net and let "EVERYONE" see his actions of today.
Not something that YOU claim happened 6 years ago. Grow Up. Your like the lost Japanese soldier, not knowing that the war is over, he still fights on. He should be checked in (IMHO), he has not, despite your lies, been jamming the net. Let people see how he "contributes" or detracts from the net. Are you sure that the 6 year figure you gave isn't your age?

3407. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910ace9.456486902@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111960

On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:30:36 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:

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>>>You mean Florida is in charge of Immigration/Naturalization ? When did
>>>that happen ? At a search engine I typed in 'INS' (Immigration and
>>>Naturalization Service) and this page came up:
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>>guardianship and other domsetic arrangents of person within the State
>>of Florida.
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process of law. the issue seems to be who has the right to speak for
Ealin since the INS would not accept

>dead mother ? His Father in Cuba ? or Elian who was taken from a
>foreign country *WITHOUT* his father's consent ?

Unless His father had something the divorce degree forbiding
igmration or something along those lines his consent was not required

All Cubans that reach our shores have the right of aslyun that
is the law. Elain reached them by means of the Coasties as I follow
the matter. If the INS had felt Elain could speak for himself then he
has the right to claim asylum I think the law is bit screwiy on this
one but there it is
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>> The INS had no bussness in the matter until the Sate
>>decided who was Elain's legal guardian.
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>Absolute bilge. A foreign government and Elian's *father* is screaming
>for his return and it's up to the State of Florida ? Show me in the
>Constitution (or anywhere else) where Florida is empowered to handle
>international disputes ?

There no international matter involved the issue is one of who
is the right for guardian of Ealin a matter for State court not
National and Ceratinly not a decision for Reno to make

Cuba screams from time to time about all the People who leave
his country for the US

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>Florida's hands and into the INS.

Wrong he is a legal resident of the US, in this case Florida,
the monetn he arived by the terms of US law, All Cubans have this
status. Now strctly speaking the Coasties slipped up, since he was
picked up at SEA he should have taken to Cuba. not sure why that did
not happen. Ealin has the RIGHT to asylum, and residenciy to mement he
he arrives, that is the law as written. The matter is supposed to be
automatic, and would have been if the Clinton admistration had not
left matters alone.
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>>land be obeyed is getting to be too much to ask but...
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>children with them and set up permanent residence in another country
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>country that's *legal* in as it's not legal in the US.

Yes it is legal for her to do so in the case of leaving Cuba,
US law says so wether it shoudl or not is another matter

It would be a violation of US law to take a kid out of the US
that way in which we would have to try and exprdatite a corse in this
case (the late mother) but that does not afect the status of the kids
at all. I suspect that leaving Cuba that way is ilegal, but do we send
people back to Cuba once they reach the US for this "Crime"? Hell no!!

I wonder would you be calling for Elians return if he and His
mother made it to the US
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>>>country *illegally* (though for a good cause) The child survives, the
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>Bullshit. The US has spent many hours and many dollars *trying* to get
>children back from foreign nations when one parent unlawfully flees
>with them. I watched a lengthy segment on one of the news commentaries
>last year on that very subject.

And what the US chooses to do in those case has little to do
with the matter. In Nation with which we have a treaty gornering the
matter I supect we get what the treaty calls for in time but we have
no treaty relations with Cuba, we do not reconize the Cuban Govt,
therefore legaly what Cuba wants says and threatens has no bearing
under US law.

In addition I have also seen a lengthy piece on the issue you
mention and I have never seemn the US deny that the perant accusing
the other did not have to appear in the coruts of the other nation.
something his father has refused to do, and something Cuba refuses to
do.

Allowing Cuba to ditate US policy in this matter is unlawfull
and harmfull to the interest of the US

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>>So in this case the US Govt has given the Father
>>rights in our coutry that are greater than the rights of our own
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>or would the kid go _back_ to Canada in a heartbeat ?? Now then,
>should _we_ change/ignore and subvert the laws just because none of us
>happen to like that SOB Castro ?

I don't know about Michcan ontario, but in the case a boat
sinking near seatle the kid winding up in Vancover there would be a
quick hearing on the matter in Canada going the other way. Indeed I
fully believe that if the Father had agreed to appear inc ourt in
court he would have been given the child quickly and without much fuss
and together they would have gone back to Cuba, and this would be long
since over and done with.

We should NOT subvert our laws to suit Castro which we have
done.
>
> Or by playing little games with the *law* just because we dislike
>that SOB does that drag *ALL* of us and our country down to that
>SOB's Level ?

No we have now Given Casatro the POWER to DEMAND the return of
anyone fleeing Cuba Tyranny, anyone at all.

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>>>>>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>>>>>Miami, Florida
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3408. Re: Win Great Prizes!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39106B14.3FB0@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111961

Lorna & Tim Mize wrote:
>
> Win great prizes like a Palm IV, cash, vacations! Check it out at
> http://www.jackpot.com/win.asp?ref=123-2655
> Its lots of fun too!
> Tim Mize

What the heck is a Palm 4? Did I miss something in the product line
here?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

3409. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910b2e6.458019446@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111962

On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:21:02 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 17:04:08 GMT, Peter Maus
><PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
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>>General Mark Morgan wrote:
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>>> When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
>>> asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
>>> returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!
>>
>> The word is 'moot' by the way.
>> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
>>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
>>is assumed. No age restrictions,
>
>Which was just an omission and is being exploited by Elian's relatives
>and their attorneys.

Perhaps a valid point. But one to be addresed by the Court
and in due Course the Congress. not Reno

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>> no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
>>refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
>>asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
>>is irrelevant.
>
>Not really , the interpretations I've read say that the absence of
>*mention* of age limits was an accidental *omission* not a designated
>part of the law.

None the less it is not there

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>> For the record, though a formal request for asylum
>>was also filed in his name and signed by Elian by the family.
>
>Which is another laugher. The request was filed in English and
>according to Elian's father and his attorney the *child* can't read
>Spanish let alone English. But hey a 6 year old child knows all about

>requests for asylum, leaving his *father*, his native country and all
>that would entail.
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>Snip:
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3410. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910b34e.458123287@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111963

On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:43:01 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:44:55 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
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>Which is open to *interpretation* and decisions with respect to
>Constitutionality which is what our Supreme Court and others spend
>large amounts of time doing.

Which makes it matter for courts not the INS and not Reno
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3411. Re: Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eqg7k$f7$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yeah and "The English Patient" won the Oscar for Best Picture and it was horrible. So much for reviews and box office. "Frequency" will be on video really soon because it'll drop from #3 to 103 in a week.

In article <sgvffeu1g2158@corp.supernews.com>, "Steve C" <stevec@newmail.net> wrote:

> Yeah, Its a typical mainstream movie.....THATS WHY IS WAS #3 IN THE BOX
> OFFICE THIS WEEKEND!!!
>
> The "average" American is not going to notice the "flaws" that the "experts"
> see.
>
> Movies are forms of entertainment, if I want reality or a history lesson, I
> will open a book.
>
>
>>"Twaddle my minkie" <remove64323@juno.com> wrote in message
>>news:81AP4.17546$g4.488198@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>> Saw "Frequency last nite.
>>
>> PPFHBBLTTT!!! <---(that's how you write
>> the "fart noise" folks)
>>
>> Forget it. Plot is stupid, no balance of
>> reality, sappy actors. If this movie is
>> supposed to promote ham radio, then we
>> were suckered into buying a lemon that
>> blows blue-smoke out the tailpipe.
>>
>> Sorry, no refunds.
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3412. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eqge1qkg1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111965

It's spelled Ken, not Kenn. I always suspected that some hams don't even
know how to spell their first names.

In article <16c14024.5a0a9788@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>, W5KAP
<w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid> wrote:

> Rob, by all means go for it. Ham radio is many things to many
> people and Vanity Calls are too. I have seen many odd calls
> that would mean nothing to me but had a definite meaning to
> them. Since you will be the one using the call, and assuming it
> isn't offensive, it should be your choice. Remember, though,
> that what you might be doing in ham radio in later years might
> change. If you get a long call (2x3) with lousy phoentics, it
> might be a paion when chasing DX.
>
> Best of luck es 73 de Kenn W5KAP
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

3413. Re: Provocative Piece, PeterMaus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eqggq$t4r$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111966

I say that if Harold R. "Queenie" Mort can be called Peter, then Peter Maus
can be called Mickey. Those in agreement say aye!
AF2Y

In article <8309-39104F35-3@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> I was thrilled to see your detailed post this morning,filled with
> genuine emotion. Having many half baked impressions about this, I'm
> afraid that I do not have your scale of knowledge.
>
> To be a meaningful contriubutor, I need to study your post as well as
> the information out there, then search my legal knowledge and
> conscience. It may take a few days.
>
> Congratulations on wrting on such a high level. Let's hope it leads to
> universal insight.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

3414. Re: Go BARF yourselves FAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eqhrvisc1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111967

In article <8eo5ci$m87$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
> My point was that you CANNOT judge effort and determination by the
> licence. It would seem that you support that view.

<<<Mark you first write the above and then you write,"What training do I have? Ok, I have an Associate Diploma in Electronics, a degree in Applied Science and am completing a Masters in Maintenance Management. Went to maritime college for courses on HF operations.

What have I done with it? I've been a Technical Officer with a couple of Antarctic expeditions and a remote island weather station, a college lecturer, a communications system installer, an MF, HF, VHF transmiiter/ receiver station maintainer, a computer programmer, worked on developing HF radar, am currently developing a diagnostic system for a combined RF and digital system. And in the hobby area, I'm currently providing systems engineering support for the development of two satellites being developed by students at two differnt universities.

<<Your credentials are unarguable but you can't spell "license." So you've been in Antarctica. Hmm, that explains your pompousness. You've become influenced by the tuxedo adorned stately penguins down there. You act as if you're putting on the ritz with honorable mention given to its composer Harold Arlen. The way I see it is this. You are right in feeling that very few if any hams can measure up to your savvy in electronics but I differ with your theory of why become concerned over their existences anyway? You are putting Mark before the hobby.service instead of the other way around. How fast you forget the words of the notable Dr. Hugo C. Quackenbush who said, "Lest not we become invincible in the strata of self indulgence while promulgating the fulfillment of questionable allegiance." That's what it's all about. Give it some thought my good man. Those words are profound.>>

AF2Y,Doc

3415. Re: Clarification on BUrkSWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8eqkl3$9mv$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111968

Tim,
David Castle is off his rocker by even going close to that miserable net.
He's going to keep touching that flame until he sets himself on fire and
goodbye.
Doc

In article <20000503081930.09496.00001169@ng-cn1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Burk ol boy, your so full of shit your eyes are brown. I've been on 3950 for 5
> or 6 years and listened 3 years before that.
> KJI has in the past, but certainly not lately, within the last year. Yes, he
> gets on most times and doesn't have anything favorable to say about the net.
> But jamming the net, he hasn't been and you and your mysterious (not really)
> litigator better have your facts and eveidence straight before you start
filing
> any "false" complaints and accusations. I'm not taking up for KJI, if he's
> doing it I'm all for nailing him - but he's not jamming and you should stop
> acting as though he is when you don't know.
> Ps. What Year Was it That The Net Let Dave Check In? Certainly not within
> the last 5- 6 years. LOL LOL
>
> Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
>

3416. Response to Larry, Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21475-3910E7B8-50@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111969

I apologize to the extent I misposted, assuming prejudice where there may very well be none. As to the incident, I'd like a full account of what actually happened before speaking out.

You see, being part and parcel of tortured Jewish history, I see all the good for which Israel stands: carving productive farmlands out of sand, a democratic country on a par with the U.S., one whose survival has been challenged again and again by overwhelming odds, a country whose capital can be reached by air almost before detection, one whose leaders carry the heavy burden of life and death, one which saved the U.S. from huge potential losses by taking out Iraq's nuclear power plant before we sensed the threat, one which wants to live in peace and, one which built for survivors from the ashes of World War II a place of refuge they can call home. Etc., Etc.

Ideally, I believe all of humankind is entitled to these opportunities.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3417. Re: To ground or not to ground???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3910F50D.774136D3@oio.net>
Source record: 111970

Stu,
First understand that 'grounding' is broken down in to two areas, 'electrical' ground, and 'RF' ground. A good 'electrical' ground is never a bad idea. An 'RF' ground from the second floor is almost impossible to do for multi-band operation. A single band, sure. Make the ground cable an even number of 1/4 wave lengths long. For more than one band, that gets a bit complicated. What length thats an even number of 1/4 waves on one band, will be too 'close' to an odd number of 1/4 waves on another, and odd numbers of 1/4 wave lengths never make it to ground. You can always move??
'Doc

3418. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3910F611.F7FECB67@oio.net>
Source record: 111971

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >Source: http://www.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Digest/2000/dd000503.html
> >
> >PAUL E. HOLCOMBE. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of
> > rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference
> > to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio
> > communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2,
> > 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-970). ENF
> >
> >ROBERT L. MEYERS. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of
> > rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference
> > to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio
> > communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2,
> > 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-977). ENF
>
> This leads one to ask: If an operator is not licensed in the Amateur
> Radio Service, is he really operating an "amateur radio station" as
> mentioned above? A reading of 97.3(a)(5) and then 97.3(a)(4) seem to
> say "no," since no one appears to be "duly authorized" to operate the
> equipment as required in 97.3(a)(4).
>
> KH6O

Read Part 97.5 and 97.7 .
'Doc

3419. Re: 180 Degree Turn in Favor of Miami's Hispanic Community ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3910F7CD.F5729E0@oio.net>
Source record: 111972

Robert,
You and Mr. Basuto still seem to be ignoring the fact
that a court order was defied as well as other illegal
practices.
By the way, was this YOUR exoerience or Bob Sherin's?
'Doc

3420. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2cqr@erols.com
Message-ID: <391032be.432134850@news.erols.com>
Source record: 111984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

When Norm Thagard was on board MIR, I worked him several times on FM voice using ten watts from an old Yaesu memorizer and a homebrew five element quad made out of refrigerator tubing and scrap lumber. I have some pictures of the set-up in the space and astronomy section of my web site.

http://www.erols.com/wmeara

Good luck! 73 Bill N2CQR

3421. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12831-39100550-4@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111985

Lord God Alimighty this has been done BEFORE, KK4TL!!! David WAS allowed back in!! The net members decided to give Castle one more try and he got on and filibustered worse than Harvey in Florida!! He then started to carry on conversations with other "friendlies" without the permission of net control!! It's his "mission" to try and disrupt that net!!

Some of you are so new to this situation, that you don't even know all the details. The fella who has filed the affidavit against Castle tried to do something with his attorney SIX YEARS AGO already.(Which means KJI's jamming has been going on much longer...about eight years now)

Don B.

3422. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Twaddle my minkie <remove64323@juno.com>
Message-ID: <OgUP4.22256$x4.683275@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111986

Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:FqNP4.19697$x4.652469@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> The next person who says "get a life" on this
> newsgroup is hereby sentenced to 50 lashes with a
> wet noodle

ONLY if the person selected to *administer*
the penalty above is female, 5-foot-11, no
more than 23, and is dressed in black leather
showing MUCH clevage...

:) :) :) :) :) :) :) :) :) :)

3423. Re: Clarification on BUrkSWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000503081930.09496.00001169@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 111987

Burk ol boy, your so full of shit your eyes are brown. I've been on 3950 for 5 or 6 years and listened 3 years before that.
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3424. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <8ep4qt01f1a@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

D. Stussy <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org> wrote in message
news:Pine.LNX.4.10.10005030917520.568-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org...
> On Mon, 1 May 2000, Ron Klein wrote:
> > Ok - I'll start "spinning"....
> >
> > His Chinese buddies need more navigation accuracy to hit Taiwan with
> > projectiles, and he hasn't found any American corporate execs willing
> > to transfer more technology for him, eh?
> >
> > Sorry.... but, this is a national security issue that should not be
> > allowed to be implemented
>
> However, considering that there are many other sources (e.g. printed
> topographical maps) where the equivalent information can be found, that
kind of
> eliminates the original need for the security classification.
>

The Iraqis had topographical maps when they targeted their old Chinese "silkworm" missiles on Israel, but enjoyed only what can be called "piss-poor" accuracy. There was no way to let those missiles know if they were off course, and thus no way to obtain decent accuracy. They did little better than the Germans did with their V2 rockets, for that reason.

Now, every two-bit terrorist has a cheap 'n easy way to target missiles with highly satisfactory accuracy.

Sorry to hear that you are too ignorant to see the national security issues involved in handing over what amounts to a cheap, accurate missile guidance system to every terrorist on the planet. - Why did you think GPS was deliberately made useless for rapidly traveling vehicles in the first place? Just for kicks?

Try popping your head out and taking a look around at the real world, now and then.

--

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http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

3425. Re: Where can I operate?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39104016.9457760@ahole.com>
Source record: 111989

Rick wrote:
>
> On Mon, 01 May 2000 21:28:48 GMT, (John) wrote:
>
> >
> >>
> >Ain't the Welfare Hams just great?
>
> Well John, you are a F*cking A*sh*le.
> I am tire of hearing and reading this welfare CRAP on the air and on
> the internet! I HOPE the FCC does the ultimate Body slam and drops the
> code and the extra class by 2002. I hope they also change the band
> plan so that there are no more CW only bands and that Phone is
> permitted up and down the Ham Bands. You bitter people DESERVE IT!!!
> I hope the FCC Reads this and listens to the 80 and 20 Meter so they
> can change the rules as possible.
>
> Rick

What, make it worse so no one but brain dead idiots can operate on
80 and 20. It's bad enough now, why make it worse?

3426. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jopi21p@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <CtVP4.145$c9.6164@news.get2net.dk>
Source record: 111990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Charles Brabham wrote>...
>
>The Iraqis had topographical maps when they targeted their old Chinese
>"silkworm" missiles on Israel, but enjoyed only what can be called
>"piss-poor" accuracy.

Wow - did they have toilets, cars, houses, bananas, stereos, desks,
curtains,
telephones, chairs, pencils, hats, insects, paper, TV's, roofs and tomatos
too?

And did they have telephones, pants, stones, cigarettes, antennas, water,
PCMCIA-slots, crowbars or dogs perhaps - did they use it for their SCUD's?

Why don't You stop you shitty comments, Bozo - You obviously don't know
what you're talking about!

J

3427. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391040E2.87DFDAE4@ahole.com>
Source record: 111991

Funny, I didn't see any MACHINE GUNS!

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Robert Morris wrote:
> >
> > Jeff Herman is right. How does being there endow the witnesses with
> > knowledge of behind the scenes machinations?
>
> Well, the house was searched just a few days prior to the raid. No
> weapons were found. The house was under constant surveillance between
> the search and the raid. No weapons were taken into the house.
>
> The Feds defend their waving guns around on the claim that there were
> "rumors" of weapons in the house, yet they knew that the only weapons
> brought in were the machineguns they were carrying.
>
> If that doesn't cry of "behinds the scenes machination," what would?

3428. Re: Two "New" Extra Class Hams Were Talking...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Liberty_nits <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39104245.EC33E164@ahole.com>
Source record: 111992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ATTN: Dumbshit Mark Morgan or is it GENERAL Morgan... What you just
stated is how CB started. Simple paper work for a license. See
what happened.... Will happen to ham radio also....

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Tue, 25 Apr 2000 09:18:08 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Brian wrote
> >> After these new hams have
> >>40 years of experience, they'll know just as much as or more than the old
> >>hams with 40 years of experience.
> >>
> >>So why have a pretend test at all? Why not just give them a booklet of rules
> >>with the license pasted in the back cover. In 40 years they'll know just as
> >>much...
>
> I don't know why? Frankly the most usefull part of the whole
> procedure is the paperwork of licensure, and the act of dealing with
> officaldom in getting the license. We could as I have often said
> survive no test at all by the looks of things. Might not be the best
> method of licenuse but might not be that much different. Indeed the
> more I read the newgroup the more I question the need for anything
> more than GRMS type licensing
> >
> >
> >
> >

3429. Re: NEW WORLD WIDE VOICE TEXT CHAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <8ep5hi11fei@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

primetime <primetim@frontiernet.net> wrote in message
news:8ennuf$3cao$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net...
> In article <%L1P4.11111$g4.321955@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"MITBR" <mitbr@earthlink.net> wrote:
> >Hello!!
> > I have a web page dedicated to the radio hobby here in Tampa Bay
> >Florida. I am in the process of launching a new audio chat network on a

> snip <
>
> I thought that's what RADIOS were for?
> >

Good point!

You hit the nail exactly on the head.

--

73 DE Charles Brabham, N5PVL
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

3430. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39104440.6FC09050@ahole.com>
Source record: 111994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Weird only to the mindless ones....

Meg A Hertz wrote:
>
> I agree. The airwaves belong to all of us, and we have a right
> to use them, coupled with the responsiblility to use them
> correctly (which aptitude is tested by exams).
>
> It is not a privilege that is some sort of reward for passing a
> bizare initiation ceremony... (although Morse testing certainly
> is weird)
>
> *MegHz*
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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3431. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39104596.2D646503@ahole.com>
Source record: 111995

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> Bob Sherin wrote:
> >
> > Great. At last your rhetoric resonates here. Good for you. So now
> > take it further in your best effort to convince me of your position,
> > knowing my expressed opinion to this point in time. p.s. Let's not
> > pursue the "bandwagon argument."
> >
> > Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> > Miami, Florida
>
> Anyone who spends a lot of time around me knows I'm not interested
> in bandwagons. My position should be clear. The debate over whether
> Elian is entitled to stay has fallen into the courts. Once there,
> the wrangling by either side stops until the court decides the
> resolution of the outstanding questions. Any action one way or the
> other by either side is wrong.
>
> Whether Elian belongs with his father stopped being the issue as
> soon as the courts were involved. A cheap ploy? Probably. Most
> movements toward the courts these days are. But once there, the
> domain of authority shifts from INS to the courts. That means the
> Judiciary, not the Executive branch.
>
> By the involvement of Janet Reno, and the President's attorney,
> with the involvement of Cuban diplomatic corp, the Executive branch
> became a party to the dispute, along with the father. The 11th
> District Court of Appeals ruling enjoined the parties from further
> action until the questions in the dispute were resolved by the
> courts. The Executive branch, now a party to the dispute, in its
> actions, flouted the ruling by the Court. That raises the questions
> of the legality of the incursion.
>
> Claims by Reno, and the INS about weapons, have been disputed by
> witnesses on the scene. Another question. The news outlets have
> addressed only the Executive branch position that there were
> weapons. Claims by Remo and the INS about the violence in Little
> Havana have been disputed by witnesses on the scene. Still another
> question. The news outlets have addressed only the Executive branch
> position that the citizens of Little Havana, and specifically the
> crowd around the home, were of a violent nature.
> Now, Elian, in the hands of the Executive branch, closely
> guarded, and isolated from his lawyers, (remember in the 11th

> District ruling he is named as a plaintiff, therefore entitled to
> counsel), is allowed 100% access by opposing counsel. Clearly a
> conflict of interest, and a deprivation of what the court
> acknowledged are Elian's rights under US law.

When did he become a citizen of this country and when did the
rights of the parent been rescinded? The boy needed to be with
his only surviving parent. Not with a bunch of anti Cuban trouble
makers in Miami.

> Several new questions
> raised there. The only information forthcoming from behind the
> walls, is coming from opposing counsel, a party to the dispute? And
> the Executive branch is involved? And this is countenanced by the
> press?
>
> How does this happen? How does the profession that brought Mike
> Wallace, Edward R Murrow, and Woodward & Bernstein to stardom simply
> sit by and watch this?
>
> Now it's revealed that Juan Miguel has direct access to Castro,
> who took a cell phone call from Juan Miguel, during a rally in Cuba,
> to announce his support, and what amounts to an impending victory.
> No one is naive enough to think that that's anything but a PR move,
> but again, a PR move with full countenance of the mainstream press?
> And the involvement of the Executive Branch?
>
> Setting aside for a moment the emotionally laden issue of the
> father and the child's relationship to him, setting aside even the
> direct involvement of Castro himself, and his own stated intent for
> the child, which is NOT to live with his father in Cardenas, btw;
> setting aside these issues, you begin to see a strongly imbalanced
> presentation of the entire issue to the public eye, with questions
> germaine to the truth going unasked, by the very people whose job it
> is to ask questions.
> Now, couple this picture with the emerging, and little reported
> story that Clinton himself, ordered a poll taken to gather public
> opinion on the subject of a potential raid to retrieve Elian, and
> with numbers near 80% in favor, ordered Reno to go ahead with the
> pre dawn raid, in violation of both Clinton's own promise to Senator
> Gramm, AND Reno's promise to forestall any incursion into the home
> until at least Monday following Easter, despite the family's
> concessions to relinquish the boy, not to mention the 11th District
> court ruling, and STILL NO NEWS QUESTIONING WHY...you see a
> government that is running amuck, drunk on public opinion, and
> making a mockery of the law, the courts, and doing it in our name.
>
> Should Elian have been reunited with his father? I don't know.
> There are conflicting questions about the nature of that
> relationship that have been unanswered. Does a boy belong with his
> father? On balance, absolutely. Why is this issue special? Because

> the laws involving Cuban refugees apply special dispensation to
> Cuban expatriates on US soil: Reuest for asylum is assumed.
> Regardless of age. Regardless of status. That's the law. Once the
> dispute falls into the courts, as this one had, the decision rests
> with the court. No matter how anyone feels about the boy and his
> father, the truth will be sorted out there, and a decision based on
> the best interests of the boy, balanced with compliance with the law
> will be made.
>
> The Executive branch, as a party to the dispute, was wrong. Not
> because it reunited the boy with his father, but because it was
> illegal to do so, at that time, as the warrants of questionable
> legitimacy suggest. As the timing of the raid suggests.
> The Executive branch, has a long and rich history of abuse of
> power, dating well beyond this administration. It's still wrong.
> It's still a violation of the most basic tenets of our laws, the
> separation of powers, and it sets and maintains a dangerous
> precedent for the rest of us. But that alone is not what's so
> alarming.
> What's different in this case, is that for the first time in my
> memory, the press, has rolled over and allowed this kind of abuse of
> power, and contempt for the law to go un questioned. The press,
> instead of playing devil's advocate in pursuit of the truth, or
> loyal opposition in pursuit of the truth, has become a willing ally
> with the Executive Branch. Which is not unusual in itself, but along
> the way has stopped asking questions.
>
> The Chicago Tribune is very proud of the claim that it was
> almost single handedly responsible for bringing Abraham Lincoln to
> prominence. And was almost single handledly responsible for getting
> him elected to the Presidency. Taking sides is not a new thing. But
> the Chicago Tribune also raised serious questions about the Mayor's
> office during and after the '68 Democratic Convention. The
> Washington Post brought down a President. Specifically over abuse of
> power, and illegal activity. And yet, The Washington Post, the
> Chicago Tribune, how many others have allied with the Executive
> branch in demonizing both the Gonzalez family, and the residents of
> Miami, but not questioned the abuse of power in the raid. It is
> because the adversarial and skeptical nature of the press, and the
> need for it, that the First Amendment was written. It keeps the
> Government honest. And prevents the Government from establishing a
> propaganda arm...state run media. That responsibility, and the
> almost total lack of public awareness of that largely abrogated
> responsibility today, makes qustionabl the freedoms that we enjoy in
> this country.
>
> My objection is less that Elian was snatched, and more that our
> own government in a show of force, with complicity of the press,
> targeted and raided ANOTHER US citizen's home. And that armed raids
> into citizen's homes, and businesses are becoming too easy to

> justify. Because no one's asking questions. Where is the outrage?
> Where is the loyal opposition?
>
> Bob, you speak of my general presentation. There's a reason for
> that. The minutiae are exactly the issues to be decided in the
> courts. The minutiae are where obfuscation is found, as past
> performances by this government have demonstrated. But if you take a
> step backm, let the substantive legal issues in this case be picked
> apart by the courts; take the larger view before you wade into the
> hard ethical issues, and see the outstanding questionsm, You see
> where they're leading us. As individuals. You and me. See the
> historical parallels as well as the historical differences, and ask
> the big question..and DEMAND an answer....What the hell is wrong
> with this picture?
>
> Bob, you and I may disagree, but you express your disagreement
> with respect, and composure. It would be wrong not to acknowledge
> that. Thank you.
>
> p

3432. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8epbaevkn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111996
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <8ep4qt01f1a@enews4.newsguy.com>,
"Charles Brabham" <n5pvl@texoma.net> wrote:

> Sorry to hear that you are too ignorant to see the national security
> issues involved in handing over what amounts to a cheap, accurate
> missile guidance system to every terrorist on the planet. - Why did
> you think GPS was deliberately made useless for rapidly traveling
> vehicles in the first place? Just for kicks?
>
> Try popping your head out and taking a look around at the real world,
> now and then.

I love it when ignorant people start yelling about how people should
"take a look around now and then."

Hellllloooooo!!! When was GPS made deliberately useless for rapidly
travelling vehicles? Do you read? Do you have any idea how many
airplanes are flying around with GPS? Not just Cessna 172s, real jets,
like fighters, for example.

Run out to the clue store and see if you can still get one.

LRod

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3433. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8epdm2$2jf$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111997

In article <5xNP4.20036$x4.636861@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
> <nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8ekjsgnph1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > MABEY (SP "MAYBE") YOU CAN (MISSING VERB - "DO"?) SOMTHING
GOOD FOR
> HAM RADIO. (PUNC. - YOU ARE USING A PERIOD TO SEPARATE A DEPENDENT
CLAUSE
> FROM AN INDEPENDENT CLAUSE. SUGGEST YOU REPLACE WITH SEMICOLON IF YOU
KNOW
> WHAT THAT IS) YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
> > TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR (SP - "THEY'RE")
NOT SO
> WIDE (PUNC. MISSING PERIOD) LEAVE 3950
> > ALONE .
> DOES YOUR WIFE NEED HELP TO I CAN HELP!@#$%^&*()_+_)(*&^%$#@!
{}":<>?/.,;'[]PICK THE ONE YOU WANT DICK HEAD
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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3434. We've reached our solar peak...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <588-39102E58-15@storefull-138.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111998

It looks as though we've reached our solar peak around Jan./Feb. as we continue to spiral downward. Sunspot numbers may fall below 100 for the first time in about a year in the next couple of days and the flares are on the increase.(Which is typical for the decline side of the cycle.)

For all the hype about this peak, it looks as if its going to be a dog. I was able to participate in only one F2 opening on six this past winter. Whoopie.

73 from Don B.

3435. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <8epaes01j82@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

John <jopi21p@bigfoot.com> wrote in message
news:CtVP4.145$c9.6164@news.get2net.dk...
>
> Charles Brabham wrote>...
> >
> >The Iraqis had topographical maps when they targeted their old Chinese
> >"silkworm" missiles on Israel, but enjoyed only what can be called
> >"piss-poor" accuracy.

John's comments speak for themselves. Off topic, full of farina.

>
> Wow - did they have toilets, cars, houses, bananas, stereos, desks,
> curtains,
> telephones, chairs, pencils, hats, insects, paper, TV's, roofs and tomatos
> too?
>
> And did they have telephones, pants, stones, cigarettes, antennas, water,
> PCMCIA-slots, crowbars or dogs perhaps - did they use it for their SCUD's?
>
> Why don't You stop you shitty comments, Bozo - You obviously don't know
> what you're talking about!

--

Charles Brabham, N5PVL
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

3436. Re: Hysteria in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503102858.00689.00011340@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112000

In article <9890-390FB8B7-101@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) writes:

>These are basically fine people. Being "other" in the midst of the
>Hispanic majority, I am thrilled at the renewed family and work ethic.
>Miami has indeed made progress in almost every arena.

Interesting observation, that whites are now a minority in Miami. As such, I assume they qualify for the usual assortment of benefits which racial minorities have become entitled to in our country. I'm sure whites in Miami can take advantage of hiring quotas, anti-discrimination laws, subsidized mortgages, minority business incentives, etc.

Or are these "privileges" only reserved for "certain" minorities?

3437. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503102858.00689.00011341@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112001

In article <20000503004231.17861.00000646@ng-ft1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) writes:

>Are you saying that WA9KJI and W9ART actually intentionally interfere with
>The Great Liberty Net?

Is the Pope Catholic?

3438. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3910386B.C634D6D8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112002

General Mark Morgan wrote:

> > Now, Elian, in the hands of the Executive branch, closely
> > guarded, and isolated from his lawyers, (remember in the 11th
> > District ruling he is named as a plaintiff, therefore entitled to
> > counsel), is allowed 100% access by opposing counsel. Clearly a
> > conflict of interest, and a deprivation of what the court
> > acknowledged are Elian's rights under US law.
>
> When did he become a citizen of this country and when did the
> rights of the parent been rescinded? The boy needed to be with
> his only surviving parent. Not with a bunch of anti Cuban trouble
> makers in Miami.
>

He didn't become a citizen of this country. But h doesn't have to be. He was afforded certain rights when the court acknowledged the complaint in his name and recognized his counsel in the 11th District Court ruling. The question of parental rights was not the issue. The issue was the request for asylum. The father's rights were not rescinded. But once the matter fell into the courts the decision rests with the courts. And all other matters wait until the court decides in the issues before it. Whether the boy was to be surrendered to his father to return to Cuba became one of those issues to be decided by the court.

3439. Re: We've reached our solar peak...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503103222.00689.00011342@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 112003

In article <588-39102E58-15@storefull-138.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) writes:

>For all the hype about this peak, it looks as if its going to be a dog.
>I was able to participate in only one F2 opening on six this past
>winter. Whoopie.

E-skip was pretty hot on Sunday night. Plenty of interference to local TV
Channel 2, even though I receive it via cable.

3440. Re: Response to KW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3910351F.1EF9C4B7@bctv.com>
Source record: 112004

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> The respected Atlanta Constitution advocated separation of the races in
> times past too.
>
> The rush of history subsumes prior positions too. Notwithstanding,
> Pravda today has SOME even-handed news, filtered, of course, through
> Russian culture.

I'm not talking about the Washington Post TODAY, I'm talking about the Washington Post during the Brezhnev era.

> My point is: Because times change, as do positions, no reason arises to
> blanketly reject the written word. Jeff Herman is right when he wrote:
> Carefully weigh the evidence, then judge the credibility of the source.

I do.

Perhaps you would find the US State Department 1999 report on Cuba enlightening.

http://www.newsmax.com/articles/?a=2000/5/1/143641

Or how about the 2000 report from Human Rights Watch:

http://www.hrw.org/hrw/wr2k/americas-04.htm

3441. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39103589.C1853408@bctv.com>
Source record: 112005

Liberty_nits wrote:
>
> Funny, I didn't see any MACHINE GUNS!

Pray tell, what do you think the MP-5K is?

3442. Re: We've reached our solar peak...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <39103A41.718F7524@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 112006

Donald Burkhart wrote:

> It looks as though we've reached our solar peak around Jan./Feb. as we
> continue to spiral downward. Sunspot numbers may fall below 100 for the
> first time in about a year in the next couple of days and the flares are
> on the increase.(Which is typical for the decline side of the cycle.)
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> For all the hype about this peak, it looks as if its going to be a dog.
> I was able to participate in only one F2 opening on six this past
> winter. Whoopie.
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> 73 from Don B.

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Hi Don -- golly lets hope not. Maybe take a look at URL:
http://www.hfradio.org/propagation.html
AND
gopher://sec.noaa.gov/I9/weekly/f10.gif
Has some prediction charts that are encouraging (kinda)

--
73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca
==========
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
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Over 580,000 Visits On The Counter
http://www.ac6v.com - General Ham Pages
http://www.ac6v.com/pagedx.html - DX Reference Pages

3443. Re: Hysteria in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391038D4.C2E9BC7@bctv.com>
Source record: 112007

Bob Sherin wrote:

> The Hispanic community sees every issue as pro or anti Castro.

I've noticed that the Jews have no sense of humor when it comes to National Socialism, either. Remember the screaming about Reagan speaking in the Bitburg cemetery? Out of hundreds upon hundreds of graves, the Jews went ballistic because FOUR of those graves were of SS troopers.

The Washington Post was on their side.

Ignored in your whole argument is the question of what is best for ELIAN?

Why don't you ask that nun why she changed her mind about sending him back, after meeting his grandmothers? The day before the grandmothers arrived, she said that her whole reason for getting involved was to "speed Elian on his way home." Since that meeting, her only statements have been "Elian should stay in the US."

Why do you ignore Alan Dershowitz' comments detailing the illegality of the raid?

Why do you ignore the Federal negotiator's comments that Elian's relatives were negotiating in good faith?

If Elian's mother had died escaping over the Berlin Wall, would you be so eager to send him back to East Germany?

3444. To ground or not to ground???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stu <stu@ncweb.com>
Message-ID: <sh0f8rn61g2141@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112008

Greetings,

I heard some folks say it is a must to ground your equipment, (xmtr/PS etc) and some say do not bother. What is the best practice. Especially if the shack is on the second floor, (needing the shortest possible grounding wire). Use a long rod/strap attach all equipment to it. Then a grounding strap/wire to the grounding rod two stories down? Thanks in advance for all help. 73, Stuart KB8VIY

3445. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39103AE7.196B469C@bctv.com>
Source record: 112009
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <8ep4qt01f1a@enews4.newsguy.com>,
"Charles Brabham" <n5pvl@texoma.net> wrote:

> Sorry to hear that you are too ignorant to see the national security
> issues involved in handing over what amounts to a cheap, accurate
> missile guidance system to every terrorist on the planet. - Why did
> you think GPS was deliberately made useless for rapidly traveling
> vehicles in the first place? Just for kicks?

Sorry, Charles, GPS has never been "useless for rapidly traveling vehicles." Some MANUFACTURERS, most notably Garmin, produce a line of handheld units which go inactive at about 100kts, but this is a corporate decision, intended to reduce their liability by forcing aviation users to by the (more expensive) FAA-approved line.

Any terrorist organization which would be able to make use of high-speed GPS tracking is likely to be able to pay an extra $200 for the better GPS system (assuming that they don't just steal one out of some guy's Cessna).

BTW, the aviation GPS isn't affected by "stutter mode" (SA) anyway . . .

3446. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39105B5F.5640FF56@ahole.com>
Source record: 112010

From what I can tell it is an automatic weapon, not a "MACHINE" gun.

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Liberty_nits wrote:
> >
> > Funny, I didn't see any MACHINE GUNS!
>
> Pray tell, what do you think the MP-5K is?

3447. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39105C11.11FEE080@ahole.com>
Source record: 112011

When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> General Mark Morgan wrote:
>
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> court decides in the issues before it. Whether the boy was to be
> surrendered to his father to return to Cuba became one of those
> issues to be decided by the court.

3448. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ephln$7d0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <8ep4qt01f1a@enews4.newsguy.com>,
"Charles Brabham" <n5pvl@texoma.net> wrote:

> The Iraqis had topographical maps when they targeted their old Chinese
> "silkworm" missiles on Israel, but enjoyed only what can be called
> "piss-poor" accuracy. There was no way to let those missiles know if
they
> were off course, and thus no way to obtain decent accuracy. They did
little
> better than the Germans did with their V2 rockets, for that reason.
>
> Now, every two-bit terrorist has a cheap 'n easy way to target
missiles with
> highly satisfactory accuracy.

I agree with John - you DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT, and should SHUTUP! Chinese Silkworms technology was used by Iran, not Iraq. Iraq used Russian Scud technology, which was very close to V2 technology. It was difficult enough for them to hit Israel, let alone Jerusalem or Tel-Aviv. Improved GPS technology has NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS! You don't think that they could have just bought more accurate information from Russia anyway? You are STUPID!

And you are that same jerk that is always trying to block high-speed digital communications progress too. You seem to be an old PBBS operator who wants to bring back the control-freak "glory days" of packet radio. You are a total jerk, who DOESN'T KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT, and should shutup!

> Sorry to hear that you are too ignorant to see the national security
issues
> involved in handing over what amounts to a cheap, accurate missile
guidance
> system to every terrorist on the planet. - Why did you think GPS was
> deliberately made useless for rapidly traveling vehicles in the first
place?
> Just for kicks?

No, because of control/power freaks like you, who wanted to hold on to their empires. Now if we can just get the NIMA bastards to release Level 1 DTED, and some decent CADRG maps!. Level 0 DTED is crap! Now, we can get USGS topo maps over the Internet for free for the entire US - the only place we can't get data over the Internet is for OTHER contries. What does THAT have to do with national security, huh? It is ONLY a control/power freak issue! They STILL would have level 2 DTED

(and I'm sure MUCH more detailed than that).

> Try popping your head out and taking a look around at the real world,
now
> and then.

What really pisses me off is how much they hyped that Space Shuttle
mission that made more accurate topo maps of the Earth - they made it
seem like it was going to benefit mankind. Hah! It was only to
further entrench their power pyramids. What a bunch of dickheads! And
how IGNORANT are the people - like you!

> Charles Brabham, N5PVL
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Stewart - N0MHS

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3449. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <39104938.CBE20DEA@innocent.com>
Source record: 112013
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.wa9kji,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> Lord God Alimighty this has been done BEFORE, KK4TL!!! David WAS
> allowed back in!! The net members decided to give Castle one more try
> and he got on and filibustered worse than Harvey in Florida!! He then
> started to carry on conversations with other "friendlies" without the
> permission of net control!! It's his "mission" to try and disrupt that
> net!!
>
> Some of you are so new to this situation, that you don't even know all
> the details. The fella who has filed the affidavit against Castle tried
> to do something with his attorney SIX YEARS AGO already.(Which means
> KJI's jamming has been going on much longer...about eight years now)
>
> Don B.

Yes, Mr. Burkhart. WA9KJI was checked into the Liberty Net many times prior to the beginning of his intense jamming and disruption efforts in 1992.

And, as you said, there were efforts made to allow him back in, up until about 1994, which he repaid by further jamming, obscenities, disruption, and false personal allegations of the most horrific nature.

So it's quite understandable that the cretin is _persona non grata_ on the Net and among Net regulars, as are a few of his most egregious allies in his inhuman "cause."

To see a recent sample of the mental processes of this obsessed individual, one only needs to read the email he sent a few days ago to a large number of persons, and which I quote below:

--------- begin quoted message ----------
> From: WA9KJI@aol.com
> To: [...]
> Cc: WA9KJI@aol.com
> Date: Mon, 1 May 2000 19:39:07 EDT
> Subject: (no subject)
> Message-ID: <24.467aad4.263f6f9b@aol.com>
>
> THE TROGLODYTES LETTER 4-29-00 N2SAG CALLS THE FRIENDLIES
> TROGLODYTES & TROLLS.,BUT THEY CALL HIM A POPE . HO HO HA HA.
>
> HELLO YOUR EMINENCE- N2SAG (LID)

> The long island duck station.a little humor,Ok
>
> (TO THE POPE ,BISHOP .VICKERY)
> (new name from kn4cf ,wb2cln, aa8dp.&many,others
>
>
>
>
> GREETINGS TO HIS POTPOURRIE*N2SAG & TO MANY GREAT THINGS TO BE.
> OUI ,OUI, -C'EST LE VI VIVA Vice' Que'te ama , -NEYET. NINE. NO
> ,PERO ,DIGO ESTE!!
> VIVA LIBERDAD .AND REAL DISCUSINONS ON 3950 !!
>
> THIS LETTER EXPLAINS WHAT N2SAG HAS BEEN DOING TO RUN W9ARK
> WA9KJI & K5BLB OF THE 3950 RADIO FREQUENCYS.1-
> N2SAGs LATEST DIRTY TRICK perhaps IS A FAKE AFFIDAVIT
> He is in collusion with WB4AIO Kevin strom the White suprimist
> to discredit W9ART K5BLB & WA9KJI. They wrote an affidavit
> claiming interference by w9art & wa9kji concerning March 8.2000
> Saggy been bragging about it for month ho ho.
> And even swore to it & sent it to Riley Hollingworth.ho ho
> LOOK at KEVIN STROMS s web page -
> http://www.3950.net/
> SOME ARE SAYING N2SAG IS THE LONGA* ISLAND DUCK acronym,
> L.I.D. LOOK AT AL PARKERS web page
> http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/Agency/1382/
> N2SAG IS IN CHARGE OF LIB NET DIRTY TRICKS, TO RUN ART KJI &
> BLB OF THE RADIO BY ANY MEANS POSSIBLE,
> SO WITH THE TITLE OF POPE OR BISHIP ,GIVEN HIM BY A LIB NET
> SPLINTER GROUP WHO NOW SURELY DESPISE HIM
> N2SAG IS IN CHARGE OF HIS FADING POTPOURRI*- AND HE IS TRYING
> TO REGAIN HIS CREDIBILITY.BY LYING AGAIN ABOUT THE ONES WHO ARE IN
> OPPOSITION TO HIM AND HIS TACTICS OF DISCRIMINATION & YOU CAN FIND
> SOME OF THEM ON OR NEAR 3860,
> NOW see FRIENDLIES.web pages
> http://dgk5mvk.tripod.com/donspage.htm
> N2SAG CALLS THE FRIENDLIES TROGLODYTES & TROLLS DOES HE? BUT -
> could he have been a morphidite or a parasite. Or a sort of kkk
> Jesuit. Geru.NO
>
> no,he is a CRAZY COLLABORTOR ,A JOESEPH GERBLES* PROPAGANDA MAN
> ,YOU SEE SO N2SAGS DIOCESE.-IS IN DISSENSION AND CONTENTION
> IN THE KINGDOMS ON THE EAST COAST GROUPS OCEAN?? 3950 & 3860* ETC??
> THEY NAMED HIM BISHOP&POPE FOR HIS INTOLERANCE INSINCERITY &
> INEPTITUDE & FOR PERFIDY.AGAINST ART SID & ME.
>
> Also N2SAG is a Drudgie Internet Watcher or at least a
> Drudgie
>
> fanatic .he is psychotic paranoiac and weird and a sort of a dope

> you can see he is enamored of Bob Grant & G Lidddy.And just A
> DOPE ON A ROPE from watching Drudgie.
> As he never was a fighter, and he never was a writer,but he does
> want to be a pundit and a prelate & a priest. as you can see. a
> public speaker and a crowd Pleaser but he is not equipped for that
> heavy duty as you can see -hes just a MICKEY MOUSE type MUCKY
> HUCKY PUCKY WUCKY SUCKY DUCKY
> from
> LONGA- ISLAND & A CO HOST on the GREAT LIBERTY LOBBY HOBBY
> NET- -ON
>
> SATURDAY NIGHT.
> N2SAG IS BEING A -CHEVY CHASE- DISGRACE As he is not a
> custodian of American faith or a centurion of justice.nor a
> historian ,nor great at old radio restoration. he is only a
> plebeian as you can well hear in SAGYS CULTURE ALERTS. A -C-B- SOUND
> EFFECTS & RILEY WILL CITE YOU TOO SAGY
> like
> N8GWM GOT Ha ha he he.
> BUT IS SAG BEING ALL HE CAN BE ?-,A PSEUDO PRELATE .AND YOU CAN
> SMELL IT-& WITH NO REAL DIOCESE NOW HE IS NEUROTIC- AND HE NEEDS
> REPENTANCE THERAPHY & PSYCHIATRY ..
> BUT THERE IS ANOTHER FUHRER TYPE POPE .W1WCR WHO RUN S THE
> LIB NET & HELPS THE LONGA* ISLAND POPE TO BE ALL HE CAN BE. THIS
> POPE IS FROM NEW
>
> HAMPSHIRE,& HIS NAME IS VICTOR MISEK
> THIS IS W1WCR WHO WON'T LET ART SID OR DAVE CHECK IN HIS
> LIBERTTY NET,BUT HE HIMSEF IS ONLY A FIRST GENERATION HUNGARIAN, SO
> WHAT GIVES HIM RIGHT TO DISCRIMINATE AGAINST,BLACKS JEWS HISPANICS
> AND INDIANS???
> W1WCR IS IN HUDSON NEW HAMPSHIRE.AND TOOK LIBERTY NET FROM THE
> LIBERTY LOBBY GROUP
> SO THOSE OF YOU READING THIS ,SHOULD KNOW THAT THE ORIGNAL LIB
> NET WAS KNOW AS AN EXTREME RIGHT WING FASCIST GROUP AND THAT IS NOT
> WHAT A 3950 LIBERTY NET SHOULD BE , IT SHOULD ALLOW ALL OPINIONS TO
> BE HEARD.,DON'T YOU THINK??
> N2SAG IS W1WCRs IS HIS RIGHT HAND MAN AND HELPS HIM TO LIMIT
> THE TYPE OF COMMENTS HEARD ON THIS LIBERTY NET.
> I BELIVE W1WCR IS MISUSING 3950 WITH HIS NET BECAUSE IT SHOULD
> INCLUDE THOSE AFFECTED BY THE INSULTS THEY PUT OUT WHILE HIDING
> BEHIND AN EXCLUSIONARY ADMITTANCE. THIS IS MISUSE OF AN AMATEUR
> RADIO FORUM, IT MUST
> EXCLUDE ALL PEOPLE WHO BELIEVE IN THE CONSTITUTION AND LIBERTY AND
> MUST NOT EXCLUDE ANYONE WITH AN OPPOSITION OPINION. RIGHT???
>
> HERE IS SOME MORE SATIRE ON N2SAG BECAUSE HE HAS OVERESTIMATED THE
> INFLUENCE OF A LONG ISLAND DUCK STATION .(HUMOR OK??)
> N2SAG is from long island you can see he can Quack Quack
> Quack

>
> WITH REVELRY. and take up the slack.with inanities and platitudes
> and bad attitudes & Sing the blues on cues- for his master in NEW
> HAMPSHIRE THE OTHER POPE NAMED WICKED WICTOR-THE DICTATOR
> -THE HUNGARIAN WHO
> LIKES FASCIST & HAS A NET I CALL THE HUBBY DUBBY-LIBERTY NET.
> -BUT
>
> THEY CALL IT -THE GREAT LIBERTY- NET -BUT-THE HUBBY DUBBY FLUBBY
> DUBBY NET/-
> IS MORE TRUE TO REALITY.AND PRACTICALITY AT THIS TIME. CAUSE -OLD
> PRIMA DONNAS LIKE HARRISON & HARVEY HOG IT, YOU SEE.AND THEN THOSE
> WITH WEAK SIGNALS AND POOR AUDIO & BAD ATTITUDES & .ADD TO
> THE CACOPHONY OF PEOPLE WHO JUST RESENT THE USUAL ONE SIDED KKK
> REVISIOIST, HITLER LOVERS.& WHITE , STUFF..
>
> THEY LIKE BAD NEW & NO GOOD NEWS EVER IS GIVEN TO APPRECIATION.OF
> HAVING A FREE COUNTRY .WITH LIBERTY.AND FREE SPEECH SUPPOSEDLY FOR
> ALL.;;
> AND SAGY. never was nor could he be like Mohammed OLLI or me -
> and he could never FLOAT LIKE A BUTTERFLY OR STING LIKE A BEE But
> the long island.
> mud duck is stuck there where he stands. .
> AND recently THE NEW LIB NET splinter GROUP on their new
> frequency of 3860 * gave him his new name POPE WITH ALTER BOY BUB
> or BUBBY N2BUB , both arre from long island. There was even
> saggys false witness AA8DP talking with them WHO CALLED
> HOLLINGSWORTH AND LIED TO RILEY ABOUT MAY 1 99
> INCIDENT (this was after the N2SAG urged him to make the call)
> &AA8PD is now talking against SAGGY with saggs own words for
> instance -like TROGLODITES & TROLLS AND CIA MOLES to convence
> Admiral JIM to believe in him.
> & that he was not and never has been under educated nor
> disaffiliated.says aa8dp. nor a cellar spider who sits beside her.
> AND AA8PD went on to say he is ,. adept and adroit and can
> prove it.
>
> even in court .for sport. And then DP was heard to say he can
> speak German or Spanish fluently by the way . ha ha. hey hey hey..
> BUT WHY CAN'T THE POPE SPEAK ANY SPANISH OR GERMAN OR BUT A FEW
> FRENCH
> WORDS you see .??? OUI OUI ! An under educated-duck could it be?--
> is the reason- but that doesn't stop him from his seasons RSVP
> ,...SO I SAY VSVP MR LONGA* ISLAND DUCKY POPE-IE ->& 36.5*s .RSVP
> BUCKY .
> THE COURT REPORTER FOR 3950 -Have nice day!
> P.S. wa9kji.@aol.com WE DON'T WANT TO CLOSE DOWN LIB NET JUST OPEN
> IT UP TO ALL OPINIONS.THAT'S FAIR ISN'T IT????
> AND THANKS TO HAROLD N9HOH SURE SET RECORD STRAIGHT last night
> 4-30-00 AS TO WHO RAN THE FREEMANS NET OFF in 94 .HUH? SCOTTIE

> & MUR. KN4CF & WD4MUR
> Also you w2yee were called an old C-Ser remember huh? and wb2cln
> got some very bad words back then too.

---end quoted message---

Comment on the above is superfluous.

One of WA9KJI's major accomplices in his jamming and destructive work is WB0CXJ, who has published a web page at

http://www.angelfire.com/ms/vicvtorious/

the content of which is only very slightly more coherent than WA9KJI's email.

The interesting thing to me about all this is that there are a few of WA9KJI's allies who are clearly not as unbalanced or obsessed as he, who remain mostly in the background, and who are quite likely not unbalanced at all. They exploit those, like KJI, who have the qualities of recklessness, credulousness, and a limited IQ, and who apparently possess a great deal of free time. It is the patsies who have their licenses on the line because of their manifold illegal acts, while the sly manipulator guides their actions from a safe distance.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://www.kevin-strom.com

3450. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <F1568B6E20B86309.B1182BB6230C3F3A.DB5F95EE7C8DA8D0@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 112014

On Mon, 01 May 2000 13:36:04 -0400, "Curt M. Breneman"
<brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:

>
>It is amazing to me that such blatant anti-semitism still exists in the
>modern age. Has nothing been learned in the 20th century?
>
>Curt Breneman
>KC2EBP

Why is it that any time anyone points out that money and media are controlled in the USA by Jews, he's automatically pegged as anti-semitic? Is it so necessary to try to mask this fact? I was merely stating a fact of life in the United States. It is how we account for the extraordinary foreign aid sent to Israel each day.....more than any other country on the planet.

It has nothing to do with the religion, actually. I worked for Jews for years. I hung the masoosala (my spelling is awful) in the front door of their business. I've visited Israel, twice, over the last 20 years. I've also lived in Arabian countries who have good reason to fear the atomic bombs of the Israeli state. I lived in Iran, an arch-enemy of the Jewish state, for nearly 2 years. I've lived and worked in many places in the Middle East. I'm hardly anti-semitic. I have friends of many faiths, cults, etc.....

I also can't forget the Americans aboard USS Liberty who died in 1967 when the Israeli military tried to sink the ship and kill our sailors. No, I won't forget just because they control the money and media in the country, either. They shot directly at MY flag....

Larry....

3451. Provocative Piece, PeterMaus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8309-39104F35-3@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112015

I was thrilled to see your detailed post this morning,filled with genuine emotion. Having many half baked impressions about this, I'm afraid that I do not have your scale of knowledge.

To be a meaningful contriubutor, I need to study your post as well as the information out there, then search my legal knowledge and conscience. It may take a few days.

Congratulations on wrting on such a high level. Let's hope it leads to universal insight.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3452. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8epl3ebes1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <39103AE7.196B469C@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:

> BTW, the aviation GPS isn't affected by "stutter mode" (SA) anyway . .

That is utterly incorrect. The FAA has been spending zillions of dollars
to devolop the very correction systems discussed earlier in this thread
to allow more precision in GPS approach procedures.

LRod

30 year FAA employee

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3453. Re: TooManyRadios, Hysteria in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8307-39104FEB-17@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112017

TooManyRadios,

Being white in Miami doesn't yield any such special entitlements.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3454. To KW, I'm ill informed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8308-3910520E-12@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112018

Another great, great post. What an improvement of posts in this NG.

Your points are entirely valid. The reason I'm ignoring the rhetoric of our luminaries is that I'm spending all my time on ham radio and exercise at the expense of reading, ha, ha. An insulated world where information, other than this NG, doesn't penetrate, ha, ha. So I've become the ill informed poster, which I will try to change in the next week. Perservere and I'll be following all of your posts as well.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3455. Re: FA Drake 2-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Casey Bahr <caseyNOSPAM@foreign-interests.com>
Message-ID: <39105700.E715B1F1@foreign-interests.com>
Source record: 112019
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Praetorian,

I see this complaint all the time about eBay. There is a very simple solution to your gripe: Just look at items that are about to expire. If you don't like the bid price at that point pass, else make a bid and in a short time, maybe even minutes you'll know if you won. Actually a faster response time than contacting most NG sellers. Also, eBay has a better search facility.

73,

Casey

Praetorian wrote:

> Just my own opinion .. I have decided that I don't like EBAY sales.
>
> I would much rather come to some agreement instantly with some other
> post which sells an object ... and to find out immediately whether or
> not I will get the object. Waiting out several days to find out
> whether or not I win a bid does not get me the coveted object usually.
> To my experience, most EBAY bids wildly exceed the worth of the object.
> OK for the seller, I guess, and for those who simply MUST have it at
> any price.

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Remove CAPS in address to reply.

3456. Re: Hysteria in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eplkh$9s$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112020

Bob Sherin <Trebb@webtv.net> wrote:
>I do know that our notion of the First Amendment handed down by the
>English has become convoluted in Miami: Speak freely if you are
>anti-Castro, but shut up if you have anything good to say about Castro.
>I've seen pro-Castro protesters stoned downtown.

During a recent demonstration, one lone person was holding a sign
in favor of Elian's return; the police had to form a protective
barrier around the person and escort him away for his safety.

73, KH6O

3457. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <8epjgs01vtt@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 112021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote in message news:39103AE7.196B469C@bctv.com...
>
>
> BTW, the aviation GPS isn't affected by "stutter mode" (SA) anyway . . .

It's not the aviation GPS that is being discussed.

Try to stay on-topic.

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73 DE Charles Brabham, N5PVL
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

3458. Morse exercises No.21

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC - Frank Schmitte <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8epm5i$m96$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 112022
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr21_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr21_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr21_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

3459. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39105BFF.B4BEA387@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112023

General Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
> asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
> returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!

The word is 'moot' by the way.
It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
is assumed. No age restrictions, no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
is irrelevant. For the record, though a formal request for asylum
was also filed in his name and signed by Elian by the family.

>
> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > General Mark Morgan wrote:
> >
> > > > > Now, Elian, in the hands of the Executive branch, closely
> > > > > guarded, and isolated from his lawyers, (remember in the 11th
> > > > > District ruling he is named as a plaintiff, therefore entitled to
> > > > > counsel), is allowed 100% access by opposing counsel. Clearly a
> > > > > conflict of interest, and a deprivation of what the court
> > > > > acknowledged are Elian's rights under US law.
> > > >
> > > When did he become a citizen of this country and when did the
> > > rights of the parent been rescinded? The boy needed to be with
> > > his only surviving parent. Not with a bunch of anti Cuban trouble
> > > makers in Miami.
> > >
> >
> > He didn't become a citizen of this country. But h doesn't have to
> > be. He was afforded certain rights when the court acknowledged the
> > complaint in his name and recognized his counsel in the 11th
> > District Court ruling. The question of parental rights was not the
> > issue. The issue was the request for asylum. The father's rights
> > were not rescinded. But once the matter fell into the courts the
> > decision rests with the courts. And all other matters wait until the
> > court decides in the issues before it. Whether the boy was to be
> > surrendered to his father to return to Cuba became one of those
> > issues to be decided by the court.

3460. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <8epnvibe1@newcastle.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 112024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

kw@bctv.com writes:

>Sorry, Charles, GPS has never been "useless for rapidly traveling
>vehicles." Some MANUFACTURERS, most notably Garmin, produce a line of
>handheld units which go inactive at about 100kts, but this is a
>corporate decision, intended to reduce their liability by forcing
>aviation users to by the (more expensive) FAA-approved line.

In fact, all of the 12-channel Garmin handhelds, which means anything
that has come out in the past 3 years or more, do not have this limit.
They still have a speed limit of about 1000 knots, but that applies
to all civilian GPS receivers.

Dave

3461. New Rules Study Materials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bendthelite@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18361-39106BD9-43@storefull-111.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112025

I would like to know where revised study materials that reflect the updated rules that took effect after April 15th can be obtained.

3462. Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <!@invalid>
Message-ID: <o9t0hscv89l56i53l12oa8bd1h19l401c4@4ax.com>
Source record: 112026

Source: http://www.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Digest/2000/dd000503.html

PAUL E. HOLCOMBE. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2, 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-970). ENF

ROBERT L. MEYERS. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2, 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-977). ENF

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Kevin
http://nworegonradio.netfirms.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL and Ham Radio topics and links.

3463. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <391073b2.186507@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112027

On Wed, 03 May 2000 13:27:25 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>
>
>Peter Maus wrote:
>>
>> Bob Sherin wrote:
>> >
>> > Great. At last your rhetoric resonates here. Good for you. So now
>> > take it further in your best effort to convince me of your position,
>> > knowing my expressed opinion to this point in time. p.s. Let's not
>> > pursue the "bandwagon argument."
>> >
>> > Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>> > Miami, Florida
>>
>> Anyone who spends a lot of time around me knows I'm not interested
>> in bandwagons. My position should be clear. The debate over whether
>> Elian is entitled to stay has fallen into the courts. Once there,
>> the wrangling by either side stops until the court decides the
>> resolution of the outstanding questions. Any action one way or the
>> other by either side is wrong.
>>
>> Whether Elian belongs with his father stopped being the issue as
>> soon as the courts were involved. A cheap ploy? Probably. Most
>> movements toward the courts these days are. But once there, the
>> domain of authority shifts from INS to the courts. That means the
>> Judiciary, not the Executive branch.
>>
>> By the involvement of Janet Reno, and the President's attorney,
>> with the involvement of Cuban diplomatic corp, the Executive branch
>> became a party to the dispute, along with the father. The 11th
>> District Court of Appeals ruling enjoined the parties from further
>> action until the questions in the dispute were resolved by the
>> courts. The Executive branch, now a party to the dispute, in its
>> actions, flouted the ruling by the Court. That raises the questions
>> of the legality of the incursion.
>>
>> Claims by Reno, and the INS about weapons, have been disputed by
>> witnesses on the scene. Another question. The news outlets have
>> addressed only the Executive branch position that there were
>> weapons. Claims by Remo and the INS about the violence in Little
>> Havana have been disputed by witnesses on the scene. Still another

>> question. The news outlets have addressed only the Executive branch
>> position that the citizens of Little Havana, and specifically the
>> crowd around the home, were of a violent nature.
>> Now, Elian, in the hands of the Executive branch, closely
>> guarded, and isolated from his lawyers, (remember in the 11th
>> District ruling he is named as a plaintiff, therefore entitled to
>> counsel), is allowed 100% access by opposing counsel. Clearly a
>> conflict of interest, and a deprivation of what the court
>> acknowledged are Elian's rights under US law.
>
> When did he become a citizen of this country and when did the
>rights of the parent been rescinded?

Just a *tiny* oversight on his part I'm sure.

> The boy needed to be with
>his only surviving parent. Not with a bunch of anti Cuban trouble
>makers in Miami.

Amen.

>> Several new questions
>> raised there. The only information forthcoming from behind the
>> walls, is coming from opposing counsel, a party to the dispute? And
>> the Executive branch is involved? And this is countenanced by the
>> press?
>>
>> How does this happen? How does the profession that brought Mike
>> Wallace, Edward R Murrow, and Woodward & Bernstein to stardom simply
>> sit by and watch this?
>>
>> Now it's revealed that Juan Miguel has direct access to Castro,
>> who took a cell phone call from Juan Miguel, during a rally in Cuba,
>> to announce his support, and what amounts to an impending victory.
>> No one is naive enough to think that that's anything but a PR move,
>> but again, a PR move with full countenance of the mainstream press?
>> And the involvement of the Executive Branch?
>>
>> Setting aside for a moment the emotionally laden issue of the
>> father and the child's relationship to him, setting aside even the
>> direct involvement of Castro himself, and his own stated intent for
>> the child, which is NOT to live with his father in Cardenas, btw;

6 year old children in this country decide for *themselves* where they
want to live and with which member of their extended family all the
time. Parental rights mean *nothing*

>> setting aside these issues, you begin to see a strongly imbalanced
>> presentation of the entire issue to the public eye, with questions
>> germaine to the truth going unasked, by the very people whose job it
>> is to ask questions.
>> Now, couple this picture with the emerging, and little reported

>> story that Clinton himself, ordered a poll taken to gather public
>> opinion on the subject of a potential raid to retrieve Elian, and
>> with numbers near 80% in favor, ordered Reno to go ahead with the
>> pre dawn raid, in violation of both Clinton's own promise to Senator
>> Gramm, AND Reno's promise to forestall any incursion into the home
>> until at least Monday following Easter, despite the family's
>> concessions to relinquish the boy,

Oh yeah, if you believe in the Easter Bunny you'll easily believe if
the Fed's had waited a few more minutes the family would have
relinquished the child. No doubt about it.

> not to mention the 11th District
>> court ruling, and STILL NO NEWS QUESTIONING WHY...you see a
>> government that is running amuck, drunk on public opinion, and
>> making a mockery of the law, the courts, and doing it in our name.

<Yawn>

They only waited *FIVE MONTHS* and Elian's family got a PERSONAL
visit from Janet Reno FIRST.

I for one am *CERTAIN* they'd extend the SAME hospitality to ME if I
were holding one of my brother in law's children.

Snip:

3464. KE6HN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: elian@floatmehome.com
Message-ID: <3910781d.1188485@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112028

Will someone please tell Dave Witt, KE6HN, that his ATT.NET web site is no longer available due to changes in the infrastructure..

His 147.435 Mhz. announcement URL is not accessible. (Tried from several points..)

3465. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <391277ac.1205143@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112029

On Wed, 03 May 2000 17:04:08 GMT, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>
>General Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
>> asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
>> returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!
>
> The word is 'moot' by the way.
> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
>is assumed. No age restrictions,

Which was just an omission and is being exploited by Elian's relatives
and their attorneys.

> no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
>refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
>asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
>is irrelevant.

Not really , the interpretations I've read say that the absence of
mention of age limits was an accidental *omission* not a designated
part of the law.

> For the record, though a formal request for asylum
>was also filed in his name and signed by Elian by the family.

Which is another laugher. The request was filed in English and
according to Elian's father and his attorney the *child* can't read
Spanish let alone English. But hey a 6 year old child knows all about
requests for asylum, leaving his *father*, his native country and all
that would entail.

Snip:

3466. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005031930190.217-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

On Wed, 3 May 2000, Charles Brabham wrote:
> D. Stussy <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org> wrote in message
> news:Pine.LNX.4.10.10005030917520.568-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org...
> > On Mon, 1 May 2000, Ron Klein wrote:
> > > Ok - I'll start "spinning"....
> > >
> > > His Chinese buddies need more navigation accuracy to hit Taiwan with
> > > projectiles, and he hasn't found any American corporate execs willing
> > > to transfer more technology for him, eh?
> > >
> > > Sorry.... but, this is a national security issue that should not be
> > > allowed to be implemented
> >
> > However, considering that there are many other sources (e.g. printed
> > topographical maps) where the equivalent information can be found, that
> kind of
> > eliminates the original need for the security classification.
> >
>
> The Iraqis had topographical maps when they targeted their old Chinese
> "silkworm" missiles on Israel, but enjoyed only what can be called
> "piss-poor" accuracy. There was no way to let those missiles know if they
> were off course, and thus no way to obtain decent accuracy. They did little
> better than the Germans did with their V2 rockets, for that reason.
>
> Now, every two-bit terrorist has a cheap 'n easy way to target missiles with
> highly satisfactory accuracy.
>
> Sorry to hear that you are too ignorant to see the national security issues
> involved in handing over what amounts to a cheap, accurate missile guidance
> system to every terrorist on the planet. - Why did you think GPS was
> deliberately made useless for rapidly traveling vehicles in the first place?
> Just for kicks?
>
> Try popping your head out and taking a look around at the real world, now
> and then.

But their problems weren't GPS related, and could have just as easily been overcome by mounting a camera on the missles. Over the years, various arms dealers have managed to export a sufficient number of the smart missiles.

GPS isn't the only method that can be used to locate a distant target. That's why removing the intentional error factor doesn't make a difference.

3467. Re: New Rules Study Materials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <39107E9B.49EAC9A@Telocity.com>
Source record: 112031

http://www.arrl.org/catalog/lm/

Bendthelite@webtv.net wrote:
>
> I would like to know where revised study materials that reflect the
> updated rules that took effect after April 15th can be obtained.

3468. Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005031937040.217-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112032

On Mon, 1 May 2000, Texas wrote:
> My husband wants to get into Ham Radio. (his grandfather was active in
> it many many years ago). I've been doing some research on it for him and
> have some questions I was hoping someone could help me with.
>
> 1. The ARRL website states that renewal licenses are free. I could not
> find anything on the cost of the first license. Does anyone know what
> the first license for the Novice and the Technician cost?

The first license effectively "costs" $6.65, since there is a fee charged for testing - but the fee is charged regardless of whether the test is passed or not. Retests may charge another $6.65 as each element is re-attempted (ARRL's policy) or be free, or not allowed at the same sesson. Other groups may charge less ($4.00 for GLAARG-VEC groups), but not above $6.69 for 2000.

> 2. I saw several websites that said the test cost $5 to $6 and some
> that said the test are free. Has anyone taking any of the test recently
> that could tell me if you paid for them, which test you took and how
> much it cost?

The ARRL used to administer elements 1A and 2 for free. This changed on April 15th.

3469. Re: Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005031947440.217-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112033

On Tue, 2 May 2000 symbiot@my-deja.com wrote:
> Greetings:
>
> I'm confused as to what formats are acceptable when applying for extra
> class vanity calls.
>
> I've read the blurb on the ARRL website, but I'm still alittle confused.
>
> I was told that extra class calls are now all 2x2. Is this correct?
>
> Is "A<number><letter><letter>" valid? Is "A<letter><number><letter>"
> valid? How about "A<letter><number><letter><letter>"?

2x1 and 1x2 calls that aren't taken are available.

A$#$ is allowed, but only AA-AL (with AH and AL reserved for Hawaii and Alaska)
A#$$ is not allowed. A, followed by a digit or M-Z, is assigned to other
countries. THe USA does not have all of the "A" calls like it does with K, N,
or W.

All SEQUENTIAL extra class calls are 2x2, starting with A.

3470. Re: Numerical quadrature of antenna gain?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Winky" <simmie16@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <n30vgs0bgvt6i94igtdopad01pq74fkbct@4ax.com>
Source record: 112114

Measure it by eye.....

That's what I do.

On Tue, 02 May 2000 17:42:53 GMT, minus148@my-deja.com said something
remotely sorta kinda like:

>Hi all,
>I'm working on a computer program that simulates the way that a
>satellite-borne passive microwave radiometer views an Earth scene.
>One thing that I have left to do is to include the antenna response.
>Currently, my program operates in "pencil-beam" mode. That is, the
>antenna gain pattern is a delta-function. My question is, given a more
>realistic gain pattern (gain as a function of angle from the boresight),
>what is an intelligent way to integrate over this pattern such that
>computational time and errors are minimized? I'm sure someone's worked
>on this before... My algorithm basically works by shooting rays out from
>the antenna, through a 3D environmental scene, to the earth's surface. I
>then integrate back along this path to the the top-of-the-atmosphere
>brightness temperature. So, I see myself sampling some angular space
>around the boresight and applying gain corrections to the incoming
>signal. I'm wondering if there's an intelligent way to sample that
>angular space???
>Matthew
>K7MTN
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

3471. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are WithoutPrivity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <390F8823.71CFEB8A@bctv.com>
Source record: 112115

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> kw,
>
> I only know "the facts" from the coverage I see.
>
> The Washington Post reported a well organized strategy to stop the
> government from taking custody of Elian.

The Washington Post used to print stories from Pravda, too. Not what I consider an unimpeachable source.

3472. Re: Go BARF yourselves FAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8eo5ci$m87$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 112116
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <8envq5$i6s$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:

> << I wonder if you considered the overwhelming number of hams who SWEATED
their
> way through exams because the questions were NOT below their
standards? Like
> ME for example? Nobody gave me anything buddy boy-I worked damn hard
for
> every ticket INCLUDING the Novice and the reason why I climbed that
mountain
> was because I WAS SUPPOSED TO but there's no mountain anymore and you
think
> it's just great?>>>

Tsk, tsk. How quickly you have forgotten what you wrote. You accused me
of wanting something for nothing from the new exams. I can't help if you
got it so wrong and I have nothing to gain from it. If you don't like
your baseless allegations being refuted, don't make them.

As you will recall, you were saying that you did not respect the new
people with THEIR perceived low standards. How quickly you change when
you perceive the subject of standards being applied to you. You feel
that I have insulted you because you did what was REQUIRED of you, yet
you have no problem doing that to others.

My point was that you CANNOT judge effort and determination by the
licence. It would seem that you support that view.

> >I am also aware some in the status brigade who were also
professionally
> trained, and this makes a mockery of all the nonsense about striving
and
> achieving. There is NO achievement is passing a test when you have
> already been trained to a higher standard.<
>
> << brigade?" What moxie you have, el intelligentsio! How easily you
dismiss the
> efforts by so many who were never trained as you were! In a
subsequent post
> be sure to tell us all about how well trained you were and
differentiate
> between on paper or being let out to do it.>>>

Listen to yourself! You complain that I denigrate your efforts - given that it was in response you degingration of others, the word hyprocrite is up there in flashing lights.

What training do I have? Ok, I have an Associate Diploma in Electronics, a degree in Applied Science and am completing a Masters in Maintenance Management. Went to maritime college for courses on HF operations.

What have I done with it? I've been a Technical Officer with a couple of Antarctic expeditions and a remote island weather station, a college lecturer, a communications system installer, an MF, HF, VHF transmiiter/ receiver station maintainer, a computer programmer, worked on developing HF radar, am currently developing a diagnostic system for a combined RF and digital system. And in the hobby area, I'm currently providing systems engineering support for the development of two satellites being developed by students at two differnt universities.

Oh, just as an aside to your tirade about personal endeavour, I did (and am still doing) most of my studies externally in my own time as I left school when I was 15 (10th Grade). Not really relevant, but as you threw in your personal endeavours, I thought I'd return the favour. ;-)

> do this, I'm happy that you scrap the Amateur exams (and current
> licences) and only give licences to those who have passed REAL tests
> (college level exams) and haved passed Morse exams at commercial
> standards (maritime colleges, etc).>
>
> << target. As an intelligent guy how the hell can you look the esteemed
readers
> of this board in the pusses and tell them that "reconstruction" of the
tests
> was the right way to go? RECONSTRUCTION--remember reading about it?
How a
> bunch of folks from up in my neck of the woods went south to force
their
> will on those who lost the Civil War and in return met with such
hostility,
> our country hasn't gotten over it in 135 years? Keep in mind that
tampering
> with tradition leads to big problems whether political, sociological
or
> "hamological." >>>

Given the way you treat people who are different from you and then go ballistic if the same treatment is returned, I'm not suprised. The "tradition" of Amateur Radio has been change since the beginning of radio. Invoking tradition seems to require a very selective memory.

> so because they have nothing else to commend themselves.>
>
> << had training in electronics as you did but IT DIDN'T STOP ME BECAUSE I
WAS
> WILLING TO WORK FOR THAT TICKET. You confuse status with pride.>>>

When people apply the term "elite" to themselves, I think I've hit the nail right on the head. There is "pride" and there is "Pride". I only see "Pride".

> big fish in a small pond. This is obvious be the fact that these status
> freaks are unprepared to judge the people they meet on the merits of
> each person, rather than applying a blanket prejudice.>
>
> << other words to hell with tradition-to hell with skills-to hell with pride in
> accomplishment. "Wow, that Jimmy Smith fellow is such a nice guy. He helps
> little old ladies across streets even if they don't want to go. And he's a
> great husband and dad and he tithes every Sunday. GIVE THAT MAN AN
> EXTRA!">>>

Whether you personally believe the test is a good one, does not change the person who followed the rules and sat for it. Why take your dissatisfaction at the rules out on someone who is simply following those rules. You do not KNOW that the person even agrees with the rules until you get to know them - you post indicated that would not occur.

> are tested and hence even the potential "elite of yesteryear" will enter
> the same way. To treat them as one would treat an ignorant imbecile
> shows that shallow self pity for perceived status lost, rather than
> concern for standards, is the motivating force.>
>
> << sham rather than the lazies who'll benefit from it. And my intention is NOT
> to make it difficult for them on the air; I absolutely will not do it but I
> still have the right to fume about it

This is quite different to your post about respect. Even your terminology reveals the real truth behind your words.

>And when, as happened yesterday, an
> anonymous moron comes on here to say that he just passed the Extra written
> but can't copy a lick of code, it tells me what a joke is the entire
> restructuring thing. Let's call a spade a spade. Ham radio is being
> threatened by the Internet.

No, Ham radio is mainly being threatened by the intolerance of the incumbents. The internet is, however, a factor, but mainly because it allows people on with a minimum of fuss and lets them learn to their own level. It is also unfettered by "tradition". If people want to explore some aspect of the Internet, they don't have anyone telling them that they are worhtless pieces of shit who haven't done the hard yards.

> Our spectra is being threatened by foreign
> takeovers and so the plan came into being of making it way too easy to
get a
> ticket in order to build numbers. Then again there are some who are
positive
> that the reason why it came about was due to an FCC plan to squeeze
everyone
> into HF so our VHF and UHF can be sold to commercial interests for
GIGANTIC
> BUCKS. Whichever is true I contend the quality of this hobby/service
is more
> menaced by the "plan" to save it than by those out to end it. And it's
> unconscientable to hear a man of your education and intelligence tell
this
> board, "Everyone play ostrich. Nothing's wrong.">>>

I only have to read this NG and listen to the bands to know what is wrong. I have seen very little wrong with the bands, except the way that some amateurs treat their fellow Amateurs. I have yet to see any long term serious problem caused by technical problems, while the attitude of some Amateurs to others is a constant source of embarassment to the hobby. The problem is with the people's attitudes, rather than their technical standards.

I note that you cut out all of the sections of my post which dealt with standards being associated with what the people are doing now, not locked in a piece of paper they may have received 30 years ago. What is not addressed is often more informative than what is addressed.

Mark.

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3473. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eo473$70h$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112117

In article <390ED2D4.D43229EE@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>Robert Morris wrote:

>> Jeff Herman is right. How does being there endow the witnesses with
>> knowledge of behind the scenes machinations?

>Well, the house was searched just a few days prior to the raid. No
>weapons were found. The house was under constant surveillance between
>the search and the raid. No weapons were taken into the house.

It wasn't the house, it was the people in and around the house. See
the Washington Post article.

>The Feds defend their waving guns around on the claim that there were
>"rumors" of weapons in the house, yet they knew that the only weapons
>brought in were the machineguns they were carrying.

It wasn't the house, it was the people in and around the house. See
the Washington Post article.

Jeff

3474. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are WithoutPrivity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390FA11A.EC3D78FC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112118

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> PeterMause,
>
> In a dark cave, you cannot see the sun either. That doesn't mean it
> isn't shining.
>
> These inside machinations could not have been detected solely by cameras
> and eye witnesses. Much more had to be done to unearth the "three tier"
> system of "protection."

Which raises additional questions. None of which seem to be asked
by the people in the question asking business.
>
> Peter, to my mind you are arguing truisms that, throughout, do not
> support your premise. Having studied your piece, I was left with a
> feeling of having read glittering generalities that don't address the
> lengths to which the family went in flauting U.S. law. And your piece
> lent utterly no credibility to you position.

My point has been throughout this matter the we should stop
looking at the minutiae, where the tortured arguments lie, and start
by taking a step back and asking 'what's wrong with this picture.'
The tendency here of late, has been to start by parsing words,
waiving often irrelevant details as specificity, while ignoring the
larger issues in front of us. Put another way, I love looking at
trees, I'll be the first to examine the veins in the leaves, but not
before I have looked at the forest as a whole.

Tom Peters calls that a 'blinding flash of the obvious.'

As for my piece, I'm not sure to which you refer, so I can't
comment on your assessment. You may have missed one of the
exchanges.

Apparently it hasn't been a significant loss.

p
>
> Nonetheless, thank you for proffering it.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

3475. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <FqNP4.19697$x4.652469@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112119

This is not a political statement but one of netiquette: The next person who says "get a life" on this newsgroup is hereby sentenced to 50 lashes with a wet noodle. Such phrases have been prohibited on usenet since 1995 when it was discovered that AOLers had limited capacity to infiltrate the usenet and say, interminably, "get a life".

Twaddle my minkie <remove64323@juno.com> wrote in message news:88FP4.17967$x4.595763@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
>
> Donald Burkhart <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote in message
> news:18607-390EDDB0-12@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> > A clarification needs to be made on the BS David Castle is spreading to
> > new AG's on 3.950 MHz. Mr. Castle implies that he's not being allowed
> > to check-in to the Liberty Net because they don't allow dissenting
> > viewpoints.
>
> Some people desperately need to get a life......
>
>

3476. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <5xNP4.20036$x4.636861@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 112120

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8ekjsgnph1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> MABEY (SP "MAYBE") YOU CAN (MISSING VERB - "DO"?) SOMTHING GOOD FOR
HAM RADIO. (PUNC. - YOU ARE USING A PERIOD TO SEPARATE A DEPENDENT CLAUSE
FROM AN INDEPENDENT CLAUSE. SUGGEST YOU REPLACE WITH SEMICOLON IF YOU KNOW
WHAT THAT IS) YOU CAN GET ON 14310 AND
> TEACH THE OPPS HOW TO RUN THEIR RIGS SO THEIR (SP - "THEY'RE") NOT SO
WIDE (PUNC. MISSING PERIOD) LEAVE 3950
> ALONE .
>
>
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3477. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000503001134.23660.00001080@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 112121

>This puts Riley between a rock and a hard place. Has he been told by
>Clinton supporting higher ups within the FCC to let Castle and Visser do
>their thing??

That's pretty damn ridiculous. ROFLMAO

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3478. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503003848.14501.00000964@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 112122

>ubject: Re: mir voice
>From: Pat Cox peacox@gloryroad.net
>Date: 05/02/2000 4:45 PM Central Daylight Time
>Message-id: <390F4C8F.A7171EBD@gloryroad.net>
>
>You don't need the amp. K4AVO

I agree also. I worked MIR twice in 96...in November with my old call, then again in December with my present call.

All I used both times was my 50w mobile rig in the house and the ground plane.

I WOULD suggest if you are going to try to work spaceborne stations with any regularity that you consider a "turnstile" antenna. It's cross-polarized and reduces fading as the target travels and spins.

73

Steve, K4YZ

http://hometown.aol.com/k4yz/myhomepage/index.html
http://www.qrz.com

3479. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503004231.17861.00000646@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 112123

Are you saying that WA9KJI and W9ART actually intentionally interfere with The Great Liberty Net?

Now the last few times I listened, they announced at 10pm EDT they were releasing the frequency for use by the regularly scheduled net.

I think it was 2 weeks ago that the net met on 3947, even though 3950 had been released by the "friendlies". Once it was clear that the net was going to remain on 3947, the "friendlies" resumed talking on 3950.

It's a lot quieter now. And there are other jammers who have not yet been positively identified. There's a music jammer and the Doofus jammer.

Do NOT say that Mr. Hollingsworth has not made an effort to clean things up. And things are somewhat quieter lately. Some weeks are exceptions, but as a rule, it's quieter during net time.

True, W1WCR does indeed allow dissenting viewpoints. I've heard him do it SEVERAL times. I'd like to see things put to the test. I'd like to see him let WA9KJI and W9ART check in once. Just to see what happened. Who knows, they might make fine "netters".

What would be the harm in giving it just one try? If it didn't work out, then ban them from the net for life.

3480. Re: whatever happened to Freeman Lang kh6ax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eobqd$f19$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112124

Lemwnash <lemwnash@aol.com> wrote:
>he operated from Honolulu yacht basin in the 60 s>
>kh6lem

The most recent owner of KH6AX, was my friend Earle Schmitz,
who is now a Silent Key. Earle built beautifully-contructed
HF gear.

KH6O

3481. Re: Free Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eoc9gfak1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 112125

D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
>On Sat, 29 Apr 2000, Sam wrote:

>> Could someone tell me the Free Band frequencies. Start and stop,
>> calling freq. etc.. And any other info about free band other
>> than its illegal. Thanks, Sam

>27.410 - 28.000 MHz.

Those frequencies aren't "free," D.Stussy. You obviously don't have
any idea as to whom they're assigned! =:o

KH6O

3482. Response to KW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9890-390FBAF6-102@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112126

The respected Atlanta Constitution advocated separation of the races in times past too.

The rush of history subsumes prior positions too. Notwithstanding, Pravda today has SOME even-handed news, filtered, of course, through Russian culture.

My point is: Because times change, as do positions, no reason arises to blanketly reject the written word. Jeff Herman is right when he wrote: Carefully weigh the evidence, then judge the credibility of the source.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3483. Hysteria in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9890-390FB8B7-101@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112127

Jeff,

Again, thanks for weighing in on considering the evidence carefully. Here, here!

These are basically fine people. Being "other" in the midst of the Hispanic majority, I am thrilled at the renewed family and work ethic. Miami has indeed made progress in almost every arena.

That having been said, everyone should realize the hysteria that grips this city of Miami, Florida. The Hispanic community sees every issue as pro or anti Castro. And they have such hatred for being disenfranchised that other important issues are eclipsed. Try talking the Elian episode even with intellectual Americans of Cuban decent and the conversation quickly grows furious.

I'm not maintaining, the Washington Post article of 4/28 is gospel, but I do know that our notion of the First Amendment handed down by the English has become convoluted in Miami: Speak freely if you are anti-Castro, but shut up if you have anything good to say about Castro. I've seen pro-Castro protesters stoned downtown.

The Elian issue, generating opposing views on a national scale, has at last emboldened me to speak. Legion too, beyond hysteria, are memory lapses about the roots of the Cuban revolution.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3484. Re: Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve C <stevec@newmail.net>
Message-ID: <sgvffeu1g2158@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 112128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yeah, Its a typical mainstream movie.....THATS WHY IS WAS #3 IN THE BOX OFFICE THIS WEEKEND!!!

The "average" American is not going to notice the "flaws" that the "experts" see.

Movies are forms of entertainment, if I want reality or a history lesson, I will open a book.

>"Twaddle my minkie" <remove64323@juno.com> wrote in message
>news:81AP4.17546$g4.488198@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> Saw "Frequency last nite.
>
> PPFHBBLTTT!!! <---(that's how you write
> the "fart noise" folks)
>
> Forget it. Plot is stupid, no balance of
> reality, sappy actors. If this movie is
> supposed to promote ham radio, then we
> were suckered into buying a lemon that
> blows blue-smoke out the tailpipe.
>
> Sorry, no refunds.

3485. Re: AF2Y: on "Frequency"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3910bbe0.2451683@news.usol.com>
Source record: 112129

I got a chance to see it before it was officially released and thought
it was *good* for entertainment. They could have portrayed amateur
radio as some right wing hate monger(s) spewing racial venom on 75
phone or interfering with TV/ Radio reception but it was portrayed in
a _positive_ manner which is a plus. FWIW: I hate to tell 'Doc' this
but I (truthfully) took along a female friend that's suffering from
the early stages of Alzheimer's and she followed the movie just _fine_
, Maybe he should get in for a checkup ? ;-)

On 2 May 2000 22:30:29 GMT, "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Good grief, Doc...I didn't like it either, but I wouldn't be as aggressive as
>you are about not liking it. Sheesh, remind me to stay out of the way when you
>are on the road. Your road rage would have to be a kagillion times worse than
>a fantasy film :p
>
>Kim W5TIT
>
>dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote in article <8en5k2ieo1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>> In article <8eh6pm$1eu$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> > I saw that God forsaken flick last night and it's "awfuller" than
>> awful. How
>> > bad? Riley Hollingsworth ought to slap Dennis Quaid and his son with
>> twenty
>> > grand fines for degrading amateur radio beyond anything any
>> legitimate ham
>> > could do.
>> >
>> > I'm talking bad, brother hamlets, really BAD! A mishmosh of a film
>> in which
>> > the viewer isn't sure of what's in the present, past or future. An
>> utterly
>> > ridiculous plot about a firefighter ham who died in a blaze in
>> Oct.l969 just
>> > when the Mets were upsetting the Orioles in the World Series but who
>> didn't
>> > die because his now grown son finds a beaten up Heathkit and QSOs
>> this dead
>> > dad to tell him he was going to die in a blaze which Quaid then
>> avoids by
>> > jumping out of the factory inferno into the Hudson or some other New
>> York
>> > river.
>> >

>> > The living son(no insult to "Brother" John" intended) is able to
>> QSO his
>> > dead father thanks to an aurora borealis which is constantly seen
>> lighting
>> > up the firmament framed against the structure of a beam. A viewer
>> who's not
>> > a ham might buy this whole stupid concept but if one has a ticket and
>> then
>> > watches how disgracefully the hobby/service is portrayed in the film,
>> he'll
>> > e-mail rholling@fcc.gov/
>> > It is shown to be way below that of CB; in fact, it borders on the
>> days when
>> > we tied two tin cans together by string and Marconied it from one
>> backyard
>> > to the other.
>> >
>> > Some metaphysical films are outstanding, for example "GHOST"
>> AND "IT'S A
>> > WONDERFUL LIFE." and even "Back to the Future." And I'm sure there
>> are
>> > others based on the plot of how things in the past could be changed by
>> > communicating with persons in it and warning how to avoid calamities
>> such as
>> > serial murders. The best part of the entire 2 hours of hell are the
>> > flashback kinescopes of the '69 World Series since the shoepolish on
>> the
>> > ball that hit Cleon Jones's foot is the KEY to the ridiculous ending
>> of the
>> > whole thing. And why didn't the Heathkit have no cover? And by
>> accentuating
>> > everything via two hams using no protocol whatsoever aside from
>> Officer
>> > Tooties yelling, "Car 54 Where are You?" is sheer torture.
>> >
>> > Good heavens bored viewers of this board-save your time and money. Do
>> > something more challenging and rewarding like taking a hot zitzbath to
>> > relieve your hemorrhoids.
>> >
>> > Doc, AF2Y
>> >
>> > I saw the movie and I thought it was great. What is the matter with
>> you. If someone said the sun rose in the east you would say it rose in
>> the west. Frequency is a FINE flick. Sign off Dr. Hate
>>
>>
>> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> Before you buy.
>>

3486. PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9890-390FBC68-103@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 112130

Great. At last your rhetoric resonates here. Good for you. So now take it further in your best effort to convince me of your position, knowing my expressed opinion to this point in time. p.s. Let's not pursue the "bandwagon argument."

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3487. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <390FE212.5ADE5D01@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 112131

Bob Sherin wrote:
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> Great. At last your rhetoric resonates here. Good for you. So now
> take it further in your best effort to convince me of your position,
> knowing my expressed opinion to this point in time. p.s. Let's not
> pursue the "bandwagon argument."
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Anyone who spends a lot of time around me knows I'm not interested in bandwagons. My position should be clear. The debate over whether Elian is entitled to stay has fallen into the courts. Once there, the wrangling by either side stops until the court decides the resolution of the outstanding questions. Any action one way or the other by either side is wrong.

Whether Elian belongs with his father stopped being the issue as soon as the courts were involved. A cheap ploy? Probably. Most movements toward the courts these days are. But once there, the domain of authority shifts from INS to the courts. That means the Judiciary, not the Executive branch.

By the involvement of Janet Reno, and the President's attorney, with the involvement of Cuban diplomatic corp, the Executive branch became a party to the dispute, along with the father. The 11th District Court of Appeals ruling enjoined the parties from further action until the questions in the dispute were resolved by the courts. The Executive branch, now a party to the dispute, in its actions, flouted the ruling by the Court. That raises the questions of the legality of the incursion.

Claims by Reno, and the INS about weapons, have been disputed by witnesses on the scene. Another question. The news outlets have addressed only the Executive branch position that there were weapons. Claims by Remo and the INS about the violence in Little Havana have been disputed by witnesses on the scene. Still another question. The news outlets have addressed only the Executive branch position that the citizens of Little Havana, and specifically the crowd around the home, were of a violent nature.
Now, Elian, in the hands of the Executive branch, closely guarded, and isolated from his lawyers, (remember in the 11th District ruling he is named as a plaintiff, therefore entitled to counsel), is allowed 100% access by opposing counsel. Clearly a conflict of interest, and a deprivation of what the court

acknowledged are Elian's rights under US law. Several new questions raised there. The only information forthcoming from behind the walls, is coming from opposing counsel, a party to the dispute? And the Executive branch is involved? And this is countenanced by the press?

How does this happen? How does the profession that brought Mike Wallace, Edward R Murrow, and Woodward & Bernstein to stardom simply sit by and watch this?

Now it's revealed that Juan Miguel has direct access to Castro, who took a cell phone call from Juan Miguel, during a rally in Cuba, to announce his support, and what amounts to an impending victory. No one is naive enough to think that that's anything but a PR move, but again, a PR move with full countenance of the mainstream press? And the involvement of the Executive Branch?

Setting aside for a moment the emotionally laden issue of the father and the child's relationship to him, setting aside even the direct involvement of Castro himself, and his own stated intent for the child, which is NOT to live with his father in Cardenas, btw; setting aside these issues, you begin to see a strongly imbalanced presentation of the entire issue to the public eye, with questions germaine to the truth going unasked, by the very people whose job it is to ask questions.
Now, couple this picture with the emerging, and little reported story that Clinton himself, ordered a poll taken to gather public opinion on the subject of a potential raid to retrieve Elian, and with numbers near 80% in favor, ordered Reno to go ahead with the pre dawn raid, in violation of both Clinton's own promise to Senator Gramm, AND Reno's promise to forestall any incursion into the home until at least Monday following Easter, despite the family's concessions to relinquish the boy, not to mention the 11th District court ruling, and STILL NO NEWS QUESTIONING WHY...you see a government that is running amuck, drunk on public opinion, and making a mockery of the law, the courts, and doing it in our name.

Should Elian have been reunited with his father? I don't know. There are conflicting questions about the nature of that relationship that have been unanswered. Does a boy belong with his father? On balance, absolutely. Why is this issue special? Because the laws involving Cuban refugees apply special dispensation to Cuban expatriates on US soil: Reuest for asylum is assumed. Regardless of age. Regardless of status. That's the law. Once the dispute falls into the courts, as this one had, the decision rests with the court. No matter how anyone feels about the boy and his father, the truth will be sorted out there, and a decision based on the best interests of the boy, balanced with compliance with the law will be made.

The Executive branch, as a party to the dispute, was wrong. Not because it reunited the boy with his father, but because it was

illegal to do so, at that time, as the warrants of questionable legitimacy suggest. As the timing of the raid suggests.
The Executive branch, has a long and rich history of abuse of power, dating well beyond this administration. It's still wrong. It's still a violation of the most basic tenets of our laws, the separation of powers, and it sets and maintains a dangerous precedent for the rest of us. But that alone is not what's so alarming.
What's different in this case, is that for the first time in my memory, the press, has rolled over and allowed this kind of abuse of power, and contempt for the law to go un questioned. The press, instead of playing devil's advocate in pursuit of the truth, or loyal opposition in pursuit of the truth, has become a willing ally with the Executive Branch. Which is not unusual in itself, but along the way has stopped asking questions.

The Chicago Tribune is very proud of the claim that it was almost single handedly responsible for bringing Abraham Lincoln to prominence. And was almost single handledly responsible for getting him elected to the Presidency. Taking sides is not a new thing. But the Chicago Tribune also raised serious questions about the Mayor's office during and after the '68 Democratic Convention. The Washington Post brought down a President. Specifically over abuse of power, and illegal activity. And yet, The Washington Post, the Chicago Tribune, how many others have allied with the Executive branch in demonizing both the Gonzalez family, and the residents of Miami, but not questioned the abuse of power in the raid. It is because the adversarial and skeptical nature of the press, and the need for it, that the First Amendment was written. It keeps the Government honest. And prevents the Government from establishing a propaganda arm...state run media. That responsibility, and the almost total lack of public awareness of that largely abrogated responsibility today, makes qustionabl the freedoms that we enjoy in this country.

My objection is less that Elian was snatched, and more that our own government in a show of force, with complicity of the press, targeted and raided ANOTHER US citizen's home. And that armed raids into citizen's homes, and businesses are becoming too easy to justify. Because no one's asking questions. Where is the outrage? Where is the loyal opposition?

Bob, you speak of my general presentation. There's a reason for that. The minutiae are exactly the issues to be decided in the courts. The minutiae are where obfuscation is found, as past performances by this government have demonstrated. But if you take a step backm, let the substantive legal issues in this case be picked apart by the courts; take the larger view before you wade into the hard ethical issues, and see the outstanding questionsm, You see where they're leading us. As individuals. You and me. See the historical parallels as well as the historical differences, and ask

the big question..and DEMAND an answer....What the hell is wrong with this picture?

Bob, you and I may disagree, but you express your disagreement with respect, and composure. It would be wrong not to acknowledge that. Thank you.

p

3488. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meg A Hertz <meghertzNOmeSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0ac19a42.fde005b9@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 112132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I agree. The airwaves belong to all of us, and we have a right
to use them, coupled with the responsiblility to use them
correctly (which aptitude is tested by exams).

It is not a privilege that is some sort of reward for passing a
bizare initiation ceremony... (although Morse testing certainly
is weird)

MegHz

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3489. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005030917520.568-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 112133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

On Mon, 1 May 2000, Ron Klein wrote:
> Ok - I'll start "spinning"....
>
> His Chinese buddies need more navigation accuracy to hit Taiwan with
> projectiles, and he hasn't found any American corporate execs willing
> to transfer more technology for him, eh?
>
> Sorry.... but, this is a national security issue that should not be
> allowed to be implemented

However, considering that there are many other sources (e.g. printed topographical maps) where the equivalent information can be found, that kind of eliminates the original need for the security classification.

3490. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flying Cows <mfineber@deja.com>
Message-ID: <4bkQ4.26397$x4.827072@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111834

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8escga$9nv$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> For you Democrats-it's in the bag. For you Independents-the debates
> will tell you which way to lean and the ONLY thing
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Doc. He supports The creation of a Palestineian
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clarifies his position on Israel, and Jerusalem
as it's 100% Soverign Capitol, I have concerns
about Al.

3491. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezer@nursing.home
Message-ID: <9cj3hs8cf2mt99o47pasgpgg26m19aoqvn@4ax.com>
Source record: 111835
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

rich7@my-deja.com wrote:

>Go - Art - Go. We put up with these smear
>campains, way to
>long.

We? You've been the target of a smear campaign? Or are you just
another brain-dead Bell-sucker?

Learn to use your newsreader, cretinoid.
--

"Or did y'all decide it was cannibalism to eat crackers?"
---Paghat, to some vacuous luser.

glenq@cyberhighway.net
http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3492. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezer@nursing.home
Message-ID: <29j3hs0q0cqiliuhpoei5dhu2pj4igombi@4ax.com>
Source record: 111836
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Flying Cows" <mfineber@deja.com> wrote:

>ART BELL PREVAILS IN DEFAMATION HEARING

Thank you ever so much for assisting Art in his campaign to disappear
into obscurity.

P.S. Anybody who gives a shit already knew this.

HTH, FOAD
--

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glenq@cyberhighway.net
http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3493. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3911F81E.1CD8C8CF@ahole.com>
Source record: 111837

Wrong, wrong, wrong. Pork Butt is off the air because HE canceled
his license. Are you telling me that you had something to do with
HIM canceling his license?

Donald Burkhart wrote:
>
> That's right! We got ole Pork Butt off the air because of his "smearing"
> of black American's with his racial slurs!
>
> Don

3494. update web page perso

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "francis.castelain" <francis.castelain@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <8esn46mko1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 111838

http://perso.wanadoo.fr.f5usv/

many thanks for comments

best 73's

Francis F5USV FRANCE

3495. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8esngvtgl1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111839

Although I'm pro-Israel, my allegiance is with the USA and independent of quirks of Gore, as the days pass I'm becoming more convinced that George W. Bush would make a good dog catcher.

In article <4bkQ4.26397$x4.827072@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Flying Cows" <mfineber@deja.com> wrote:

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> clarifies his position on Israel, and Jerusalem
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> about Al.
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>

3496. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <FBE64B6390538DD9.B316A2F438F25608.0746CFA6A800A04A@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111840

On Thu, 04 May 2000 12:32:32 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>I guess the USofA downing the air plane in the Gulf was OK.
>
We shot off ONE missile.....We DIDN'T send in a squadron of jets,
followed by torpedo boats to finish off the survivors after it crashed
into the sea.

See any difference, here??

Larry....

3497. AF2Y asks about Vieques

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8espnorke1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111841

So how come the Puerto Ricans here aren't carrying on about our marshalls clearing our the Vieques protestors as were the Cubans in Miami about Elian? It's because the Puerto Ricans feel American while the Cubans feel Cubans while showing no allegiance to this country but instead using her as a staging area to get back at Castro.

The Clinton years are winding down and in retrospect there was one glaring weakness aside from his incredible disrespect for his own office. VACILLATION.

Does anyone believe that things like Waco, Elian and the Vieques affair could have occurred under the watches of pepperpots Nixon and Reagan or even under quieter Bush? Koresh would have been arrested and taken away LONG before the conflagration happened. Elian would have been given immediate political asylum and the Vieques protestors would have been cleared out days after they squatted.

If decisive action is taken quickly, the necessity of RASH action diminishes-something the Clinton administration forgot about. Things were allowed to fester beyond control and then decisive action turned to what can be described as heartless.

Let's hope the next Prez. zips up and flies right.

AF2Y

3498. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ess1i$38$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111842

In article <8escga$9nv$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> George W. Bush was just interviewed for an article in GLAMOUR. This
wannabe
> Prez. didn't know the names of the President of Mexico, the leader of
> Pakistan and the significance of the Taliban. In fact he didn't even
know
> that the Taliban were fundamentalist leaders of the Afghani
government. And
> there were several other notables and issues of which he had no
cognizance.
> According to the latest polls, he and Gore are just about tied. When
the
> debates begin, Al will prove what a complete Quayle-like idiot Bush
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> will win the election by at least ten percentage points. For you
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> mistake. For you Democrats-it's in the bag. For you Independents-the
debates
> will tell you which way to lean and the ONLY thing that can get Bush
elected
> is a SERIOUS RECESSION or DEPRESSION.
> AF2Y
>
You may be right Doc....but I'll tell you this....the Demoncrats have
LOST THE CUBAN VOTE FOREVER. And that includes all their friends.

And for a personal thought.....if this country elects Gore, then it
will prove to me that the people of this country are REALLY STUPID.

Anyone that can support Clintons protege after Waco and now Miami
deserves another 8 years of ripping up the constitution. Well maybe
Gore will keep his affairs out of the public limelite. Thats something
at least.

Wouldn't it be nice if we had someone QUALIFIED to be chief executive
just once? I'm really getting tired of these "beauty contests".

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3499. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sh3roi37gbn88@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This that the offical ARRL position?

KB7ADL

w1rfi@arrl.net (Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)) wrote in
<VI0Q4.653$R5.16815@news.ntplx.net>:
>
>I haven't seen any change in the FCC enforcement actions since the
>restructuring was announced. I see no evidence that the FCC doesn't
>care about Amateur Radio. Quite the contrary; the amount of staff time
>they have invested into restructuring and enforcement has been
>considerable.
>
>73,
>Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
>

3500. WTB: AM/FM BOARD For Icom 725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio1 <gravsat@antigopro.net>
Message-ID: <3911f0dd$0$72525$4bb17d6e@news.dwave.net>
Source record: 111844

If you happen to have a working Am/Fm board for an Icom 725 you would part with please contact me, do NOT post here, please Email.

please include asking price and payment/shipping options.

Thanks gravsat@antigopro.net

3501. Re: AF2Y asks about Vieques

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8esslc$p4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111845

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> VACILLATION.
>
> Does anyone believe that things like Waco, Elian and the Vieques
affair
> could have occurred under the watches of pepperpots Nixon and Reagan
or even
> under quieter Bush? Koresh would have been arrested and taken away
LONG
> before the conflagration happened. Elian would have been given
immediate
> political asylum and the Vieques protestors would have been cleared
out days
> after they squatted.
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> If decisive action is taken quickly, the necessity of RASH action
> diminishes-something the Clinton administration forgot about. Things
were
> allowed to fester beyond control and then decisive action turned to
what can
> be described as heartless.
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> Let's hope the next Prez. zips up and flies right.
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> AF2Y
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Your a real trip Doc....one post your a card carrying DEMONCRAT, and
then you jump on the Elephant. Talk about vacillation.

Now here is a major point to consider.....When does Castro get froggy? Only when there is a Demoncrat in the presidency.....Bay of Pigs/Cuban missle crises > Kennedy. Criminal boat lift > Carter. Miami > Clinton.

Ain't that amazing? And you know why? Because Nixon, Reagan, Bush would have shoved his bearded butt out the other end of the carribean.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3502. Re: KK7HO! Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000504181827.16110.00001242@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 111846

Kiss my ass Don whoever, anyone can file an "affidavit". You don't even need an attorney to do that. That in and of itself doesn't mean jack. Get a damn clue.
Ps. let's hear or see some "EVIDENCE" of your claim. If they are, or have been lately I'm with you on this. I know it hasn't.
Show the evidence or your ASSertion.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
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3503. First-hand account: POW Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8essjsjgg1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111847

This appeared on the ham radio history email list; thought some of
you would enjoy reading it.
73, Jeff KH6O

Construction of radio equipment in a Japanese POW camp.
By Lieutenant Colonel R. G. Wells
Transcript of a recording by Lieutenant Colonel R GWells, on the
construction of radio equipment whilst in a Japanese Prisoner of War camp
after the fall of Singapoore
It was about the beginning of 1942 when I was aprisoner of war of the
Japanese, when I was ordered to go on a working party which eventually
finished up in the Sankakan in British North Borneo. Two thousand odd of us
were in this work party and it wasn't long before we noticed the absence of
information as to the international situation, what was happening in the
outside world, and the whole camp had a real craving to get news by whatever
means. Escape parties were being organised, but none of these were very
successful. The next thing people turned to was a means of getting some
radio news, and this is where the building of a radio set became an urgent
requirement.
The main thing, of course, was that we didn't have any components and
although we had some contacts outside which later on were helpful in the
building of this receiver, it limited our requirement to a regenerative
receiver as from a superheterodyne receiver and the decision to do that was
borne out by the results.
The high frequency spectrum during that time of the war was fairly quite in
that part of the world and the BBC, we hoped, would be able to be received.
This was aided by the fact that the Japanese in their wisdom called a friend
of mine out one evening to repair their radio set and he took the
opportunity, of course, to switch over to the shortwave bands, with
headphones while doing that, and picked up the BBC successfully. That day
was memorable because it was the day that the BBC broadcast the death of the
Duke of Kent in an aircraft crash. That was the only news we had of the
outside world for something like six months.
The plan was made to begin building the radio, so until we could build
components, there was nothing much we could do. A look at the circuit
diagram of a regenerative receiverindicates a number of capacitors - about
two or three are required -low capacitors to make the oscillating part of
the system work, and infact from memory we needed in the grid circuit at
least one ".01 microfarad" capacitor and there was no chance we could get
this anywhere, or any other components. So we hit upon the idea of taking
some tin foil or aluminum foil from the lining of the tea chest from wich
the Japanese suppled with the rice rations, then by the well known equations
for calculating capacity and the relationship of the surface area and

spacing of the plates, we built a capacitor or, at least, I built a capacitor which according to calculations should have been about ".01 microfarad."
If I could put an aside here, I built a replica of this capacitor some years ago, and it went out to Simpson barracks wherewe had some friends in thetesting laboratory, and with great excitement the Warrant Officer concerned said, "We will see how good your calculations were"; so he put it on his equipment which was accurate to many decimal points and read on his display unit, ".009 microfarad", so we thought we were pretty good. I said "Touch" to him because he didn't think we could do it. I made two ro three of these, and I still hae one of them that would work if I built the receiver again, which I have been thinking about doing, except there is always something else, like a lot of other projects which one has as one gets older.
The resistors were another problem. We found out that we could use the impurities in some of the tree wood and the bark, particularly cinnamon bark bark which was available by getting through the wire only about 2 feet and we could normally pinch that while the Japanese sentry was moving around. We used a piece of string with the material rubbed on it from the burning of the cinnamon bark with some impurities in it (we didn'thave a chemical analysis); we weren't very fussed because most grid-leak resistors were about a megohm or thereabouts and we had no means or any way we could measure a megohm, so it was largely a trial and error thing to see if it would work. We made a number of these bits of string and tied them round different things to dry them out to get the thing going. Eventually about an inch, three quarters of an inch to an inch, was about the right order of things to get about a megohm resistance. They were the two main things.
Now the things we couldn't provide, couldn't do. We had to make coils; they were largely trial and error, one could calculate the inductance of these if one had access to some means of measuring the wire gauge and the space between them. So that was largely a trial and error business.
The two biggest components, or two biggest requirements, were we needed some headphones and we needed a valve, and I thought that the rest could be made locally with a bit of luck. On the question of the headpiece an outside contact smuggled in one headphone, which was better than no headphone, and a valve - no valve holder but one can't have everything in this life.
The other trouble was the power supply. The Japanese main around the camp which provided the power was 110 volts roughly according to the power station meter which we couldn't help but see, because we delivered the wood there while the power station was running; I switched over when no one was looking and the frequency was about 60 Hz, not 50 Hz as we thought, not that this worried us anyway but to know that it was manageable.
So two problems remained for the power supply. The first one was the A-battery or low voltage supply necessary for the filament of the valve. We started with a couple of dry cells, but these didn't last very long and we had to make something then. Through being friendly with the pharmacist with the party, we got some potassium bichromate and made up a bichromate cell, which is probably well known in the text books but not of very practical use. It's fairly hungry for zinc and it needs some sulphuric acid which one can't throw around or hide easily, but it served for some time and was quite

successful but, in the end, had the operation lasted very long, we would have been in trouble for that. Two of these cells provided about 3 volts to 4 volts, and 6 volts was a bit too much because each cell was running at a bit over 2 volts, about 2.2 volts.
The biggest problem was a rectifier to rectify the AC into DC without dropping it to a low voltage, because remember in those days we needed high voltages for the B supply, or anode supply, but in these days we bring everything down to small DC voltages; we needed to get them up as high as we could. That was a partial failure in that using aluminium foil again and oxidising one piece of it, or length of it folded over, with some weak acid and then using the two electrodes, one of clear aluminium and one of a zinc salt and aluminium, we could make a rectifier. We wouldn't be so audacious as to call it a rectifier now, because it had a reverse voltage of something like 30 or 40 volts, which wasn't exactly ideal, but for DC we had no option. The result was that I made a bridge rectifier but the only problem was that after 15 minutes the electrolyte began to boil, so it was really passing current in both directions but a little bit more one way than the other. So a single cell, an extra rectifier cell, was the only way I could close this down a bit, and some smoothing. This we achieved with part of a fish plate from the railway line which was being used at the aerodrome to move the dirt from one place to another by man-power, about six men on these, and the odd fish plate used to disappear anyway for various reasons. I dropped one off at the power station and asked the Chinese under my breath if he could cut it into three little sections which he did, he didn't want to know why.
Then again using some palm oil and some bee wire which was in fairly plentiful supply, which we stole - it was a bit risky because the Japanese were cultivating a couple of beehives outside the wire and of course this wire used to disappear for various things unrelated to radio - and we put the palm oil along the wire stretched out and rubbed this palm oil on it, thickening it with a little bit of flour and then heating it; the flour bound the palm oil together and formed a fairly good insulation over the wire. Good, but lucky, and with a lot of travelling.
I should come back to the capacitors on that, because we had to insulate the layers of those which we did by putting a layer of newspaper (a few people had newspaper and various things, for other reasons than newspaper of course, but then we had no other toilet requisites in the party) and by soaking this in some coconut oil we could insulate each layer after we wound it, and with a piece of this bee wire - we had something like fifty feet of it - wound round this part of the fish plate, we made a fairly good choke coil. And then a bigger capacitor, which was no trouble, having had success with the small one, to just wrap as much tin foil as we could round another sheet of newspaper which finished up about 18 inches long by about three quarters of an inch in diameter. We didn't even try to measure the capacitance of it, because we couldn't do anything about it anyway, except put more wire on. And that in effect was a fairly good rectifier, a very dangerous one because we had the
110 all right but we had a bit over that by the time we had rectified it, and we don't know because we had no means of measuring it.
Finally, the valve; we joined the valve by winding the clean little bee wire

around it and then plugging it with any insulating material we could get to make it stick, - no valve holder, of course. So eventually we produced a receiver of sorts, except it wouldn't oscillate. We tried building more, another choke coil, and this went on for ages; there was no possibility we could get this valve to oscillate. I think it's recommended according to a friend of mine who had an amateur licence, he thought that about 120 volts was the best we could get and there was no way we could get that by trying to smooth this any more. So the only avenue open was to bribe one Chinese working at the power station who was very much our way, and of course in those days was a nationalist Chinese. The capital of China in those days was Chungking, and I told him we could get him some overseas news from Chungking if he would slowly wind his field coil power up on the generator every night starting at about 9 o'clock bit by bit, and get it up to about 130 on his meter. He understood, and after that I said half an hour to drop it again, very quietly and slowly because it may affect the lights "....and you no speak about that because you get chopped, you know, and we will give you Chungking news...." This was duly done and for about six months we had reliable communication. The first trial on air had too much hum, and we had to modify a few things two or three times in attempts to get it right, and in the end we had a workable situation which was worth exploring.
Capacitors right, choke coils right, one head phone, we had some old rag so we tied it round the head and tied it on, or string, or whatever we could get. With the hope of recording something we took some paper, which wasn't in plentiful supply, but the odd piece of paper we could get. Running notches down the left hand side, about a quarter to a half inch apart down the paper, and bending it over so that these little pieces stuck up in the air, and in the pitch darkness one could then put the headphones over one's head with eyes looking out for possible interruption by the Japanese - we had some lookouts, or cockatoos as the Australians called them, around the place to warn us at the oncoming of the Japanese - and with great trepidation we heard Big Ben chiming one night. Of course only one of us heard it but we were so full of enthusiasm. It was the BBC all right; it was quite a clear signal but it was somebody talking about growing hops in Kent. This broadcast went on for something like three quarters of an hour without any interruption, but ultimately the signal faded out and I was very annoyed. I was asked the next morning by my senior officer what was the news, and I said "we've got good news; I can't talk here, come this way." So he came along and said "what's this news you're talking about." I said I didn't actually hear any news, and he became very annoyed with me and said what the hell did I mean, and I said "if the British primary producing experts are capable and able to spare the time to talk about growing hops in Kent, Britain must still be alive and floating with their thumbs up, and as far as I'm concerned that's the best news I could hear!"
That's the outline and maybe there are some questions I haven't covered properly.
BJ: The first question I would like to ask you is: What did you have in the way of tools, if any, and how did you connect the components of the wireless without, presumably, a soldering iron?
RGW: No soldering iron, no solder of course, and no other system really available but to twist and wrap with some coconut oil paper, or cardboard or

something, and very gently lift it. It was on a platen of wood we obtained somewhere; it was about a foot by a foot or something, so we just mounted the components on that. A meat skewer on the capacitor - oh, we had a capacitor too, a capacitor, a valve and a headphone, which were external to camp components we had. We didn't have any tools at all, except someone obtained the use of a sledge hammer - for what purpose I don't know because one of those would not be needed to escape; other than cutting up the soft iron of the fish plate which was about the only reason we needed anything, the rest were just twisted wires. We just wanted to get one usable because we didn't know whether it might be blown up or captured; we weren't worried, the main thing was initially a short term aim (as well as a long term aim) that it might last. Fortunately, it lasted for over a year - sixteen months until the arrests took place, but that's another story.
BJ: Can I just ask you - the components for the low voltage battery cells that you produced, where did you get all the components from?
RGW: Well, zinc wasn't hard, there was some sheet zinc lying on the aerodrome and we pinched quite a bit of that because that would be eaten away during the use of the cells for the low voltage. I don't know what would have happened if that ran out. I think someone produced two lantern cells which did for a while, but it was mainly on this home-made cell system, which wasn't efficient but nowhere near as inefficient as the rectifier was. We must have been consuming... Ah Ping said he had to turn up a lot of power to keep the lights what they wanted. We were dispersing such an amount of power in this four test tube rectifier for the high tension. A variable capacitor was another component we had to bring in. We couldn't make a variable capacitor, it was impossible. We had to take two plates off the one we had to get a high enough frequency. Yes, I can't remember why we didn't go up a bit in inductance; it was largely a trial and error business really. Except that in a regenerative receiver you had some idea when you were near a station because the receiver was so sensitive as all regenerative receivers are. It had a piece of meat skewer type wood which I had a hole drilled in by a pen-knife, and we glued this in with some of our glue or something, into the capacitor shaft so that we could tune it by holding a little stick across it, fixing it at about six inches because one couldn't get one's hands any closer to the set because it was in a state of very near oscillation where the maximum sensitivity is, just before it bursts into oscillation. With a fairly clear HF band, it wasn't long before we knew roughly, by putting a couple of marks on the stick, where it was. We knew that the Voice of America was due for a transmission and Idon't think we ever knew the frequencies because the BBC didn't announce frequencies, they just came on the air and broadcast.
BJ: What did you use for an aerial?
RGW: A clothes line. All the huts had a clothes line of some sort so we just took a thin wire from that and wrapped it round the edge, knowing that a normal sentry wouldn't take any notice of it, and we just dragged that across the side of the hut and brought it in, and the people with our permission would put their loin cloths out and hang them over this when they washed them so it looked as if it was being used. The toilet in the sleeping block was a hole in the ground and it was verboten to be used by anybody except to put our radio set in when it wasn't in use; everybody respected

our wishes in that regard!
I think the best thrill was, well two or three thrills, which were momentous I suppose and of great excitement, almost excitement of crying with excitement, and the first was I think when we heard a full news bulletin of something like 400 aircraft over Dresden or somewhere, pounding the place to pieces; we were very pleased about all this. But from the land point of view, from the beginning of '42 I think, I can't remember, but sometime just before the Battle of Alamein, and we heard some of the troop movements in preparation for that. The bulletins in those days were fairly long and gave a lot of detail.
Unfortunately the first lot of rectifiers blew up about 2 days after this so we were out of business for something like 5 or 6 weeks. Of course, the rumours started to flood in as to what was happening, what wasn't happening, the war would be over in 5 minutes and all these mainly optimistic things; but there were a few super-pessimists who said we would never get off the island, and would die there, and that sort of thing. But the thrill, I think, was when reception was restored again and we had to do another little bit of fine tuning because everything you changed seemed to affect something else; the whole thing was very sensitive and wouldn't have stood up to present day quality assurance bump tests!
So back there on the first night we missed the BBC for some reason, and the next thing was the Voice of America which had a headline which ran something like this: "The war is over in North Africa, Rommel is knocked to pieces, he's out of the Middle East and the Middle East is finished, the future for this and that ....." That was the end of the American news in about three sentences! No other detail, so I said we would go back at about 12.30, and hope that Ah Ping hadn't pulled the voltage down too far, to see what we could hear. Again, the BBC was a little low but it suddenly came quite bright and lifted in volume, and Big Ben chimed again and there was a voice in the wilderness calling. It was a lovely sensation to hear Big Ben playing in those days, and every time I hear it now I become excited. The announcement, initially in a most depressing vein, described all about the 8th Army's movements, and it was here that it did this, and this regiment drew up and did that, on and on this went for something like 15 to 20 minutes, and we tried not to follow it because we had our eyes on too many other things, look-outs and so on. But a lovely flow of English and if you had a tracing board you could have traced out exactly where everything was in situ, but of course that wasn't the aim of our exercise which was to get news. At the finish of the news the polite sentence said "It must be considered now that as all resistance in North Africa has been overcome the Allies victory must be "assured" or something like that. And that was all he said, but he took a few minutes to describe everything that happened, so you had a clear picture. But the Americans seemed to be creating for a public that just wanted the headlines, three headlines and that was all; no other interest in anything else. That was one of the happy moments of the system.
We had the problem, of course, of writing the news because naturally a lot of people wanted to know it and a lot of people could be told it without its origin. This is why we used the piece of paper we took with us (Gordon Waite and the other officer who used to share some of the work), and as soon as we heard about 30 bombers over Dresden or something, you just put 30 BD, or B

for Berlin, and feel the paper down when you felt it coming to the end, and pick up the next little bit of bend and write along that in the pitch dark, hoping that you've got something in the morning. Surprising how legible it was, just triggered a couple of words like that. Unfortunately, I was in deep custodianship with the Kempitai when the Atom Bombs were dropped and I didn't hear that news on the BBC; it was relayed to me. We didn't keep these things, of course.

Getting off the technical side now, the radio set didn't betray itself. Some criticism could be levelled at us I suppose. We trusted too many people; we had no intelligence training then, of course, or anything like that and we were inclined to trust every Asian we met who smiled at us and who said he was one of us. Anyway, while this was going on at the aerodrome and once the troops heard, we had to tell the troops the good news of course. We said we had heard from an unknown source that the war is getting better, or something like that - we had to give them a sanitised version. It was probably all they wanted but, naturally, two or three senior officers wanted to know as much as they could because they may be the ones who would have to take some decisions one day about it.

Unknown to us an Indian - I don't like saying this and I'm not being racist, it could have been any nationality - blackmailed a Chinese who was helping us on the aerodrome picking up bits of iron for us and various other things. He blackmailed him but the Chinese wouldn't talk, so the Kempitai arrested the Chinese and put him on a rack; he mentioned in the course of his cries for help - which was not a nice thing to think about but I don't blame him - he mentioned Captain Matthews and a couple of other people; I think I would have done the same thing at that stage.

The Japanese then decided to make a raid on the camp, which they did, and I was then charged and taken away by the Captain; he wanted the receiver and I gave it to him in the end after a lot of leading him round the camp with his soldiers. I could almost laugh at some of the things that happened. He must have told them he was looking for a radio set; a Jap soldier came running up to him with a piece of metal which looked like a piece of horse harness or something; the Captain almost kicked him and told him what to do. So in the end I decided that I couldn't talk to anybody before the rest of the troops on this parade ground, and I felt so conspicuous. He walked back and said "Are you going to tell me because we want the wireless set?", so I said "Yes, I've just thought where it might be". So I went across and told him where the hole was, and they dug the hole up and, of course, there was the transmitter. He said "Ah, you've been sensible at last", so he took the transmitter and they took it away.

>From that day on, I was worried about this because I knew the receiver was OK and the troops would be happy about that; they would still be able to get news. And then he took me up to the platform where he stood and addressed everyone. All he said in English was "You all look at this man, you will never see him again" and led me off. I had a sort of a dying wish, going in on the vehicle to Sandakan to be interrogated, that somehow or other this set could be preserved and, of course unknown to me, it was. They continued using it but not until after about a week or so - their nerves were a bit shaken. But they used it for some months afterwards until the big moves came and it was a successful source of morale lifter.

During the trial, that was when the shock came to me when this transmitter was brought out by the prosecution as evidence that we had been using a receiver, but the Court accepted it. It was never mentioned after that because had it been, I don't think either of us would have been alive, because we had planned to get some crystals from the Philippines and try and fit them in this set then we could call them on CW and give them some news about ourselves. But we did get some news by other means, via an agent taking a sandalwood vessel across, that the British and Australian authorities knew where we were, and it was proved at the end of the war that they knew exactly where to come for us. They had guerilla parties in behind the lines, but they couldn't contact us and they had to watch some of our people just die virtually, because they were there and there would have been trouble otherwise.
BJ: Could I just take you back and ask you to fill in a few details about the transmitter. You talked a lot about the construction of the receiver and I would be very interested to know where the transmitter fitted in to this; were you developing that alongside?"
RGW: "No, the receiver first; we had that, and then we started the transmitter as a rather low priority of course, but one it would be nice to have. I had finished the two 6L6G's to make a push-pull amplifier that was the RF output to be, and the oscillator, and we had the capacitor but were missing a few more components andthat was about where we were. In other words, in the course of events, had he been an expert with some sort of knowledge of electrical engineering, we would never have got away with two 6L6's sitting up on a block of wood with a few capacitors and things hanging on them, but obviously the Court Martial officers were normal, without disrespect to Infantry Officers, and they had no knowledge of telecommunications.
BJ: Again, the valves you used in the receiver were...?
RGW: Only one, that's all we had, which was brought in by Mr Mabey. He smuggled in a pipe to me, a smoking pipe, with some tobacco. Lovely gentleman. Unfortunately, I never had long with him, he died soon after being arrested. His widow lived at Hove with her sister; the two are deceased now.
End of recording.
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3504. To Be a Jew, att: Larry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19514-39120152-47@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111848

It is the earliest memory of my life: American Jews in numbers not only stood passively by as the Holocaust went down, they also denied they were Jews.

I recall my Dad, a pillar of integrity, and my Mom discussing Lindberg's tilt toward Hitler. The anxious expressions are seared in memory.

As a youngster, i recall when shock of the Holocaust was incomprehensible. Families were torn asunder by the inability of the older generation to account for their passivity while masses were slaughtered.
While fingers were pointed at the Catholic Church and others, they weren't pointed back where they properly belonged: at ourselves.

For many of us, it represents an incalculable motivator; our very survival is at stake. And so you have the Jewish lobby, strong and indeed effective. Equally effective is the outpouring of Jews worldwide, and their willingness to transport themselves from the lap of luxury to the front lines of Israel's defense where a lonely death threatens.

Yes, I am a Jew, consumed with the survival of Jews.

Many of us, unconcerned with the bottom line, generalize our feelings to the disenfranchised everywhere. After all, Jews were some of the first to die on the front lines of the Civil Right's movement, as they marched shoulder to shoulder with Dr. King and his twentieth century pioneers.

Fortuante to have a Dad who cut my teeth on the Constitution, I followed in kind. Not only did I march as a student at Johns Hopkins but after my first career, I aspired to teach in the toughest African-American school in this city. I thought I had something special to offer and, no matter how hard, I owed myself to turning the inner cities around.

To immerse myself in African American studies, I began doing original research on the Civil War period. After making the extraordinary discovery that the era, lost in the dust of history, had never been been accurately reporte, I embarked on stories of newfound, Florida, African-American heroes and heroines, such as Susie Taylor and William Walker. They've been published by leading newspapers here in South Florida, studied in our schools, and I have been honored as a leading writer of Black, Florida history by the Fort Lauderdale Sun Sentinal.

If you read the Elian posts on this NG, you'll discover how driven I feel these days about the Cuban passion for freedom. I've come to feel that the cause is no less than the Jewish, African-American and countless others, many of which I'm uninformed.

With this recent realization, I've begun to understand that we human beings are always developing. Expansion of the human mind means embracing all of humankind, not simply one's own proximate issues.

Talk about the dark side of anything, my friend, but here is a Jew, typical of so many, who devotes a part of his life to society. And that is the teaching we've inherited through the ages.

It is not one of cold statistics, self righteous, moral outrage. It is real, attended by love and acted upon.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3505. Re: 180 Degree Turn in Favor of Miami's Hispanic Community ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391207E8.BA098F75@bctv.com>
Source record: 111849

W5LZ wrote:
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> Robert,
> You and Mr. Basuto still seem to be ignoring the fact
> that a court order was defied as well as other illegal
> practices.

Quick! Call Alan Dershowitz and explain this to him, because he
DISAGREES with you.

BTW, a "court order" which runs counter to law is void.

> By the way, was this YOUR exoerience or Bob Sherin's?
> 'Doc

He IS Bob Sherin, using a different screen name.

3506. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sh46t0nrgbn77@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111850
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Or, it is easier to say Lambda and Rainbow consist of ham radio operators
with an abnormal sexual orientation and their supporters. Much easier.

Yes, there are those that say it is genetic, and there are those that say it
is not. Whatever. Whether you are born that way or you simply choose that
abnormality, is something that has not been concretely proven either way.

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

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to get the Clintons
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"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote in message
news:3910d67e.467132576@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> On Thu, 04 May 2000 00:20:49 GMT, "Innocent John!!!"
> <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote:
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> >"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote
> >SNIP
> >> I know of No group BTW of Homosexaul operators in the first
> >> place,
> >SNIP
> >
> >Mark - Apparently you are not aware.
>
> No you are in error Lambda is NOT an organzation of Homosexual
> operators. It includes Besexuals transgendered persons, and those
> ssupportive of same of other orientation (hetero sexual I assume is
> the only other one I can think of) It is not there a Homosexual
> orgaztion by any standard I am aware of since I know as matter of fact
> both genders are represented in the memebership and not all of the
> persons targeted for memebership are Homosexual
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> >http://www.hamvention.org/UnofficialFriday.html

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> >& "Rainbow Amateur Radio Association". It is the same web page that
> >lists "HeROS".
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3507. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sh470oqcgbn47@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111851

"Lumpy" <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote in message
news:39117d20$1@news.peakpeak.com...
> Innocent John wrote:
>
> Don't worry John (et al). You can't catch it.

Thank God!

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons
_____

3508. help w/which yeasu gets 220mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: N0JAM@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2513-391234C9-66@storefull-104.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111852

does anyone know which model? its a modular one that you can put
220mhz...1.2 etc. into.
is it the 757? 736? thanks for the help.

N0JAM

3509. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eqk90$3mq$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111884

>Source: http://www.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Digest/2000/dd000503.html
>
>PAUL E. HOLCOMBE. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of
> rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference
> to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio
> communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2,
> 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-970). ENF
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>ROBERT L. MEYERS. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of
> rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference
> to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio
> communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2,
> 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-977). ENF

This leads one to ask: If an operator is not licensed in the Amateur Radio Service, is he really operating an "amateur radio station" as mentioned above? A reading of 97.3(a)(5) and then 97.3(a)(4) seem to say "no," since no one appears to be "duly authorized" to operate the equipment as required in 97.3(a)(4).

KH6O

3510. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eqkod$45j$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
>GPS isn't the only method that can be used to locate a distant target.

I used a sextant, a chronometer, the Nautical Almanic, and the Sight
Reduction Tables to get a sailboat from Honolulu to San Francisco!
Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.

Jeff KH6O

3511. Re: Clarification on BUrkSWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503215459.20563.00001241@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111886
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y posted:

>
Subject: Re:
>Clarification on BUrkSWL
>From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
>Date: Wed, May 3, 2000 22:44 EDT
>Message-id: <8eqkl3$9mv$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
>
>Tim,
>David Castle is off his rocker by even going close to that miserable net.
>He's going to keep touching that flame until he sets himself on fire and
>goodbye.
>Doc
>

Hey Doc ... this has nothing to do with the subject at hand .. but .. I am typing this
at 21:52 EDT on May 3rd, yet your posting above says it was posted at 22:44 on May 3rd.

How does this happen? Does a server somewhere have the wrong time in it?

3512. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910d67e.467132576@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 04 May 2000 00:20:49 GMT, "Innocent John!!!"
<jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote:

>"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote
>SNIP
>> I know of No group BTW of Homosexaul operators in the first
>> place,
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operators. It includes Besexuals transgendered persons, and those
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>& "Rainbow Amateur Radio Association". It is the same web page that
>lists "HeROS".
>
>

3513. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000503220832.14510.00001289@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111888

>IMHO, WA9KJI only wants to check into the Liberty Net so he can get his foot
>in
>the door, and then, over a period of time, completely disrupt and destroy the
>Net.
First of all that sounds a little ridiculous and paranoid. If he disrupts it BOOM, he's out again. Of course he should be allowed to speak his mind regarding his political leanings. I think that's why he's not let to check in. Hell, for the last 5 months KJI and the others have HANDED 3950 to Vic at net time. You KNOW that.

KJI checkiinhasn't been "allowed" LOL, in 6 years. I do not think that him checking in will disrupt the net. He has not been jamming them, as they claim. I think they should OPEN it, let him check in, see what transpires and go from there. These guys are fighting a war that's been non-existent for a year. I agree they get jammed. I heard it myself last week and it was terrible. I KNOW that it wasn't Dave and hasn't been. There are people not part of either group that wants to see this stirred up (like kevin does) and continue. So they instigate.
They jamming years past was a result of the net's attitude that they owned 3950 and could move in whenever they wanted. You also KNOW that.
As for what he say about the net, it is just some people, what about what they say about KJI? It goes both damn ways and you KNOW it. 3-7's from Las Vegas

3514. Re: Provocative Piece, PeterMaus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3910DD7B.85EEF9AC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111889

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I say that if Harold R. "Queenie" Mort can be called Peter, then Peter Maus
> can be called Mickey. Those in agreement say aye!
> AF2Y
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> ----------

The chief engineer at KTFS radio use to call me Mickey. He thought
it was a great moment of wit. He's still in Texarkana, and I'm in
Chicago. Incidently, consulting The Mouse.

Yeah...great wit indeed.

> In article <8309-39104F35-3@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:
>
> > I was thrilled to see your detailed post this morning,filled with
> > genuine emotion. Having many half baked impressions about this, I'm
> > afraid that I do not have your scale of knowledge.
> >
> > To be a meaningful contriubutor, I need to study your post as well as
> > the information out there, then search my legal knowledge and
> > conscience. It may take a few days.
> >
> > Congratulations on wrting on such a high level. Let's hope it leads to
> > universal insight.
> >
> > Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> > Miami, Florida
> >

3515. Re: Clarification on BUrkSWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000503221748.14510.00001291@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111890

Doc, I agree but I think that it's a matter of principle with Dave. I cannot blame anyone for staying with principles. You see the net claims to be open, perveyors of thoughts and ideas, a bastian of free thinkers, protectors of the First Amendment, yet they deprive this guy of all of these because of something 6 years ago. Not Right. Especially when everything currently (in the last year) indicate that there is no problem. Hell Dave has been turning the frequency (3950) over to Vic at net time for about the last 5 months. Yet they won't take his check - in. Go figure.

3516. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3916ddd6.18569039@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111891

On Wed, 03 May 2000 23:12:55 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:30:36 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
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>>>>
>>>>You mean Florida is in charge of Immigration/Naturalization ? When did
>>>>that happen ? At a search engine I typed in 'INS' (Immigration and
>>>>Naturalization Service) and this page came up:
>>>
>>> Never said that but Florida IS empowered to deal with child
>>>guardianship and other domsetic arrangents of person within the State
>>>of Florida.
>>
>>*WHICH* person was a *LEGAL* resident of the State of Florida ? His
>
>niether but all persons reaching the US are entiteld to the due
>process of law. the issue seems to be who has the right to speak for
>Ealin since the INS would not accept

'Family Court Dismisses Elian Suit'

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custody was preempted by federal law. She also said that a
six-year-old was too young to make life altering decisions."

http://www.msnbc.com/local/wtvj/220438.asp

Looks to me like there's some due process of law occurring thanks to
the Fed's.

Much snippage:

3517. Re: Vanity Callsign format: A question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eqmfd$5vc$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111892

On Mon, 1 May 2000, W5LZ wrote:
>By now most, if not all, of the Extra class 1x2's, and 2x1's are
>probably already issued.

By my count, there are, in theory, 43,680 such possible calls:

K1AA-K0ZZ: 26^2*10 = 6,760
N1AA-N0ZZ: 26^2*10 = 6,760
W1AA-W0ZZ: 26^2*10 = 6,760
AA1A-AL0Z: 12*26*10= 3,120
KA1A-KZ0Z: 26^2*10 = 6,760
NA1A-NZ0Z: 26^2*10 = 6,760
WA1A-WZ0Z: 26^2*10 = 6,760

43,680

In reality, some will never be issued, e.g., AH7K, KH7K, NH7K, and WH7K
(those are reserved for Kure Atoll, and since there is no postal delivery
on Kure, no one could list a mail address on that atoll).

73, Jeff KH6O

3518. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Pr...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3918e2c8.19834542@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111893

On Thu, 04 May 2000 01:25:24 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Thu, 04 May 2000 00:37:15 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
>
>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:47:34 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
>>wrote:
>>
>>>On Tue, 2 May 2000 17:31:14 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
>>>wrote:
>>>
>>>>Mark Morgan,
>>>>
>>>>You must realize that now you're wading into the question of
>>>>jurisdiction. Though I haven't studied the legal tilting, I know that
>>>>the federal government had the jurisdiction to do what it did.
>>>
>>> I have studied the matter and disagree althouth the issue is
>>>murky I grant you
>>>>
>>>>There are often cases of parallel jurisdiction, called pendant
>>>>jurisdiction. We just don't know how deep the duties of federal
>>>>authorities were without a legal scholar. I'm certain there is a huge
>>>>legal history underpinning the episode.
>>>
>>> Again I disagree I think however a huge set of legal history
>>>is likel to made either now or as this case becomes precedent. I have
>>>never heard of the US Govt interenving in a child cousty case
>>
>>That's because before now no one has been crazy enough to try and say
>>Florida has jurisdiction over children from Foreign Nations !! How in
>>hell can Florida have jurisdiction when the kid *isn't* a US citizen
>>much less a resident of Florida ?
>
> That is bull on several counts.
>
> One Elain is a resident was from the sec he arrived in the US
>that is the law
>
> I know that in California that the courts have made
>detemeniations of Custdy amoug the migrant workers and the Illegal
>aliens. Indeed Clinton at first stated that the Court in Maiami would
>have to decide the matter. Colorado last year or the year before took
>Custoty of child of two Swiss nationals away from the pearnts on a

>charge of Child abuse. these were tourists To suggest that
>Flordia Can't rule in the case of a LEGAL Alien is abusrd.
>
> Flroida has always HAD such authroity whenever the matter came
>up in Florida before. If it is so clear that it lacked such power why
>did the florida family court accept the case and set it for action?

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six-year-old was too young to make life altering decisions.

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3519. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3919e515.20423481@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111894

On Thu, 04 May 2000 01:28:50 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Thu, 04 May 2000 00:40:06 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
>
>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 23:16:05 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
>>wrote:
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>>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:21:02 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
>>>
>>>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 17:04:08 GMT, Peter Maus
>>>><PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
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>>>>>
>>>>>General Mark Morgan wrote:
>>>>>>
>>>>>> When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
>>>>>> asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
>>>>>> returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!
>>>>>
>>>>> The word is 'moot' by the way.
>>>>> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
>>>>>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>>>>>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
>>>>>is assumed. No age restrictions,
>>>>
>>>>Which was just an omission and is being exploited by Elian's relatives
>>>>and their attorneys.
>>>
>>> Perhaps a valid point. But one to be addresed by the Court
>>>and in due Course the Congress. not Reno
>>
>>Yes and not some Little Havana 'Family Court' with just a tad of bias.
>
> I saw on TV the Judge who did apear to be Hispanic, and if the
>problem was merely one of prejudge then The Lawer from the Father
>should ask as is proper for a change of venue or file an notice of
>prejudice

Not sure who you're referring to but if it's the original 'judge' in
this case , she's had just a *slight* problem or two (Conflict of
Interest and a *questionable* campaign contribution (cough cough) of
$200,000.00)

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" In a 22-page ruling, Judge Jennifer Bailey ruled that her court had no jurisdiction over the case and that the relativesï¿½ bid for custody was preempted by federal law. She also said that a six-year-old was too young to make life altering decisions.

Lazaro Gonzalez, Elianï¿½s great uncle that has had parole custody of the boy since he arrived in the US, had petitioned the family court for guardianship in January. Judge Rosa Rodriguez awarded temporary custody of the boy to Lazaro at the time, until a full hearing could be held on his claim that the boy would be harmed by being returned to communist Cuba.

The ruling was criticized by legal experts who said that Rodriguez had overstepped her authority, because the federal government has jurisdiction over immigration matters and this issued needed to be settled in a federal court.

Things were further complicated by the fact that during her campaign, Rodriguez had paid more than $10,000 to Armando Gutierrez, a political consultant who has been acting as the spokesman for Elianï¿½s South Florida family. She also paid a company owned by Gutierrezï¿½ wife nearly $53,000.

The case was ultimately removed from her courtroom due to the conflict of interest, and assigned to another family court judge. That judge, Jennifer Bailey, made her ruling on Thursday.

This all came after Rodriguez was indicted on Wednesday on a charge that she accepted an illegal campaign contribution of $200,000. She was charged with two misdemeanors of illegally accepting and failing to truthfully report a campaign contribution. Those charges carry a maximum sentence of one year in jail. She also could be removed from the bench because of the charges.

Rodriguez has said that the $200,000 was a loan from her brother that she inadvertently omitted from her election financial disclosure forms. Her lawyer, John Thornton, said that the judge was innocent and that judicial candidates are legally allowed to borrow more than $500."

3520. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay N4AOX <wyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3910E811.AAF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:
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>
> I see no evidence that the FCC doesn't care
> about Amateur Radio. Quite the contrary; the amount of staff time they have
> invested into restructuring and enforcement has been considerable.
>

Why yes, I'm sure. After all look at how many commissioners are Hams,
and immediately under them, how many of their assistance are Hams. Why
there must be uhhh... lets see Ed, maybe you can give us the numbers,
extras, novices, tech? calls?
;-)

3521. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eqtk4$p82$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111896

In article <8eqk90$3mq$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> This leads one to ask: If an operator is not licensed in the Amateur
> Radio Service, is he really operating an "amateur radio station" as
> mentioned above?

Mr. Holcombe and Mr. Meyer are both amateur licensees, K4TOF and N5WLY
respectively. I'd guess that means they were operating amateur radio
stations. Pretty straight-forward stuff, actually.

Hans

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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.
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3522. 180 Degree Turn in Favor of Miami's Hispanic Community ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28333-3910FA88-109@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111897

Ever since PeterMaus posted such insightful material, sparked by everyone's contributions, I've receded on my position favoring the U.S. Government, guided by you posters that I needed more information and better discernment.

Tonight that changed.

Meeting my Wife at Fuddruckers (a national restaurant chain), we stood in line for our usual rib eye steak sandwiches. Instantly recognizable, Jose Basuto (as head of Brothers to the Rescue, a hallmark on TV) was next to my shoulder as he gave short instructions to a woman in front of us. She turned out to be his Wife.

In my mind's eye, he conjured an immediate behavioral response: Here was an angry Cuban whose group violated Cuban airspace dropping leaflets on Havana, resulting in the downing of two of his planes and loss of two of his pilots. Irrationally fearful of an incident, I turned away.

As my Wife took over my place in line, I saw Jose waiting at a table. Typical of my way, I released the frozen bias, walked up to his table and cordially inquired if I could ask some questions. He smiled, inviting us to join his Wife and him for dinner.

I made no bones about my contrary opinions and lack of knowledge on the issues. He said, it was typical of his uphill battle to win the hearts and minds of Americans. His mild manner and affability contrasted with his television image, and naturally I laughed as I put that fact into words. Always pressured by the short time of sound bytes, prodded by the press, he' told us, he's trying to stop this natural reaction to pressure. His Wife joined us, sharing the laugh, saying she always tells him to loosen up. Here was a public figure sitting before us whom I read one way and in reality was opposite. My head spinned.

For the next hour or so, Jose Basuto and his Wife gave us an encyclopedic history of events. He bemoaned the deep schism in Miami, pointedly complimenting me on approaching him. "Not many Americans do that," he said.

His history was specific with dates, events and support, including the circumstance under which he was forced into Cuban airspace, the ongoing betrayal by the Clinton administration, the reason Sister Jean changed her position, Elian's behind-the-scenes activity in Miami, what Elian expressed to him, the real purpose of General Janet Reno's failed mission, how our Executive branch was without good cause to intercede, how Castro, not the Father, is one of the "real parties of interest," how well the Cubans are behaving given the circumstances, how the Cuban

leadership lectures the crowds about peaceful protest, how Cubans, with the same pluralism we have, are being unfairly stereotyped, and how easily the armed extraction could have been avoided.

To listen to Jose Basuto is to turn the news on its head. And to me, he had perfect credibility. Unable to convey a fraction of the information making its way into my mind, I'll sleep on it, read all of your enlightening posts, and prepare to report everything. You see, it is all too easy to come to the wrong conclusion solely from media coverage-- unfortunately.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3523. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <uF8Q4.24557$55.178007@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 111898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote
> No you are in error Lambda is NOT an organzation of Homosexual
> operators. It includes Besexuals transgendered persons, and those
> ssupportive of same of other orientation (hetero sexual I assume is
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Mark,
Once AGAIN, I suggest you follow above link that I suggested to you before.
It
is a link to the hamvention un-official activities. In the description of
Lambda ARC
they state "LARC is the only open and visible public service-oriented club
for gay and
lesbian hams...". Their own description seems to contradict your
statements, unless YOU
are trying to say that there is a difference between the terms of
gay/lesbian and
homosexual.

In other words, CATCH A CLUE, FOOL!!!

3524. Re: Go BARF yourselves!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <39110f35.133860391@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 111899

Not arguing that point at all. Its the same reason I used to get on
Burt Fishers case....Generalizing. While I will admit there are
plenty of yahoos out there (as there is in all aspects of life), not
ALL are that way. You didn't say "present day lids" you said
"present day hams" LOL I totally agree we should help each other,
but I will admit I find it very scary when somebody who has supposedly
passed their test (perhaps up to extra) asks a question SO basic that
you wonder how they even managed to memorize the question pool.

Howard N3TNQ

On Tue, 02 May 2000 09:39:05 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Oh Howie, come on. You question "qualms?" Yesterday a guy wrote that he
>passsed the Extra theory but can't copy even 5 wpm of CW and that's
>disgraceful. And by the grace of God, if this dope ever does "master" the
>code and receives an Extra, he indeed will no qualms about classifying
>himself as the "elite." It's a sham Howie and you know it. Hams are being
>set up to see that awful movie" Frequency" and we were set up to buy this
>restructuring bullsnot engineered by the Feds and sanctified by the ARRL to
>which I USED to belong.
>Doc,AF2Y
>
>----------
>In article <390e5f02.339465625@news.pacbell.net>, h-watson@pacbell.net
>(Howard Watson) wrote:
>
>
>> You are right on the money regarding phone patches. Of course they
>> are legal. Would sure as hell shoot the crap out of MARS patches
>> wouldn't it? However, what the heck is that first part of the first
>> line all about? Why should anybody have any "qualms"? They didn't
>> make the rules. They aren't "evading" anything. It is not as if
>> there is a choice of taking a higher code test. If somebody says
>> something stupid (including me) fine...correct them. If you disagree
>> with restructuring then fight IT, not the hams. Its time to stop
>> blaming the individual hams. I'm not sure what many of the people on
>> this group want. They think nobody should upgrade now because things
>> have changed? It might show some opinions, but wouldn't that pretty
>> much gaurantee the end of amateur radio?
>>
>> Howard N3TNW
>>
>> On Thu, 27 Apr 2000 07:31:30 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"

>> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>>
>>>If present day hams have no qualms in calling themselves Extras by having
>>>evaded the proper protocol and testing to qualify them as such, then they
>>>should have no gripe against any ham wanting to legally avoid paying a
>>>telephone charge. The whole thing with the "illegality" of phone patching
>>>was concocted anyway by the phone related felon, KV4FZ from the Virgin
>>>Islands, who simply wanted all parties concerned to think it impossible that
>>>a fellow like he, so concerned with telephone patching "illegalities" on ham
>>>radio, could ever steal services from the Caribbean Automated Long Lines
>>>Service in the Virgin Islands. And of course, on whom better to blame the
>>>phone patch issue than the Jewish guys on Intercon? You anti-phone patching
>>>nitwits, go BARF yourselves.
>>>AF2Y
>>

3525. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <391110c7.134262841@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 111900

On Tue, 02 May 2000 18:29:24 GMT, "Twaddle my minkie"
<remove64323@juno.com> wrote:

>
>Donald Burkhart <BurkSWL@webtv.net> wrote in message
>news:18607-390EDDB0-12@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
>> A clarification needs to be made on the BS David Castle is spreading to
>> new AG's on 3.950 MHz. Mr. Castle implies that he's not being allowed
>> to check-in to the Liberty Net because they don't allow dissenting
>> viewpoints.
>
>Some people desperately need to get a life......
>
>
What frequency can I find one on or is there at least a web site I can
download one from? ;)

3526. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meg A Hertz <meghertzNOmeSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <185f5664.85e3e8ef@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 111901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>> ::It is not a privilege that is some sort of reward for
>> :: passing a bizare initiation ceremony...

>>Meg I really must disagree with you. It is CURRENTLY some sort
>> of reward for an initiation ritual.

Well of course that's what I MEANT - I admit my writing isn't
always perfectly clear - it currently is but really shouldn't be.

73
MegHz

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3527. KK7HO! Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8775-39115737-12@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111902

Castle & Visser are still jamming!! That's why somebody's lawyer has filed an affidavit against Castle for an incident in March!!! That's why these jerks are not allowed on the net!!

Get a damn clue!!

Don B.

3528. Jose Basuto Speaks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8658-39115827-19@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111903

Doc, real name is Bob Sherin; Robert Morris is a pseudonym I use in one of my mailbox's. They are one in the same.

To hear Basuto relate the foot dragging by the Miami family, you come away with an immensely emotional issue, grounded in realities. From the start, the Miiamians resented federal meddling; they wanted Elian's asylum case perfected before the boy moved anywhere. They point out the stone wall now that the child is up North, as contrasted to Miami where we saw everyday images. The boy has made unmistakable that he does not want to go back, though he expresses love for his Father. There is a rumor that Elian has been informed by the Washington group that Mom is waiting for him back in Cuba. To Basuto, this episode is but another along a line of perfidious conduct by the U.S. Government, where the U.S. stood by knowing that Bothers to the Rescue planes would be shot down in international waters, failing and refusing to inform Brothers thereby dooming their certain fate. It is not generally know that during that time Brothers had set up a routine whereby they informed the Cuban government of their full flight plans every time they flew their missions. So the military attack, with U.S. foreknowlege and blessing. was criminal, in their view.

Basuto says that Cuban society spans the spectrum from the educated to the not so educated. Accordingly, we see different behaviors. He said enormous effort is focused on containing demonstrations to peaceful--and indeed over the years they have been generally disciplined. Basically, he's saying so many have suffered and risked their lives trying to get here on floats that the American public should be more empathetic to their plight. If the child returns to Cuba, he will not be retained in the custody of the Father but by the State. At 11 he'll be enrolled in live-in political indoctrination under State auspices.

Therefore, he holds, the Executive Branch has gotten into bed with Castro, interdicting the cases running their courses in our courts.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3529. Will Castle & Visser be next??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8775-39115673-10@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111904

Let's hope so!

Don

3530. Hams at the FCC, was...Re: Direction Finding...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39115e7b.1766395@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 111905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 04 May 2000 03:02:33 GMT, Clay N4AOX <wyn@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org) wrote:
>> I see no evidence that the FCC doesn't care
>> about Amateur Radio. Quite the contrary; the amount of staff time they have
>> invested into restructuring and enforcement has been considerable.
>
>Why yes, I'm sure. After all look at how many commissioners are Hams,

Why would that have any meaning to the opinion of Ed?
Has there EVER been a commissioner that was a ham...even
in the often lauded "golden day of ham radio" from 1934 to the
pre-incentive licensing days?

>and immediately under them, how many of their assistance are Hams.

When Carl Stevenson met with the FCC to make our exparte
presentation on behalf of NoCode International, we met with
four people...three of them were hams themselves.

>Why
>there must be uhhh... lets see Ed, maybe you can give us the numbers,
>extras, novices, tech? calls?

What difference does it make?

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

3531. Jose Basulto Speaks ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8658-39115B98-22@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111906

The Court order was a defective arrest warrant. Elian had been granted temporary asylum until the appellate Court makes its final ruling. He was not subject to arrest, they argue.

The family does not in any way trust Washington and Cuba, whom they claim have their own agendas. Miamians were waiting for the leadership and/or the father to come down here to sort things out. Basuto told me that, far from danger, if they had contacted them, arrangements would have been made and there wouldn't be any trouble. They were ready to follow the will of the American Government but not at the barrel of a gun. They wanted full consultations. General Reno's trip here, at President Clinton's behest, was not designed to hear their interests but to give marching orders. And that is why Sister Jean changed her position: She saw how intent the government was and could see that it would tangle the boy in the conflict. True to form, there is a stonewall coming from Washington, not the kind of access to Elian in Miami. This they had feared.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3532. Re: Looking for Grandfather's Call - Located!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net
Message-ID: <CFWE5oJPMmyO090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>
Source record: 111907

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A big thanks goes out to Michael Ostrowski whe located my
Grandfather's call. With just a tad over a week to go I'm wrapping
up the studying, concentrating on two or three areas I keep having
problems remembering (Thank god it's open book when I'll be sitting
at the radio!!!)

I would also like to thank everyone here who offered suggestions
on contacting clubs, forwarded the message to the Radio History
list and other alternative methods to find the info.

For those interested, I'm including the abbreviated response
below:

- ->
- -> From: Michael Ostrowski <mostrowski@CreativeSolutions.com>
- -> Subject: RE: Grandfather's call
- -> Date: Wed, 3 May 2000 17:47:51 -0400
- ->
- -> Radio Amateur Callbook Magazine Vol. 54 No. 4
- -> Winter 1976-77
- ->
- -> Page 432, Column 1:
- ->
- -> WA6ZHA - Advanced Class
- ->
- -> Harold D. Seielstad
- -> 10 Prince Royal Passage
- -> Corte Madera, CA 94925
- ->

In article <FnWD5oJPMmeW090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>,
mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net (Ramsay D. Seielstad) wrote:

- -> I'm about ready to take the entry level tech exam and am pretty
- ->confidant about passing ... still have a few glitches to learn
- ->but should pass.
- ->
- -> After I pass, I'd like to get a vanity call and honor my
- ->silent key Grandfather who was in the hobby for years, but as
- ->luck would have it my folks didn't keep a copy of his old
- ->ticket.
- ->
- -> I would appreciate it if anyone with an older callbook could
- ->help out ... his name would be H. Douglas Seielstad Sr., and

- ->probably would have a listing that expired in the late 70's or
- ->early 80's, if you happen to have a listing, could you please
- ->e-mail it, thank you.
- ->

- --

+---+
| Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
| Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ |
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| "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average, everyday |
| guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no significant |
| use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time ... and |
| trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views" |
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| To obtain my PGP Public Key: finger mrhuey@wizvax.net |
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3533. Re: Response to Larry, Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <593383EDA6ED79F0.0F77C234DC562A4B.947B49BDFB3F564D@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111908

I don't intend, Bob, to start a long thread pro/anti Israeli. However, I think you owe it to yourself to do a little research on the net. I'm sorry I didn't keep the URL, it didn't survive the crash on my old system. There is considerable evidence on the internet concerning some of the "dark side" of Israel. Things like jpgs of actual Gestapo documents from Austria where the current and past rulers actually turned over their own people to the Gestapo in exchange for getting them out of Austria to actually start the state of Israel. Thousands died and are now, of course, touted as marters as all Middle Eastern states do when political decisions to cause genocide are politically convenient. They bought their way out with lives of less fortunate Jews. Funny, I see no mention of it at the Holocaust Museum. The docs and the story, unrefutably presented evidence, are available on the net.

Now I want to present to you some more irrefutable evidence of the "dark side" of our finest friends, that would have been kept under wraps had not the crew been so angered being left to dangle and die at the hands of the State of Israel. Israel says it was a mistake. Our spy ship, flying this HUGE American Flag, looked like an Egyptian freighter. They attacked it over and over, trying to sink it and kill everyone aboard....right under my flag. The part of this story I want you to carefully look at is about the control of the US Government by that money and media run by Jews in the USA. TWICE, not once but TWICE, planes were launched by the US admiral from his carrier to run off the attackers. TWICE, not once but TWICE, the admiral was ORDERED directly from the White House and SECDEF to recall the airplanes that would have saved AMERICAN lives. Why? Because Washington is CONTROLLED by that money and media. It's ALWAYS about money in Washington....campaign money. You control the money, you control the government. It's rotten to its core. Ask the Chinese who bought Clinton/Gore. You may read this entire episode, from the men who lived it aboard Liberty at:

http://www.halcyon.com/jim/ussliberty/liberty.htm

Thirty four brave US Navy sailors gave their lives trying to save their ship from the State of Israel. Capt. McGonagle died last year. He was decorated IN SECRET at the Navy Yard in Washington for his valor. Why in secret? M-O-N-E-Y. We wouldn't want to raise hell and cut off that money flow to the politicians, now, would we? If Capt McGonagle and his crew had been treated as they SHOULD have been treated in 1967, the money to the politicians would have stopped when the money to the State of Israel we're fleeced for, every day, stopped.

What do they do with all that money in such a little place as Israel? Let's look at Tadiran, the Israeli military equipment company. How interesting! Let's see if we see the money flow here......

US taxpayers are fleeced by their Israeli-controlled (money, remember) politicians to an ever-increasing foreign aid package that is just too big to hide. Israel takes that money and builds AWACs airplanes, Kifir fighter jets, and other military hardware with it. Isreal sells these AWACs airplanes to the Communist Chinese at a handsome profit, with OUR money. The Chinese threaten the island of Taiwan using military equipment and technology from Israel. So, if we defend Taiwan at some future date, our troops will be killed with equipment WE paid to build in the first place. Isn't that nice? It IS true......

Nope. I'm not anti-semitic. I've lived with Jews, Arabs, Iranians, Costa Ricans live 3 doors down, as do blacks, Italians, other ethnic groups and members of the Ron Hubbard Brainwashing Society. But the control by ONE group of every media you see and hear is just not right, no matter who that group is. The control of our self-serving politicians by Jewish money and that media isn't right, either.......THAT was my point. It's why I watch my TV news from Canada, the UK and other places. Funny, the color of the news changes when I do that.

Remember, Israel is our friend! Try to remember that when you read the Liberty pages. The whole book on the attack is free on the webpages. If it doesn't make your blood boil that something is very wrong, my feelings go out to you.

Larry W4CSC

On Wed, 3 May 2000 22:00:08 -0400 (EDT), AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:

>I apologize to the extent I misposted, assuming prejudice where there
>may very well be none. As to the incident, I'd like a full account of
>what actually happened before speaking out.
>
>You see, being part and parcel of tortured Jewish history, I see all the
>good for which Israel stands: carving productive farmlands out of sand,
>a democratic country on a par with the U.S., one whose survival has been
>challenged again and again by overwhelming odds, a country whose capital
>can be reached by air almost before detection, one whose leaders carry
>the heavy burden of life and death, one which saved the U.S. from huge
>potential losses by taking out Iraq's nuclear power plant before we
>sensed the threat, one which wants to live in peace and, one which built
>for survivors from the ashes of World War II a place of refuge they can
>call home. Etc., Etc.
>
>Ideally, I believe all of humankind is entitled to these opportunities.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX

>Miami, Florida
>

3534. Re: 180 Degree Turn in Favor of Miami's Hispanic Community ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <5CBB225829C6EA8B.ADD11F5D497E26CC.5EDCFEF5C2A9E225@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111909

On Thu, 4 May 2000 00:20:24 -0400 (EDT), AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:

>You see, it is
>all too easy to come to the wrong conclusion solely from media
>coverage-- unfortunately.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

See my other post about that "media control" of what Americans see and hear. Pretty powerful, isn't it? It gets politician elected or thrown out. It gets Cubans who came here with nothing, worked their asses off and never asked for a handout, treated like dirt. Pretty powerful, isn't it? The media influence on you, personally, is why politicians fear the group that runs that same media, and their political agenda. Over $3,000,000 per day....flows to TelAviv because of it.

Thank you for your post on this incident. I was also enlightened. I had been told by TelAviv TV that Arabs were terrible, fierce, blood-sucking, swine who were just awful! I was told that about Iranians, too! But, having LIVED in Iran and Arab countries, I, too, found out just the opposite is the TRUTH. I sat under the Amir's picture in the Middle East Hotel in Manama, Bahrain. I was there to do maintenance work on the Great White Fleet, our US Navy presence in the Arabian (in Iran we say Persian) Gulf. An Arab gentleman in his native dress, but covered in a beautifully gold-brocaded robe, approached me. I later found out he was a minor government official who had come to the hotel to meet someone, and a 3rd cousin to the Amir, HH Isa bin Sulman Al Khalifa, who just died recently. He was very curious about why I was in Bahrain, which was no secret. What ensued was over an hour of education for me. His English was impeccable. He graduated from UCLA. Our fleet lands in Bahrain because they are very friendly to our country.....not the anti-US hoards of screaming Arabs you always read about in the TelAviv US Press. They owe about everything they have to the US. After all, WE drilled that first oil well back in the 30's. I've TOUCHED it! It's STILL pumping, today, and is a national shrine in the middle of the country. A pint of its crude oil sits on my mantle.....ESSO it says.

The other guys I worked with, from the Charleston Naval Shipyard, looked astonished when they walked by as we talked. Having lived in Iran for almost 2 years, I'm very sensitive to trying NOT to be the Ugly American in their countries. I was drinking the great tea they

make, not beer or alcohol, under the Amir's picture which would be an insult. I think that's why he wanted to talk to me. It was quite an education for both of us.....

Oh, one more thing to chew on.....I made a little deal with him when he wanted to know why the US supports Israel so much. I told him just what I've told you. It's about MONEY. Well, the little deal was pretty simple. We'd stop sending war money to Israel. HE, in turn, would make gasoline sell for 25c/gallon in Charleston. It was a fun joke between us. But, reflecting on it as I watch the prices rise, I'm not so sure he was kidding......

Larry W4CSC

3535. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39118A39.CB84BA48@ahole.com>
Source record: 111910

I guess the USofA downing the air plane in the Gulf was OK.

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> On Mon, 01 May 2000 13:36:04 -0400, "Curt M. Breneman"
> <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:
>
> >
> >It is amazing to me that such blatant anti-semitism still exists in the
> >modern age. Has nothing been learned in the 20th century?
> >
> >Curt Breneman
> >KC2EBP
>
> Why is it that any time anyone points out that money and media are
> controlled in the USA by Jews, he's automatically pegged as
> anti-semitic? Is it so necessary to try to mask this fact? I was
> merely stating a fact of life in the United States. It is how we
> account for the extraordinary foreign aid sent to Israel each
> day.....more than any other country on the planet.
>
> It has nothing to do with the religion, actually. I worked for Jews
> for years. I hung the masoosala (my spelling is awful) in the front
> door of their business. I've visited Israel, twice, over the last 20
> years. I've also lived in Arabian countries who have good reason to
> fear the atomic bombs of the Israeli state. I lived in Iran, an
> arch-enemy of the Jewish state, for nearly 2 years. I've lived and
> worked in many places in the Middle East. I'm hardly anti-semitic. I
> have friends of many faiths, cults, etc.....
>
> I also can't forget the Americans aboard USS Liberty who died in 1967
> when the Israeli military tried to sink the ship and kill our sailors.
> No, I won't forget just because they control the money and media in
> the country, either. They shot directly at MY flag....
>
> Larry....

3536. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39118DAB.8429C35E@ahole.com>
Source record: 111911

WHAT ABOUT HIS DAD. DOES HE HAVE NOTHING TO SAY ABOUT THIS??????

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> General Mark Morgan wrote:
> >
> > When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
> > asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
> > returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!
>
> The word is 'moot' by the way.
> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
> Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
> landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
> is assumed. No age restrictions, no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
> refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
> asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
> is irrelevant. For the record, though a formal request for asylum
> was also filed in his name and signed by Elian by the family.
>
> >
> > Peter Maus wrote:
> > >
> > > General Mark Morgan wrote:
> > >
> > > > > > > > Now, Elian, in the hands of the Executive branch, closely
> > > > > > > > guarded, and isolated from his lawyers, (remember in the 11th
> > > > > > > > District ruling he is named as a plaintiff, therefore entitled to
> > > > > > > > counsel), is allowed 100% access by opposing counsel. Clearly a
> > > > > > > > conflict of interest, and a deprivation of what the court
> > > > > > > > acknowledged are Elian's rights under US law.
> > > > > >
> > > > > > When did he become a citizen of this country and when did the
> > > > > > rights of the parent been rescinded? The boy needed to be with
> > > > > > his only surviving parent. Not with a bunch of anti Cuban trouble
> > > > > > makers in Miami.
> > > > > >
> > > > >
> > > > > He didn't become a citizen of this country. But h doesn't have to
> > > > > be. He was afforded certain rights when the court acknowledged the
> > > > > complaint in his name and recognized his counsel in the 11th
> > > > > District Court ruling. The question of parental rights was not the
> > > > > issue. The issue was the request for asylum. The father's rights
> > > > > were not rescinded. But once the matter fell into the courts the

> > > decision rests with the courts. And all other matters wait until the
> > > court decides in the issues before it. Whether the boy was to be
> > > surrendered to his father to return to Cuba became one of those
> > > issues to be decided by the court.

3537. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39118EB8.7DE4847F@ahole.com>
Source record: 111912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You both are a whining bunch of lazy jerks......

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Wed, 03 May 2000 01:34:07 -0700, Meg A Hertz
> <meghertzNOmeSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>
> >I agree. The airwaves belong to all of us, and we have a right
> >to use them, coupled with the responsiblility to use them
> >correctly (which aptitude is tested by exams).
> >
> >It is not a privilege that is some sort of reward for passing a
> >bizare initiation ceremony... (although Morse testing certainly
> >is weird)
>
> Meg I really must disagree with you. It is CURRENTLY some sort
> of reward for an initaion ritual. That is what we (you me NCI others)
> are trying to change
> >
> >*MegHz*
> >
> >* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> >The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
> >

3538. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39118F61.C37724EA@ahole.com>
Source record: 111913

Well, thanks for the up-date. I didn't know you were so f**king
smart. Why are you on this NG when you can be out there solving all
the worlds problems?

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> General Mark Morgan wrote:
> >
> > From what I can tell it is an automatic weapon, not a "MACHINE" gun.
> >
> > Keith Wood wrote:
> > >
> > > Liberty_nits wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Funny, I didn't see any MACHINE GUNS!
> > >
> > > Pray tell, what do you think the MP-5K is?
>
> Well, "General," if you actually knew anything about firearms, you would
> know that "machine gun" is the blanket definition for automatic weapons
> below 15mm caliber.
>
> In fact, there is a Federal definition, which essentially is "any
> firearm capable of firing more than one round per actuation of the
> trigger."
>
> And if you knew anything about the MP-5K, you would know that the name
> is the abbreviation for "Machine Pistole, Model 5, Kurz" (in English,
> "Submachinegun Model 5, Short").
>
> Perhaps next time you would prefer not to broadcast your ignorance to
> the world, "General."
>
> BTW, what are you a general of, that you are so proud of the
> designation?

3539. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0235a22f.93d8ecbf@usw-ex0104-032.remarq.com>
Source record: 111914

Nope, sorry!! I have spelled it with two "N's" since 1960
something. Just an attempt to be a little different!!

73 de Kenn W5KAP

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3540. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391190BB.8F0B4081@ahole.com>
Source record: 111915

Don't need to do that Mark, you are capable of doing that ALL BY
YOURSELF.

Mark Morgan wrote:
>

A bunch of stuff deleted:

>
> It is my belief that General Mark Morgan is AKA Liberty nit from
> lloking at some materail. It is possible that he wishes to be taken
> for me Mark Morgan in some pathetic effort to dicredit my posting

3541. Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flying Cows <mfineber@deja.com>
Message-ID: <fSeQ4.25773$x4.803795@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111916
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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3542. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <39117d20$1@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 111917

Innocent John wrote:

> ...In the description of Lambda ARC they state
> "LARC is the only open and visible public service-oriented
club
> for gay and lesbian hams..."...

I think if you'll include the rest of their statement,
you'll note the words "and their friends".

Don't worry John (et al). You can't catch it.

lumpy ab0gd

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http://www.digitalcartography.com

3543. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8es1n6gq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111918
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <fSeQ4.25773$x4.803795@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
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Wood of
> Branham & Day, P.C., at (615) 742-4880.
>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> Go - Art - Go. We put up with these smear

campains, way to
long.<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

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3544. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Privity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391187DB.D83F683D@bctv.com>
Source record: 111919

General Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> Well, thanks for the up-date. I didn't know you were so f**king
> smart.

There are a great many things that you don't know. Your problem is that
you keep PROVING this.

I notice that you failed to explain why you call yourself "General" so I
have to assume that it is one more sign of your ignorance.

3545. Re: The Privileged Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39118831.6A6BFAEE@bctv.com>
Source record: 111920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

General Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> You both are a whining bunch of lazy jerks......

Another display of your ignorance. "Bunch" means "group of several."
TWO is not a BUNCH.

Perhaps your name reflects your discharge classification . . ?

3546. Re: 180 Degree Turn in Favor of Miami's Hispanic Community ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39118967.B0181985@bctv.com>
Source record: 111921

Bob:

Thanks for telling us about this.

However, you SHOULD be telling your local MEDIA about this! Perhaps you could write this as a guest editorial or letter-to-editor?

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> Ever since PeterMaus posted such insightful material, sparked by
> everyone's contributions, I've receded on my position favoring the U.S.
> Government, guided by you posters that I needed more information and
> better discernment.
>
> Tonight that changed.
>
> Meeting my Wife at Fuddruckers (a national restaurant chain), we stood
> in line for our usual rib eye steak sandwiches. Instantly recognizable,
> Jose Basuto (as head of Brothers to the Rescue, a hallmark on TV) was
> next to my shoulder as he gave short instructions to a woman in front of
> us. She turned out to be his Wife.
>
> In my mind's eye, he conjured an immediate behavioral response: Here was
> an angry Cuban whose group violated Cuban airspace dropping leaflets on
> Havana, resulting in the downing of two of his planes and loss of two of
> his pilots. Irrationally fearful of an incident, I turned away.
>
> As my Wife took over my place in line, I saw Jose waiting at a table.
> Typical of my way, I released the frozen bias, walked up to his table
> and cordially inquired if I could ask some questions. He smiled,
> inviting us to join his Wife and him for dinner.
>
> I made no bones about my contrary opinions and lack of knowledge on the
> issues. He said, it was typical of his uphill battle to win the hearts
> and minds of Americans. His mild manner and affability contrasted with
> his television image, and naturally I laughed as I put that fact into
> words. Always pressured by the short time of sound bytes, prodded by
> the press, he' told us, he's trying to stop this natural reaction to
> pressure. His Wife joined us, sharing the laugh, saying she always
> tells him to loosen up. Here was a public figure sitting before us whom
> I read one way and in reality was opposite. My head spinned.
>
> For the next hour or so, Jose Basuto and his Wife gave us an
> encyclopedic history of events. He bemoaned the deep schism in Miami,
> pointedly complimenting me on approaching him. "Not many Americans do

> that," he said.
>
> His history was specific with dates, events and support, including the
> circumstance under which he was forced into Cuban airspace, the ongoing
> betrayal by the Clinton administration, the reason Sister Jean changed
> her position, Elian's behind-the-scenes activity in Miami, what Elian
> expressed to him, the real purpose of General Janet Reno's failed
> mission, how our Executive branch was without good cause to intercede,
> how Castro, not the Father, is one of the "real parties of interest,"
> how well the Cubans are behaving given the circumstances, how the Cuban
> leadership lectures the crowds about peaceful protest, how Cubans, with
> the same pluralism we have, are being unfairly stereotyped, and how
> easily the armed extraction could have been avoided.
>
> To listen to Jose Basuto is to turn the news on its head. And to me, he
> had perfect credibility. Unable to convey a fraction of the information
> making its way into my mind, I'll sleep on it, read all of your
> enlightening posts, and prepare to report everything. You see, it is
> all too easy to come to the wrong conclusion solely from media
> coverage-- unfortunately.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

3547. Re: MFJ-941D Antenna Tuner Info Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Black" <dblack@wam.umd.edu>
Message-ID: <39119618.6388@wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 111922
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Susan. as with most MFJ tuners, provide coax hookups to antenna and radio on the back. Then set the 2 capacitors (probably marked transmitter and antenna) to 12 oclock. Then turn the inductor (probably a 12 position switch between the 2 capacitors) for the loudest noise in the receiver. then retune the capacitors for the loudest noise in the receiver. Then you can transmit in low power to tweak up the tuning of you system. Hope that is helpful. Dave Black

3548. 180 Degree Turn, Response to KW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19514-3911A6B7-24@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111923

Sure, we all need lots of education.

I asked Jose Basuto why he doesn't do the talk show circuit in Miami, since that would give him the time to explain his point of view. He said he had just appeared on a CNN face-off with someone he described as a Cuban agent. I got the idea that he's overloaded with other things and that Brothers to the Rescue has no budget for a PR employee.

As for me, I haven't read the newspaper in months, tuning out the world and tuning in my interests in retirement. Notice how quickly my level of knowledge was overwhelmed, going from authoritative to vanquished, ha, ha; imagine how quickly I'd eat my words with the media. I do not think I'm the one to debate that position, rather someone like Jose Basuto.

With time I know I will become expert. As another way to understand Cuban history, I'm reading a Critical Portrait of Castro by an author Basuto knows and respects.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3549. Basulto: My Response to W4CSC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19514-3911A2D5-23@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111924

Larry,

Thanks so much for sharing your rich backgound with us. The personal stories are the ones that can educate us the most.

As an average American, I've long been cognizant that Bahrain is friendly to us. I had thought the reason was, they rely on U.S. defense of their sovereignty. I do know when there is trouble in the Middle East, Bahrain is always ready to cooperate with whatever support the U.S. needs.

Yes, I also remember your post on the media. Larry, believe me when I say, yours are posts I almost know by heart, ha, ha

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3550. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flying Cows <mfineber@deja.com>
Message-ID: <0giQ4.26194$x4.815947@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111925
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Adroite50 <adroite50@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000504120428.05257.00001170@ng-cq1.aol.com...
> >This day in Court has reaffirmed Mr.
> >Bell's confidence in our judicial system."
>
> ----------------
> and MINE. God, I hope Art ends up OWNING those stations when he's done!!
> --RadioGuy

I heartly second the motion RG!
I hope Bell does in the legal realm to WWCR
what the fire of 93 did not accomplish.

3551. Re: 180 Degree, Response to W5LZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19514-3911AAEC-25@storefull-242.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111926

According to Basulto, the order presented at the barrel of a gun was an arrest warrant. Since the federal court had issued a temporary order declaring, Elian not be taken outside the United States, the order they were marching to connected with that process, where they are awaiting final decision.

Given the background of having reached our shores with a recognized claim for asylum, Elian was not subject to arrest. Basulto voiced the view that this was typical Clintonian overreach, shrouding same in a bombardment of favorable press. After all, most of us Americans are quick to see defiance of law, when in effect it is the federal government defying the Constitution.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

p.s. Robert Morris is a pseudonym for Bob Sherin, one in the same person.

3552. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5591-3911AEED-50@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111927

That's right! We got ole Pork Butt off the air because of his "smearing"
of black American's with his racial slurs!

Don

3553. Re: Art Bell wins 1st round against WWCR slimeball(s)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8esbtf$ig2$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111928
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Good for Art. I hope he bankrupts those WWCR bastards off the air. That
station is as much Christian as Hitler.
AF2Y

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3554. BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8escga$9nv$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111929

George W. Bush was just interviewed for an article in GLAMOUR. This wannabe Prez. didn't know the names of the President of Mexico, the leader of Pakistan and the significance of the Taliban. In fact he didn't even know that the Taliban were fundamentalist leaders of the Afghani government. And there were several other notables and issues of which he had no cognizance. According to the latest polls, he and Gore are just about tied. When the debates begin, Al will prove what a complete Quayle-like idiot Bush is and will win the election by at least ten percentage points. For you Republicans-remember I told you that dismissing McCain was a terrible mistake. For you Democrats-it's in the bag. For you Independents-the debates will tell you which way to lean and the ONLY thing that can get Bush elected is a SERIOUS RECESSION or DEPRESSION.
AF2Y

3555. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39119179.62CF5DA6@oio.net>
Source record: 111930

Doc,
When the "Spotted Owl" is finished with the debate,
he will have 'laid' another 'egg'. As you know, "One
(Spotted Owl) in the hand is 'messier' than one 'Bush".
.... or maybe that's a 'Bush Lite'?
'Doc (#2)

3556. Re: Frequency:(PFHBLTTT!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6srz@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8esfhl$h12$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I agree Steve. This is really just an entertaining "popcorn" movie with
ham radio as a plot device rather than a central element. The plot
would have worked just as well with a crystal ball and a lightning storm
as with an ancient Heathkit and the aurora. I watched the credits to
the bitter end: there was no acknowledgment of any technical advice on
amateur radio matters.

In article <sgvffeu1g2158@corp.supernews.com>,
"Steve C" <stevec@newmail.net> wrote:
> Yeah, Its a typical mainstream movie.....THATS WHY IS WAS #3 IN THE
BOX
> OFFICE THIS WEEKEND!!!
>
> The "average" American is not going to notice the "flaws" that the
"experts"
> see.
>
> Movies are forms of entertainment, if I want reality or a history
lesson, I
> will open a book.
>
> >"Twaddle my minkie" <remove64323@juno.com> wrote in message
> >news:81AP4.17546$g4.488198@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> > Saw "Frequency last nite.
> >
> > PPFHBBLTTT!!! <---(that's how you write
> > the "fart noise" folks)
> >
> > Forget it. Plot is stupid, no balance of
> > reality, sappy actors. If this movie is
> > supposed to promote ham radio, then we
> > were suckered into buying a lemon that
> > blows blue-smoke out the tailpipe.
> >
> > Sorry, no refunds.
>
>

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3557. KE6HN << Moonwalker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: elian@zxcx.com
Message-ID: <3911c15d.20805368@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111932

Dave..KE6HN.. Due to changes by ATT.NET...Your web site CW 'AD' on
147.435 Mhz. Los Angeles, is no longer accessible!!!

Please correct the CW recording..(That only 3 of us understand)

Here is the no longer accessible URL:

CONTROLOP.HOME.ATT.NET

3558. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3911c3a7.361142@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111933

On Thu, 04 May 2000 10:04:25 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

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>
>Doc,
> When the "Spotted Owl" is finished with the debate,
>he will have 'laid' another 'egg'. As you know, "One
>(Spotted Owl) in the hand is 'messier' than one 'Bush".
>.... or maybe that's a 'Bush Lite'?
> 'Doc (#2)

As George Bush Sr. kind of said:

"Read My Lips"

"NO MORE NEW TEXANS" ;-)

3559. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <Bn3Q4.23092$55.169771@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 111973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Mark Morgan" <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote
SNIP
> I know of No group BTW of Homosexaul operators in the first
> place,
SNIP

Mark - Apparently you are not aware.
Go check out the schedule of un-official activities for Dayton Hamvention
http://www.hamvention.org/UnofficialFriday.html

They list two groups there for Homosexual operators of "Lambda"
& "Rainbow Amateur Radio Association". It is the same web page that
lists "HeROS".

3560. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Pr...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3912c3f9.11947041@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111974

On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:47:34 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Tue, 2 May 2000 17:31:14 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
>wrote:
>
>>Mark Morgan,
>>
>>You must realize that now you're wading into the question of
>>jurisdiction. Though I haven't studied the legal tilting, I know that
>>the federal government had the jurisdiction to do what it did.
>
> I have studied the matter and disagree althouth the issue is
>murky I grant you
>>
>>There are often cases of parallel jurisdiction, called pendant
>>jurisdiction. We just don't know how deep the duties of federal
>>authorities were without a legal scholar. I'm certain there is a huge
>>legal history underpinning the episode.
>
> Again I disagree I think however a huge set of legal history
>is likel to made either now or as this case becomes precedent. I have
>never heard of the US Govt interenving in a child cousty case

That's because before now no one has been crazy enough to try and say
Florida has jurisdiction over children from Foreign Nations !! How in
hell can Florida have jurisdiction when the kid *isn't* a US citizen
much less a resident of Florida ?

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3561. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3913c677.12585146@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111975

On Wed, 03 May 2000 23:16:05 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:21:02 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
>
>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 17:04:08 GMT, Peter Maus
>><PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
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>>>
>>>General Mark Morgan wrote:
>>>>
>>>> When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
>>>> asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
>>>> returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!
>>>
>>> The word is 'moot' by the way.
>>> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
>>>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>>>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
>>>is assumed. No age restrictions,
>>
>>Which was just an omission and is being exploited by Elian's relatives
>>and their attorneys.
>
> Perhaps a valid point. But one to be addresed by the Court
>and in due Course the Congress. not Reno

Yes and not some Little Havana 'Family Court' with just a tad of bias.

3562. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3914c6fd.12718531@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111976

On Wed, 03 May 2000 23:16:55 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:43:01 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
>
>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:44:55 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
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>>>Chip wrote:
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>>>> > no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
>>>> >refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
>>>> >asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
>>>> >is irrelevant.
>>>>
>>>> Not really , the interpretations I've read say that the absence of
>>>> *mention* of age limits was an accidental *omission* not a designated
>>>> part of the law.
>>>
>>>Hmmm . . .the law was passed by the House and Senate, then signed by
>>>Jimmy Carter. While many of the aforementioned had serious judgement
>>>challengeges, nobody has ever claimed that they were illiterate.
>>
>>Nor did I. Omissions and illiteracy are two different things.
>>
>>
>>>Thus, for a section of a law to be "accidentally omitted" is a pretty
>>>far-out claim.
>>>
>>>However, that point is moot. Any law is as the law was signed.
>>
>>Which is open to *interpretation* and decisions with respect to
>>Constitutionality which is what our Supreme Court and others spend
>>large amounts of time doing.
>
> Which makes it matter for courts not the INS and not Reno

As before, yes. And not some 'funny' family court in Little Havana
stacked with biased opinions.

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3563. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eqiku$1ua$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111977

Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
>is assumed. No age restrictions, no status restrictions. ALL Cuban
>refugees who make it to US soil. That means that the request for
>asylum doesn't need to be formally made. And the age of the refugee
>is irrelevant. For the record, though a formal request for asylum
>was also filed in his name and signed by Elian by the family.

What about those Cubans brought to US soil by force? I don't believe
that boy came here by choice.

KH6O

3564. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8eqj6n$2gt$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Dave Martindale <davem@cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>Keith Wood kw@bctv.com writes:

>>GPS has never been "useless for rapidly traveling vehicles."

>They still have a speed limit of about 1000 knots,

Let's lauch Keith and a handheld GPS at 1000 nautical miles per hour
to see if he or Dave is correct.

KH6O

3565. Re: Peter Maus: We Cannot Witness That To Which We Are Without Pr...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910d029.465511561@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111979

On Thu, 04 May 2000 00:37:15 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 22:47:34 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
>wrote:
>
>>On Tue, 2 May 2000 17:31:14 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
>>wrote:
>>
>>>Mark Morgan,
>>>
>>>You must realize that now you're wading into the question of
>>>jurisdiction. Though I haven't studied the legal tilting, I know that
>>>the federal government had the jurisdiction to do what it did.
>>
>> I have studied the matter and disagree althouth the issue is
>>murky I grant you
>>>
>>>There are often cases of parallel jurisdiction, called pendant
>>>jurisdiction. We just don't know how deep the duties of federal
>>>authorities were without a legal scholar. I'm certain there is a huge
>>>legal history underpinning the episode.
>>
>> Again I disagree I think however a huge set of legal history
>>is likel to made either now or as this case becomes precedent. I have
>>never heard of the US Govt interenving in a child cousty case
>
>That's because before now no one has been crazy enough to try and say
>Florida has jurisdiction over children from Foreign Nations !! How in
>hell can Florida have jurisdiction when the kid *isn't* a US citizen
>much less a resident of Florida ?

That is bull on several counts.

One Elain is a resident was from the sec he arrived in the US
that is the law

I know that in California that the courts have made
detemeniations of Custdy amoug the migrant workers and the Illegal
aliens. Indeed Clinton at first stated that the Court in Maiami would
have to decide the matter. Colorado last year or the year before took
Custoty of child of two Swiss nationals away from the pearnts on a
charge of Child abuse. these were tourists To suggest that
Flordia Can't rule in the case of a LEGAL Alien is abusrd.

Flroida has always HAD such authroity whenever the matter came
up in Florida before. If it is so clear that it lacked such power why

did the florida family court accept the case and set it for action?
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3566. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910d1a3.465890235@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111980

On 4 May 2000 01:09:50 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
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>>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
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>>was also filed in his name and signed by Elian by the family.
>
>What about those Cubans brought to US soil by force? I don't believe
>that boy came here by choice.

they have the same status and Elain could retu8rn to cuba IF
he chooses to as can most Cubans in the US (I think some are barred
from return by castro but that would not aply to Elian)
>
>KH6O

3567. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <3910d1f3.465969806@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111981

On Thu, 04 May 2000 00:40:06 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:

>On Wed, 03 May 2000 23:16:05 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
>wrote:
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>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 19:21:02 GMT, chipster66@hotmail.com (Chip) wrote:
>>
>>>On Wed, 03 May 2000 17:04:08 GMT, Peter Maus
>>><PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
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>>>>
>>>>General Mark Morgan wrote:
>>>>>
>>>>> When did he apply for asylum? Does a 6 year old kid know what
>>>>> asylum mean? If he doesn't then it is mute and he needs to be
>>>>> returned to his legal guardian, his FATHER!
>>>>
>>>> The word is 'moot' by the way.
>>>> It was in 1978, I believe, I"m sure someone will correct me, that
>>>>Congress passed a law, that said that for Cuban refugees who make
>>>>landfall, who make it to US soil, the request for political asylum
>>>>is assumed. No age restrictions,
>>>
>>>Which was just an omission and is being exploited by Elian's relatives
>>>and their attorneys.
>>
>> Perhaps a valid point. But one to be addresed by the Court
>>and in due Course the Congress. not Reno
>
>Yes and not some Little Havana 'Family Court' with just a tad of bias.

I saw on TV the Judge who did apear to be Hispanic, and if the
problem was merely one of prejudge then The Lawer from the Father
should ask as is proper for a change of venue or file an notice of
prejudice
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3568. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000503213643.20563.00001237@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111982

IMHO, WA9KJI only wants to check into the Liberty Net so he can get his foot in the door, and then, over a period of time, completely disrupt and destroy the Net.
I don't believe for a minute that KJI cares about the Liberty Net. He hates it and almost everyone who participates. Just LISTEN to what he says about the Liberty Net night after night on 3950 ... that's practically ALL he ever talks about .. and he's ALWAYS critisizing it and it's participants. Its obvious that the man has a vendetta against the Liberty Net.

Letting KJI into the Liberty Net would be like putting termites in a lumber yard.

3569. Re: PeterMous: Response to last post ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3910D091.4E7DD031@bctv.com>
Source record: 111983

Chip wrote:
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> On Wed, 03 May 2000 23:16:55 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
> wrote:

> >>>However, that point is moot. Any law is as the law was signed.
> >>
> >>Which is open to *interpretation* and decisions with respect to
> >>Constitutionality which is what our Supreme Court and others spend
> >>large amounts of time doing.
> >
> > Which makes it matter for courts not the INS and not Reno
>
> As before, yes. And not some 'funny' family court in Little Havana
> stacked with biased opinions.

Perhaps so.

I've never seen a change of venue filed by machinegun. Until now.

3570. Re: Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8euv13$97p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111784

In article <8eulao$tl7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <28567-3912A7D9-5@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> > Did Deja finally catch up to him???
> >
> > DUMBASSDon
>
> Catch up to me for what, dumbass? I bet if my size 10 1/2 boot was up
> your ass you'd know where I was. But I Only beat up old men over 65
if there not to tough. but if you want a blow job ill do it. .
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

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3571. KC8JBO...the IDIOT is back.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_ass_whole@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8ev0unbjn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111785

It has been so nice here the last week WITHOUT the ELEPHANT BOY posting..... Now I see the IDIOT from WV is back. WHERE WAS HE? Here are a few thoughts I have as to the reason he was MIA!!!!!

1. The 'ole GOAT DIED & KC8JBO had to stick her in the backyard.

2. He EXPLODED after eating a whole bucket of KFC.

3. Someone paid a visit to HORSEHEAD......With a BASEBALL BAT!!!!

4. WIDEASS was too busy with his MAGAZINE reading, hohohoho.

5. His "CRAP SHACK" home burnt down.

Maybe he had to put the 'ole GOAT in an "old age home"......Could he have gotten sick & tired of changing her EXCREMENT infested PAMPERS?

Did he join the CIRCUS & make a few extra bucks working as the "HORSED FACED MAN?" Your guess is as good as mine.

I hope his ABSENCE is PERMANENT next time!!!!!!!!

The ONE & ONLY,

'BULL

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3572. KC8JBO...the IDIOT is back.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_king_qrm@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ev10fbkj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111786

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_ass_whole@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8ev11dbkt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111787

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3574. Re: Giovannini D2T Stealth Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <camelman@casema.net>
Message-ID: <39130409$0$12364@reader1.casema.net>
Source record: 111788

Hi Guys
Let me tell you this: I bought this D2T...2 months ago....it's just a nice piece of junk.......anything except an antenna. It's a nice a dummy load......
Anybody could tell me if he's satisfy by it ????????
Rick: PA/CN8ST

"KK4TL" <kk4tl@aol.com> a crit dans le message news: 20000501205729.23693.00000511@ng-fu1.aol.com...
> http://www.qth.com/K5MDM/antennas.htm
>
> Here is a US importer.
>
> LW

3575. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <sh622t8ngbn174@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w1rfi@arrl.net (Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)) wrote in
<ntzQ4.667$R5.17195@news.ntplx.net>:

>Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>
>>This that the offical ARRL position?
^^^^
I meant 'Is'

>Your sentence does not make grammatical sense. Can you explain what it
>means?
>
>If you are asking if that is the official ARRL position, I don't know.
>I don't recall ever seeing those words printed in QST or in any of the
>other mechanisms ARRL uses to disseminate its "official" positions.

It's called a paycheck, very effective. Tell the Board of Directors what
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than to have its employees spout the 'party line' about FCC enforcement in
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everything it wanted except grandfathering everyone who owns a CB radio to
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a little.

3576. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <EF7804CF0E293B20.F73F0A49220EB655.743E4710FBF4D0B1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oh buhruther....

Kim W5TIT

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<sh622t8ngbn174@corp.supernews.com>...
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3577. Re: antenna design for vhf/uhf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: john graesser <graesser@tca.net>
Message-ID: <sh652jd7gbn162@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111791
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The radiating elements will serve to detune each other, with them in very close proximity you will not be able to tune them without affecting the tuning of the other element. You might have better luck using just the 2 meter radiator and having it as a 3/4 wave radiator on 440.
A better dual band omni antenna is a discone, which even exhibits gain on 440, but it is tougher to do on the cheap.
Be aware that if you are going to use a good feedline, a minimum being 9913 on uhf, if not some form of hardline, then the cost of running 2 feedlines will be the dominanant cost consideration.
thanks, John.
kc5dwd
X X <devil666@netzero.com> wrote in message
news:3912E020.5D3D0818@netzero.com...
> Hi there !
>
> I'm planing on building the below shown antennas.
> They are going to be placed on one aluminum plate with separate feed
> lines of course.
> They will have one common plate and 2 different lengths of radials.
> My question is if this antenna will work, meaning it will radiate 144
> mhz waves
> when transmitting on vhf , and it will not radiate from the uhf signals
> at the same time .
> I don't think it will, but I just want to be 100 % sure before I start
> building it.
> If you know any other vhf / uhf antenna designs for limited space I
> would greatly
> appreciate any info on it.
>
> Thanx a lot in advance
> Phil
>

3578. Yaesu 1500M?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <ktm@lanset.com>
Message-ID: <3913248d.0@news.sac.bfp.net>
Source record: 111792

Has anyone heard anything good or bad about the yeasu 1500M
2-meter radio? Does anyone know where I can find a review
re: same? Thanx in advance

73, Todd

3579. Re: antenna design for vhf/uhf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ehsjr@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <3913225D.121C7A94@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 111793
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Phil,

If you can go for a single band instead of dual band,
a DDRR works real well. It is reported to be equal to
a 5/8 wave vertical. The most usual configuration is
a circle with a small gap at the end - about 2 " made
from 1/2" copper tubing and mounted 3" above a
sheet of metal. I used a cookie sheet, but have heard
that others have used a large printed circuit board,
9"x9". The total length of tubing is about 26", 19" of
which forms the circle. It bends down for 3" and the
rest is flattened. You screw the flattened portion
to the cookie sheet, and attach the shield of the
coax at that point. The center conductor ends up
about 5 - 8 inches away - roughly 2 to 5 inches
from the point where the circle begins - where the
tubing bends from vertical to horizontal. Setting the
exact point is fairly touchy. This is a high Q antenna,
so a small movement of the feed point moves the
resonant frequency a lot. The "far end" of the circle,
where the gap begins, gets a capacitor. You make it
from a long brass screw and some nuts, plus a circle
of copper. You drill a hole through the tubing,
perpendicular to the cookie sheet. Put two nuts on
the long (3 1/2 - 4"") screw near the head, then a
lockwasher, then drop the screw thru the holes and
add a lockwasher and 2 more nuts. Tighten everything
so that the end of the screw is about 1 1/2" above the
cookie sheet. Add a nut, lockwasher, copper circle,
lockwasher and nut and tighten that down so that the
circle is as close to the end of the screw as possible,
with the bottom most nut filled with threads and no
threads sticking out. The copper circle will of course
need to have a hole drilled through the center for this.
I don't know that the circle has to be made from
copper - a small tin can lid might work fine. The
circle should be about 2" diameter. You adjust
the circle up and down for resonance just like you
adjust the feed point placement for resonance, and
the two adjustments interact.

The antenna is influenced by its surroundings a lot.
So - when you adjust it, you need to back off
a good distance to check it. Where you place it

has a bearing. I adjusted mine on the bench to
143 mhz. When I placed it on top of the car,
it went to 148.

Now, I mentioned cookie sheet - because that
is the version I'm experimenting with. However,
I strongly suggest a rigid ground plane. As I
mentioned, this antenna is easily influenced by
conductive elements in its environment - and
it is also influenced by motion in the cookie sheet.
My final version will be built over a rigid ground
plane.

Finally, there is at least one web site with some
good construction information. It is
http:\\antennex.com
You'll have to select something from that
page to get to the article - I don't remember
what it is - probably something like "2 meter
antennas". The title of the article is
"Build a 2 Meter DDRR for Mobile"
and it is by W5GVE.
73 DE Ed AF2P

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> ---
> [Image]

3580. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <NKFQ4.674$R5.17366@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 111794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>other mechanisms ARRL uses to disseminate its "official" positions.

>It's called a paycheck, very effective.

I am not paid to post to rrap. My boss would probably even prefer that I not, but he doesn't mind what I do on my off time.

> Tell the Board of Directors what you really think and the truth shall set you free.

I tell my ARRL Division Director what I think on many an occasion. And you are right, I am quite free to do so. I address the entire Board on RFI, RF safety and spectrum matters from time to time, too, and have never felt that I could not be equally candid in that area, too.

>The ARRL has to show its gratitude to the FCC somehow, what better way
>than to have its employees spout the 'party line' about FCC enforcement in
>a public forum.

If you are talking about gratitude to the FCC about its stepping up enforcement in the Amateur community, darn tootin' I am grateful. So is ARRL and probably 90% of active hams. Nothing "party line" about it, Vince; that gratitude is heartfelt on all counts, I am sure. And trust me, if ARRL wanted Ed Hare to "spout party line," they would hire someone better than me to do it, and ask me to do it in a lot more places than RRA and the QRP-L forum.

> With ham radio restructuring the FCC gave the ARRL
>everything it wanted

ROTF, Vince. That statement was a joke, no?

> except grandfathering everyone who owns a CB radio to
> General class, which might have hurt the ARRL money grab membership drive
>a little.

So are you saying that having more hams would mean less ARRL members? Please forgive me, but I really am having a hard time following all of the twists in this.

Let me clarify, not as ARRL policy, but by my personal understanding of some of the workings of ARRL. ARRL does not want to see CBers grandfathered to General. I am surprised that you do.

73, Ed Hare, W1RFI

3581. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8CE19DE9E5371E92.4820EF820FF56A6E.07B2E252B7272E17@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111795

Do you think it would have made any difference if the plane had been
squawking IFF like a civilian airliner.....instead of an Iranian
fighter jet?

It's true....check it out.....

Larry W4CSC....the beacon system is very important in a war zone....

On Fri, 05 May 2000 15:03:57 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>NO since we knew there were no survivors after BLASTING the plane
>out of the skies....
>
>
>Larry W4CSC wrote:
>>
>> On Thu, 04 May 2000 12:32:32 GMT, General Mark Morgan
>> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>>
>> >I guess the USofA downing the air plane in the Gulf was OK.
>> >
>> We shot off ONE missile.....We DIDN'T send in a squadron of jets,
>> followed by torpedo boats to finish off the survivors after it crashed
>> into the sea.
>>
>> See any difference, here??
>>
>> Larry....

3582. Re: Good for You, Larry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <65F67E5C10000DBA.BD520BF23FDAF56C.D10B85C87F1A9D22@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111796

You're quite welcome, Bob.....(c;

Please ask your rabbi to pray for all of us....
Larry

On Fri, 5 May 2000 09:21:09 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>Thanks for sharing that information with the group.
>
>73,
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

3583. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000505164551.25510.00001441@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 111797

Your name calling (which is easy while behind a keyboard) only shows your lack of character. As for any affidavit being evidence, you never heard me say anything like that. No matter who submitted it. All an affidavit is, is sworn, and that's if it is sworn, testimony. That's all. I asked you for EVIDENCE man, not your silly bullshit. If you have any produce it and get on with the show. If you don't, and I know you don't, stop being a TROLL.

3584. Re: Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000505165126.25510.00001443@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 111798

>nd8vmike@my-deja.com WROTE

>I Only beat up old men over 65
>if there not to tough. but if you want a blow job ill do it. .

Must be one of those pink panty boys. Better watch out for that one JBO, it sounds like he just made you a BJO (BlowJobOffer).
ROFLMAO?

3585. Re: Dry Transfers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Ostman <w0nyq@minntaccdp.com>
Message-ID: <8evchaemd1@news1.spacestar.net>
Source record: 111799
Cross-posted to: alt.sex.strip-clubs,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I believe that "Ocean State Electronics" still handles the full line of
Datak dry transfer lettering products. They do have a Web site but I don't
have their URL handy.

Ron, W&#65533;NYQ

GC wrote in message ...
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>by a company called Datak for doing panels, letters, meter scales, etc.
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>hunted high and low, and all I can find is Datak PC board stuff, but none
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>the other stuff.
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>I need to re-label a panel on a radio. And make a custom meter scale. I
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>to recall Datak had all of the above.
>
>But beyond that, anybody have any suggestions for custom meter face/scale?
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>This all for a SWAN 240 I added an "S" meter to and in the process had to
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>from the 400MA meter in it to a 1MA and a PA cathode shunt to ground.
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>George W2DB
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>

3586. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29200-39134341-52@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111800

Name calling, HO? I suggest you go back and read your post previous to this. What's good for the goose---

I've been trying to figure out why you are defending David O. Castle to such an extent. You guys are completely the opposite politically. But that must be it! Opposites attract! You are IN LOVE with David Castle! Aren't you HO?!!

HO and Castle, sittin' in a tree! LOLOLOL!!!

Don B.

3587. Re: Formal complaint filed with BLUEMONGOOSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moon Unit 376234+1/2 <nopants@aol.com>
Message-ID: <j_HQ4.30342$x4.952929@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111801
Cross-posted to: rec.skiing.backcountry,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.photo.equipment.aps,rec.photo.equipment.large-format,rec.photo.film+labs,rec.photo.marketplace

Why not just ignore them instead?

When someone responds to them it probably
gurantees that they will return with more postings.

WB3KUM/9 <d.breeden@NOSPAMwcom.com> wrote in message
news:3912AD18.56D25993@NOSPAMwcom.com...
> Find who host these jerks and have them pulled.
>
>
> hostmaster@BLUEMONGOOSE.COM
>
>

3588. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <39134B76.ED711C2E@icss.net>
Source record: 111802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
> >GPS isn't the only method that can be used to locate a distant target.
>
> I used a sextant, a chronometer, the Nautical Almanic, and the Sight
> Reduction Tables to get a sailboat from Honolulu to San Francisco!
> Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.
>
> Jeff KH6O

Only when its solar noon. What kind of clock did you use?

3589. Re: Dry Transfers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. S. Platt" <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3913670B.402987DA@erols.com>
Source record: 111803
Cross-posted to: alt.sex.strip-clubs,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

DATAK is alive and well, I'm looking at the catalog now. They now have a set of ham radio sheets (2 different sets). The p/n for the ham sets are:K95B (black), K95W (white). The updated ham sets are: K70B and K70W. The old standby markings are the 948 and 949. Look under LKG Industries Co. Datak Div.
Here in MD, I use Mark Electronics (stocking dealer) 301-595-5040. They're OK people. de K3HVG

GC wrote:

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> by a company called Datak for doing panels, letters, meter scales, etc. I've
> hunted high and low, and all I can find is Datak PC board stuff, but none of
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3590. FS: Grundig Satellite 700 world band radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <sh6vl02ogbn77@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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FS:
Grundig Satellite 700
SSB / AM / FM / FM stereo worldband receiver
with box and manuals, Mint condition
Pictures are available at:
http://users.snip.net/~hamman/grundig.html

Price $250 buyer pays shipping

Thanks
Michael
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3591. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <39138D2F.F8628270@icss.net>
Source record: 111805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >> D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
>
> >>>GPS isn't the only method that can be used to locate a distant target.
>
> >>I used a sextant, a chronometer, the Nautical Almanic, and the Sight
> >>Reduction Tables to get a sailboat from Honolulu to San Francisco!
> >>Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.
>
> >Only when its solar noon.
>
> It's called "local apparent noon."

Then you should have said so. Is that what it says in the "almanic?"

3592. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000504203750.02260.00001202@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111853

Just ran across this on the libnet board (bored). This about says it all. LOL

http://www.nationlink.com/liberty/messages/1268.html

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3593. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000504210135.19262.00001070@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111854

KK7HO said:

> First of all that sounds a little ridiculous and paranoid. If he disrupts it
>BOOM, he's out again.
>

Oh, of course he would be curteous and civil at first; a real angel will he be.
But slowly and surely over a period of time Devious Dave will bring his evil
plan to fruition .. the total destruction of the Liberty Net. I've listened to
this guy long enough to know that he is nothing but a snake, and deserves to be
treated like one. Of course, I am not a participant in, nor do I hold any
say-so in, the Liberty Net. But if I was NCS, I'd make sure KJI NEVER got to
check in.

>Hell, for the last 5 months KJI and the others have HANDED 3950 to Vic at net
>time.

So?

>He has not been jamming them, as they claim.

Perhaps not RECENTLY.

> I
>agree they get jammed. I heard it myself last week and it was terrible. I
>KNOW
>that it wasn't Dave and hasn't been.
>

And you KNOW this .. how, precisely?
You may be right. But I'll bet you that the FCC knows who these jammers are,
and has known for quite a while. We'll see if anything is done about it!

3594. Re: KJI LEAVE 3950 ALONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <jkpQ4.28805$g4.734853@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111855

<nd8vmike@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8epdm2$2jf$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > DOES YOUR WIFE NEED HELP TO I CAN HELP!@#$%^&*()_+_)(*&^%$#@!
> {}":<>?/.,;'[]PICK THE ONE YOU WANT DICK HEAD

It's not the heat, it's the illiteracy.

3595. Re: We've reached our solar peak...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: TomR@astro.net
Message-ID: <391221d4.84043317@news.idsi.net>
Source record: 111856

On Wed, 3 May 2000 09:49:12 -0400 (EDT), BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

>It looks as though we've reached our solar peak around Jan./Feb. as we >continue to spiral downward. Sunspot numbers may fall below 100 for the >first time in about a year in the next couple of days and the flares are >on the increase.(Which is typical for the decline side of the cycle.)

I think it's a bit too early to tell. Although spot activity IS way down (my raw count on the 3rd was 107) CMEs seem up a tad.
Flare activity is related to sunspots so they may be down as well.

>For all the hype about this peak, it looks as if its going to be a dog. >I was able to participate in only one F2 opening on six this past >winter. Whoopie.

Hang in there, I think the spots will increase again. We had a couple of HUGE ones recently that should make their way around again within 27-30 days or so.

>73 from Don B.

73,
Tom - KB2SMS

3596. Re: First-hand account: POW Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <32FCD5B9C727D68A.746178FD32DFC2A7.C7E49A8B45DCA470@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111857

On 4 May 2000 22:12:12 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>This appeared on the ham radio history email list; thought some of
>you would enjoy reading it.
>73, Jeff KH6O
>--

One of the neatest things I ever read on the net! Thank you, Jeff,
for posting it.

Larry W4CSC

POST MORE!

3597. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000504221034.00590.00011787@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 111858

In article <8ess1i$38$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> writes:

>Anyone that can support Clintons protege after Waco and now Miami
>deserves another 8 years of ripping up the constitution.

You forgot Ruby Ridge. Ask Randy Weaver's widow how she feels about Bill Clinton and Janet Reno's "enforcement" techniques.

3598. Re: Clarification on WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000504224814.20538.00001294@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111859

Oh, and I suppose that over the years they (the net) have done nothing to him (or others) that he should be critical about. Gimme a break !

ycthulhu wrote: >.... and he's ALWAYS critisizing it and it's participants.

3599. Dry Transfers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: GC <georgec2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <H4rQ4.19903$qF4.3703246@news1.rdc2.tx.home.com>
Source record: 111860
Cross-posted to: alt.sex.strip-clubs,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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3600. Re: First-hand account: POW Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: StArDuSt <vk4bne@ihug.com.au>
Message-ID: <957508152.89602@brs.ihug.com.au>
Source record: 111861

Someone should do a movie on it
Brilliant

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8essjsjgg1@news.hawaii.edu...
> This appeared on the ham radio history email list; thought some of
> you would enjoy reading it.
> 73, Jeff KH6O
> ----------
>
> Construction of radio equipment in a Japanese POW camp.
> By Lieutenant Colonel R. G. Wells
> Transcript of a recording by Lieutenant Colonel R GWells, on the
> construction of radio equipment whilst in a Japanese Prisoner of War camp
> after the fall of Singapoore
> It was about the beginning of 1942 when I was aprisoner of war of the
> Japanese, when I was ordered to go on a working party which eventually
> finished up in the Sankakan in British North Borneo. Two thousand odd of
us
> were in this work party and it wasn't long before we noticed the absence
of
> information as to the international situation, what was happening in the
> outside world, and the whole camp had a real craving to get news by
whatever
> means. Escape parties were being organised, but none of these were very
> successful. The next thing people turned to was a means of getting some
> radio news, and this is where the building of a radio set became an urgent
> requirement.
> The main thing, of course, was that we didn't have any components and
> although we had some contacts outside which later on were helpful in the
> building of this receiver, it limited our requirement to a regenerative
> receiver as from a superheterodyne receiver and the decision to do that
was
> borne out by the results.
> The high frequency spectrum during that time of the war was fairly quite
in
> that part of the world and the BBC, we hoped, would be able to be
received.
> This was aided by the fact that the Japanese in their wisdom called a
friend
> of mine out one evening to repair their radio set and he took the
> opportunity, of course, to switch over to the shortwave bands, with
> headphones while doing that, and picked up the BBC successfully. That day
> was memorable because it was the day that the BBC broadcast the death of

the
> Duke of Kent in an aircraft crash. That was the only news we had of the
> outside world for something like six months.
> The plan was made to begin building the radio, so until we could build
> components, there was nothing much we could do. A look at the circuit
> diagram of a regenerative receiverindicates a number of capacitors - about
> two or three are required -low capacitors to make the oscillating part of
> the system work, and infact from memory we needed in the grid circuit at
> least one ".01 microfarad" capacitor and there was no chance we could get
> this anywhere, or any other components. So we hit upon the idea of taking
> some tin foil or aluminum foil from the lining of the tea chest from wich
> the Japanese suppled with the rice rations, then by the well known
equations
> for calculating capacity and the relationship of the surface area and
> spacing of the plates, we built a capacitor or, at least, I built a
> capacitor which according to calculations should have been about ".01
> microfarad."
> If I could put an aside here, I built a replica of this capacitor some
years
> ago, and it went out to Simpson barracks wherewe had some friends in
> thetesting laboratory, and with great excitement the Warrant Officer
> concerned said, "We will see how good your calculations were"; so he put
it
> on his equipment which was accurate to many decimal points and read on his
> display unit, ".009 microfarad", so we thought we were pretty good. I
said
> "Touch" to him because he didn't think we could do it. I made two ro
three
> of these, and I still hae one of them that would work if I built the
> receiver again, which I have been thinking about doing, except there is
> always something else, like a lot of other projects which one has as one
> gets older.
> The resistors were another problem. We found out that we could use the
> impurities in some of the tree wood and the bark, particularly cinnamon
bark
> bark which was available by getting through the wire only about 2 feet and
> we could normally pinch that while the Japanese sentry was moving around.
We
> used a piece of string with the material rubbed on it from the burning of
> the cinnamon bark with some impurities in it (we didn'thave a chemical
> analysis); we weren't very fussed because most grid-leak resistors were
> about a megohm or thereabouts and we had no means or any way we could
> measure a megohm, so it was largely a trial and error thing to see if it
> would work. We made a number of these bits of string and tied them round
> different things to dry them out to get the thing going. Eventually about
an
> inch, three quarters of an inch to an inch, was about the right order of
> things to get about a megohm resistance. They were the two main things.
> Now the things we couldn't provide, couldn't do. We had to make coils;
they

> were largely trial and error, one could calculate the inductance of these
if
> one had access to some means of measuring the wire gauge and the space
> between them. So that was largely a trial and error business.
> The two biggest components, or two biggest requirements, were we needed
some
> headphones and we needed a valve, and I thought that the rest could be
made
> locally with a bit of luck. On the question of the headpiece an outside
> contact smuggled in one headphone, which was better than no headphone, and
a
> valve - no valve holder but one can't have everything in this life.
> The other trouble was the power supply. The Japanese main around the camp
> which provided the power was 110 volts roughly according to the power
> station meter which we couldn't help but see, because we delivered the
wood
> there while the power station was running; I switched over when no one was
> looking and the frequency was about 60 Hz, not 50 Hz as we thought, not
that
> this worried us anyway but to know that it was manageable.
> So two problems remained for the power supply. The first one was the
> A-battery or low voltage supply necessary for the filament of the valve.
We
> started with a couple of dry cells, but these didn't last very long and we
> had to make something then. Through being friendly with the pharmacist
with
> the party, we got some potassium bichromate and made up a bichromate cell,
> which is probably well known in the text books but not of very practical
> use. It's fairly hungry for zinc and it needs some sulphuric acid which
one
> can't throw around or hide easily, but it served for some time and was
quite
> successful but, in the end, had the operation lasted very long, we would
> have been in trouble for that. Two of these cells provided about 3 volts
to
> 4 volts, and 6 volts was a bit too much because each cell was running at a
> bit over 2 volts, about 2.2 volts.
> The biggest problem was a rectifier to rectify the AC into DC without
> dropping it to a low voltage, because remember in those days we needed
high
> voltages for the B supply, or anode supply, but in these days we bring
> everything down to small DC voltages; we needed to get them up as high as
we
> could. That was a partial failure in that using aluminium foil again and
> oxidising one piece of it, or length of it folded over, with some weak
acid
> and then using the two electrodes, one of clear aluminium and one of a
zinc
> salt and aluminium, we could make a rectifier. We wouldn't be so audacious
> as to call it a rectifier now, because it had a reverse voltage of

something
> like 30 or 40 volts, which wasn't exactly ideal, but for DC we had no
> option. The result was that I made a bridge rectifier but the only problem
> was that after 15 minutes the electrolyte began to boil, so it was really
> passing current in both directions but a little bit more one way than the
> other. So a single cell, an extra rectifier cell, was the only way I could
> close this down a bit, and some smoothing. This we achieved with part of a
> fish plate from the railway line which was being used at the aerodrome to
> move the dirt from one place to another by man-power, about six men on
> these, and the odd fish plate used to disappear anyway for various
reasons.
> I dropped one off at the power station and asked the Chinese under my
breath
> if he could cut it into three little sections which he did, he didn't want
> to know why.
> Then again using some palm oil and some bee wire which was in fairly
> plentiful supply, which we stole - it was a bit risky because the Japanese
> were cultivating a couple of beehives outside the wire and of course this
> wire used to disappear for various things unrelated to radio - and we put
> the palm oil along the wire stretched out and rubbed this palm oil on it,
> thickening it with a little bit of flour and then heating it; the flour
> bound the palm oil together and formed a fairly good insulation over the
> wire. Good, but lucky, and with a lot of travelling.
> I should come back to the capacitors on that, because we had to insulate
the
> layers of those which we did by putting a layer of newspaper (a few people
> had newspaper and various things, for other reasons than newspaper of
> course, but then we had no other toilet requisites in the party) and by
> soaking this in some coconut oil we could insulate each layer after we
wound
> it, and with a piece of this bee wire - we had something like fifty feet
of
> it - wound round this part of the fish plate, we made a fairly good choke
> coil. And then a bigger capacitor, which was no trouble, having had
success
> with the small one, to just wrap as much tin foil as we could round
another
> sheet of newspaper which finished up about 18 inches long by about three
> quarters of an inch in diameter. We didn't even try to measure the
> capacitance of it, because we couldn't do anything about it anyway, except
> put more wire on. And that in effect was a fairly good rectifier, a very
> dangerous one because we had the
> 110 all right but we had a bit over that by the time we had rectified it,
> and we don't know because we had no means of measuring it.
> Finally, the valve; we joined the valve by winding the clean little bee
wire
> around it and then plugging it with any insulating material we could get
to
> make it stick, - no valve holder, of course. So eventually we produced a
> receiver of sorts, except it wouldn't oscillate. We tried building more,

> another choke coil, and this went on for ages; there was no possibility we
> could get this valve to oscillate. I think it's recommended according to a
> friend of mine who had an amateur licence, he thought that about 120 volts
> was the best we could get and there was no way we could get that by trying
> to smooth this any more. So the only avenue open was to bribe one Chinese
> working at the power station who was very much our way, and of course in
> those days was a nationalist Chinese. The capital of China in those days
was
> Chungking, and I told him we could get him some overseas news from
Chungking
> if he would slowly wind his field coil power up on the generator every
night
> starting at about 9 o'clock bit by bit, and get it up to about 130 on his
> meter. He understood, and after that I said half an hour to drop it again,
> very quietly and slowly because it may affect the lights "....and you no
> speak about that because you get chopped, you know, and we will give you
> Chungking news...." This was duly done and for about six months we had
> reliable communication. The first trial on air had too much hum, and we
had
> to modify a few things two or three times in attempts to get it right, and
> in the end we had a workable situation which was worth exploring.
> Capacitors right, choke coils right, one head phone, we had some old rag
so
> we tied it round the head and tied it on, or string, or whatever we could
> get. With the hope of recording something we took some paper, which wasn't
> in plentiful supply, but the odd piece of paper we could get. Running
> notches down the left hand side, about a quarter to a half inch apart down
> the paper, and bending it over so that these little pieces stuck up in the
> air, and in the pitch darkness one could then put the headphones over
one's
> head with eyes looking out for possible interruption by the Japanese - we
> had some lookouts, or cockatoos as the Australians called them, around the
> place to warn us at the oncoming of the Japanese - and with great
> trepidation we heard Big Ben chiming one night. Of course only one of us
> heard it but we were so full of enthusiasm. It was the BBC all right; it
was
> quite a clear signal but it was somebody talking about growing hops in
Kent.
> This broadcast went on for something like three quarters of an hour
without
> any interruption, but ultimately the signal faded out and I was very
> annoyed. I was asked the next morning by my senior officer what was the
> news, and I said "we've got good news; I can't talk here, come this way."
So
> he came along and said "what's this news you're talking about." I said I
> didn't actually hear any news, and he became very annoyed with me and said
> what the hell did I mean, and I said "if the British primary producing
> experts are capable and able to spare the time to talk about growing hops
in
> Kent, Britain must still be alive and floating with their thumbs up, and

as
> far as I'm concerned that's the best news I could hear!"
> That's the outline and maybe there are some questions I haven't covered
> properly.
> BJ: The first question I would like to ask you is: What did you have in
the
> way of tools, if any, and how did you connect the components of the
wireless
> without, presumably, a soldering iron?
> RGW: No soldering iron, no solder of course, and no other system really
> available but to twist and wrap with some coconut oil paper, or cardboard
or
> something, and very gently lift it. It was on a platen of wood we obtained
> somewhere; it was about a foot by a foot or something, so we just mounted
> the components on that. A meat skewer on the capacitor - oh, we had a
> capacitor too, a capacitor, a valve and a headphone, which were external
to
> camp components we had. We didn't have any tools at all, except someone
> obtained the use of a sledge hammer - for what purpose I don't know
because
> one of those would not be needed to escape; other than cutting up the soft
> iron of the fish plate which was about the only reason we needed anything,
> the rest were just twisted wires. We just wanted to get one usable because
> we didn't know whether it might be blown up or captured; we weren't
worried,
> the main thing was initially a short term aim (as well as a long term aim)
> that it might last. Fortunately, it lasted for over a year - sixteen
months
> until the arrests took place, but that's another story.
> BJ: Can I just ask you - the components for the low voltage battery cells
> that you produced, where did you get all the components from?
> RGW: Well, zinc wasn't hard, there was some sheet zinc lying on the
> aerodrome and we pinched quite a bit of that because that would be eaten
> away during the use of the cells for the low voltage. I don't know what
> would have happened if that ran out. I think someone produced two lantern
> cells which did for a while, but it was mainly on this home-made cell
> system, which wasn't efficient but nowhere near as inefficient as the
> rectifier was. We must have been consuming... Ah Ping said he had to turn
up
> a lot of power to keep the lights what they wanted. We were dispersing
such
> an amount of power in this four test tube rectifier for the high tension.
> A variable capacitor was another component we had to bring in. We couldn't
> make a variable capacitor, it was impossible. We had to take two plates
off
> the one we had to get a high enough frequency. Yes, I can't remember why
we
> didn't go up a bit in inductance; it was largely a trial and error
business
> really. Except that in a regenerative receiver you had some idea when you

> were near a station because the receiver was so sensitive as all
> regenerative receivers are. It had a piece of meat skewer type wood which
I
> had a hole drilled in by a pen-knife, and we glued this in with some of
our
> glue or something, into the capacitor shaft so that we could tune it by
> holding a little stick across it, fixing it at about six inches because
one
> couldn't get one's hands any closer to the set because it was in a state
of
> very near oscillation where the maximum sensitivity is, just before it
> bursts into oscillation. With a fairly clear HF band, it wasn't long
before
> we knew roughly, by putting a couple of marks on the stick, where it was.
We
> knew that the Voice of America was due for a transmission and Idon't think
> we ever knew the frequencies because the BBC didn't announce frequencies,
> they just came on the air and broadcast.
> BJ: What did you use for an aerial?
> RGW: A clothes line. All the huts had a clothes line of some sort so we
just
> took a thin wire from that and wrapped it round the edge, knowing that a
> normal sentry wouldn't take any notice of it, and we just dragged that
> across the side of the hut and brought it in, and the people with our
> permission would put their loin cloths out and hang them over this when
they
> washed them so it looked as if it was being used. The toilet in the
sleeping
> block was a hole in the ground and it was verboten to be used by anybody
> except to put our radio set in when it wasn't in use; everybody respected
> our wishes in that regard!
> I think the best thrill was, well two or three thrills, which were
momentous
> I suppose and of great excitement, almost excitement of crying with
> excitement, and the first was I think when we heard a full news bulletin
of
> something like 400 aircraft over Dresden or somewhere, pounding the place
to
> pieces; we were very pleased about all this. But from the land point of
> view, from the beginning of '42 I think, I can't remember, but sometime
just
> before the Battle of Alamein, and we heard some of the troop movements in
> preparation for that. The bulletins in those days were fairly long and
gave
> a lot of detail.
> Unfortunately the first lot of rectifiers blew up about 2 days after this
so
> we were out of business for something like 5 or 6 weeks. Of course, the
> rumours started to flood in as to what was happening, what wasn't
happening,

> the war would be over in 5 minutes and all these mainly optimistic things;
> but there were a few super-pessimists who said we would never get off the
> island, and would die there, and that sort of thing. But the thrill, I
> think, was when reception was restored again and we had to do another
little
> bit of fine tuning because everything you changed seemed to affect
something
> else; the whole thing was very sensitive and wouldn't have stood up to
> present day quality assurance bump tests!
> So back there on the first night we missed the BBC for some reason, and
the
> next thing was the Voice of America which had a headline which ran
something
> like this: "The war is over in North Africa, Rommel is knocked to pieces,
> he's out of the Middle East and the Middle East is finished, the future
for
> this and that ....." That was the end of the American news in
about
> three sentences! No other detail, so I said we would go back at about
12.30,
> and hope that Ah Ping hadn't pulled the voltage down too far, to see what
we
> could hear. Again, the BBC was a little low but it suddenly came quite
> bright and lifted in volume, and Big Ben chimed again and there was a
voice
> in the wilderness calling. It was a lovely sensation to hear Big Ben
playing
> in those days, and every time I hear it now I become excited. The
> announcement, initially in a most depressing vein, described all about the
> 8th Army's movements, and it was here that it did this, and this regiment
> drew up and did that, on and on this went for something like 15 to 20
> minutes, and we tried not to follow it because we had our eyes on too many
> other things, look-outs and so on. But a lovely flow of English and if you
> had a tracing board you could have traced out exactly where everything was
> in situ, but of course that wasn't the aim of our exercise which was to
get
> news. At the finish of the news the polite sentence said "It must be
> considered now that as all resistance in North Africa has been overcome
the
> Allies victory must be "assured" or something like that. And that was all
he
> said, but he took a few minutes to describe everything that happened, so
you
> had a clear picture. But the Americans seemed to be creating for a public
> that just wanted the headlines, three headlines and that was all; no other
> interest in anything else. That was one of the happy moments of the
system.
> We had the problem, of course, of writing the news because naturally a lot
> of people wanted to know it and a lot of people could be told it without
its

> origin. This is why we used the piece of paper we took with us (Gordon
Waite
> and the other officer who used to share some of the work), and as soon as
we
> heard about 30 bombers over Dresden or something, you just put 30 BD, or B
> for Berlin, and feel the paper down when you felt it coming to the end,
and
> pick up the next little bit of bend and write along that in the pitch
dark,
> hoping that you've got something in the morning. Surprising how legible it
> was, just triggered a couple of words like that. Unfortunately, I was in
> deep custodianship with the Kempitai when the Atom Bombs were dropped and
I
> didn't hear that news on the BBC; it was relayed to me. We didn't keep
these
> things, of course.
> Getting off the technical side now, the radio set didn't betray itself.
Some
> criticism could be levelled at us I suppose. We trusted too many people;
we
> had no intelligence training then, of course, or anything like that and we
> were inclined to trust every Asian we met who smiled at us and who said he
> was one of us. Anyway, while this was going on at the aerodrome and once
the
> troops heard, we had to tell the troops the good news of course. We said
we
> had heard from an unknown source that the war is getting better, or
> something like that - we had to give them a sanitised version. It was
> probably all they wanted but, naturally, two or three senior officers
wanted
> to know as much as they could because they may be the ones who would have
to
> take some decisions one day about it.
> Unknown to us an Indian - I don't like saying this and I'm not being
racist,
> it could have been any nationality - blackmailed a Chinese who was helping
> us on the aerodrome picking up bits of iron for us and various other
things.
> He blackmailed him but the Chinese wouldn't talk, so the Kempitai arrested
> the Chinese and put him on a rack; he mentioned in the course of his cries
> for help - which was not a nice thing to think about but I don't blame
him -
> he mentioned Captain Matthews and a couple of other people; I think I
would
> have done the same thing at that stage.
> The Japanese then decided to make a raid on the camp, which they did, and
I
> was then charged and taken away by the Captain; he wanted the receiver and
I
> gave it to him in the end after a lot of leading him round the camp with

his
> soldiers. I could almost laugh at some of the things that happened. He
must
> have told them he was looking for a radio set; a Jap soldier came running
up
> to him with a piece of metal which looked like a piece of horse harness or
> something; the Captain almost kicked him and told him what to do. So in
the
> end I decided that I couldn't talk to anybody before the rest of the
troops
> on this parade ground, and I felt so conspicuous. He walked back and said
> "Are you going to tell me because we want the wireless set?", so I said
> "Yes, I've just thought where it might be". So I went across and told him
> where the hole was, and they dug the hole up and, of course, there was the
> transmitter. He said "Ah, you've been sensible at last", so he took the
> transmitter and they took it away.
> >From that day on, I was worried about this because I knew the receiver
was
> OK and the troops would be happy about that; they would still be able to
get
> news. And then he took me up to the platform where he stood and addressed
> everyone. All he said in English was "You all look at this man, you will
> never see him again" and led me off. I had a sort of a dying wish, going
in
> on the vehicle to Sandakan to be interrogated, that somehow or other this
> set could be preserved and, of course unknown to me, it was. They
continued
> using it but not until after about a week or so - their nerves were a bit
> shaken. But they used it for some months afterwards until the big moves
came
> and it was a successful source of morale lifter.
> During the trial, that was when the shock came to me when this transmitter
> was brought out by the prosecution as evidence that we had been using a
> receiver, but the Court accepted it. It was never mentioned after that
> because had it been, I don't think either of us would have been alive,
> because we had planned to get some crystals from the Philippines and try
and
> fit them in this set then we could call them on CW and give them some news
> about ourselves. But we did get some news by other means, via an agent
> taking a sandalwood vessel across, that the British and Australian
> authorities knew where we were, and it was proved at the end of the war
that
> they knew exactly where to come for us. They had guerilla parties in
behind
> the lines, but they couldn't contact us and they had to watch some of our
> people just die virtually, because they were there and there would have
been
> trouble otherwise.
> BJ: Could I just take you back and ask you to fill in a few details about
> the transmitter. You talked a lot about the construction of the receiver

and
> I would be very interested to know where the transmitter fitted in to
this;
> were you developing that alongside?"
> RGW: "No, the receiver first; we had that, and then we started the
> transmitter as a rather low priority of course, but one it would be nice
to
> have. I had finished the two 6L6G's to make a push-pull amplifier that was
> the RF output to be, and the oscillator, and we had the capacitor but were
> missing a few more components andthat was about where we were. In other
> words, in the course of events, had he been an expert with some sort of
> knowledge of electrical engineering, we would never have got away with two
> 6L6's sitting up on a block of wood with a few capacitors and things
hanging
> on them, but obviously the Court Martial officers were normal, without
> disrespect to Infantry Officers, and they had no knowledge of
> telecommunications.
> BJ: Again, the valves you used in the receiver were...?
> RGW: Only one, that's all we had, which was brought in by Mr Mabey. He
> smuggled in a pipe to me, a smoking pipe, with some tobacco. Lovely
> gentleman. Unfortunately, I never had long with him, he died soon after
> being arrested. His widow lived at Hove with her sister; the two are
> deceased now.
> End of recording.
> This site is managed by the School of Conservation Sciences, Bournemouth
> University, UK
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3601. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ets93mmf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111862

K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>> This leads one to ask: If an operator is not licensed in the Amateur
>> Radio Service, is he really operating an "amateur radio station" as
>> mentioned above?

>Mr. Holcombe and Mr. Meyer are both amateur licensees, K4TOF and N5WLY
>respectively.

But you'll note that the FCC didn't state their callsigns, something
that agency usually does.

>I'd guess that means they were operating amateur radio
>stations. Pretty straight-forward stuff, actually.

But you failed to answer the above "straight-forward" question, though.

How's the tapping going, Han? Has anyone discovered the secret of
"Clever Hans" the horse?

73, Jeff KH6O

3602. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ett25$nc3$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111863

W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> This leads one to ask: If an operator is not licensed in the Amateur
>> Radio Service, is he really operating an "amateur radio station" as
>> mentioned above? A reading of 97.3(a)(5) and then 97.3(a)(4) seem to
>> say "no," since no one appears to be "duly authorized" to operate the
>> equipment as required in 97.3(a)(4).

> Read Part 97.5 and 97.7 .

Yes, we know that a station license and control operator are required but
that wasn't what I asked. You apparently didn't understand my question,
Doc, so I'll rephrase it: If one is *not* licensed in the amateur radio
service (and no control operator is present), can it be said that "he's
operating an amateur radio station"?

KH6O

3603. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipster66@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <39126619.3293007@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111864

On Thu, 04 May 2000 22:02:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <8escga$9nv$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> George W. Bush was just interviewed for an article in GLAMOUR. This
>wannabe
>> Prez. didn't know the names of the President of Mexico, the leader of
>> Pakistan and the significance of the Taliban. In fact he didn't even
>know
>> that the Taliban were fundamentalist leaders of the Afghani
>government. And
>> there were several other notables and issues of which he had no
>cognizance.
>> According to the latest polls, he and Gore are just about tied. When
>the
>> debates begin, Al will prove what a complete Quayle-like idiot Bush
>is and
>> will win the election by at least ten percentage points. For you
>> Republicans-remember I told you that dismissing McCain was a terrible
>> mistake. For you Democrats-it's in the bag. For you Independents-the
>debates
>> will tell you which way to lean and the ONLY thing that can get Bush
>elected
>> is a SERIOUS RECESSION or DEPRESSION.
>> AF2Y
>>
>You may be right Doc....but I'll tell you this....the Demoncrats have
>LOST THE CUBAN VOTE FOREVER. And that includes all their friends.

Good, then they can kiss up to Dubbya's brother Jeb who recently has
tried to end affirmative action in Florida. Gonna be one of those rock
vs hard spot choices ;)

>
>And for a personal thought.....if this country elects Gore, then it
>will prove to me that the people of this country are REALLY STUPID.
>
>Anyone that can support Clintons protege after Waco and now Miami
>deserves another 8 years of ripping up the constitution. Well maybe
>Gore will keep his affairs out of the public limelite. Thats something
>at least.
>
>Wouldn't it be nice if we had someone QUALIFIED to be chief executive
>just once? I'm really getting tired of these "beauty contests".
>

>Dan/W4NTI

3604. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <39129768.803679@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 111865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

3605. Formal complaint filed with BLUEMONGOOSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KUM/9 <d.breeden@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Message-ID: <3912AD18.56D25993@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Source record: 111866
Cross-posted to: rec.skiing.backcountry,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.photo.equipment.aps,rec.photo.equipment.large-format,rec.photo.film+labs,rec.photo.marketplace

Find who host these jerks and have them pulled.

hostmaster@BLUEMONGOOSE.COM

3606. Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28567-3912A7D9-5@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111867

Did Deja finally catch up to him???

Don

3607. Re: KK7HO! Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28566-3912A6BB-12@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111868

Interesting that an affidavit is evidence when it's used for "your side". But when it's used against "your side", then it means nothing.

HO is a very fitting callsign for you. Cuz you ain't nothin' but a radio HO. (And I'll bet yo momma was a street HO.)

Don

3608. KE6HN's NEW URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: elian@zxcx.com
Message-ID: <3912bfce.819214@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111869

The new URL for Dave Witt, Moonwalker Dave Witt...Still does not work!!! The location HTTP://HOME.ATT.NET/~CONTROLOP/

works, but you cannot access the message board area..!!!!! <<-----

Good question...What is a ~ in C.W..?????? <<<------

Guess the old CW 'AD' on 147.435 Mhz. is no good....

3609. Re: Should I avoid a "too vanity" callsign?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: The MERIT Radio Group <meritradiogroupNOmeSPAM@netzero.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0a292684.3c19640f@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 111870

Look, there is no reason to be embarrased about a vanity call.
The reason why the vanity call program is in place is to have
one of them! Dont worry about what other people think.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3610. Re: Direction Finding antennas links info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI (w1rfi@arrl.org)" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <ntzQ4.667$R5.17195@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 111871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:

>This that the offical ARRL position?

Your sentence does not make grammatical sense. Can you explain what it means?

If you are asking if that is the official ARRL position, I don't know. I don't recall ever seeing those words printed in QST or in any of the other mechanisms ARRL uses to disseminate its "official" positions.

I don't recall where to get it, but there is an FAQ on the netiquette of newsgroups that explains that participation in newsgroups is considered personal, unless otherwise stated. Would it help you if I email you a copy?

I see nothing in my statement that is contrary to any of my undestanding of ARRL's position; I have seen no change in enforcement and the FCC put a lot of work into restructuring. My conclusion is that those two factors indicate that the FCC still cares about ham radio.

You know, I am curious, now; what would the difference in your reaction to my statement be if it WERE an ARRL statement instead of an Ed Hare statement. Would the difference change the meaning of the idea or its validity? Would you react any differently in either case?

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

3611. Re: To Be a Jew, att: Larry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <7EE7D0A616365417.C1033424B3DCC44F.429ACDAA65253E6F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111872

On Thu, 4 May 2000 19:01:38 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>
>It is not one of cold statistics, self righteous, moral outrage. It is
>real, attended by love and acted upon.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

I helped a Russian Jewish family get resettled here in Charleston,
just a little. The Charleston Jewish community brought them here in
the late 1980's. There was a man, his wife and 4 kids, 3 teens and a
10 year old. Only the 10 year old spoke any English, as I recall.

One of my clients, Harold Fox, who is a great guy and, at the time,
owned Keys to Music, donated an upright piano to the cause. The lady
was a professional pianist in Russia and taught piano. So, we
actually set her up in business for both by giving her a practice
piano. Noone took pity on us movers by giving them a DOWNSTAIRS
apartment. The men in the family helped us up those stairs.

It was my first experience with real oppression. I have a hard time
believing someone who I pay a welfare check and food stamps as being
oppressed. Here in the South we see them driving their new Lexus,
encrusted with gold chains, expensive Nike sports clothes and $150
basketball shoes. Please don't feel sorry for them, they are thieves,
who vote themselves free checks from the working class. Noone
weighing 300 lbs is "oppressed". They eat better than I do.

Wish you could have been there to see that nice Jewish lady's face
when I pulled that Baldwin piano off my truck. Hee hee...I wish you
could have seen my black helpers, Willie and Melvin (brothers) when
she started hugging and kissing them, speaking in Russian. They'd
never seen a Russian, before, having been told Russians were
barbarians by the press and government. She cried on my shoulder.....

Larry W4CSC

3612. Re: Dry Transfers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lamb <k7fm@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <gOzQ4.1594$7B6.181574@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 111873
Cross-posted to: alt.sex.strip-clubs,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi George:

If you are handy with a computer, or know a friend that is, you can do everything you need with a computer.

There are actualy a number of possibilities. You can make a meter scale with a CAD program and after everything is just right, print it out on a glossy photo stock paper which ink jet printers can utilize. The resulting prints are gorgeous. Some fellow made a scale for a meter and I got it from him by e-mail. He had purchased a CAD program for about $20 and I also bought that program. The scales can be changed to whatever you want to use by just replacing the numbers and the name. Works great. Previously, I just took an existing meter and replaced the numbers with new numbers cut out and pasted on the existing numbers - then photocopied the face. Presto.

Computers can also print nice decals. I just built a clone of the old one tube Ameco AC-1. The original had a wonderful oval yellow "Ameco" logo with lighting bolts above and below. I made the decal by simply using a drawing program and finding a lighting symbol. After printing it out, I covered the front and back with clear mailing tape (the 1.5 inch or so wide stuff). This protects the label and provides the same tension front and back. Then I cut the oval out and pasted it on the clone. It has the same shininess as an original decal. It is the center of attention of the rig.

Another method can be used - especially for logging numbers around knobs. You create the numbers with a CAD program or a drawing program. Then, use an ALPS printer. The ALPS printer is like an ink jet printer, but it uses a film rather than ink. You then purchase 8.5 x 10 decal paper and print onto that. The advantage of this printer is that it does not rub off like ink jet stuff. In addition, the film is available in white, gold or platinum - in addition to all the normal colors. So, if I need white printing on a black front panel, I can do it.

Otherwise, you can use the decal paper with an ink jet and if you expect wear, cover the printing with the wide mailing tape.

Have fun.

73, Colin K7FM

3613. Good for You, Larry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17798-3912CAC5-7@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111874

Thanks for sharing that information with the group.

73,

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3614. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamish@cloud.net.au
Message-ID: <SnAQ4.2272$DH3.6412@news1.eburwd1.vic.optushome.com.au>
Source record: 111875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

In rec.radio.amateur.space Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid> wrote:
> I asked a fellow ham that had a qso with mir back in 97. He said
> that made the qso with only 50 watts. I asked him via e-mail if
> I used 200 watts would it be good. He told me that 200 watts
> would be overkill. If I used 200 watts would the cosmonauts tell
> me to turn down my power? I was wanting to find out if 200 watts

200W would be rude to the other people on the ground. 20 watts will do
fine. That's all I used when I worked FX0STB.

Hamish
--
Hamish Moffatt VK3SB <hamish@debian.org> <hamish@cloud.net.au>

3615. Re: Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eulao$tl7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111876

In article <28567-3912A7D9-5@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> Did Deja finally catch up to him???
>
> DUMBASSDon

Catch up to me for what, dumbass? I bet if my size 10 1/2 boot was up
your ass you'd know where I was.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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3616. Re: Poor deluded Polly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eulsi$u9r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111877

In article <8e5658tgj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Negative. He's a world class jammer and a low class moron.

And this is news.....LOL!!!!

> ----------
> In article <8e48cb$68c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
wrote:
>
> > The only thing you are famous for is being a QRMer and world-class
> > MORON.
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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3617. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8eukj7nsk1@news.netmar.com>
Source record: 111878

In a previous article, <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:

>But you'll note that the FCC didn't state their callsigns, something
>that agency usually does.

The FCC stated their callsigns clearly enough for me to read.

Below are excerpts from the FCC orders.

"1. In this Forfeiture Order ("Order"), we issue a monetary forfeiture in the amount of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) against Paul E. Holcombe, licensee of amateur radio station K4TOF, Houston, Texas, for willful violation of Section 333 Communications Act of 1934, as amended ("the Act"), and Sections 97.101(d) and 97.119 of the Commission's Rules. The noted violations involve the operation of an amateur radio station so as to willfully or maliciously cause interference to radio communications and the transmission of unidentified amateur radio communications."

....and

"1. In this Forfeiture Order ("Order"), we issue a monetary forfeiture in the amount of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) to Robert L. Meyers, licensee of amateur radio station N5WLY, Houston, Texas, for willful violation of Section 333 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended ("the Act"), and Sections 97.101(d) and 97.119 of the Commission's Rules ("Rules"). The noted violations involve the operation of an amateur radio station so as to willfully or maliciously cause interference to radio communications and the transmission of unidentified amateur radio communications."

73, Hans, K0HB

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3618. Re: KK7HO! Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8eum2tudd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111879

In article <28566-3912A6BB-12@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> Interesting that an affidavit is evidence when it's used for "your
> side". But when it's used against "your side", then it means nothing.
>
> HO is a very fitting callsign for you. Cuz you ain't nothin' but a
> radio HO. (And I'll bet yo momma was a street HO.)
>
>DUMBASS Don
>

At least Tim could pass the FCC licensing, whereas you are too much of a
idiot to get your Technician license.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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3619. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8eul2j$o33$1@news.netmar.com>
Source record: 111880

In a previous article, <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:

> If one is *not* licensed in the amateur radio service
> (and no control operator is present), can it be said
> that "he's operating an amateur radio station"?

Yes, it can be said.

The FCC has issued me a license to establish an amateur radio station.
I have built an amateur radio station at my residence. A copy of my
station license is prominently displayed.

If my son (who is not licensed) were to operate that station today
while I am absent, he is clearly "operating an amateur radio station".

There, I said it.

73, Hans, K0HB

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3620. Re: KV4FZ & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3912FF35.618C8531@ahole.com>
Source record: 111881

NO since we knew there were no survivors after BLASTING the plane
out of the skies....

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> On Thu, 04 May 2000 12:32:32 GMT, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> >I guess the USofA downing the air plane in the Gulf was OK.
> >
> We shot off ONE missile.....We DIDN'T send in a squadron of jets,
> followed by torpedo boats to finish off the survivors after it crashed
> into the sea.
>
> See any difference, here??
>
> Larry....

3621. Re: mir voice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <3912f6a1@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 111882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.space

There was:

> > ...ham that had a qso with mir ...with only 50 watts...

and:
> 200W would be rude to the other people on the ground.
> 20 watts will do fine...

now:
I worked (and so did a lot of others) MIR using 1w and
a rubber duck inside my house some time ago when the
APRSheads were sending packets to MIR. At that time,
it was all simplex on one freq. No doppler, all on 2m.

lumpy ab0gd

--
http://www.digitalcartography.com

3622. Re: Poor deluded Polly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8euump$8sa$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111883

In article <8eulsi$u9r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8e5658tgj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > Negative. He's a world class jammer and a low class moron.
>
> And this is news.............LOL!!!!
HAY FATASS DUMBASSWISEMAN HE HASENT ANY WARRING LETTERS YOU SEEM TO GET
THEM EVERY WEEK GO SUCK YOUR BOY FRIEND OFF.
> > ----------
> > In article <8e48cb$68c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-
deja.com>
> wrote:
> >
> > > The only thing you are famous for is being a QRMer and world-class
> > > MORON.
> > >
> > > --
> > > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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3623. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <iCQUOcBOfVHYGDaTUw63c+wmFut0@4ax.com>
Source record: 111734

On Mon, 01 May 2000 11:09:07 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>A good communist is a dead communist and there's something wrong with our
>operatives who, in 41 years, were never able to take out that bearded
>bastard who tortured and murdered the opposition, nationalized our
>industries on the island without any form of compensation, sent troops to
>communize parts of Africa and the Caribbean and who allowed Russian nuclear
>missiles to be stationed on his soil to menace, blackmail and ultimately
>destroy our nation.

Wow, the above example gives new meaning to the run-on sentence.

Castro and the American Cubans were pawns in an even bigger political
game. Several agreements between Kennedy and the Russians were made
as the result of the Cuban missile crisis. One of them was that we
would not take up arms against Castro or support clandestine
operations to overthrow him. Since then, the only thing to come out
of Washington against Castro is rhetoric. If the Miami Cubans want a
job done they should do it themselves. A better question might be why
haven't they done it?

Jim
KG4GXP

3624. Re: Cuban Issues & Justice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39142C40.BF36B7C3@bctv.com>
Source record: 111735

Jim wrote:
>
> On Mon, 01 May 2000 11:09:07 +0000, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
> >A good communist is a dead communist and there's something wrong with our
> >operatives who, in 41 years, were never able to take out that bearded
> >bastard who tortured and murdered the opposition, nationalized our
> >industries on the island without any form of compensation, sent troops to
> >communize parts of Africa and the Caribbean and who allowed Russian nuclear
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> >destroy our nation.
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> as the result of the Cuban missile crisis. One of them was that we
> would not take up arms against Castro or support clandestine
> operations to overthrow him. Since then, the only thing to come out
> of Washington against Castro is rhetoric. If the Miami Cubans want a
> job done they should do it themselves. A better question might be why
> haven't they done it?

They haven't done it in part because the Feds keep a close eye on the
Cubans in the US to make sure that they aren't organizing any kind of
military action against Castro. It isn't in America's best interests to
permit such an attack to be launched from here. The majority of the
Cuban escapees understand and agree with this -- they are playing a
waiting game, while providing support to those who continue to escape
the "Socialist Paradise."

3625. Re: AF2Y asks about Vieques

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f1h2s$vk1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111736

In article <GpOQ4.33758$g4.860351@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
> You forgot the most important one, NTI,
>
> Castro wins "revolution" and sides with Soviets: Eisenhower
>
> We could also throw in:
>
> CIA helps exiles initiate/plan Bay of Pigs: Eisenhower
>
> KR4AJ
>
What I meant was.....the only time Castro took any aggressive actions
towards the US was when there was a Democrat in the presidency.

Dan/W4NTI

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3626. Need renewal information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: asylum <asylum@tcainternet.com>
Message-ID: <sh8giu0qil116@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111737
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Can someone tell me the site to go to so that I can renew my ham license? I can't remember where it was.

thanks
bob

AL7NN
please email directly asylum@tcainternet.com

3627. Re: Morse Code trivia question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39144014.3F7B3304@bctv.com>
Source record: 111738

Don Putnick wrote:
>
> elian@zxcx.com wrote:
> > Dave..KE6HN.. Due to changes by ATT.NET...Your web site CW 'AD' on
> > 147.435 Mhz. Los Angeles, is no longer accessible!!!
> > Please correct the CW recording..(That only 3 of us understand)
> > Here is the no longer accessible URL:
> > CONTROLOP.HOME.ATT.NET
>
> It's now at http://home.att.net/~controlop/
>
> So what's the morse code character for ~ ?

I think it's .~.~

heheheheh

3628. Re: AF2Y asks about Vieques

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f1hd6$5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111739

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

> So how come the Puerto Ricans here aren't carrying on about our
marshalls
> clearing our the Vieques protestors as were the Cubans in Miami about
Elian?

Last time I checked, this was an amateur radio newsgroup. Take your
lame political rants to rec.why's.everybody.always.pickin.on.us.

dit dit
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~~~
If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.

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3629. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f1ho1$8k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111740

In article <ySEUOTeQTjN7KnNLv46mDsMPTx5d@4ax.com>,
Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> On Thu, 04 May 2000 22:02:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >You may be right Doc....but I'll tell you this....the Demoncrats have
> >LOST THE CUBAN VOTE FOREVER. And that includes all their friends.
>
> Where have you been? The democrats haven't had the Cuban vote since
> the Bay Of Pigs! The Cubans may influence Miami, and to some extent
> the State of Florida...but they don't elect Presidents.
>
> Jim
> KG4GXP
>
I've been in Alabama for the last couple of decades, after having lived
in North Miami and Ft. Lauderdale. I'm right up the road from the
Talladega prison where we still have a lot of the "boat people" housed.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3630. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000506123939.02260.00001434@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111741

KK7HO replied to Dan:

(...)

> You (...) don't know shit.
>

That's not true. He knows WA9KJI.

nyuk nyuk nyuk

3631. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000506125047.02260.00001435@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111742

BurkSWL wrote:

(...)

>
>Castle and Visser have been nabbed this time. A sworn affidavit
>corroborated by witnesses and TWO tape recordings from TWO different
>locations will either land up in their punishment, or prove Riley to be
>a Clinton puppet.
>

Yep, one wonders how Riley gets around in public dragging all those strings behind him.

It is my understanding that literally hundreds of complaints about, and hours of incriminating audio recordings of, WA9KJI and W9ART have been sent to the FCC over the last few years. The FCC's half-hearted so-called "action" against these two bums speaks volumes about your puppet theory. You can bet your a$$ that if it was one of the Liberty Net participants in those complaints and on those tapes, they would no longer have an amateur license or a transmitter.

3632. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000506130054.02271.00001641@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111743

That's all I'm saying. If you have clear cut "evidence" on that day/night. Then present it. I'm sure that Riley will do the right thing, depending on what is "presented" as evidence. An affidavit and witnesses mean little without hard evidence. Do you know how many people would say the "net" did this or the "net" did that at any given time? There are quite a few and unfortunately some would make "false" statements to achieve a goal. If there's "evidence" Burk, then have at it.

Ps. let me guess who they are, Lauterbach, Parker, and Misek. LOL

Burkswl wrote:
<<He's "mellowed out" by not doing the jamming as much, disguising the jamming as "checking in"(bullshit), or doing it to the guys before the net, as we
heard happen on March 18th.

Castle and Visser have been nabbed this time. A sworn affidavit corroborated by witnesses and TWO tape recordings from TWO different locations will either land up in their punishment, or prove Riley to be a Clinton puppet.

Don B.>>

3633. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000506131004.02272.00001491@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111744

I say that was a safe bet. LOL It's the "EVIDENCE" get it. If you have "EVIDENCE" you'll get action.
Ps. Don't think you can bullshit the FCC either. Spin doctoring facts doesn't work. You guys slam Riley but he's done more for ham radio in a yuear than most of you have your whole life. Get off his ass, give him evidence and he'll do his job as he should. It may not suit you so you'll bitch and moan if the decision doesn't favor you crybabies.
Most of you are pathetic, you have a frickin conspiracy under every rock, and in every ham shack.

3634. ND8V: Village idiot

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3914568b.227746723@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 111745

Bombastic, illiterate Mike is a dumb as they come. What an utter moron this guy is. Gutter talk and misspelled words are all Mike can come up with. What a sad person he is.

3635. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Jensen <PJensen@badsector.com>
Message-ID: <8f1scu$3e3$1@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 111746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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oscar wrote in message <
Ham radio took another
>> step back when the no-code license was born.

Yeah, better to stick with 19th century communications and then wonder why
the amateur population is dwindling down to nothing, as the FCC takes
frequencies away from hams.
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3636. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <39148F53.46BEEC42@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 111747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Paul Jensen wrote:

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> >> step back when the no-code license was born.
>
> Yeah, better to stick with 19th century communications and then wonder why
> the amateur population is dwindling down to nothing, as the FCC takes
> frequencies away from hams.

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Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)

Hardly dwindling fast

The current US population is 274,745,387 (http://www.census.gov/)
The US population in 1992 was 254,994,517
(http://www.census.gov/statab/freq/99s0002.txt)

Would you care to do some math about growth rates?
--
73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca
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3637. Live voice chat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: MITBR <mitbr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <dz0R4.35439$g4.920100@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111748
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Check out my live voice and text chat system dedicated to hams!! Set up a sched with someone, check the muf on hf six meters or set up satelite communications or just rag chew !! Why type when you can talk. Everyone is welcome. click on this url
http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/AmateurRadioChat.htm--
Please visit my web site url below
Tampa Bay Radio Page
http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/Mi01000.htm

3638. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0784d43a.ca8d8567@usw-ex0108-063.remarq.com>
Source record: 111749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur

Does anyone really care anymore? Use any band anywhere at
any time. Don't piss anyone off and you're home free.
kz5b

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3639. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>
Source record: 111750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)

This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
hobby vital.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3640. QST MAGAZINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: elian@no-boat.com
Message-ID: <39149bae.12379381@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111751

GET QST.....THE MOST EXPENSIVE, BLACK AND WHITE CONVOLUTION OF
ADS YOU CAN FIND FOR THE MONEY !!!!!!!

What happened to the old ARRL.????

now, it's just a poor publishing company.!!!!!!!!

3641. Thank you Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Texas <txladyinoh@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f28b3$nk1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111752

Thanks to everyone who sent email replies or posted on the group. The informatin has been very helpful.

Beckie

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Before you buy.

3642. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000506190845.23655.00001667@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111753

white out might work?? LOL
It would probably be the fastest/easiest too.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3643. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KUM/9 <d.breeden@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Message-ID: <3914AA9B.B37BC5E@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Source record: 111754
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Get a form 605, available from www.arrl.org, and send it in with a copy of your license and a brief note of the minor error and a request a replacement with the correct spelling. $.32 and a envelope. Slow but cheep.

3644. WTB:1987 or earlier Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: JerryL <jlockett@lightspeed.net>
Message-ID: <_d2R4.266$701.9715@news4.giganews.com>
Source record: 111755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Anyone have a 1987 or earlier callbook they would like to sell? Please email me if you have one..

thanks, Jerry -w7wpx-
--
jlockett@lightspeed.net

3645. GMRS Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wiseguy876 <wiseguy876@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OkSby47t$GA.226@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 111756

Can anybody give me a little background info on GMRS transceivers?
I am looking to purchase a few and wondering where I can purchase them.
If you can point me to few web sites , I'd really appreciate it.

Respond directly to my e-mail: csreact1@aol.com

Chris DeSanto
Central-Suffolk REACT #6029

3646. Re: F.S. Heathkit SB-614

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Curry <k6dlc@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <3914CC1E.EA2520E2@arrl.net>
Source record: 111757

Wayne,
If you happen to receive multiple inquiries. Pleas send them
over to me after you had sold yours. I also have one with the manual.

Wayne Strickland wrote:
>
> Hi,Got a nice monitor scope.No manual $125.00 split ship Wayne

3647. Re: QST MAGAZINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3914D013.73420F3E@oio.net>
Source record: 111758

elian@no-boat.com wrote:
>
> GET QST.....THE MOST EXPENSIVE, BLACK AND WHITE CONVOLUTION OF
> ADS YOU CAN FIND FOR THE MONEY !!!!!!!
>
> What happened to the old ARRL.????
>
> now, it's just a poor publishing company.!!!!!!!!

Exactly!!
(Like the 'user' name... watch out for distant relatives!)
'Doc

3648. Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20110-3914D2C1-1@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111759

As one who has turned to champion the Hispanic cause, I can see, I'm wading into deep water. In telephone calls, the life of the female agent who extracted Elian has been threatened.

When Hispanic hysteria reaches that level, it is hard to be supportive. Most of us Americans have been influenced by the Clinton spin machine, but, however flawed, none of us can support a movement that includes too many radicals who cannot discern the ministerial duty of work from personal political views.

How can any well-meaning citizen write in support of such conduct?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3649. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <To5R4.1500$Jf.5104@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
news:qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com...
> ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
<snip>
> We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
> hobby vital.
> --
> glenq@cyberhighway.net
> WB7DOW

Glen, your argument is their argument. What you see as a problem (not enough new hams), they see as a benefit. They're not interested in keeping the hobby vital. They've got their's, and the world ends when they die, so they don't care about growth and new, changing (Change!!) technology. Less hams means less competition for THEIR frequencies. If you study history at all, take a look at what happened in the late 1930's when Billy Mitchell proved that airplanes could sink ships. He got courtmartialed. The no-cw?-over-my-dead-body crowd would like to courtmartial (drumhead?) all us new hams for rocking the cw boat. There's no point in arguing with them (they love that, gives them a soapbox). Just ignore them. They'll be dead soon anyway.

Mark K5MAR

3650. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <sbr9hs4kr57t1p9njoue5beqf6sghhsbv2@4ax.com>
Source record: 111761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com> wrote:

>"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
>news:qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com...
>> ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
><snip>
>> We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>> hobby vital.

>Glen, your argument is their argument. What you see as a problem (not
>enough new hams), they see as a benefit. They're not interested in keeping
>the hobby vital. They've got their's, and the world ends when they die, so
>they don't care about growth and new, changing (Change!!) technology. Less
>hams means less competition for THEIR frequencies. If you study history at
>all, take a look at what happened in the late 1930's when Billy Mitchell
>proved that airplanes could sink ships. He got courtmartialed. The
>no-cw?-over-my-dead-body crowd would like to courtmartial (drumhead?) all us
>new hams for rocking the cw boat. There's no point in arguing with them
>(they love that, gives them a soapbox). Just ignore them. They'll be dead
>soon anyway.

I'm 65 years old. I've been a ham since 1976, most of that time as an
Extra. Just because I'm a relative old timer doesn't mean I can't face
the facts.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3651. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 61)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000505200758.05652.00001413@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 111806

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The 61st episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled " Long Wire Woes... "
is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

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3652. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8evrjj$3s$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111807

In article <8eukj7nsk1@news.netmar.com>, <K0HB@my-deja.com> wrote:
>In a previous article, <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:

>>But you'll note that the FCC didn't state their callsigns, something
>>that agency usually does.

>The FCC stated their callsigns clearly enough for me to read.

Not in what was posted to the newsgroup.

>Below are excerpts from the FCC orders.
>"1. In this Forfeiture Order ("Order"), we issue a monetary forfeiture in
>the amount of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) against Paul E. Holcombe,
>licensee of amateur radio station K4TOF, Houston, Texas, for willful
>violation of Section 333 Communications Act of 1934, as amended ("the
>Act"), and Sections 97.101(d) and 97.119 of the Commission's Rules.
>The noted violations involve the operation of an amateur radio station
>so as to willfully or maliciously cause interference to radio communications
>and the transmission of unidentified amateur radio communications."
>"1. In this Forfeiture Order ("Order"), we issue a monetary forfeiture
>in the amount of eight thousand dollars ($8,000) to Robert L. Meyers,
>licensee of amateur radio station N5WLY, Houston, Texas, for willful
>violation of Section 333 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended
>("the Act"), and Sections 97.101(d) and 97.119 of the Commission's
>Rules ("Rules"). The noted violations involve the operation of an
>amateur radio station so as to willfully or maliciously cause interference
>to radio communications and the transmission of unidentified amateur
>radio communications."

That notice was not what was posted to here.

You still didn't answer my question. I can only assume that you,
too, don't know the answer.

73, Jeff KH6O

3653. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8evru3cb1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111808

In article <8eul2j$o33$1@news.netmar.com>, <K0HB@my-deja.com> wrote:
>In a previous article, <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:

>> If one is *not* licensed in the amateur radio service
>> (and no control operator is present), can it be said
>> that "he's operating an amateur radio station"?

>Yes, it can be said.
>The FCC has issued me a license to establish an amateur radio station.
>I have built an amateur radio station at my residence. A copy of my
>station license is prominently displayed.
>If my son (who is not licensed) were to operate that station today
>while I am absent, he is clearly "operating an amateur radio station".

That's fine, but you've added a condition to my query. Answer my
question as it appears without appending anything else.

73, Jeff KH6O

3654. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8evsggup1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:

>>>GPS isn't the only method that can be used to locate a distant target.

>>I used a sextant, a chronometer, the Nautical Almanic, and the Sight
>>Reduction Tables to get a sailboat from Honolulu to San Francisco!
>>Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.

>Only when its solar noon.

It's called "local apparent noon."

>What kind of clock did you use?

It's called a "chronometer," not a "clock."

73, Jeff KH6O

3655. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000505214928.14497.00001457@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111810

I'm not defending Castle as much as I am pointing out lies or shall we say falsehoods. You guys claim Castle is the one jamming and I know it isn't him. If it was him I would hope he gets caught like should happen. Cut the crap Burk OK. I'm telling you it isn't Castle. I don't know who it is but I know for certain it isn't Castle. At least in the recent past. I cannot say about the future, he may start, I don't know, but the instances that your talking about wasn't Castle.
I realize that may be really hard for you to accept that, since, in your eyes, everything done against the net is done by Castle.
Now stop the childish name calling Burk. Are YOU a perfect example of the SWL's that listen to the net.?

3656. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8evvtmdqf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111811

In article <20000505214928.14497.00001457@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> I'm not defending Castle as much as I am pointing out lies or shall
we say
> falsehoods. You guys claim Castle is the one jamming and I know it
isn't him.
> If it was him I would hope he gets caught like should happen. Cut the
crap Burk
> OK. I'm telling you it isn't Castle. I don't know who it is but I
know for
> certain it isn't Castle. At least in the recent past. I cannot say
about the
> future, he may start, I don't know, but the instances that your
talking about
> wasn't Castle.
> I realize that may be really hard for you to accept that, since, in
your
> eyes, everything done against the net is done by Castle.
> Now stop the childish name calling Burk. Are YOU a perfect example
of the
> SWL's that listen to the net.?
>
KK7HO you are in complete denial. Apparantly because you and Castle
are in opposition to the "liberty net" you can't see the forest for the
tree's. I have told you before and I'll tell you again. WA9KJI, his
Texas and Arkansas friends and W9ART are ALL JAMMERS. Yes they have
mellowed out lately. Because of Riley and his rangers. And that's the
ONLY REASON. Take your blinders off and smell the roses.

And I'm not a SWL. I have been watching this 3.950 crap for YEARS.
And the basic problem is DAVID CASTLE and his crew of malcontent
miscreants.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3657. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8evtod$29b$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111812

Clever Hans K0HB <k0hb@my-deja.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>> This leads one to ask: If an operator is not licensed in the Amateur
>> Radio Service, is he really operating an "amateur radio station" as
>> mentioned above?

>Mr. Holcombe and Mr. Meyer are both amateur licensees, K4TOF and N5WLY
>respectively. I'd guess that means they were operating amateur radio
>stations. Pretty straight-forward stuff, actually.

Here was the notice I was refering to; note that no callsigns were
provided:

Source: http://www.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Digest/2000/dd000503.html

PAUL E. HOLCOMBE. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of
rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference
to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio
communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2,
2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-970). ENF

ROBERT L. MEYERS. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of
rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference
to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio
communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2,
2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-977). ENF

73, Jeff KH6O

3658. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8evu3m$2l0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111813

"Clever Hans" <K0HB@my-deja.com> wrote:
><jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:

>>But you'll note that the FCC didn't state their callsigns, something
>>that agency usually does.

>The FCC stated their callsigns clearly enough for me to read.

Not in the notice that appeared here:

Source: http://www.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Digest/2000/dd000503.html

PAUL E. HOLCOMBE. Issued a forfeiture of $8,000 for willful violations of rules by operating an amateur radio station causing malicious interference to radio communications and transmission of unidentified amateur radio communications. Action by Chief, Enforcement Bureau. Adopted: May 2, 2000. by Order. (DA No. 00-970). ENF

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>Below are excerpts from the FCC orders.

But your "cut and paste" forfeiture order is not what appeared in the NG.

"Clever Hans," the tapping horse.

73, Jeff KH6O

3659. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <kiLQ4.27556$55.203828@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 111814

Ok, so WHAT is your point?? (besides the one on your head)

"Lumpy" <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote
> I think if you'll include the rest of their statement,
> you'll note the words "and their friends".

3660. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8evv3v$3li$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111815

"Clever Hans" <K0HB@my-deja.com> wrote:
><jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:

>> If one is *not* licensed in the amateur radio service
>> (and no control operator is present), can it be said
>> that "he's operating an amateur radio station"?

>Yes, it can be said.

Without appending conditions, no it can't. But let's see what
conditions you choose to append in an attempt to provide some
answer in a particular case:

>The FCC has issued me a license to establish an amateur radio station.
>I have built an amateur radio station at my residence. A copy of my
>station license is prominently displayed.
>If my son (who is not licensed) were to operate that station today
>while I am absent, he is clearly "operating an amateur radio station".

You're assuming the existence of a station license at a particular
location. That wasn't part of the scenario. Yet, according to
97.3(a)(5) then 97.3(a)(4), your conclusion is false, for there is
no duly authorized operator present. Paragraph (5) defines an amateur
station ("a station in an amateur radio service") and (4) defines
amateur service; but without a duly authorized person present,
it's not a station in an amateur service.

>There, I said it.

Nice try, though.

"tap tap tap...."

73, Jeff KH6O

3661. Re: Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f01e0fbu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111816

In article <20000505165126.25510.00001443@ng-df1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> >nd8vmike@my-deja.com WROTE
>
> >I Only beat up old men over 65
> >if there not to tough. but if you want a blow job ill do it. .
>
> Must be one of those pink panty boys. Better watch out for that one
JBO, it
> sounds like he just made you a BJO (BlowJobOffer).
> ROFLMAO? I WAS TALKING FOR FAT ASS
>

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3662. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000505231131.19270.00001451@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111817

Well Dan, how, if he's "mellowed out" recently is he jamming? Oh, I get it he now the laid back jammer.
Talk about BLINDERS you think that the net does no harm. You think that they have never jammed,heckled, harassed, move in to take over a frequency, open your eyes Dan.
Yes Dave has in the PAST done some things, but so has the net, and again, he hasn't done anything in the recent past. . I KNOW that the instances that are being bitched about now were not Dave. Period.
By the way I am not in opposition to the net. I was in opposition to them trying to "take-over" a frequency when it was occupied. Since the two warning letters from Riley it has stopped and the net is actually quite interesting most times.
You make claims, accusations and insinuations and don't know shit.

3663. European Radio Equipment and TTE Directive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: techie@radioregs.com
Message-ID: <8f0a24$o88$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111818

I am developing a web site about the application
of the European R&TTE Directive, 1999/5/EC, at
http://www.radioregs.com.

I would welcome any comments about this site,
its usefulness and any proposals for its improvement.

Regards

techie@radioregs.com

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3664. Re: AF2Y asks about Vieques

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <GpOQ4.33758$g4.860351@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111819

You forgot the most important one, NTI,

Castro wins "revolution" and sides with Soviets: Eisenhower

We could also throw in:

CIA helps exiles initiate/plan Bay of Pigs: Eisenhower

KR4AJ

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8esslc$p4$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <8espnorke1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > So how come the Puerto Ricans here aren't carrying on about our
> marshalls
> > clearing our the Vieques protestors as were the Cubans in Miami about
> Elian?
> > It's because the Puerto Ricans feel American while the Cubans feel
> Cubans
> > while showing no allegiance to this country but instead using her as a
> > staging area to get back at Castro.
> >
> > The Clinton years are winding down and in retrospect there was one
> glaring
> > weakness aside from his incredible disrespect for his own office.
> > VACILLATION.
> >
> > Does anyone believe that things like Waco, Elian and the Vieques
> affair
> > could have occurred under the watches of pepperpots Nixon and Reagan
> or even
> > under quieter Bush? Koresh would have been arrested and taken away
> LONG
> > before the conflagration happened. Elian would have been given
> immediate
> > political asylum and the Vieques protestors would have been cleared
> out days
> > after they squatted.
> >
> > If decisive action is taken quickly, the necessity of RASH action
> > diminishes-something the Clinton administration forgot about. Things
> were
> > allowed to fester beyond control and then decisive action turned to
> what can
> > be described as heartless.

> >
> > Let's hope the next Prez. zips up and flies right.
> >
> > AF2Y
> >
> >
> Your a real trip Doc....one post your a card carrying DEMONCRAT, and
> then you jump on the Elephant. Talk about vacillation.
>
> Now here is a major point to consider.....When does Castro get froggy?
> Only when there is a Demoncrat in the presidency.....Bay of Pigs/Cuban
> missle crises > Kennedy. Criminal boat lift > Carter. Miami >
> Clinton.
>
> Ain't that amazing? And you know why? Because Nixon, Reagan, Bush
> would have shoved his bearded butt out the other end of the carribean.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

3665. Re: 60 Days until I turn in my VE badge.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: oscar <captorb@coldmail.com>
Message-ID: <3913B13E.73DCAAA2@coldmail.com>
Source record: 111820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> I care! What is an obselete mode? What is an obselete test?
> And what are obselete values! I don't have any grey hair.
> Old is a relative term. However, I am in my 40's. I took my
> exams at an FCC office and still believe all exams should be
> given there. Ham radio took another step back when the VEC
> program was born. To many people get their license or upgrade
> because they have friends who are VE's. Ham radio took another
> step back when the no-code license was born. And now with the
> new license restructure, the hobby has move backwards even
> further. I don't have a VE badge to send back to ARRL but I
> can understand why people are doing it. I for one don't need a
> radio club from CT to speak on my behalf. They put out some nice
> books but , in my opinion, that is all they are good for.
> Currently I have an Extra class license and I have it so I can
> work the lower 25 of the CW band.
> I work ALL amateur radio frequencies from 160M to 23CM
> and use ALL modes, not much voice though.
> Yes I do care the way our hobby is being flushed down the
> gutter buy the FCC giving in to people who don't want to
> work for their license and getting something for nothing!
>
KB7ADL:
Your grammar and spelling are prime examples that things definitely have
gone down the gutter. If you don't care about the rules of English
grammar why should I care about CW tests or the current restructuring?

3666. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.21.0005060157260.1086-100000@dana.randomc.com>
Source record: 111821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"you wrote, they wrote, i wrote, I WROTE, AND SHE WROTE." WHY don't you
get to the point, tired of reading this crap.

On 20 Apr 2000, Kim W5TIT wrote:

> Date: 20 Apr 2000 14:53:24 GMT
> From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy, rec.radio.amateur.misc
> Subject: Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of
>
> Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
> <8dlr3togn1@news.hawaii.edu>...
> > Kim W5TIT wrote:
> > >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
> > >>Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > >>>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> > >
> > >>>>For decades the Handbook was the greatest selling technical
> > >>>>publication in the country.
> > >
> > >>>That could be taken two ways, Jeff. It either means that it was that
> good,
> > >>>or that its competition (or lack of) was that bad.
> > >
> > >>Its competition was all other technical books. Do you understand?
> > >
> > >"Technical" does not define competitive. Were they good or bad?
> > >
> > You still don't understand so I'll spell it out for you: In 1970
> > Time Magazine presented the all-time best sellers list, divided into
> > fiction and non-fiction. Toping the non-fiction category was the
> > Bible. The *only* technical book listed as the all-time best seller
> > in the non-fiction category was the ARRL Radio Amateur's Handbook.
> > The "competition" was all other technical books published for all
> > time.
> > >
> > Do you understand now?
> > >
> > Jeff KH6O
> > >
>
> Yes, how technically "competent" were the judges of this? Do you accept the
> judgement of every movie critic that speaks, every book reviewer, etc? OH,
> wait, you'll think I'm bashing movies and books now...never mind...

>
> Kim W5TIT
>

3667. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f0jes$o43$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>>>>Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.

>>>Only when its solar noon.

>>It's called "local apparent noon."

>Then you should have said so. Is that what it says in the "almanic?"

I said "noon sighting." To any navigator, that's local apparent noon.
That's the time at which the sun crosses one's longitude -- the sun
sun reaches its highest altitude. That time can be predicted from one's
estimated longitude. The navigator begins taking sightings about ten
minutes prior to the predicted event; at local noon, the sun will
"hang" at a fixed altitude for a couple minutes, then begin to descend.
Knowing the sun's declination for that day (from the Almanac) and a little
arithmetic will get him his latitude. No time piece is necessary.

This is the method ships used for navigating centuries ago ("running
down the latitude"). For example, a ship bound for Hawaii from the West
Coast would sail down to 22 degrees North and remain on that latitude
until arriving at the Islands. Determining longitude at sea had to wait
until time pieces were perfected so as to have consistent rates of
error ("chronometers").

Jeff KH6O

3668. Re: ARRL restructuring Money Grab - FREE upgrade with purchase of

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Moon Unit 376234+1/2 <nopants@aol.com>
Message-ID: <vSQQ4.33867$g4.870559@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

dana <dana@randomc.com> wrote in message
news:Pine.LNX.4.21.0005060157260.1086-100000@dana.randomc.com...
> "you wrote, they wrote, i wrote, I WROTE, AND SHE WROTE." WHY don't you
> get to the point, tired of reading this crap.

Guess that the "point" is that hams are notoriously and
historically cheap SOB's - but everyone knows that already (grin)

3669. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff B <ka1ogmNOkaSPAM@gis.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1a698738.e8031feb@usw-ex0106-046.remarq.com>
Source record: 111824

All those years that Glenn Baxter was doing his 'talk show'
tended to put me off any interest in upgrading to general
class. He was a cancer that infected 75 and 40 meters,
instigating other hams to operate badly, and leading the way
throughout the 1990's to make HF sound even worse than CB.

I tangled with Glenn via e-mail two or three years ago, while he
vilified and belittled me on the air in response. When I heard
that Riley Hollingsworth, et al, effected Glenn's total retreat
from continuing to air his 'talk show', my interest in upgrading
to general class was renewed.

75 meters without the adversarial influence of Glenn Baxter is
no longer the 'zoo band' it had become. Coincidence? I think
not!

Jeff Barnard
ka1ogm

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3670. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3913E0C0.E3203F0E@oio.net>
Source record: 111825

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Jeff,
And maybe you didn't understand that to be a control
operator, you have to be "licensed"?
'Doc
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3671. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3913E1B0.AD995CF9@oio.net>
Source record: 111826

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> "Clever Hans" <K0HB@my-deja.com> wrote:
> ><jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes:
>
> >> If one is *not* licensed in the amateur radio service
> >> (and no control operator is present), can it be said
> >> that "he's operating an amateur radio station"?
>
> >Yes, it can be said.
>
> Without appending conditions, no it can't. But let's see what
> conditions you choose to append in an attempt to provide some
> answer in a particular case:
>
> >The FCC has issued me a license to establish an amateur radio station.
> >I have built an amateur radio station at my residence. A copy of my
> >station license is prominently displayed.
> >If my son (who is not licensed) were to operate that station today
> >while I am absent, he is clearly "operating an amateur radio station".
>
> You're assuming the existence of a station license at a particular
> location. That wasn't part of the scenario. Yet, according to
> 97.3(a)(5) then 97.3(a)(4), your conclusion is false, for there is
> no duly authorized operator present. Paragraph (5) defines an amateur
> station ("a station in an amateur radio service") and (4) defines
> amateur service; but without a duly authorized person present,
> it's not a station in an amateur service.
>
> >There, I said it.
>
> Nice try, though.
>
> "tap tap tap...."
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

"Tap tap tap..." some more! A station license was infact issued!
It is combined with the operator license, has been for some time.
'Doc

3672. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3913F305.44CA6ECC@icss.net>
Source record: 111827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
> >>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >>>>Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.
>
> >>>Only when its solar noon.
>
> >>It's called "local apparent noon."
>
> >Then you should have said so. Is that what it says in the "almanic?"
>
> I said "noon sighting." To any navigator, that's local apparent noon.
> That's the time at which the sun crosses one's longitude -- the sun
> sun reaches its highest altitude.

Yes, yes, Jeff. Thats solar noon.

3673. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <3913d37b@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 111828

Lumpy wrote:
> > I think if you'll include the rest of their statement,
> > you'll note the words "and their friends".

Innocent John wrote:
> Ok, so WHAT is your point?? (besides the one on your
head)

Lumpy:
I would have thought the point was obvoius. I think you
said that the Lambda (or whatever their name is) group
is a ham group only for gays. You blasted someone else for
not reading the description yet you left out part of the
description that included the 'and their friends' portion.

I don't have a pointed head, in fact it's rather
rounded and hairless. I don't see the need to
sink to name calling. Do I sense a little
gender insecurity here John?

Stay Safe.

73 - Lumpy ab0gd

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http://www.digitalcartography.com

3674. Looking for parts and info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger Davis"
Message-ID: <8f141i$3ua$1@ctb-nnrp1.saix.net>
Source record: 111829

I am trying to find the following i.c's. MSM5564RS and ULN2278P as well as trying to find the circuit diagram of a Metex Digital multimeter model 3530 or the address of Metex. Tnx de ZS1J sk

3675. Callbook listing needed for '87-'89

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dvmcguire@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <391419b1.8281520@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 111830

Hello. I am hoping that someone still has some old callbooks. I would like to find the listing information for KC4PHU. I believe it should be in the '87-'89 callbooks. It was my first callsign. When I moved my original ticket got lost. So, I'm hoping to get a photocopy of the page with my listing. If you can find it, I'd appreciate the help. Thank you.

--
David V. McGuire (mailto: dvmcguire@mindspring.com)
Danville, Virginia, USA
Amateur Radio Callsign: AE4LH
Trumpet: Jupiter 1200S
Life is Short: PRAY HARD!

3676. Re: BUrk Do you understand English?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9391-39141CB3-3@storefull-135.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111831

He's "mellowed out" by not doing the jamming as much, disguising the jamming as "checking in", or doing it to the guys before the net, as we heard happen on March 18th.

Castle and Visser have been nabbed this time. A sworn affidavit corroborated by witnesses and TWO tape recordings from TWO different locations will either land up in their punishment, or prove Riley to be a Clinton puppet.

Don B.

3677. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <ySEUOTeQTjN7KnNLv46mDsMPTx5d@4ax.com>
Source record: 111832

On Thu, 04 May 2000 22:02:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>You may be right Doc....but I'll tell you this....the Demoncrats have
>LOST THE CUBAN VOTE FOREVER. And that includes all their friends.

Where have you been? The democrats haven't had the Cuban vote since
the Bay Of Pigs! The Cubans may influence Miami, and to some extent
the State of Florida...but they don't elect Presidents.

Jim
KG4GXP

3678. FS: Grundig Satellite 700 SOLD>>>>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <me_hamman@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <sh88lghnoju129@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Thanks all
The Grundig was sold within 12 hours of my posting!!

Michael

3679. D2T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Neece <radioranch@qth.com>
Message-ID: <39163380.AD0F8276@qth.com>
Source record: 111634
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: radioranch.vcf

> Hi Rick, having great results with mine...and many out here in West
> Texas...perhaps yours is upside down, or something...I worked 5 states in USA
> over 800 miles off on 100 watts on 160 the other nite, with it only at 12 feet
> high...Perhaps you have missed something in the construction...let me know and
> I will be glad to help you get it right...73 Murray
>
> > -----Original Message-----
> > From: Rick <camelman@casema.net>
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
> > Date: Friday, May 05, 2000 1:25 PM
> > Subject: Re: Giovannini D2T Stealth Antenna
> >
> > >Hi Guys
> > >Let me tell you this: I bought this D2T...2 months ago....it's just a nice
> > >piece of junk.......anything except an antenna. It's a nice a dummy
> > >load......
> > >Anybody could tell me if he's satisfy by it ?????????
> > >Rick: PA/CN8ST
> > >
> > >
> > >"KK4TL" <kk4tl@aol.com> a ï¿½crit dans le message news:
> > >20000501205729.23693.00000511@ng-fu1.aol.com...
> > >> http://www.qth.com/K5MDM/antennas.htm
> > >>
> > >> Here is a US importer.
> > >>
> > >> LW
> > >
> > >

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3680. Re: QST MAGAZINE -- the best!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <375F76772CF39F2F.B77CE2007692F2F1.3F4E816DEF4D28EE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111635

On 8 May 2000 00:56:36 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>
>Lucky for us that second article includes printing and publishing:
>We participate in a self-taught technical hobby/service; not a day should
>go by without us gaining new knowledge with respect to electronics. The
>only publications I have always been able to turn to when questions arose
>which needed immediate answers were the League's pubs.
>
Absolutely! One can NEVER have too many J-pole antenna and CW keyer
articles in his collection.....

The magazine I'd REALLY like to see returned to my bookshelf was far
too technical for today's ham operator......HAM RADIO. It was so good
it failed to attract the average ham, so it died. Too bad. It had
some of the BEST RF articles ever written in its day. All this was
done without the politics and other nonsense you read in the OTHER ham
magazines.

Larry W4CSC....I have a framed cover from Ham Radio on my wall. It
shows this poor sap with the terribly overrun look on his face staring
into the guts of this tiny transceiver. Under him and the radio,
completely covering the table all the way to the floor, is the radio's
huge schematic.....He looks SO hopeless....(c;

My other framed cover is of 73...the old small edition. Alfred E
Neuman, with that silly grin has a roll of solder in one hand and a
big Weller gun in the other. In front of him is a book entitled, "How
to Solder". If you follow the Weller's power wires around the bottom
of the page, you'll see he is about to solder the HOT power wires that
have been stripped and wrapped together. MAD's expert artists did a
fine job on Wayne's little cover....as did hundreds of other
cartoonists over the years.....(c;

Ham radio DOESN'T have to be all politics and stoic old farts, you
know....

3681. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <4l9chskvkjksi3qpgrosi6qihu3if06ja8@4ax.com>
Source record: 111636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Dave Stadt" <dhstadt@ameritech.net> wrote:

>> Packet, Slow-scan TV, APRS, for starters.
>
>You call those new technology? Maybe for 1935.

Well, there went all your credibility right down the drain. If you'd
said 1965, you MIGHT have had a case.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3682. Re: "welfare hams vs code hams"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fat dirty hamfest dealers <kgrodseq@webtv.com>
Message-ID: <facR4.36806$g4.974343@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111684

Cricket <Catch Me.@edu.com> wrote in message
news:391513fd$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com...
> It is not that the old timers in this hobby are ignorant. It is just that
> they know so much that is not true.

They can't help it, all those years of propaganda from Conn
is going to be difficult to erradicate.

3683. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39154975.38C2514C@oio.net>
Source record: 111685

Mom_of6,
Anyone who would put ANY credence in Mr. Stair, or
any of the 'TV preachers' is an idiot.
'Doc

3684. Re: Thank you Re: Ham Radio Cost?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <HMcR4.4026$Ft1.235056@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 111686

"Texas" <txladyinoh@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8f28b3$nk1$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Thanks to everyone who sent email replies or posted on the group. The
> informatin has been very helpful.
>
> Beckie

How many times do I have to read messages from hams that send a
"Thank You" addressed to ALL. When one seeks help and
someone takes the time to respond, the least the receiver of
help can do is send a simple individual reply for thanks. After
all-the respondents to this call for help responded one by one.
I have received up to 75 messages in a call for help and sent
individual thanks to each. It was very time consuming, but it
was the right thing to do.

Would you at your wedding, if you were the groom, get up at the
end of the reception and yell out, "Gee, Thanks everyone for the
gifts?"
If you are a T Y P I C A L ham--absolutely.

It is unlikely you will respond to this if you did not even bother to
respond to someone who H E L P E D you

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@broadcast.net
http://www.geocities.com/k1oik
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

3685. Re: I caught my sister's best friend sleeping and took naughty pics of her. 13728

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <4OcR4.4027$Ft1.236738@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 111687
Cross-posted to: rec.skiing.backcountry,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.photo.equipment.aps,rec.photo.equipment.large-format,rec.photo.film+labs,rec.photo.marketplace

<stillme@home.net> wrote in message news:07050003.5456@home.net...
> http://preciousteens.majorhost.com
> http://fineteens.majorhost.com
> http://sleepingteens.majorhost.com
> Welcome to the Teen circle. We have everything from teens being spied on
to teens fucking. Cum check us out without having all the annoying banners
and popups. New pages are added daily!!!!!

Posting this in a ham radio group is insane.
Hams have no interest in sex.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@broadcast.net
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/

3686. Re: Who's this on 14.313?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <059a2d40.ac4e6634@usw-ex0108-063.remarq.com>
Source record: 111688

This postcard has been around for most of the 20th century.
Still funny though. Politically incorrect as hell. Reminds
me of a certain op (now a slim?) in the AVI. Keep it up
and to hell with guys like Riley. kz5b

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3687. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5WLS@SpamCop.net
Message-ID: <8F2D51869K5WLSemailcom@192.168.44.3>
Source record: 111689
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>I get a "this page cannot be found" error msg.
>

http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/uls/

3688. Re: help with IC706Mk2G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <uFeR4.4654$Oi7.120050@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 111690

Andy... why? The rig has an effective ALC circuit designed to prevent flattopping and splatter. I'd suggest getting a scope and watch your modulation... you'll see they're not cheating you on 100 watts pep output. Try this another way... what do you want to see for avearge output under voice modulation? What is the "correct" number? If you say 50 watts that's gives you a signal with a 3 db peak to average ratio... most voices have a 14 db range, this will make your signal sound like crap, but most folks won't tell you. If you operate the rig at 10 to 20 watts voice average, you probably get unsolicited complements on your audio... give it a try.

73,

Gerd

"Andy Gilfillan" <g0fvi@rsgb.net> wrote in message
news:3915524f.0@news2.cluster1.telinco.net...
> Hi all,
> just bought an IC706Mk2G and need to know where the TX gain pot is so I
can
> turn up the talk power. In th 706 mark 2 this is R511 and is located near
> the front edge of the main board. The mark 2 G appears to have a
different
> main board. Don't have a circuit diagram. Anyone help?
>
> Andy G0FVI
>
> http://www.qsl.net/g0fvi
>
>
>

3689. LinKT.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack_D <sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au>
Message-ID: <3915770E.A71CEED7@picknowl.com.au>
Source record: 111691
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings and thanks for reading this...

I am in the process of trying to get LinKT up and
running for packet under RH-6.1.!!
I have obtained AX25SPYD and the other related files needed for the
install. I successfully installed and compiled ax25syd without any
errors. When it came to installing LinKT, it couldnt find that I had
installed AX25SPYD. The resulted in it not installing using RPM that
is.

I have got the ax25-utuils and ax25mail-utils installed
no worries.. ax25-utils-2.1.42a and ax25mail-utils-0.10. I have used
Linpac and tnt both with this system, so I know that both tnc and AX25
are not causing problems... I would like to find someone who has
installed the program [LinKT] successfully and is using it as their
packet program..

Many thanks for reading this and look forward to a reply....
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73 Stef 'Jack' Daniels VK5HSX
SysOp: VK5TTY BBS Adelaide Sth Australia.
e-mail: sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au
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3690. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: FredJ@aol.com
Message-ID: <8f3qkl$18m1@edrn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.

In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...
>
>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
>
>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>hobby vital.
>--
>glenq@cyberhighway.net
>WB7DOW
>
>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3691. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <391580f0@news.peakpeak.com>
Source record: 111693

Innocent John wrote:

> Sorry to have to inform you that you are wrong.

[Innocent John]
> > said that the Lambda (or whatever their name is) group
> > is a ham group only for gays. You blasted someone else
for

> I never said that.

Well, excuse me and accept my apologies. There must be
someone
else using the screen name 'Innocent John'. The archives say
that on 5/4/2000 -

Innocent John wrote -

Mark,
Once AGAIN, I suggest you follow above link that
I suggested to you before. It is a link to the
hamvention un-official activities. In the
description of Lambda ARC they state
"LARC is the only open and visible
public service-oriented club for
gay and lesbian hams...". Their
own description seems to contradict
your statements, unless YOU are trying
to say that there is a difference between
the terms of gay/lesbian and homosexual.

Then Innocent John wrote -
In other words, CATCH A CLUE, FOOL!!!

So my point is that the entire line from the Lambda
literature was not quoted. I didn't think it was fair
to call Mark a FOOL when you selectively quoted the
literature.

You seem to have a grudge. Marks a fool, I'm a pointy
head, apparently you don't care for the gays.

Who is it that you do approve of?

Have a wonderful day...Lumpy ab0gd

3692. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391582DC.D1CFFC10@bctv.com>
Source record: 111694

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> Right, right, right, Gentlemen. So now we all have to become
> detectives, unable to believe anything we read? Seems to be the case.

I hate to say it, but YES, we must. We have a president who is desperately trying to come up with some legacy that doesn't include the name "Monica" -- he sees "normalization" of relations with Cuba as the path to that. Would someone who lied under oath and who killed people with cruise missiles REALLY going to let one little boy stand in his way?

We have his successor, who is a PATHOLOGICAL liar (that is, one who can't stop making claims which are obvious lies).

We have his wife, who is now running for Senate from a state where she never really lived, who considers acquisition of power worth anything she has to do to get it.

We have an Attorney General who is a friend and supporter of those three, under pressure to perform.

HECK YES we have to become detectives, when that kind of person has the media willing to parrot anything they say.

This will only be the "Land of the Free" if it is the HOME OF THE BRAVE!

3693. Re: Jersey Shore HAMFEST August 13, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John LeMay <jlemay@nospam.njmc.com>
Message-ID: <8f4155$o0g$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 111695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In article <8esvcb$9t2$1@news.monmouth.com>, John LeMay <jlemay@nospam.njmc.com> wrote:
> Just picked up a flyer - thought all would be interested!
>
> Jersey Shore Amateur Readio Society HAMFEST by the Shore
>
> Sunday August 13, 2000 Bayville Fire House Rt 9, Bayville NJ
>
> Talk In: W2DOR/R 146.910 out, 146.310 in, PL 127.3
>
> VE Testing in separate, QUIET building All indoor tables - about 70 total
> Air Conditioned (Yea!), 4100 sqare foot hall + truck bays
>
> Doors Open 6:00 am, Buyers at 8:00 am. VE Session Registration 10:45 am,
> Exams 11:00 am.
>
> Admission Buyers/Sellers $5, Tables $15 each.
>

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To reply directly to my email address, please remove the "nospam." from the
address shown. Sorry for the inconvenience!

3694. FS: insulator or paperweight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507112114.16844.00001966@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 111696

For sale, brand new, steatite antenna insulator. Can be used for that monster antenna or as a conversation piece or paperweight. You don't see these very often! White color, about 7.25 inches long, 1 and 5/8 wide, and 1 1/8 thick. Hole in each end about 3/8 inch diameter. Will sell for $3 and whatever the shipping costs will be. I have more than one if you'd like some as gifts. You won't flash this one over no matter how much power you run!

73

Evan

3695. Re: Giovannini D2T Stealth Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Neece <radioranch@qth.com>
Message-ID: <3915942E.D230FF53@qth.com>
Source record: 111697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: radioranch.vcf

RE: D2T Antenna ????
Date:
Wed, 12 Apr 2000 10:20:47 -0500
From:
"Basilotto, John" <j-basilotto@tamu.edu>
To:
"'radioranch@qth.com'" <radioranch@qth.com>, Mike Tatum
<miket@cybatek.fsnet.co.uk>,
"Basilotto, John" <j-basilotto@tamu.edu>

I think the D2t is a worthwhile expenditure. It does everything the
literature [website for info and reviews] says it will do so I don't
think I
need to go into details. I've received 59 reports on 160 but do not have
a
another 160 ant to compare with. My signal is down about 2 s-units on 80
and
40 compared to my full wave loop ants. On 20 the D2T is at least as good
as
my reference dipole. On 17m and above I get great reports; performance
seems
to be on a par with a small 3 element multiband beam.

Bottom line. I got what I paid for and am very happy. On the other hand
if
you can put up a full size ant. this is what you should do.
73, John

PS. Murray feel free to use my endorsement of the antenna. I think many
hams
could benefit from this product.
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Bottom line. I got what I paid for and am very happy. On the other hand if you can put up a full size ant. this is what you should do.
73, John

PS. Murray feel free to use my endorsement of the antenna. I think many hams could benefit from this product.
; Basilotto, John
Subject: Re: D2T Antenna ????

BD wrote:

> Any opinions/experience with this antenna?
> What about online (for real, vs ads) reviews?
> www.allcomelectronics.com/Antennas/Giovannini/index.htm
> Thanks!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3696. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <E23BE2B22DCF4EF5.283B87C1BD91779A.B9B8643C426E986C@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111698
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 6 May 2000 23:30:26 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>I get a "this page cannot be found" error msg.
>I've already got that #, tho, so what's the 800#? ;)
>Thanks.
>
8008442784 but first you must go to the internet webpage and fill out a registration form to get your "L" user name and password. The instructions come when you register. Print them out so you'll have them when dialing into the FCC intranet.....

You'll need the 128-bit encryption version of Netscape, and ONLY Netscape, if you intend to pay any fees via VISA/MC. FCC won't accept any other encryption to send them your credit card payments. If you don't have it, you can still fill in all the forms, etc, but must send your payment in with the voucher form printed on your printer, manually, to Pittsburgh's FCC payment center.

If you use 128-bit encrypted Netscape, you can do it all at once on ULS. I was issued W4CSC vanity call in just a few days. They still do everything manually to give them all a job, you know....

Larry W4CSC....Wish someone had helped me get through this maze when I did it....(d^;)

3697. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <C9856904669C7FFF.7986F5873923C773.B0DC4525CE76A65C@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111699

On Sun, 07 May 2000 04:51:37 GMT, Mom_of6 <tamalla@my-deja.com> wrote:

>
>
>
>
> I just thought I would share with you the most recent news I've heard
> Br. Stair's broadcast.
>
Br. Stair's commune is headquartered in a bombed-out motel on US 15 North of Walterboro, SC, about 28 miles from here. The "brothers" are a very interesting lot of heavily bearded men who do his labor for him. They have a large farm to feed the clan and other business interests to support what "God" and the broadcast doesn't haul in.

Br Stair was the heavy funding behind a pirate radio ship, made from an old Canadian fishing trawler, and run by the guy who had the FM pirate station off NYC the Feds went out and sank to satisfy the NAB lobby in international waters. Belize had given them permission to setup a land-based studio, microwaved out to the boat where Br Stair had twin 1960's vintage old 70KW propaganda SW transmitters, ALL MODES, he'd got from VOA surplus sales. The idea was that the boat was to be anchored, heavily, off Belize in international waters where one transmitter was to be Br Stair's 24/7 transmitter and the pirate radio guy would get the other one to rent out to whomever had the money.

The boat was tied up to some pilings off Halsey-Cannon Boatyard in Cainhoy, SC, up the Wando River at Charleston when I met the ham that ran it. I went aboard to see the beasts, mounted in the fish hold, and run by twin 300KW diesel gensets welded to the deck. The transmitters output was 300 ohm open wire feeders with a tuning unit big enough to match a wet noodle to 70KW on 2-30 mhz. They were using 3/4" copper tubing, separated by heavy insulators and air out the top of the transmitters and up to the big hatch. One side of the "twinlead" simply terminated in an open end, while the other one went through a 300KV feedthrough insulator to feed the RF outside. on top of the insulator was a homebrew "cage" about 6" on each of 4 sides of wire and metal spacers that went up to another "cage" of wire between 4 towers (2 towers for each transmitting antenna) welded fore and aft on deck. The towers were about 80' tall, self-supporting but guyed anyways. This "T" Marconi antenna was the radiating element.

My "souvenir" from the boat was the failed deck-thru insulator that exploded LOUDLY when it flashed over at 70KW on 7.316 Mhz, the

pirate's favorite frequency. You can see the outside half of it on my webpage at qrz.com....just enter W4CSC in the search engine....or on the new qrz callbook CD....with the caption, "See what 70KW can do on 40 meters", which is the truth!

The whole project wasn't going to fly, FCC or no FCC. Soon after the test transmissions started, salt water started leaking into fresh water tankage. Closer underwater inspection by the "brothers" diving under showed there was so much RF current flowing through the hull into the saltwater ground it was EATING THE HULL! They welded huge zincs onto the hull along its whole length to try to stop this "galvanic-like" action, but weren't successful. Funny what a couple of hundred amps of RF can do to a steel hull, ain't it?

I'm STILL convinced, from actually being on the boat and talking with the principles as they worked, that pirate (who carried a pistol on him all the time and was very nervous about the "brothers" throwing him to the fish when they no longer needed him) wanted OUT of the project....He was paranoid about what they would do with him. After visiting in person, I don't blame him. I wouldn't put to sea with any of them! I think he and his engineer who ran the transmitters put that 70KW on the pirate radio frequency KNOWING FCC monitored it 24/7. It had a HUGE signal at my house 20 miles away on ground wave! He purposely transmitted in port, on that monitored frequency, inside the USA territory....just SO FCC would come and save him!

Thanks for the report on Br Stair. Quite a character, he is. He's no Ron Hubbard, though. Lots of people listen and send him money because he tells them what they want to hear. Hubbard was much better at making them believe what they didn't want to hear AND was much better at extracting their money from them!

Larry W4CSC
Did you ever see your skin glow BLUE from RF??
I don't think they were in "safe limits" under the new law, either...hee hee....

Initial illegal testing was done right in the Wando River, until the FCC showed up with a stolen barge from the military's shipyard contractor they'd commandeered, but not paid for, with US Marshalls to confiscate it all. I don't know what happened to the people involved. I think they got wind of it and just abandoned the project.

3698. Re: FS: insulator or paperweight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <C8B37FEACFC6527C.27AB4777652B32BD.7BBDF419DD34097F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111700

Evan! We tested an insulator like this with 70KW on 40 meters. Go to
www.qrz.com and put in W4CSC to see the results....(c;

No, it wasn't ME....I just kept it as a souvenir!

Larry W4CSC.....besides, my trailer isn't WIRED for 70KW!

On 07 May 2000 15:21:14 GMT, k9sqg@aol.com (K9SQG) wrote:

>For sale, brand new, steatite antenna insulator. Can be used for that monster
>antenna or as a conversation piece or paperweight. You don't see these very
>often! White color, about 7.25 inches long, 1 and 5/8 wide, and 1 1/8 thick.
>Hole in each end about 3/8 inch diameter. Will sell for $3 and whatever the
>shipping costs will be. I have more than one if you'd like some as gifts. You
>won't flash this one over no matter how much power you run!
>
>73
>
>Evan

3699. maxrtrac100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: david <julia@livingston.net>
Message-ID: <shb9i99pqil38@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111701

I have a maxtrac 100 set up on 461.875 i was wondering if it can be converted to the 440-450 mhz amateur band and with how much trouble? I got it for 5.oo at a flea market and works great just need to make it work where i can use it. David N5JHN sammy16236@yahoo.com

3700. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <3915a40a.154800539@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 6 May 2000 22:35:17 -0500, "M. Schneider"
<markinokla@juno.com> wrote:
>
>Glen, your argument is their argument. What you see as a problem (not
>enough new hams), they see as a benefit. They're not interested in keeping
>the hobby vital. They've got their's, and the world ends when they die, so
>they don't care
>
Baloney, we do care. What are we supposed to do? Turn the Selective
Service loose to "generate" new hams?
>
>about growth and new, changing (Change!!) technology.
>
I keep hearing this line and and I keep asking "what new
technologies"?? What "changes"? There have been megahertz upon
megahertz of 5wpm spectrum space available for experimentation and
technology development for the nearly half century I've been
licensed.. I have yet to see one significant technological leap.
Where's the beef? Why is anything going to change when us OFs die
off??
>
>new hams for rocking the cw boat. There's no point in arguing with them
>(they love that, gives them a soapbox). Just ignore them. They'll be dead
>soon anyway.
>
Then what?? Yeah, I know. More freqs for ssb. End of,
>
>Mark K5MAR
>
w3rv

3701. Re: Hispanics (?) Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f4absujs1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111703

The law's the law and even though I'm still for granting Elian political asylum, if the law decrees otherwise, then it's otherwise. And if anybody tries to get funny with that female marshal and gets blown away in the attempt, then it'll be his own damn fault. Only a stupid bigot will rant against the entire Hispanic community due to some of the negative reaction about Elian. That's just plain ignorance. I'm sure that the great majority of Hispanics are hard working folks who constantly get a bum rap by bums who mimick the bums on this board. Go to Arlington and see how many Hispanic names you see at gravesites. Afterward just shut up!
AF2Y

In article <3914D8FD.4261C47E@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>
>
> Robert Morris wrote:
>>
>> As one who has turned to champion the Hispanic cause, I can see, I'm
>> wading into deep water. In telephone calls, the life of the female
>> agent who extracted Elian has been threatened.
>
> . . .and your proof of this is . . ?
>
>> When Hispanic hysteria reaches that level, it is hard to be supportive.
>> Most of us Americans have been influenced by the Clinton spin machine,
>> but, however flawed, none of us can support a movement that includes
>> too many radicals who cannot discern the ministerial duty of work from
>> personal political views.
>
> "I was just following orders" was not a defense at Nuremburg. She chose
> to do what she did. One must assume that she felt justified.
>
>> How can any well-meaning citizen write in support of such conduct?
>>
>> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>> Miami, Florida
>
> That same "spin machine" that you decry is the source of the reports
> that the agent has been threatened.
>
> And, as a result of those reports, suddenly you are again opposed to the
> Cubans in America, despite the enlightement you gained only days ago.
>
> The people who stand to gain by engendering hatred and distrust are

> spreading reports which lead to hatred and distrust. What's wrong with
> this picture?

3702. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3915af3a.315999318@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 111704

On Sat, 6 May 2000 22:19:45 -0400 (EDT), AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:

Go to rec.hispanic and leave your drivel there. This is a radio group ya dumbass.

3703. AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
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I get nasty e-mails from schmuck hams who are in love with Charlton Heston, Wayne LaPierre and the entire out-of-sync-with-reality NRA. It surprises me because I always had thought that hams were intelligent. Duh. There seems to be a clique about whom I know which sends me NRA- sponsored rightwing propaganda explaining why we should put a pistol in every bassinette in every newborn pediatric wing in every hospital in the USA. This is to allow the infants to suck on gun barrels instead of bottle or momma's nipples. Duh.

They send this crap about how Hitler took the guns away from Germans which caused the Holocaust and how Chairman Mao took the guns away from the mainland Chinese which caused the Red takeover and ad crappolium. There's no truth to this kind of stuff. Pre Hitlerian Germans and pre-Maoist Chinese never had guns to begin with. In other words if one wants to get down to brass tacks, it's easy to blow holes into such lying e-mails transmitted to confuse and discourage well-meaning, caring, patriotic,highly intelligent and observant hams like I.

We have several diseases in America which need to be arrested. The first is the abominable rightwing Christian Coalition which is out to destroy womens' rights, infiltrate our schools with an ugly form of theology teaching exlusion rather than inclusion while sanctifying the murder of doctors who perform legal abortions, dictating what and what not can be taught and read in our schools and libraries, invade and take over city governments and so forth and so on. Incidentally I'm 100% AGAINST late term abortions and it must be stopped! Had not the Republican Party recognized the CC for what it's always been, a MENACE, people like Pat Robertson, Jerry Falwell and their ilk would be scrubbing floors in rest rooms instead of polluting the American political landscape. Not only didn't the Republicans do anything about such a disease, they welcomed it and because of it have disintegrated into a party of has beens and wannabes who have gradually been losing power and come Nov.2000, will lose the Presidency and the Congress as well IF in the summer the G.O.P does not nominate John McCain. George W. is a Christian Coaltion patsy who doesn't know Austin from Boston.

The second disease in America is DRUGS which Bill Clinton has done nothing about. All the man did was to talk up a storm while obtaining favors from Lewinsky. How strange it is that he sends our troops all over the world to save democracy and does nothing militarily against, for example, Colombia. What say Bill about the cartel down there and your refusal to bomb it the same way out of sight as you did Milosevic's Belgrage? Is there some kind of deal worked out?

The third disease is VIOLENCE on TV and in the movies. Shooting people is the "in thing" in America, at least that's what the screens are telling us.

Kids watch and somehow come up with guns and go on murder sprees and since they're so young, what is done about it? Their candy, gum and lollies are taken away for a month! GUNS DAMMIT GUNS. They're everywhere. Grammar school kids pack them and the NRA keeps spurring on new and bigger sales and we sink deeper into a hellhole because of it. And hams send e-mails telling me about how important are guns and how great are Heston and LaPierre. You know what, you morons. You'll love guns until someone in your family is shot. That'll awaken you. Then you'll know the difference between your heads and asses.

Another problem here is immigration, both legal and illegal. Until a workable and intelligent system is formulated, STOP IT ENTIRELY. What's going on to our south is a crime because it isn't illegal immigration any longer-it's a full scale INVASION. Question: if the Chinese could have built centuries ago the Great Wall to keep out the Mongol hoardes and IT WORKED, then why can't we do the same extending from southern California to Texas? And if Americans don't want to perform the labor then pay the illegal Mexicans to do it and then escort them back.

AF2Y

3704. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

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Doc this isn't the forum for your liberal bullshit. Take it to alt.i.love.bill
or something. As for you calling ANYONE a schmuck - is laughable.
Liberals don't inhale - they suck. FO Doc
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FIREARM MANUFACTURERS STRIKE BACK

On Wednesday, seven gun makers and the National Shooting Sports Foundation
(NSSF) -- the organization that represents the firearms industry -- filed
a lawsuit in federal court against HUD Secretary Andrew Cuomo, New York
Attorney General Eliot Spitzer (D), Connecticut Attorney General Richard
Blumenthal (D), and government officials from 14 municipalities. The suit
stems from the defendants' stated intent to give preferential
consideration when awarding contracts to purchase firearms for law
enforcement to those companies that cave in (as did Smith &amp; Wesson
[S&amp;W][see Special FAX Alert 3/20/00]) by agreeing to the egregious
terms of the "code of conduct"established by these bureaucrats. NSSF and
the seven gun makers -- Beretta U.S.A. Corp., Browning Arms, Inc., Colt's
Manufacturing Company, Inc., Glock, Inc., SIG Arms, Inc., Sturm, Ruger
&amp; Company, Inc., and Taurus International Manufacturing, Inc. --
allege that Cuomo and the others are involved in an illegal conspiracy in
restraint of trade and are in violation of the Commerce Clause of the U.S.
Constitution. The plaintiffs are asking the court to permanently enjoin
the defendants, from any action to establish regulations on the design,
manufacture, advertising and distribution of handguns beyond what has been
established by Congress. "The lawsuit arises from a politically-motivated
scheme in which these bureaucrats have sought to bully law enforcement
professionals into buying handguns based not on the quality or safety of
the product, but on capitulation by the manufacturer to a regulatory
agenda concocted by these officials," said NSSF President Robert Delfay.
During a press conference announcing the suit, Delfay also distributed
letters from the Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) and the Law Enforcement
Alliance of America (LEAA) that reject the Clinton-Gore-Cuomo agenda. The
FOP stated, "The top concern of any law enforcement agency handling
purchasing firearms is officer safety, not adherence to a particular
political philosophy." LEAA said, "Law enforcement officers should not be
used as political pawns." And in another setback to the attempt to use the
lucrative law enforcement firearms contracts to bully gun makers into
rolling over like S&amp;W did, Arkansas Governor Mike Huckabee (R)
rejected an invitation from Eliot Spitzer to join in what the NSSF suit
calls a conspiracy. In a letter to Spitzer, Gov. Huckabee stated he is "a
strong proponent and defender of Americans'...right to keep and bear
arms," and that he "will not ask [the director of the Arkansas State
Police] to award a lucrative government contract in order to further a
political agenda geared at controlling and ultimately destroying the
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firearms industry." Huckabee's rejection of Spitzer's strong-arm tactics came on the heels of another response to Spitzer from Alabama Attorney General Bill Pryor, who pointed out that it was the duty of attorneys general to enforce competitive bid laws -- not flout them. For a copy of the NSSF suit, go to www.nsssf.org. For Gov. Huckabee's letter, visit www.NRAILA.org.

SHAME

In response to the NSSF suit, the Clinton-Gore Administration has stated that, in effect, it will continue with its shameful strategy of politicizing tragedy. Cuomo stated he will use victims of violent crime as his initial shield, calling on child survivors of last year's horrific events at Columbine High, as well as this week's criminal attack outside the National Zoo in Washington, D.C., to appear as opening witnesses. The shooting at the National Zoo that resulted in the wounding of seven children once again opened the floodgates for anti-gun rhetoric long before any real facts about the crime were known. Al Gore took center stage, continuing to flaunt "gun control" as one of the most prominent planks in his presidential platform. At two Democratic fund-raising events on Monday, he announced the shooting to the audience, then claimed that all new handguns should have trigger-locking devices (even though virtually all currently do), gun buyers should be licensed and registered, and went on to demonize NRA, the Republican Party, and Texas Governor George Bush (R). Gore attacked Gov. Bush for signing a Right To Carry law. What any of these issues has to do with the tragedy at the Zoo is anyone's guess, especially considering Washington, D.C., already has the nation's most restrictive gun laws, which effectively prohibit the right to self defense. Even the anti-gun Denver Post derided Gore's "brazen and shallow political opportunism." The Post accurately stated, "Youths who tote guns into public places aren't likely to be bothered by...whether they need to have a trigger lock on what likely is an illegally concealed weapon," and also called Gore's comments "trite sound bites from his campaign literature." But what can one expect, as Gore has learned from the master of politicizing tragedy, his current boss. Clinton, this time following Gore's lead, also exploited the event to renew his call for more "gun control," as did District Mayor Tony Williams (D) and District Delegate Eleanor Holmes Norton (D). But Virginia Governor Jim Gilmore (R), responding to Delegate Norton's allegation that D.C. criminals are somehow aided by Virginia's laws that focus on criminals rather than law-abiding gun owners, stated "I think that [the shooting] illustrates the frailty of her gun control idea.... We still live in a free country...and the idea that somehow gun control is going to be the answer...demonstrates foursquare that is not the answer." By the way, it should be noted, that, under current law, residents of the District are prohibited from purchasing a handgun anywhere in America, which, we point out to Del. Norton includes Virginia and Maryland.

CONGRESS BACK IN SESSION

Both the U.S. House and Senate will be back in session next week, and the Senate is expected to begin debate over the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. Anti-gun lawmakers are expected to propose countless amendments to this legislation seeking to infringe on our Right to Keep and Bear Arms. Please be sure to contact your Senators at (202) 224-3121 and urge them to oppose any anti-gun amendments to the Elementary and Secondary Education Act.

3705. AF2Y read this http://www.jpfo.org/

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3706. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

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On Sun, 07 May 2000 14:51:08 +0000, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

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>
>Robert Morris wrote:
>>
>> Right, right, right, Gentlemen. So now we all have to become
>> detectives, unable to believe anything we read? Seems to be the case.
>
>I hate to say it, but YES, we must. We have a president who is
>desperately trying to come up with some legacy that doesn't include the
>name "Monica" -- he sees "normalization" of relations with Cuba as the
>path to that. Would someone who lied under oath and who killed people
>with cruise missiles

As far as killing people with cruise missiles are you referring to
former president George Bush or Bill Clinton ?

> REALLY going to let one little boy stand in his
>way?
>
>We have his successor,

I didn't know his successor had been elected yet ? Who won ? Was it
(Ozone) Al Gore or George (Cocaine) Dubbya Bush ? Or a 3rd Party
candidate ?

> who is a PATHOLOGICAL liar (that is, one who
>can't stop making claims which are obvious lies).
>
>We have his wife, who is now running for Senate from a state where she
>never really lived,

If that's an *illegal* activity inform the state of New York and the
voting public.

> who considers acquisition of power worth anything
>she has to do to get it.
>
>We have an Attorney General who is a friend and supporter of those
>three, under pressure to perform.

I don't know of many presidents that nominate *enemies* to the
position of attorney general do you ?

>HECK YES we have to become detectives, when that kind of person has the
>media willing to parrot anything they say.

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>This will only be the "Land of the Free" if it is the HOME OF THE BRAVE!

3707. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

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On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:

>But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
>is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
>very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.

I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
term effect
>
>In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...
>>
>>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>>
>>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
>>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
>>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
>>
>>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
>>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
>>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
>>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>>hobby vital.
>>--
>>glenq@cyberhighway.net
>>WB7DOW
>>
>>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
>

3708. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

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How many of his predicted "end of the United States", "end of the world", and "nuclear holocaust" dates have come and gone?

3709. AF2Y just "ask the Rabbi" @ http://www.jpfo.org/askrabbi.htm

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Special Notice: Rabbi Mermelstein is currently swamped by all the questions he's received and by the necessity of making a living. For the month of April, please limit questions to methods of destroying "gun control" as an intellectually respectable position.

Rabbi Mermelstein has volunteered to answer firearms-related questions for readers of the JPFO Web Pages. In addition to his background in rabbinics, he was in the business of manufacturing high grade ammunition for both rifles and handguns for 11 years. He served in the US Army Infantry from 1972 to 1975. He was the Handloading Editor of a nationally circulated firearms magazine for three years. He is currently honored to be the Director of JPFO's Editorial Board. Rabbi Mermelstein is, of course, an avid shooter and handloader.

Please e-mail directly any questions you have on the following topics to Rabbi Mermelstein at the following e-mail address: rabbi@jpfo.org

Ammunition and cartridge choice for self defense.

Firearms for self defense and unorganized militia purposes

Specific handloading processes topics

Please note that only those inquiries regarding JPFO's mission of destroying gun control and firearms related questions, will receive a personal response, or be considered for posting on the web site. Time constraints do not permit a response to all e-mail.

JPFO cannot answer inquires regarding personal legal matters involving firearms laws. In all such cases, a competent attorney knowledgeable about your state's firearms laws should be consulted.

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~~Some questions answered by the Rabbi at http://www.jpfo.org/askrabbi.htm~~

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3710. AF2Y, Amazed and disturbed at a common belief

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QUESTION: Shalom Rabbi,

As a 32 year old jewish male I am amazed and disturbed at what seems to be a common belief that jews don't need guns by other jews, this is the opinion of relatives, previous temple members and seems the jewish organizations ie: B'nai Brith. Doesn't this fly in the face of reality of the holocaust? Do you have any idea as to why this may be and have you encountered this yourself? Someone said that we believe so strongly in G-D that we have given up responsibility of caring for our own fate and that we are doomed to keep being persecuted. My father had lost a large percentage of his family in Austria and my mother's family in Russia, so he made a decision long ago that what had happened would never happen again to us or anyone and taught me safe gun handling at a young age which I will also pass down to my children as well. I only hope other Jews do the same or we are doomed to keep repeating history over and over again. Thanks for your time and looking forward to hear your view.

Alan Rudolph

ANSWER: Dear Mr. Rudolph,

This nonsense about firearms being un-Jewish is a theme in many e-mails that come though here. Please read a letter entitled "My mother's cultural stereotypes" which I wrote in reply to an inquiry nearly identical to yours some weeks ago.

Labeling firearms inappropriate for Jews has it's roots in the Jewish psyche going back many generations. Firearms, to many Jews, represent a threat to life and limb wielded by a murderous anti-semite. Crazy, isn't it, how it can become ingrained into the very gene pool of a people that the mere sight of a gun evokes primal fears of an immediate threat and they are helpless to do anything but be a compliant victim?

The sad part is that this disease will not disappear overnight. I fear that no amount of information distribution will alter the mindset of so many people. To compound the problem Jews are by and large urban dwellers where every mention of a gun in the media involves crime.

Have you any ideas? How does one teach a creature who has tasted the whip that the very same implement could be used to justifiably retaliate against it's tormentor?

I'd like a free lunch for every invitation I've extended to orthodox Jews to be my guests at the local public shooting range for an afternoon of free shooting lessons that was turned down. I even promise them to pickup the range fees and provide the ammunition. ANYTHING to show my core ligionists that a gun is only a tool, no less so than a meat grinder or lawn mower. I persevere, nonetheless. The battle to win over Jewish minds will continue.

Sincerely,
R. Mermelstein

3711. AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi Mermelstein

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QUESTION: Registration Preceeding Confiscation of Firearms

Your literature is replete with examples of countries which first registered firearms, then used those lists to confiscate them. Unfortunately, when you use that arguement, most liberals will reply, "but that would never happen here."

An interesting question: has there EVER been a case in which a government required registration of firearms, but then did not sometime in the future then confiscate those firearms? If so, what what are the relative numbers?

For example, New York has twice ordered registration, first of handguns, then of long guns, and has later used those lists to confiscate (or "ensure the weapons were no longer in the city").

This requires research, and might lead to an interesting article in the future.

"alford"
04 Jun 1999

ANSWER:

This is the reply from our friendly Con Law scholar:

The question is whether there are any cases were confiscation did not precede confiscation ... well, there are lots of cases ... but how far "before" does the "precede" have to be?

More importantly, the argument will never be won on mere statistical comparisons. Stats don't mean anything when it comes to events of this sort.

Take a look at the arguments that we put together at www.jpfo.org.

I'll address the "it can't happen here" argument briefly here: Nothing happens until it actually happens ... and we have had slavery and oppression under the government of the United States ... we have had concentration camps ... we have had wars of mass relocation and extermination of the Indians, a sort of American "ethnic cleansing." So what is this "it can't happen here?" argument. Just because a particular atrocity hasn't happened yet does not in any way predict the future.

Do we fail to buy burglar alarms or lock our car doors because we haven't been robbed yet? Firearms ownership is a protection and deterrent. It is not merely a response to previous event.

"Liberals" are free-riders on the protection afforded by the fact that their fellow citizens do possess firearms, and that deters both criminals and bad government. They ought to be paying for the protection.

3712. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <54IR4.3924$Jf.7990@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Brian Kelly" <kelly@dvol.com> wrote in message
news:3915a40a.154800539@news.dvol.com...
> On Sat, 6 May 2000 22:35:17 -0500, "M. Schneider"
> <markinokla@juno.com> wrote:
> >
> >Glen, your argument is their argument. What you see as a problem (not
> >enough new hams), they see as a benefit. They're not interested in
keeping
> >the hobby vital. They've got their's, and the world ends when they die,
so
> >they don't care
> >
> Baloney, we do care. What are we supposed to do? Turn the Selective
> Service loose to "generate" new hams?
> >
> >about growth and new, changing (Change!!) technology.
> >
> I keep hearing this line and and I keep asking "what new
> technologies"?? What "changes"? There have been megahertz upon
> megahertz of 5wpm spectrum space available for experimentation and
> technology development for the nearly half century I've been
> licensed.. I have yet to see one significant technological leap.

Packet, Slow-scan TV, APRS, for starters.

> Where's the beef? Why is anything going to change when us OFs die
> off??
> >
> >new hams for rocking the cw boat. There's no point in arguing with them
> >(they love that, gives them a soapbox). Just ignore them. They'll be
dead
> >soon anyway.
> >
> Then what?? Yeah, I know. More freqs for ssb. End of,
> >
> >Mark K5MAR
> >
> w3rv

As for the rest, you make my case.
All others, go to www.eham.net and take alook at the article "Three Types Of Hams". B.K> seems to be a classic type1.
Mark K5MAR

3713. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507180314.02275.00001529@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111715

YCTHULHU asks ..

>How many of his predicted "end of the United States", "end of the world", and
>"nuclear holocaust" dates have come and gone?

Annnndddd the annnnnsssswerrrrr izzzz ..... " All of them ! ! ! " .. but stay tuned, there will be more predictions coming. And maybe he'll hit the biggie someday (Or not.)

Face it, Y-Man, sometimes the long shot comes in. Otherwise, nobody would buy lotto tickets any more. And who wouldn't want to have a C-Note on the zillion to one sleeper that placed on Derby Day.

So we have to keep believing "Prophet" Stair. (Or not.) Maybe Gorbachev will shoot us a big 'shroom tomorrow. Or, maybe Ronald Reagan will leave office in disgrace tomorrow. Or maybe Jan. 1, 2000 will find us shooting each other down at the door of "7-11" over the last can of tomato soup on the planet. You gotta believe, Y-Man. Simple as that.

All I can say is keep your powder dry and keep your generator fueled up. Uh ohhhhh .. I hear it .. the unnnnnn-mistakable sound of .. ohhh noooooo ... it's the .. the .. the .. bla ... heli ... gasp ... groannnnn ..

3714. CASTLE AND VISSER GET BUSTED AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: RogerWilco <>
Message-ID: <crqbhs4hvmi1bhe2qrc5tmm18tgs4o25b1@4ax.com>
Source record: 111716

Once again WA9KJI and W9ART get busted. Rain Report states that waring letters were sent to the two morons AGAIN! How many times must they be busted before they get their tickets pulled???

3715. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <3915eb81.173098430@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 7 May 2000 16:22:10 -0500, "M. Schneider"
<markinokla@juno.com> wrote:
>
>> technology development for the nearly half century I've been
>> licensed.. I have yet to see one significant technological leap.
>
>Packet,
>
Twenty years later packet is still 1.2 thousand baud and my dialup
connection is 56 thousand baud and it's unregulated and doesn't need a
license to "operate". Zzzzzzzz . . .
>
> Slow-scan TV
>
Slick. Forty years old and is 20x slower than the 1930s flying spot
TV.
>
> APRS, for starters.
>
. . . there's a real mindless gooder. I have a GPS rcvr, I have a
mapper and I don't need ham radio to get me from here to there. GM and
Toyota have been putting a far more advanced interactive form of APRS
in car dashboards for years.
>
Once again, where's the beef?
>
>As for the rest, you make my case.
>All others, go to www.eham.net and take alook at the article "Three Types Of
>Hams". B.K> seems to be a classic type1.
>
Dream on.
>
>Mark K5MAR
>
Since at 62 you still havn't gotten past 5wpm I wish the best of luck
in the new regime and we'll be looking for all the technological
advances you'll shower on us now that you can finally get on 20m
phone.
>
w3rv

3716. Re: CASTLE AND VISSER GET BUSTED AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f4tvo$et4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111718

In article <crqbhs4hvmi1bhe2qrc5tmm18tgs4o25b1@4ax.com>,
RogerWilco <> wrote:
> Once again WA9KJI and W9ART get busted. Rain Report states that waring
> letters were sent to the two morons AGAIN! How many times must they be
> busted before they get their tickets pulled???
>
Like I always like to say in cases such as these; One thing about it,
you just cain't fix stupid.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3717. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi Mermelstein

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f4t47giv1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111719

I've heard of overreaction but this is getting ridiculous. Stiffer measures to procure guns and modern sophisticated technology concerning them cannot be equated to CONFISCATION. What's wrong with you? If your theory is valid, then taking an aspirin for a headache is equivalent to having a frontal lobotomy which might serve you well anyway. You view any measure at curbing the possibility of violence as an infringment on your rights and that's just plain silly. "The sky is falling...the sky is falling." GROW UP!
AF2Y

In article <20000507163728.02264.00001512@ng-fx1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Jews For The Preservation of Firearms Ownership, Inc.
> P.O. Box 270143
> Hartford, WI 53027
>
> Phone (262) 673-9745
> Fax (262) 673-9746
>

> QUESTION: Registration Preceeding Confiscation of Firearms

3718. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f4ug2ffs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111720

In article <20000507145823.14516.00001780@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> Doc this isn't the forum for your liberal bullshit. Take it to
alt.i.love.bill
> or something. As for you calling ANYONE a schmuck - is laughable.
> Liberals don't inhale - they suck. FO Doc
> ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> FIREARM MANUFACTURERS STRIKE BACK
>
> On Wednesday, seven gun makers and the National Shooting Sports
Foundation
> (NSSF) -- the organization that represents the firearms industry --
filed
> a lawsuit in federal court against HUD Secretary Andrew Cuomo, New
York
> Attorney General Eliot Spitzer (D), Connecticut Attorney General
Richard
> Blumenthal (D), and government officials from 14 municipalities. The
suit
> stems from the defendants' stated intent to give preferential
> consideration when awarding contracts to purchase firearms for law
> enforcement to those companies that cave in (as did Smith & Wesson
> [S&W][see Special FAX Alert 3/20/00]) by agreeing to the egregious
> terms of the "code of conduct"established by these bureaucrats. NSSF
and
> the seven gun makers -- Beretta U.S.A. Corp., Browning Arms, Inc.,
Colt's
> Manufacturing Company, Inc., Glock, Inc., SIG Arms, Inc., Sturm, Ruger
> & Company, Inc., and Taurus International Manufacturing, Inc. --
> allege that Cuomo and the others are involved in an illegal
conspiracy in
> restraint of trade and are in violation of the Commerce Clause of the
U.S.
> Constitution. The plaintiffs are asking the court to permanently
enjoin
> the defendants, from any action to establish regulations on the
design,
> manufacture, advertising and distribution of handguns beyond what has
been
> established by Congress. "The lawsuit arises from a politically-
motivated
> scheme in which these bureaucrats have sought to bully law enforcement
> professionals into buying handguns based not on the quality or safety
of

> the product, but on capitulation by the manufacturer to a regulatory
> agenda concocted by these officials," said NSSF President Robert
Delfay.
> During a press conference announcing the suit, Delfay also distributed
> letters from the Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) and the Law
Enforcement
> Alliance of America (LEAA) that reject the Clinton-Gore-Cuomo agenda.
The
> FOP stated, "The top concern of any law enforcement agency handling
> purchasing firearms is officer safety, not adherence to a particular
> political philosophy." LEAA said, "Law enforcement officers should
not be
> used as political pawns." And in another setback to the attempt to
use the
> lucrative law enforcement firearms contracts to bully gun makers into
> rolling over like S&W did, Arkansas Governor Mike Huckabee (R)
> rejected an invitation from Eliot Spitzer to join in what the NSSF
suit
> calls a conspiracy. In a letter to Spitzer, Gov. Huckabee stated he
is "a
> strong proponent and defender of Americans'...right to keep and bear
> arms," and that he "will not ask [the director of the Arkansas State
> Police] to award a lucrative government contract in order to further a
> political agenda geared at controlling and ultimately destroying the
> firearms industry." Huckabee's rejection of Spitzer's strong-arm
tactics
> came on the heels of another response to Spitzer from Alabama Attorney
> General Bill Pryor, who pointed out that it was the duty of attorneys
> general to enforce competitive bid laws -- not flout them. For a copy
of
> the NSSF suit, go to www.nsssf.org. For Gov. Huckabee's letter, visit
> www.NRAILA.org.
>
> SHAME
>
> In response to the NSSF suit, the Clinton-Gore Administration has
stated
> that, in effect, it will continue with its shameful strategy of
> politicizing tragedy. Cuomo stated he will use victims of violent
crime as
> his initial shield, calling on child survivors of last year's horrific
> events at Columbine High, as well as this week's criminal attack
outside
> the National Zoo in Washington, D.C., to appear as opening witnesses.
The
> shooting at the National Zoo that resulted in the wounding of seven
> children once again opened the floodgates for anti-gun rhetoric long
> before any real facts about the crime were known. Al Gore took center
> stage, continuing to flaunt "gun control" as one of the most prominent
> planks in his presidential platform. At two Democratic fund-raising

events
> on Monday, he announced the shooting to the audience, then claimed
that
> all new handguns should have trigger-locking devices (even though
> virtually all currently do), gun buyers should be licensed and
registered,
> and went on to demonize NRA, the Republican Party, and Texas Governor
> George Bush (R). Gore attacked Gov. Bush for signing a Right To Carry
law.
> What any of these issues has to do with the tragedy at the Zoo is
anyone's
> guess, especially considering Washington, D.C., already has the
nation's
> most restrictive gun laws, which effectively prohibit the right to
self
> defense. Even the anti-gun Denver Post derided Gore's "brazen and
shallow
> political opportunism." The Post accurately stated, "Youths who tote
guns
> into public places aren't likely to be bothered by...whether they
need to
> have a trigger lock on what likely is an illegally concealed weapon,"
and
> also called Gore's comments "trite sound bites from his campaign
> literature." But what can one expect, as Gore has learned from the
master
> of politicizing tragedy, his current boss. Clinton, this time
following
> Gore's lead, also exploited the event to renew his call for more "gun
> control," as did District Mayor Tony Williams (D) and District
Delegate
> Eleanor Holmes Norton (D). But Virginia Governor Jim Gilmore (R),
> responding to Delegate Norton's allegation that D.C. criminals are
somehow
> aided by Virginia's laws that focus on criminals rather than law-
abiding
> gun owners, stated "I think that [the shooting] illustrates the
frailty of
> her gun control idea.... We still live in a free country...and the
idea
> that somehow gun control is going to be the answer...demonstrates
> foursquare that is not the answer." By the way, it should be noted,
that,
> under current law, residents of the District are prohibited from
> purchasing a handgun anywhere in America, which, we point out to Del.
> Norton includes Virginia and Maryland.
>
> CONGRESS BACK IN SESSION
>
> Both the U.S. House and Senate will be back in session next week, and

the
> Senate is expected to begin debate over the Elementary and Secondary
> Education Act. Anti-gun lawmakers are expected to propose countless
> amendments to this legislation seeking to infringe on our Right to
Keep
> and Bear Arms. Please be sure to contact your Senators at (202) 224-
3121
> and urge them to oppose any anti-gun amendments to the Elementary and
> Secondary Education Act.
>
>

1. Doc is more of a conservative then he realizes.

2. Based on the above from KK7HO I see that Arkansas and Alabama
intend to PRESERVE their rite to bear and own weapons.

And another for you Doc.....its unfortunate your NE Liberal upbringing
didn't also bring with it the ability to COMPREHEND the constitution of
this COUNTRY. What is it you NE Liberals can't understand about the
second amendment?

Dan/W4NTI

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3719. Re: AF2Y just "ask the Rabbi" @ http://www.jpfo.org/askrabbi.htm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f4tkj$6au$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111721

Why is your interpretation of the gun issue a Jewish issue? It shouldn't be because there are about 8 million Jews living in the USA versus 260 million non-Jews therefore the latter wields the power. If Jews are truly involved in the gun issue it's the Jewish doctors who will close up the gunshot wounds trying to save the lives of so many being shot by gun- crazy Gentiles.
AF2Y

In article <20000507161804.02282.00001771@ng-fx1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

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>

3720. Re: AF2Y read this http://www.jpfo.org/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f4tmj$f7t$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111722

Zelman is a gun- loving crazy Jew and you're a gun- loving crazy Gentile.
The only thing you therefore have in common is that you're both messhugah.
Doc

In article <20000507150508.14492.00001702@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> http://www.jpfo.org/ Take a LOOK at this site Charlie.
>
> Jews for the Preservation of Firearms Ownership
>
>
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> Read The Letter Xerox Refuses to Answer!
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>
> JPFO's Newest Book: Dial 911 and Die, written by attorney Richard W. Stevens,
> destroys the arguments for "gun control" by smashing the myth of police
> protection. Get the shocking facts -- get armed -- and permanently shut down
> gun prohibition in America! Click here for a strategy plan.
>
>
> The Mitzvah: Aaron Zelman and award-winning author L. Neil Smith have
> colaborated on a novel: The Mitzvah. Publication Date: June 15. More
> Information. Now Ready for On-line purchase! Now with bulk-discounts for
> multiple-copy orders! Winner of the Free Market Net Freedom Book of the Month
> award![UPDATED July 1, 1999]
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>

3721. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f4ttd$u6j$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111723

Vote for Gore. He'll do to the gun lobby what Clinton did to the cigarette industry. Kaput!
Doc

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> FIREARM MANUFACTURERS STRIKE BACK

3722. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f4u9kaqb1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111724

Sounds to me like Brother Stair is just a drunken old foolish evangelist who
does his best to Christianize the Old Testament and fails.

In article <8f2sol$c8i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Mom_of6 <tamalla@my-deja.com>
wrote:

>
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>
>
> I just thought I would share with you the most recent news I've heard
> Br. Stair's broadcast.
>
> 1. He claims those that go back to the original meanings of words, are
> trying to twist the Scriptures to make them say what they want them to
> say. He tries to prove this by misquoting some verse. He goes on
> talking about all of us who study the Scriptures and want to know the
> original meanings from the Greek and Hebrew are just being foolish and
> are only doing it to make the Scriptures say what we want them to say.
> 2. This morning I was listening to him talk about how God has given him
> the means to promote his message in such a way, and talking about me,
> me, me and speaking about his followers we, we,, we on and on, totally
> self-centered blabbering.
> He then wants his wife to come sing "The Old Rugged Cross". He didn't
> ask her, he told her to come up there and sing it. She must have said
> no many times because he pleaded, quoted verses to her, telling her
> many times to come up there, she just kept refusing to come up and
> sing. He then said, "come on, if you stand up and sing your pain will
> go away." She also refuses.
> I was thinking, 'what is going on there? What kind of pain is she in?
> Why does he keep trying to demand that she do this, when it is very
> clear to all listening that she does not what to, or feel up to it. I
> then thought, how is this going to end. Is he going to make her do it?
> Is she going to give in, in the end??
> All of a sudden, Stair tells someone to put on some music, and music
> plays for about 15 to 20 minutes, and sure enough, Stair comes back on
> and says, "Here is Sister Stair to sing." She sings the song very
> nicely all the way through, all verses, and then as soon as she was
> done, she must have walked out of the building. Because Stair kept
> calling her back , he said, "Come back here into my presence, Come back
> here Theresa, What did you do, lock yourself out?" He then goes on to
> say something about all his followers needed to be in his presence, and
> then said , Now, I am not Jesus Christ about three times.
> Theresa (Stair's wife) must have said something about she would sing

> the song, but she wouldn't sing it for him, but for God, because the
> things Stair was saying sorta went along those lines? (That is just my
> idea of what she might have said to him)
> I wonder if she is starting to have her eyes opened to the truth? If
> she could be breaking the bonds somehow? Hard to say, but I feel we
> need to pray for her that God is working on her heart and to see the
> error's of her husbands ways.
> One of Stair's pastors then comes on to present the sermon, I did not
> listen to this unfortunately :(because this pastor must have tried to
> condone the little scene all to MR. Stairs advantage of course.
> Stair then comes on and says something about the whole community was
> showing some sort of sin against him(Stair) and it was just showing
> through his wife. He was just being his normal self and always trying
> to prove himself by his lies. Explaining everything away and misplacing
> the things that happen as some sort of great act of God, when in
> reality it is just his natural self, being the ruling almighty leader
> and all those are just puppets led around believing everything as what
> he says as truth.
> It is clear he has total control and his wife starts to show a little
> rebellion and he turns it around to mean something else and always to
> his favor.
> Let's all pray for Theresa Stair that she is having doubts as to her
> husbands ministry and that the Lord is working on her heart to the
> truth of His saving grace, rest, mercy and love.
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3723. Re: CASTLE AND VISSER GET BUSTED AGAIN!!!

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Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507193458.20563.00001795@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111725

The report said that they have to "respond" to an "affidavit" filed by another ham. If they're jamming they should get it, but, in my opinion, any FCC action based on a letter/affidavit is not evidence. It's just someone claiming this or that. Maybe there is evidence, i would hope so because someone losing a ticket just based on anothers claim that something occured isn't quite right. We'll have to see where it goes.

3724. A Silent Key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Amero <" johnaNO§PAM"@island.net>
Message-ID: <3915F95C.A1728176@island.net>
Source record: 111726

Hans Meyer BC Canada VE7 FCH.. Passed away at 4:30 PM, 05May
2000.
John <nephew>
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JOHN AMERO, Parksville, B. C. Canada E-Mail to:-
johnaNOï¿½PAM@island.net
**NOTE: REMOVE the_ NOï¿½PAM _in the email address for
reply.**
Check out my Web Site at- http://www.island.net/~johna/ ICQ
UIN 2166985
... or Business- email to- Director of Business Development,
JohnAmero@singaporerental.com
Also see index at above web site or
http//singaporerental.com/

3725. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Stadt <dhstadt@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <X2oR4.347$P06.36354@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>
Source record: 111727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> Hams". B.K> seems to be a classic type1.
> Mark K5MAR
>
>
>

3726. Help* Need Icom T2A HT manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <68amx@fast.net>
Message-ID: <3915D103.66AF@fast.net>
Source record: 111728

Please help I lost the manual for my Icom T2A ht and need to get
another Please mail me back if you can help.
Copies OK, send price .
Thanks STEVE

3727. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <18ab6b58.5fc6a53d@usw-ex0106-046.remarq.com>
Source record: 111729

Doc is merely enamored with his own words. He could live in
solitary confinement just listening to himself talk.

What a bunch of crap he spews!

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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3728. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39161CF0.513538A1@oio.net>
Source record: 111730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey,
Do you think they're going to 'sub-divide' later? How
about utilities?
'Doc

3729. Re: QST MAGAZINE -- the best!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.fu80c40.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 111731

On 8 May 2000 00:56:36 GMT, Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>How in the world
>could you possibly find fault with this business side of the League?

For some, the fact that you're in business automatically marks you as an evil, grasping, unethical, manipulating jerk. You're trying to make money, therefore all of your opinions must be tainted by greed. While I disagree with them, they seem to be useful, as they act as a counter to those who think that being in business automatically marks you as a saint whose opponent's opinions must all be tainted by envy.

It's pretty much what I expect in a society where Bulverism dominates many a disagreement.

Ben
--
Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

3730. Re: "welfare hams vs code hams"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Coleman <nj8j@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <awwzvaqfcevatpbz.fu80os1.pminews@nntp.mindspring.com>
Source record: 111732

On Sun, 7 May 2000 02:01:03 -0500, Cricket wrote:

>It is not that the old timers in this hobby are ignorant. It is just that
>they know so much that is not true.

I hardly think that's limited to old timers.

Ben
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Ben Coleman NJ8J | The attempt to legislatively
Internet: nj8j@mindspring.com | micromanage equality results, at
http://oloryn.home.mindspring.com/ | best, in equal misery for all.

3731. Re: Bring this to the club meetin !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <E39DDA0B9B515242.5838F25F79787109.25D1E48961351EC6@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If you REALLY want to spice up that next hamfest, club meeting, or
become the CENTER of attention at the beach, ballgame or picnic.....

http://www.totallygross.com and by a TAILGATOR!

Mine gets OVER the 3200 mpg (Margaritas per gallon) that's advertised!

Larry W4CSC

On Mon, 08 May 2000 00:37:46 GMT, "Yourvoice" <mkoote@cims.com> wrote:

>There should be no less than THREE of these in
>the audience of every ham radio and SWL club meeting
>
>www.getsnagged.com/windbreaker.html
>
>I bought one and they sound 101% real.
>They are also loud, easily heard 20 feet away :)
>
>
>
>

3732. Re: Malicious Interference brings two $8000.00 Fines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f2fhv$qf4$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111762

In article <3913E0C0.E3203F0E@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> And maybe you didn't understand that to be a control
>operator, you have to be "licensed"?

Doc, set the legality of the issue aside. This is a matter of definition/semantics. I'm playing the devil's advocate in this scenario: If an unlicensed operator transmits on amateur frequencies, is he operating an "amateur radio station"? That was the question, no more, no less. You're taking all the fun out of this.

73, Jeff KH6O

3733. Re: Morse Code trivia question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f2frl$qq8$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111763

Don Putnick <dputnick@alumni.caltech.edu> wrote:
>dork@dork.com wrote:

>> Dave..KE6HN.. Due to changes by ATT.NET...Your web site CW 'AD' on
>> 147.435 Mhz. Los Angeles, is no longer accessible!!!
>> Please correct the CW recording..(That only 3 of us understand)
>> Here is the no longer accessible URL:
>> CONTROLOP.HOME.ATT.NET

>It's now at http://home.att.net/~controlop/
>So what's the morse code character for ~ ?

How about: dah didit didadidit dadidit dit?

73, Jeff KH6O

3734. Philips PRP76

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: I
Message-ID: <Dd4R4.8958$OO6.988759@nnrp4.clara.net>
Source record: 111764

Hi there,
Does anybody have any information about programming the Philips PRP76
Handheld.

Any help appreciated!
Mike
MM0CKR
mrl@clara.co.uk

3735. Re: Hispanics (?) Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3914D8FD.4261C47E@bctv.com>
Source record: 111765

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> As one who has turned to champion the Hispanic cause, I can see, I'm
> wading into deep water. In telephone calls, the life of the female
> agent who extracted Elian has been threatened.

. . .and your proof of this is . . ?

> When Hispanic hysteria reaches that level, it is hard to be supportive.
> Most of us Americans have been influenced by the Clinton spin machine,
> but, however flawed, none of us can support a movement that includes
> too many radicals who cannot discern the ministerial duty of work from
> personal political views.

"I was just following orders" was not a defense at Nuremburg. She chose
to do what she did. One must assume that she felt justified.

> How can any well-meaning citizen write in support of such conduct?
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

That same "spin machine" that you decry is the source of the reports
that the agent has been threatened.

And, as a result of those reports, suddenly you are again opposed to the
Cubans in America, despite the enlightement you gained only days ago.

The people who stand to gain by engendering hatred and distrust are
spreading reports which lead to hatred and distrust. What's wrong with
this picture?

3736. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3914DEF5.213EA02F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111766

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> As one who has turned to champion the Hispanic cause, I can see, I'm
> wading into deep water. In telephone calls, the life of the female
> agent who extracted Elian has been threatened.
>
> When Hispanic hysteria reaches that level, it is hard to be supportive.
> Most of us Americans have been influenced by the Clinton spin machine,
> but, however flawed, none of us can support a movement that includes
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> personal political views.
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> How can any well-meaning citizen write in support of such conduct?
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> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Again, pointing out, that without asking the right questions, we
don't know where the call actually came from.

3737. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507001339.20466.00001349@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 111767

I would suggest a .33 cent stamp or you will drag the USPS into this mess. Then you will have an incorrect name on your license and a returned letter of correction from the post office.

W0CBF

3738. Re: license error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <EE98CA8009AE59DD.FB17D950F41473CE.DCE5326A0BCEB27F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111768
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

www.fcc.gov/uls/

Register your SSN to get your TIN (Taxripoff Identification Number,
like in Orwell's 1984).

You can change it if you call into the 800 number as instructed....not
on the internet.

larry W4CSC

On Sat, 6 May 2000 16:40:17 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>I finally got my new welfare-General upgrade, but they've mispelled my name!
>:(
>What's the fastest/easiest way to get it corrected? Possibly a form online
>somewhere that I can fill out?
>And do they charge the usual test-session fee if I get it done there,
>considering it's a correction?
>Thanks.
>
>
>

3739. Re: QST MAGAZINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <6256A8DCE889A37D.EC4B916FC44E5D59.70E112FC8AF4F4D1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111769

On Sat, 06 May 2000 21:08:19 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>elian@no-boat.com wrote:
>>
>> GET QST.....THE MOST EXPENSIVE, BLACK AND WHITE CONVOLUTION OF
>> ADS YOU CAN FIND FOR THE MONEY !!!!!!!
>>
>> What happened to the old ARRL.????
>>
>> now, it's just a poor publishing company.!!!!!!!!
>
> Exactly!!
> (Like the 'user' name... watch out for distant relatives!)
> 'Doc

I'm still wondering how a magazine company can have a ham license???

3740. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <BAB291F91AD8982D.26350632BE10A198.4B24C5373F19EA42@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111770

Are you sure it was a Cuban who called her.....or a spanish-speaking government agent trying to insert a little disinformation, Russian-style, into the press? We have experts, you know.

You KNOW, of course, our government would NEVER lie to us or do anything illegal, would they??

Hmm....I see.

On Sat, 6 May 2000 22:19:45 -0400 (EDT), AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:

>As one who has turned to champion the Hispanic cause, I can see, I'm
>wading into deep water. In telephone calls, the life of the female
>agent who extracted Elian has been threatened.
>
>When Hispanic hysteria reaches that level, it is hard to be supportive.
>Most of us Americans have been influenced by the Clinton spin machine,
>but, however flawed, none of us can support a movement that includes
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>personal political views.
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>How can any well-meaning citizen write in support of such conduct?
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>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

3741. What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mom_of6 <tamalla@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f2sol$c8i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111771

I just thought I would share with you the most recent news I've heard Br. Stair's broadcast.

1. He claims those that go back to the original meanings of words, are trying to twist the Scriptures to make them say what they want them to say. He tries to prove this by misquoting some verse. He goes on talking about all of us who study the Scriptures and want to know the original meanings from the Greek and Hebrew are just being foolish and are only doing it to make the Scriptures say what we want them to say.
2. This morning I was listening to him talk about how God has given him the means to promote his message in such a way, and talking about me, me, me and speaking about his followers we, we,, we on and on, totally self-centered blabbering.
He then wants his wife to come sing "The Old Rugged Cross". He didn't ask her, he told her to come up there and sing it. She must have said no many times because he pleaded, quoted verses to her, telling her many times to come up there, she just kept refusing to come up and sing. He then said, "come on, if you stand up and sing your pain will go away." She also refuses.
I was thinking, 'what is going on there? What kind of pain is she in? Why does he keep trying to demand that she do this, when it is very clear to all listening that she does not what to, or feel up to it. I then thought, how is this going to end. Is he going to make her do it? Is she going to give in, in the end??
All of a sudden, Stair tells someone to put on some music, and music plays for about 15 to 20 minutes, and sure enough, Stair comes back on and says, "Here is Sister Stair to sing." She sings the song very nicely all the way through, all verses, and then as soon as she was done, she must have walked out of the building. Because Stair kept calling her back , he said, "Come back here into my presence, Come back here Theresa, What did you do, lock yourself out?" He then goes on to say something about all his followers needed to be in his presence, and then said , Now, I am not Jesus Christ about three times.
Theresa (Stair's wife) must have said something about she would sing the song, but she wouldn't sing it for him, but for God, because the things Stair was saying sorta went along those lines? (That is just my idea of what she might have said to him)
I wonder if she is starting to have her eyes opened to the truth? If she could be breaking the bonds somehow? Hard to say, but I feel we need to pray for her that God is working on her heart and to see the error's of her husbands ways.
One of Stair's pastors then comes on to present the sermon, I did not listen to this unfortunately :(because this pastor must have tried to condone the little scene all to MR. Stairs advantage of course.

Stair then comes on and says something about the whole community was showing some sort of sin against him(Stair) and it was just showing through his wife. He was just being his normal self and always trying to prove himself by his lies. Explaining everything away and misplacing the things that happen as some sort of great act of God, when in reality it is just his natural self, being the ruling almighty leader and all those are just puppets led around believing everything as what he says as truth.
It is clear he has total control and his wife starts to show a little rebellion and he turns it around to mean something else and always to his favor.
Let's all pray for Theresa Stair that she is having doubts as to her husbands ministry and that the Lord is working on her heart to the truth of His saving grace, rest, mercy and love.

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3742. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <1x6R4.30121$55.218166@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 111772

"Lumpy" <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote
> I would have thought the point was obvoius. I think you

Sorry to have to inform you that you are wrong.

> said that the Lambda (or whatever their name is) group
> is a ham group only for gays. You blasted someone else for

I never said that.

> sink to name calling. Do I sense a little
> gender insecurity here John?

No, you sense someone (me) who gets annoyed at others
who talk when they don't know what they are talking about.

3743. Re: Go BARF yourselves FAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f2uv4ehd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111773

In article <8eqhrvisc1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
<Your credentials are unarguable but you can't spell "license."

Depends what country you come from. In MY dictionary, there is:

License: To grant or give a licence.
AND
Licence: A certificate, tag or document, etc. giving permission to do
something.

Giving that global nature of the Internet, being pedantic about spelling
often demonstrates narrow horizons rather than spelling acumen, so I
won't point out the words that "you can't spell. ;-)

> So
you've
> been in Antarctica. Hmm, that explains your pompousness. You've become
> influenced by the tuxedo adorned stately penguins down there. You act
as if
> you're putting on the ritz with honorable mention given to its
composer
> Harold Arlen.

I'll use the definition of pompous in my dictionary, you can identify
any differences.

Pompous: Exaggeratedly or ostentatiously dignified or self-important.

Now, let's look at two people.

Person A who thinks that any Amateur who gets a new licence (which he
does not believe is good as the one he got) is a "lazy, welfare"
Amateur. Person A believes this applies to every one of them,
irrespective of whether he has met them or not.

Person B who thinks that Amateurs who have passed the required tests
should be judged as individuals based on their personal merits.

Which one is the pompous individual and which is you?

> The way I see it is this. You are right in feeling that
very
> few if any hams can measure up to your savvy in electronics but I
differ
> with your theory of why become concerned over their existences anyway?

You can have concerns and you are have a right, no, a duty, to express them. But remember this, the Amateurs you are villifying are doing what is required of them, just like you did! Even if you sat for the very first licence exam, there would have been someone who said the standard was too low!

The SYSTEM may be wrong in your view, but judging those people who did the right thing and complied with the requirements as "inferior" does nothing for Amateur Radio. All it does is create a fracture in the ranks.

If they can only be "inferior", why should they bother getting a licence at all? If getting a licence only brings abuse and condemnation, why bother?

>You are putting Mark before the hobby.service instead of the other way around.

"Mark" gains NOTHING from these licence changes, "Mark" cannot gain anything from these changes and hence "Mark" cannot be putting himself before Amateur Radio. "Mark" simply thinks that Amateurs cannot be judged by what licence they got and when. They must be judged as individuals by their actions.

> How fast you forget the words of the notable Dr. Hugo C. Quackenbush who
> said, "Lest not we become invincible in the strata of self indulgence while
> promulgating the fulfillment of questionable allegiance." That's what it's
> all about. Give it some thought my good man. Those words are profound.>>

You surely jest! It is your postings that claim to object to having "welfare" Amateurs, "lazy" Amateurs join the "Elite" Amateurs that was pompous. I thought this was a crock of shit and said so. When it comes to self indulgence, you take the cake.

Since when has rejecting appalling class consciousness against new Amateurs (who did all that is required of them) been a "questionable allegiance"? That is what fraternity is about - support for those people who have followed the guidelines. If you don't like the guidelines, attack the guidelines, not the people who have no option other than to follow them.

Mark.

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3744. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <rL6R4.1580$Jf.5537@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111774

"M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com> wrote in message
news:To5R4.1500$Jf.5104@newsfeed.slurp.net...
>
> "Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
> news:qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com...
> > ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> <snip>
> > We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
> > hobby vital.
> > --
> > glenq@cyberhighway.net
> > WB7DOW
>
> Glen, your argument is their argument. What you see as a problem (not
> enough new hams), they see as a benefit. They're not interested in
keeping
> the hobby vital. They've got their's, and the world ends when they die,
so
> they don't care about growth and new, changing (Change!!) technology.
Less
> hams means less competition for THEIR frequencies. If you study history
at
> all, take a look at what happened in the late 1930's when Billy Mitchell
> proved that airplanes could sink ships. He got courtmartialed. The
> no-cw?-over-my-dead-body crowd would like to courtmartial (drumhead?) all
us
> new hams for rocking the cw boat. There's no point in arguing with them
> (they love that, gives them a soapbox). Just ignore them. They'll be
dead
> soon anyway.
>
> Mark K5MAR

When the lame have no other argument, out come the actuarial tables. Mark, I am 56, and a code-tested Extra. The actuaries that do my retirement plan give me nearly thirty years on average to continue to be a royal pain. You know what, I see the technology changing as well and from a purely personal perspective I see no giant sense in 5wpm either. At the same time, I see no real reason to whine about it as the average person can make it to 5 in about three days. Growth for growth's sake is called cancer.

It is interesting that you mention Billy Mitchell who can also be credited with inventing the blitzkrieg at San Miheal (?). He was court-martialed largely at his own request to make a point. Douglas MacArthur was on the board and pretty well saved his butt. MacArthur was 61 at the end of WWII

having retired as Chief of Staff. He had a Sixth Army commander (Walter Krueger) who was 65. His predecessor as chief of staff (Sommervell) ran the entire logistics for all fronts; how old was he? MacArthur was good enough at 66 to pull off Inchon which is a military classic.

Now the Navy has never been known to adopt new things easily but we did enter the war with the Saratoga, Yorktown, Enterprise, and Hornet. Bill Halsey more or less wrote the plan for Pearl Harbor -- he did the same thing in an exercise in 1938, on a Sunday morning at dawn.

If it makes you happy, feel free; it has been the privilege of the junior officer to grouse about the old heads for centuries. In some cases, they were correct and learned from it (Schwarzkopf) but in most cases they were full of it. The only real danger is that they continue to fight the battles of their youth well into senility (Jesse Helms). If that is your criticism, you may well be right.

Given that HF is rapidly becoming irrelevant in its entirety, the major function of the Amateur Service is to help make sense out of what could easily become one giant freeband. It may be you who will fight the battles of your youth well after they become irrelevant.

Dick

3745. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14203-3914FA8A-13@storefull-245.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111775

Right, right, right, Gentlemen. So now we all have to become
detectives, unable to believe anything we read? Seems to be the case.

You guys are surely on target. Chock me up to one of our typical dopes.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3746. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507012030.05640.00001874@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111776

Excellent post, Mom_of. Thanx for the update. Your observations indicate that maybe all is not well in Stair-Land. Too bad Stair has used the medium to promote his own "interpretation" of things. There is a famine of truth, and Stair has contributed to it. Such a waste of opportunity.

For an equal but opposite reaction to Stair's comments about Hebrew and Greek words, I hope everyone will at least acquire a copy of Strong's and make use of it to keep track of Stair's "renderings".

Keep us posted, Mom_of. Thanx again for the update.

3747. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391501A0.93DE67C3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111777

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> detectives, unable to believe anything we read? Seems to be the case.
>
> You guys are surely on target. Chock me up to one of our typical dopes.

It's hard to admit, when the charter says that you own the government, to accept that you can't trust the government. But when you're dealing with people and power, there is always a superfluity of people willing to abuse the power they achieve. And when the President is elected with only 43% of the voting electorate, and less than half turn out, you can pretty much expect to find that you're in a very small minority of individuals who both know the truth and care about it.

(One of the reasons the Administration has set out to demonize the Cuban Exile community, is specifically BECAUSE they vote. And they tend to be conservative.)

If you want the government to become answerable to the people again, you need to convince the people you come into contact with to vote. No matter which way they vote, if they vote, they get involved, and the kind of spin-rich government that we've had the past decade, become difficult to execute.

>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

3748. "welfare hams vs code hams"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cricket <"Catch Me."@edu.com>
Message-ID: <391513fd$1_4@news5.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 111778

It is not that the old timers in this hobby are ignorant. It is just that they know so much that is not true.

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3749. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <JZ8R4.1620$Jf.5600@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
news:sbr9hs4kr57t1p9njoue5beqf6sghhsbv2@4ax.com...

> I'm 65 years old. I've been a ham since 1976, most of that time as an
> Extra. Just because I'm a relative old timer doesn't mean I can't face
> the facts.
> --
> glenq@cyberhighway.net
> WB7DOW
>
> http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

And I'm 47, no spring chicken either. Had a novice ticket back in '71, but as you know, they were only good for a year back then, and an all-expenses paid trip overseas courtesy of good 'ol Unk Sam got in the way of my upgrading. (Ever tried to send CW with an M-16? And I sure didn't want a QSL from the guys on the receiving end!!) So here I am 29 years later, getting back in. But calander age has nothing to do with it, it's your mental age. And if your mental attitudes are set in stone, then your thinking will be stone age. Some of the youngest guys I know are 20-30 years older than me. And I also know a couple of 30 year old "Old Farts"

Mark K5MAR

3750. Re: QST MAGAZINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507040933.20555.00001691@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111780

>Subject: Re: QST MAGAZINE
>From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC)
>Date: 05/06/2000 10:20 PM Central Daylight Time

I guess you don't take hints well, Larry. This was addressed on RRAP for you.

Look at QRZ. A "magazine company" does NOT have a ham licnese.

The ARRL Headquarters Operator's CLUB does.

>I'm still wondering how a magazine company can have a ham license???<

The "company" doesn't HAVE a license.

Steve

3751. Re: WTB:1987 or earlier Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <balbert@cnmnetwork.com>
Message-ID: <zBaR4.59117$VR.1175114@news5.giganews.com>
Source record: 111781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Yeah I have a couple of old callbooks I don't use. If you offer me enough
I'd dig them out for you.

73, Bob K6DDX

3752. help with IC706Mk2G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Gilfillan <g0fvi@rsgb.net>
Message-ID: <3915524f.0@news2.cluster1.telinco.net>
Source record: 111782

Hi all,
just bought an IC706Mk2G and need to know where the TX gain pot is so I can turn up the talk power. In th 706 mark 2 this is R511 and is located near the front edge of the main board. The mark 2 G appears to have a different main board. Don't have a circuit diagram. Anyone help?

Andy G0FVI

http://www.qsl.net/g0fvi

3753. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: fat dirty hamfest dealers <kgrodseq@webtv.com>
Message-ID: <dacR4.36805$g4.974343@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111783

Mom_of6 <tamalla@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8f2sol$c8i$1@nnrp1.deja.com...

> I just thought I would share with you the most recent news I've heard
> Br. Stair's broadcast.

Who the phuck cares? He has a screw loose.

3754. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: twatson410@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000508122146.09839.00001741@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 111584

>Nope, you can send in a form 605 with all of the sections relevant to the
>amateur service filled in. It's still possible for a single individual to
>use

That's good to know. I was advised that it had to be done by the ULS. Thanks.

3755. Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zachary McGibbon VA2ZAC <mzac@northco.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.1000508124313.12848A-100000@tooloud.northco.net>
Source record: 111585

Here's an interesting question. A few years ago, a friend of mine showed me that he could activate computer monitor screen savers (energy savers) by clicking the PTT on his radio. This was before I really knew much about radios and before I had my license, but I'm quite sure he was using a VHF radio (portable) but I don't know what frequency it is. would anyone happen to know what the frequency is of the energy saver that the computer sends to the monitor? Makes a very nice practical joke when standing behind someone's cubicle.

Zachary McGibbon
VA2ZAC
mzac@northco.net

3756. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39170BB9.EE0559B8@ahole.com>
Source record: 111586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You might wanta to check, mine was 1966 and was good for one year
non renewable...

Who Did you Expect? wrote:
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> SNIP
> >And I'm 47, no spring chicken either. Had a novice ticket back in '71, but
> >as you know, they were only good for a year back then, and an all-expenses
> >paid trip overseas courtesy of good 'ol Unk Sam got in the way of my
> >upgrading. (Ever tried to send CW with an M-16? And I sure didn't want a
> >QSL from the guys on the receiving end!!) So here I am 29 years later,
> >getting back in. But calander age has nothing to do with it, it's your
> >mental age. And if your mental attitudes are set in stone, then your
> >thinking will be stone age. Some of the youngest guys I know are 20-30
> >years older than me. And I also know a couple of 30 year old "Old Farts"
> >
> >Mark K5MAR
> If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
> length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
> renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
>
> While I do not have much use for CW, it is fun to drag the QRP rig out into
> the woods every fall and see if I can still talk to the world on 2W.
>

3757. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3916ff0c.164457@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 08 May 2000 16:46:26 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>You might wanta to check, mine was 1966 and was good for one year
>non renewable...

My Novice license is from 1973 (FCC form 660 - July 1972) and looking
right at it here it says 'Effective Date 04-07-73' , 'Expiration Date
04-07-75.' There's also an outlined box in the upper right hand corner
that says 'Not Transferable.' There's no mention on my license about
it not being renewable but I don't think ?? it was.

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>> the woods every fall and see if I can still talk to the world on 2W.
>>

3758. Details needed, RS232 port to NEC pager

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: DrDarkmatter <jj.compton@24.12.184.2>
Message-ID: <39170C50.2CEA73A9@24.12.184.2>
Source record: 111588
Cross-posted to:
tnn.comm.pager,alt.radio.scanner,alt.2600,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I have an NEC Message Maker II pager, model PN5PY22B. I would like to program it via my computer's serial port, I have the software, however I can't find the hookup details needed. I need the pin out for the pager's side of the deal. Under the battery cover there is a bit of circuit board and what appears to be four programing contacts. This is a synthesized pager therefore the frequency of this pager is programmable within the 900 MHz paging band. Also wondering if re-tuning will be needed after programming the frequency? Anyone know what the details are?

Thanks,
Dr.D

3759. Intellegent Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39172915.DA04DDAC@ahole.com>
Source record: 111589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Oh my.......

Steve wrote:
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> 04-07-75.' There's also an outlined box in the upper right hand corner
> that says 'Not Transferable.' There's no mention on my license about
> it not being renewable but I don't think ?? it was.
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> >> >as you know, they were only good for a year back then, and an all-expenses
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> >> renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
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> >> While I do not have much use for CW, it is fun to drag the QRP rig out into
> >> the woods every fall and see if I can still talk to the world on 2W.
> >>

3760. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <87DF9D09568AD712.2CE1EB010807E215.EF1A0397639DB2F2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111590

On 08 May 2000 03:54:02 GMT, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

>Innn-correctumundo, Radiosigs. A.A.Allen was the drunk. Died of cirrhossis
>years ago. Actually, Stair is something of a health nut. The "brothers" raise
>fresh veggies and eggs, etc on the farm, and the "sisters" cook it for them.
>Organic farming, if I'm not mistaken.
>
>Then the question .. what else is he farming there that causes him to see the
>future so .. un-clearly? Nahhhh .. not Brother Stair. Surely not. Say it
>ain't so.

Hmm...always wondered what the govt helicopters leaving Chas AFB
headed towards Walterboro were doing.....(c;

We have a special problem in SC. Marijuana grows naturally
here....The drug cops even find it growing from the helos where noone
can get to! Must be spraying out of DEA airplanes....(c;

Larry....

3761. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <391713F4.B3CE07C3@Telocity.com>
Source record: 111591

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> The drug cops even find it growing from the helos where noone
> can get to!

What part of a helo can't you get to??

3762. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005082000480.118-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111592

On Mon, 8 May 2000, Dwight Stewart wrote:
> A friend of mine wanted me to download a copy of Form 610, but I could
> not find it on the FCC web site (on the forms page). What happened to
> this form?
>
> I know the ULS is available now, but does this eliminate paper filing?
> In other words, can you still file using paper? If not, what about
> people who do not have computers (like my friend)?

Form 605 happened.

3763. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <bj1ehs8ie7d05jbvqkv7j54qen4s9c1soe@4ax.com>
Source record: 111593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Dave Stadt" <dhstadt@ameritech.net> wrote:

>Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
>news:4l9chskvkjksi3qpgrosi6qihu3if06ja8@4ax.com...
>> "Dave Stadt" <dhstadt@ameritech.net> wrote:
>>
>> >> Packet, Slow-scan TV, APRS, for starters.
>> >
>> >You call those new technology? Maybe for 1935.
>>
>> Well, there went all your credibility right down the drain. If you'd
>> said 1965, you MIGHT have had a case.
>
>Current technology in 1956, new technology in 1935.

Cites?

Didn't think so.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3764. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@rome.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <8f79dc$2up@rome.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 111594

Any part of this form work for a simple change of address? I read
the 605 over and it doesn't look like it would work for mere address
modification. Just curious. It sure looks complicated to do such
a simple thing now (paperwork reduction act?)

Clark
WA3JPG

3765. help with IC706Mk2G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Gilfillan <g0fvi@thersgb.net>
Message-ID: <39173a93.0@news2.cluster1.telinco.net>
Source record: 111595

Hi all,
reposting this request as my E-mail address was wrong last time.
Looking for location of TX gain potentiometer in the Icom 706Mk2G. In the mark 2 this is R511. Can anyone with the service manual help me out?

73, Andy G0FVI

3766. Re: help with IC706Mk2G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f7eom$8i9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111596

In article <39173a93.0@news2.cluster1.telinco.net>,
"Andy Gilfillan" <g0fvi@thersgb.net> wrote:
> Hi all,
> reposting this request as my E-mail address was wrong last time.
> Looking for location of TX gain potentiometer in the Icom 706Mk2G. In
the
> mark 2 this is R511. Can anyone with the service manual help me out?
>
> 73, Andy G0FVI
>
>Try asking W4NTI

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3767. Ham IV Rotator Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpittman@gil.com.au
Message-ID: <39173f97.3240990@news.ipswich.gil.com.au>
Source record: 111597

I am after a copy or similar of a SERVICE manual for a HAM IV Rotator.

I have the product manual but that has a very rudimentary service
content in it.

If anyone can oblige, please drop me an e-mail

Thanks a million From Brian Pittman VK4ATQ Brisbane, Aust

bpittman@gil.com.au

3768. Re: AF2Y: oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000508182809.25494.00002236@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 111598

No .. don't get off of "your fat ass" and get a job, Radiosigs. I enjoy your "ramblings". You're one of the best agents provocateur on the whole internet. Triple digits in 3 days. Let your detractors top that before they criticize.

Now don't get me wrong on this. I like KB1EVE also. I enjoy hearing him and Brother John discuss religion. ZQ is a pretty good apologist for agnosticism, but Brother John always wastes him and leaves him laying in the dust. But not until after a lively and interesting debate. How I miss these discussions.

Looking closer between the lines, I think KB1EVE is playing straight man. He sounds too convinced of agnosticism to be sure of it .. if you know what I mean. So I think he just sets up the plays and Brother John scores the points. Still, these 2 make an interesting discussion to listen to.

Keep the pot stirred, Radiosigs. Been dull on here the last few days. Hope you have a good hot topic ready to roll soon.

3769. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX; Attn Jeff B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff B <ka1ogmNOkaSPAM@gis.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <24e0ec69.9d46f818@usw-ex0105-038.remarq.com>
Source record: 111599

Is it true about me not wanting to upgrade because of Glenn
Baxter? No. Didn't you read my post?

- jeff b

In article <3916CD5D.7284C3F0@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>You poor baby. Is it true about you not wanting to up-grade
because
>of Glenn Baxter? I can't believe that you would let someone
control
>your life. Again you poor baby......
>
>Jeff B wrote:
>>
>> All those years that Glenn Baxter was doing his 'talk show'
>> tended to put me off any interest in upgrading to general
>> class. He was a cancer that infected 75 and 40 meters,
>> instigating other hams to operate badly, and leading the way
>> throughout the 1990's to make HF sound even worse than CB.
>>
>> I tangled with Glenn via e-mail two or three years ago, while
he
>> vilified and belittled me on the air in response. When I
heard
>> that Riley Hollingsworth, et al, effected Glenn's total
retreat
>> from continuing to air his 'talk show', my interest in
upgrading
>> to general class was renewed.
>>
>> 75 meters without the adversarial influence of Glenn Baxter is
>> no longer the 'zoo band' it had become. Coincidence? I think
>> not!
>>
>> Jeff Barnard
>> ka1ogm
>>
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Usenet - Free!
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3770. Re: AF2Y: oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000508190756.05658.00002222@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111600

Tollassi stop trolling and hit the road.
Stirring up trouble here doesn't take bravery, get your ass back on 313 and start your shit. No I'm not taking up for Doc, he plenty capable of handling you. What is sickening is your desire to stir the pot, and you throwing around ethinic and racial inuendos.
Ps. Doc's post was about the "events" of ham radio (this time), yours was about trying to piss someone off. Give it a rest.

3771. Re: The 3.950 KJI - ART affidavit (the show goes on)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000508190926.05658.00002223@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111601

>(all we need now is a Doctor, some scorned women and a NYC office
>and we could sell this to ABC for a daytime TV show...)
>

NOT HARDLY....BTW the (name) you were looking for was Al Parker N2SAG

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3772. Re: Intellegent Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f7ije$k0m$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone who spells "intelligent, intellegent," ISN'T!

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> Steve wrote:
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>> >>

3773. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f7kb0ekb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

In article <3913F305.44CA6ECC@icss.net>,
burke1@icss.net wrote:

> Yes, yes, Jeff. Thats solar noon.

Let's see, who's credible? On the one hand, we have someone who actually sailed a boat and used celestial navigation. On the other hand, we have someone arguing some imperceptible difference between his self proclaimed term "solar noon" and local apparent noon, who asked about a clock when the original post clearly listed the necessary chronometer.

My money's on Jeff.

Incidentally, an accurate chronometer wasn't available until after Captain Cook's 18th century Pacific explorations, and the known error in his measured longitute of Pitcairn Island was a principal reason that Christian and the other Bounty mutineers went there to hide after having spent some time on Norfolk Island.

LRod

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Before you buy.

3774. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <shek53lu5uh119@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yes, the ham population is dwindling now because they're not licensing hams anymore. They're licensing CBer's.

Mankind has been communicating with voice for thousands of years. We need to get back to communicating with newer modes like CW.

3775. How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <26378568.5f32d3ec@usw-ex0104-028.remarq.com>
Source record: 111605

I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the
ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
n4zou/extra lite!

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3776. Re: AF2Y: oh to KK4TL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f7k91$18r$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111606

Thanks, I'm flattered and the guy signing as Tolassi, isn't, because Tolassi can't write a damn. Supposedly a nun hit him in the head with a lead crucifix for mouthing off during catechism and a priest gave him a solid right "cross" during dogechism. Notice how I snuck in the "cross" shtick. I tell you I'm a genius at stuff like this. Anyway I can't hear dialogue between KC3AU and Tolassi because RF between VT and NJ is a no go on 20 and furthermore I have no use for that state except for its great university in Burlington which my son attended and graduated cum laude. David has been overcome with bovine rectal gas explosions for which VT is noted and the sulfur dioxide has permeated his brain to the point of incapacitance or is it resistance? Now John on the other hand is trying to bring David back to Jesus whom, I've been told by the patron saint of telephone fraud, Herbertus, wants nothing to do with him. It stands to reason if Tolassi rebelled against Catholicism, then what does Protestantism hold for him? Especially the rabid evangelical kind? Ugh! However John must be commended for making so many converts. All to Judaism.
Must run now and finish some paperwork since I never miss "Everybody Loves Raymond" followed by "Becker" with Ted Danson. And I want to say this: last night's "The Practice" was the best scripted and acted hour I've ever seen on the tube in fifty years. Camryn Mannheim who plays attorney Eleanor Frutt is in a class by herself who's as much of a genius in acting as I am in writing.
Lastly I want to pose this question: if Riley is now clamping down on REAL hams who use phonetics to identify, is it wrong to expect the same strictness to be appied to the upgraded welfare hams who keep saying 10-4?
73 good buddy,
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000508182809.25494.00002236@ng-df1.aol.com>, kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:

> No .. don't get off of "your fat ass" and get a job, Radiosigs. I enjoy your
> "ramblings". You're one of the best agents provocateur on the whole internet.
> Triple digits in 3 days. Let your detractors top that before they criticize.
>
> Now don't get me wrong on this. I like KB1EVE also. I enjoy hearing him and
> Brother John discuss religion. ZQ is a pretty good apologist for agnosticism,
> but Brother John always wastes him and leaves him laying in the dust. But not
> until after a lively and interesting debate. How I miss these discussions.
>
> Looking closer between the lines, I think KB1EVE is playing straight man. He
> sounds too convinced of agnosticism to be sure of it .. if you know what I
> mean. So I think he just sets up the plays and Brother John scores the points.

> Still, these 2 make an interesting discussion to listen to.
>
> Keep the pot stirred, Radiosigs. Been dull on here the last few days. Hope
> you have a good hot topic ready to roll soon.

3777. Re: AF2Y: oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f7kicolp1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111607

Thanks Tim. You're a gentleman and a scholar and it's a privilege
communicating with you.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000508190756.05658.00002222@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Tollassi stop trolling and hit the road.
> Stirring up trouble here doesn't take bravery, get your ass back on 313 and
> start your shit. No I'm not taking up for Doc, he plenty capable of handling
> you. What is sickening is your desire to stir the pot, and you throwing around
> ethinic and racial inuendos.
> Ps. Doc's post was about the "events" of ham radio (this time), yours was
about
> trying to piss someone off. Give it a rest.

3778. Hams crave "tinkerable" technology.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f7l3plpv1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sorry for making up a word but after reading the sentiments on this group and r.r.a.misc (besides my briliant trolls), I think I've figured out what many hams are looking for - technology you can play with.

This is just my personal experience, but I'm getting a real charge out of the newer digital HF modes such as PSK31 and MT63. Plenty of tinkering to do there, just not with the transceiver. Alas, it's a black box. But it's motivated me to dive into topics in information theory, error correction, etc.

I'm sure there are other facets of ham radio that invite tinkering. What's your favorite?

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Public school all the way, bay-bee. So much for "socialization."

3779. Re: Formal complaint filed with BLUEMONGOOSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ReferenceCount <rc@rc.not>
Message-ID: <8f7kod$9np$1@web1.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 111609
Cross-posted to: rec.skiing.backcountry,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.photo.equipment.aps,rec.photo.equipment.large-format,rec.photo.film+labs,rec.photo.marketplace

Moon Unit 376234+1/2 wrote in message ...
>Why not just ignore them instead?

Note that this spammer included the ad.

Don't be fooled.

The spammer is trying to start a discussion where
other people carry the payload.

rc

3780. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39175F2C.601FCF48@oio.net>
Source record: 111610

Scott,
I wouldn't worry about it yet. Last I heard, they were
over a month behind, and getting 'behinder' all the time.
Give it another 2 - 3 weeks.
'Doc

3781. Re: New Rules Study Materials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@timewave.com
Message-ID: <8f7n78dlt1@newsfeed.minn.net>
Source record: 111611

In article <39107E9B.49EAC9A@Telocity.com>, Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com> wrote:
>http://www.arrl.org/catalog/lm/
>
>Bendthelite@webtv.net wrote:
>>
>> I would like to know where revised study materials that reflect the
>> updated rules that took effect after April 15th can be obtained.

Ham University has the new question pool, exams, CW trainer and a CW game
"PENTODE" See <http://www.timewave.com> for info. It should be available at
any Ham store.

73

John N0ISL
Timewave Technology

3782. Re: Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3917613A.B81EBD13@oio.net>
Source record: 111612

Zachary,
A screen saver is not frequency 'sensitive', but the computer CPU can be. An RF 'spike' in the computer will eventually effect the CPU causing it to do some really odd things (none of them good), which can't really be predicted.
Another consideration is the computer system's shielding. If it's shielded well, an RF signal would have to be very strong, or very close to effect the computer at all.
And a final consideration. I personally don't think I would find what your suggesting very funny. I've got enough computer related problems with out the help of some idiot playing games.
'Doc

3783. Re: Double murder on Palmyra atoll.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39175F4E.6FCD@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111613

W9Sox wrote:
>
> Read my previous post in regard to the double murder on Palmyra Island. w9Sox

Was this post in reference to the 1970's crime referred to in Vince
Bugliosi's book - "And the Sea Will Tell", or was there another double
homicide out there?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

(p.s. I couldn't find your original post.)

3784. Re: Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1d269004.b70a8d32@usw-ex0106-045.remarq.com>
Source record: 111614

Whats up Doc ? Just thought that I would let you know that the
man didnt ask for smart ass comment. It Kinda sounded like you
where calling him an idiot. He did just ask for the frequency
and not some damn 2 bit comment from a smart ass (not that Iam
calling you a smart ass or anything). Sorry for any rudeness.
Now if you where any bit of a man you would tell him that.

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3785. What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Shaw <wshaw@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8f7rcrcil1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 111615

I'm working on getting a license (I'll be buying a sailboat in a couple of years, and would like to have a little communication on board.). In looking at radios I noticed that they sold filters as accessories. CW filters, SSW filters, et al.

What do they do? Do I need one, two, several????

3786. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mathew Threadgill <mathewthreadgill@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <39177742.3AD7E123@mindspring.com>
Source record: 111616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What the hell is wrong with communicating via the spoken word. Yes humans have been doing it for thousands of years, but we kept this form of communication for a good reason, it is efficient. I mean if CW mode was the most efficient mode of communication we would walk around carrying keys with speakers attached to them.

Now don't get me wrong. CW has its usefulness but voice communications are much more simple. Their is no "translateing" voice communications, but you have to "translate" code. Anyway that is my two cents worth.

"Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:

> Yes, the ham population is dwindling now because they're not licensing hams
> anymore. They're licensing CBer's.
>
> Mankind has been communicating with voice for thousands of years. We need to
> get back to communicating with newer modes like CW.

3787. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0d157a96.d6c3b672@usw-ex0105-038.remarq.com>
Source record: 111617

Thanks for the quick post Doc. I juess I will just need to wait
it out. I sure wish I had got the extra before they droped the 20
wpm requirment. I have been active on CW for years and am above
20 wpm. I just simply dident have any need of the few herz added
for the extra class to use but when they changed the requirments
and if I wanted to upgrade after April 15 it would have required
taking the advanced test again along with the extra class test in
the same test. I asked about taking the 20 wpm test before 15
April but the VE team said that there was no need and were from
that date on only giving 5 wpm tests. Oh Well! Thanks again and
73

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3788. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391760E4.4420@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111618

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Robert Morris wrote:
> >
> > Right, right, right, Gentlemen. So now we all have to become
> > detectives, unable to believe anything we read? Seems to be the case.
>
> I hate to say it, but YES, we must. We have a president who is
> desperately trying to come up with some legacy that doesn't include the
> name "Monica" -- he sees "normalization" of relations with Cuba as the
> path to that. Would someone who lied under oath and who killed people
> with cruise missiles REALLY going to let one little boy stand in his
> way?
>
> We have his successor, who is a PATHOLOGICAL liar (that is, one who
> can't stop making claims which are obvious lies).
>
> We have his wife, who is now running for Senate from a state where she
> never really lived, who considers acquisition of power worth anything
> she has to do to get it.
>
> We have an Attorney General who is a friend and supporter of those
> three, under pressure to perform.
>
> HECK YES we have to become detectives, when that kind of person has the
> media willing to parrot anything they say.
>
> This will only be the "Land of the Free" if it is the HOME OF THE BRAVE!

So just exactly what is wrong with normalizing relations with Cuba and
ending the long term tension? You catch more flies with honey than with
vinegar. The "Cold War" is over -- get over it.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

3789. Re: LOOKING for reset-able circuit breaker for a power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39178FE8.903E2A03@oio.net>
Source record: 111619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mark,
Have you tried 'Mouser' or the other parts houses? I
found a pair at a local parts house.
'Doc

3790. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39179208.CA07D920@oio.net>
Source record: 111620

William,
'IF' filters come in various 'widths'. Wide filters for
AM (6Khz), SSB filters (3 - 1.8 Khz), and CW (.25 - .5 Hz).
These filters are like looking through a 'hole' at a signal.
A wide 'hole' lets you see a wide signal, a medium size 'hole'
lets you see a medium size signal, and a small 'hole' a small
signal. AM signals are 'wide', SSB signals are 'medium', and
CW signals are 'small'. Thats a very basic description of
what filters do, and there's a lot more to them.
'Doc

3791. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39179299.9C6932A9@oio.net>
Source record: 111621

Scott,
You missed the most important reason for having the
Extra Class... you can operate in space! (and you don't
have to remember all those sub-band frequencies)
'Doc

3792. Re: Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39179406.5378B575@oio.net>
Source record: 111622

Sam,
I answered the question about the screen saver as
requested. The rudeness was intentional. Most
'practical jokes' are not very practical, and also not
very funny (especially if it's YOUR computer). And it
was a two 'byte' comment.
'Doc

3793. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@dialpoint.net>
Message-ID: <391754A3.66D42A41@dialpoint.net>
Source record: 111623

Are you waiting on the license to show up in the mail or in the FCC
database on the internet ? Nevermind, just checked the internet and it
did not show up there either.

Unless something is covered up, you should have already seen it on the
internet.
Maybe the VE team lost something in the paperwork.

Scott wrote:
>
> I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
> work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the
> ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
> days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
> Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
> with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
> n4zou/extra lite!
>
>

3794. Re: antenna design for vhf/uhf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Edey <vk4sx@dingoblue.net.au>
Message-ID: <3915f03f$0$31496@news01.syd.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 111637
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

better still a 5el for 2mtrs and a 5 el for 70cm,back to back on same
boom,TEE piece, single 9913 feed line,abt 10db fwd gain from each antenna,
one boom,
rgds dennis vk4sx

3795. Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f51a2$m7f$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Privately-owned Palmyra Atoll, KH5, owned by the Fullard-Leo family of Honolulu, is being sold to the Nature Conservancy; The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service hopes to buy into the island, too. The sale price was not disclosed.

The NC plans on using the atoll as a wildlife refuge and small-scale ecotourism operation (making DXpeditions easier to arrange).

The atoll is located 300 miles north of the equator and about 1000 miles south of Hawaii. Due to being in the Inter-tropical Convergence Zone, it receives about 175 inches of rain per year, or about one-half inch per day throughout the year.

See www.honoluluadvertiser.com, Sunday edition, for the entire article.

73, Jeff KH6O

3796. Bring this to the club meetin !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yourvoice <mkoote@cims.com>
Message-ID: <u%nR4.39622$g4.1030441@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

There should be no less than THREE of these in
the audience of every ham radio and SWL club meeting

www.getsnagged.com/windbreaker.html

I bought one and they sound 101% real.
They are also loud, easily heard 20 feet away :)

3797. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507204446.14514.00001785@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111640

Doc you started it and now you say it's ridiculous. I can post YOUR over reaction here(a couple of them) for everyone to see and then we'll really see what's ridiculous and over reacting. I sent you e-mail not the NG. You get on here calling names and rant and rave. ol man, grow up

Ps. it's not my theory Doc check out
Jews for the "Preservation of Firearms Ownership. OK? http://www.jfpo.org

3798. Re: QST MAGAZINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f5320$o03$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111641

Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote:
>I'm still wondering how a magazine company can have a ham license???

The FCC has been issuing club licenses for quite some time now.

73, Jeff KH6O

3799. Re: QST MAGAZINE -- the best!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f53c4$o7r$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111642

elian@no-boat.com wrote:
> What happened to the old ARRL.????
> now, it's just a poor publishing company.!!!!!!!!

Well of course the League is a publishing company. On January 29, 1915, the Connecticut Secretary of State recorded the incorporation of the League under the following three articles:

"Article 1. The name of said corporation shall be The American Radio Relay League Incorporated.
"Article 2. The purposes for which said corporation is formed are the following to wit: The promotion of amateur radio, the organization of amateur radio stations, the promotion and regulation of amateur radio inter-communication, and the relaying of messages from station to station, and the printing and publishing of documents, books and pamphlets necessary to any of the above purposes.
"Article 3. The said corporation is located in the town of Hartford and the State of Connecticut."

Lucky for us that second article includes printing and publishing:
We participate in a self-taught technical hobby/service; not a day should go by without us gaining new knowledge with respect to electronics. The only publications I have always been able to turn to when questions arose which needed immediate answers were the League's pubs.

For some 85 years the ARRL has produced a handbook written so that even a novice can learn and understand from it. The government thought so highly of the Handbook that it was used to train military communicators during WWII. For the longest period, the Handbook was the greatest selling technical book ever published, in and out of ham radio.

During the 50s when SSB was finding its way into ham radio, there was no pub one could turn to to learn about this new mode except the League's SSB Manual. Also during that decade the FCC relaxed the regs regarding mobile operation - no one else published a mobile manual except the League (1955).

To whom could you turn to for the great ideas and techniques that appear in the Hints and Kinks booklets? Propagation and antennas: The Antenna Manual. Who else in the 60s produced a VHF Manual? And when that VHF crowd began exploring FM: The FM and Repeater Manual. The very first book in the 80s devoted to amateur digital comms was the League's Get Connected.

Publishing affordable technical books was one of the original goals in the League's charter; for 85 years they've made information available to the

layman that was nearly impossible to find elsewhere. How in the world could you possibly find fault with this business side of the League?

Every ham shack I've ever visited in the last 30 years has had many League pubs on its bookshelves. We are (or at least were) a group with a voracious appetite for reading and learning. Luckily, the League has been able to feed us what we most desired.

Ham radio and reading are inseparable; and it takes a business to do what the League has accomplished.

73, Jeff KH6O

3800. Re: AF2Y just "ask the Rabbi" @ http://www.jpfo.org/askrabbi.htm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507210413.14514.00001795@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111643

You made it that remember.You know all about everything because your Jewish. I just wanted to show you that not all Jews think like you do. You made claims to knowing this and that because your Jewish. Well those claims don't jive with what some others believe Doc. Your just on the wrong side of the issue doc. That's MY opinion.You make claims that this is false and that is false and your brothers are putting out the same info. Besides, YOUR the SOB that started calling names. I tried to discuss the issues with you intelligently and without contempt. What happened, you got your panties in a bunch thats what, flying off the handle making accusations, calling names, posting your shit on this board when it had nothing to do with rec.misc. Now, I show you where YOU are wrong and it's all ridiculous now. You brought it to the NG remember. How about you just drop it, or would you rather it continue. Your frickin problem is Doc, you won't allow anyone their own view on anything. It has to be that you are right, if not, everyone is a schmuck, a right wing radical, nuts and other terms I don't appreciate. I've done nothing but try and be cordial to you. You've F'd up.

3801. Re: AF2Y just "ask the Rabbi" @ http://www.jpfo.org/askrabbi.htm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507210851.14514.00001798@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111644

More DENIAL huh Doc. OK, that's your perogative.

Doc spewed:
>Why is your interpretation of the gun issue a Jewish issue? It shouldn't be
>because there are about 8 million Jews living in the USA versus 260 million
>non-Jews therefore the latter wields the power. If Jews are truly involved
>in the gun issue it's the Jewish doctors who will close up the gunshot
>wounds trying to save the lives of so many being shot by gun- crazy
>Gentiles.
>AF2Y

3802. Re: AF2Y read this http://www.jpfo.org/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507210929.14514.00001800@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111645

I think the proper term would be "Freedom Loving" ol man. Freedom Loving.
Ps. what about Rabbi Mermelstein?? What's he? Let's hear it.
Doc Puked;
>Zelman is a gun- loving crazy Jew and you're a gun- loving crazy Gentile.
>The only thing you therefore have in common is that you're both messhugah.
>Doc

3803. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507211232.14514.00001802@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111646

Doc babbled:

>Vote for Gore. He'll do to the gun lobby what Clinton did to the cigarette
>industry. Kaput!
>Doc

What? Put a Cigar in some interns crotch?
Wake up doc.

3804. Re: HeROS at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <twoR4.31134$55.232754@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 111647

"Lumpy" <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote
> So my point is that the entire line from the Lambda
> literature was not quoted. I didn't think it was fair
> to call Mark a FOOL when you selectively quoted the
> literature.

What difference did it make???

NONE!!! The basic concept of the message was still the same, &
I saved bandwidth by not posting the irrelevant information.

Besides, NO ONE but you seems to think anything was not "fair".

> I'm a pointy
> head,

That is probably true.

> apparently you don't care for the gays.

I never said that.

Get a life, Mr. Lambda lover.

3805. AF2Y: JPFO facts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507213420.14494.00001697@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111648

Jews For The Preservation of Firearms Ownership, Inc.
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Hartford, WI 53027

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Help Jews For The Preservation of Firearms Ownership (JPFO) tell the truth about how the Anti-Defamation League lies about Militias, law abiding firearms owners and Judaism.

Please help distribute the following FACT SHEET! -- PEOPLE MUST KNOW THE TRUTH!

ADL LIE: Militias threaten you.

JPFO FACT: The ADL reports on militias offer virtually no facts -- hard evidence, documentation -- to support the ADL's allegations that militias threaten public order. Why are the ADL's reports nearly empty of references to newspaper articles with verifiable specifics as to date, place, time, participants, etc.? The ADL's reports suggest that a tiny minority of militias is run by neo-Nazis, racists, or other bigots. Why should the doings of a tiny, nasty minority be a reason to condemn the vast majority of decent, law-abiding militia-members?

ADL LIE: "Gun control" makes you safer, at the cost of "minor" inconvenience, e.g., permits, waiting periods, registration bans on, and confiscation of, some firearms and magazines.
JPFO FACT: The down-side to "gun control" is genocide, and mortal peril to those in the U.S. armed services, who have recently been deployed overseas thanks to "gun control".

In this century there have been at least seven major genocides in which at least 56,000,000 persons, including millions of children, have been murdered by officials of governments "gone bad". The seven cases are:

1915 - 1917 Ottoman Turkey, 1.5 million Armenians murdered;
1929 - 1953 Soviet Union, 20 million people that opposed Stalin were murdered;
1933 - 1945 Nazi occupied Europe, 13 million Jews Gypsies and others that opposed Hitler were murdered;
1948 - 1952 China, 20 million anti communists;
1960 - 1981 Guatemala, 100,000 Mayan Indians Murdered;
1971 - 1979 Uganda, 300,000 Christians and Political Rivals of Idi Amin murdered;
1975 - 1979 Cambodia, 1 million educated persons murdered.
TOTAL VICTIMS: 56 MILLION!

In every case, there was on the books before the murdering began, at least one "gun control" law, sometimes the last of a series. In five of the seven cases, "gun control" was first enacted by a regime that came before the genocide regime -- sometimes decades before.

Most genocides unfold without outside intervention, except after the fact. For example, during World War II, the U.S. government absolutely refused to bomb the rail lines leading to the Nazis' main murder camp, Auschwitz, in Poland. Had that been done many lives might have been saved.

The ADL's strategy -- of watching hate groups and urging ever-more severe" gun control" -- has a lethal flaw. If vigilance fails, and if a hate group seized control of the U.S. government, prior enforcement of "gun control" will ensure the hate groupies can easily pile up mountains of corpses.

Those who say, "It couldn't happen here...we would never do that ... ", are quite wrong. The U.S. government took all but the last step of a major genocide just over 50 years ago. On 19 February 1942, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt signed Executive Order No. 9066. Under that order, some 125,000 Japanese-Americans -- 70% of whom were U.S. citizens -- were forced to leave homes and businesses on the west coast of the U.S. and were sent to places that the New York Times of that era called "concentration camps". That Executive Order was affirmed by Congress in the form of a public law at end-March 1942. The Supreme Court ultimately concurred that these deportations were legal (Korematsu v. U.S., 1944).

U.S. armed forces have recently gone to Haiti ("Gun Control"Law, 22 Dec 1922, amended 1 Oct 1980), and to Bosnia (ex-Yugoslavia "GunControl" Law, 17 Sep 1964) to try to rescue people made helpless thanks to "gun control". Had we simply shipped rifles to the Haitians, they likely could have freed themselves from their murderous government. U.S. troops may be needed to rescue the Bosnian Muslims, because an arms embargo keeps them from defending themselves against Bosnian Serb "ethnic cleansing". Why does the ADL back a policy, "gun control", that forces U.S. soldiers, sailors, marines, and flyers to go in harm's way?

ADL LIE: Judaism and "gun control" go together.
JPFO TRUTH: "Gun control" violates and subverts Jewish Law. The sanctity of life is a core Jewish value. By promoting genocide, "gun control" poses a clear and present danger to the lives of decent people, everywhere.

Life is so precious that under Jewish law, there are only three things a Jew may NOT do to save his/her own life:

a) commit murder (willfully take an innocent life);
b) bow down to idols;
c) engage in prohibited forms of sexual activity.
Thus, a Jew threatened with death unless he eats pork (prohibited toJews), must eat the pork, if doing so will save his life.

From the sanctity of Life comes an imperative to safeguard Life. Thus, it is written in the Talmud -- the 70-volume Code of Jewish Law -in at least three places, "And the Torah says, 'If someone comes to kill you, arise quickly and kill him.'" The Torah is the Five Books of Moses; this injunction is rooted in

Exodus, Chapter 22, Verse 1. This injunction occurs twice in the section of the Talmud dealing with Blessings (TractateB'rachos), on pages 58A and 62B. It also is found in the section of theTalmud dealing with Administration of Justice (Tractate Sanhedrin) page 72A. The contexts are all different, but the message is consistent: forJews, self-defense is an individual duty. As nothing in the Five Books of Moses, or the Talmud, is ever repeated without a reason, that this injunction is three times repeated suggests it is a powerful injunction, indeed.

History shows clearly that the biggest murderer -- of Jews and of other minorities (ethnic, political, linguistic, etc.) -- has NOT been hate groups,but governments that have "gone bad". To varying degrees, these murders of Jews occurred because Jews neglected to learn and to practice our religion's teachings which mandate self-defense. We have paid a ferocious price for this neglect. Millions of lives will be saved if Jewish law onself-defense is faithfully followed.

ADL LIE: JPFO is a danger to Jews. The ADL lies about JPFO's mission and research (See letter by Abraham Foxman, ADL National Director, to the Editor of the New York Times, 21 May 1995). The ADL says it fights anti-Semitism and neo-Nazis.
JPFO TRUTH: The ADL dismisses JPFO research that shows the U.S. Gun Control Act of 1968 (GCA '68) likely is based on the Nazi Weapons Law of 18 March 1938. Nazi laws have no place in America. Yet, the ADL backs GCA'68 and advocates further restrictions on firearms-ownership by the law-abiding.

JPFO has a new bumper sticker called ADL LIES. We would like to get 1 MILLION or more of these on firearms owners automobiles, campers and homes. The sticker is white with red, blue and black letters. It is 4 and1/4 inches high X 14 inches wide. Large enough for the ADL to see from their headquarters at the United Nations Plaza, New York.

Stop the Lies -- Destroy "Gun Control" Buy and Display this Bumper Sticker Today!

3806. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507213704.14494.00001699@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111649

I'm inclined to agree with you Wyatt. He's entitled to his view but when he starts attacking me because of mine I'm not about to sit thgere and take it

3807. WTB: 2 tickets to Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdinkel@mum.edu
Message-ID: <8f5779ojh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111650

e-mail price for both and your QTH.

Thanks

John KM4TI

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3808. Re: CASTLE AND VISSER GET BUSTED AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507220815.27798.00001065@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111651

KK7HO wrote:

.....
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>
>Maybe there is evidence, i would hope so because someone losing a ticket
>just based on anothers claim that something occured isn't quite right.
>
>

Agreed.

I'm really beginning to wonder if the FCC is really monitoring 3950 on a regular basis, as they claim. If they WERE, then there would be no need to send reports and affidavits to the FCC. The FCC would already know about the incident(s) in question.

Heck, if I had the proper DF equipment, I probably could have nailed ALL the jammers on 3950 by now, even though I don't listen to it every day.

3809. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507221326.27798.00001066@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111652

wufu wrote:

>
>Doc is merely enamored with his own words. He could live in
>solitary confinement just listening to himself talk.
>
>What a bunch of crap he spews!
>
>

AF2Y reminds me of a parrot ... always babbling, and always impressed by his own words. Meanwhile, those with real intelligence have to deal with all the droppings he stinks up the newsgroup with.

3810. Re: CASTLE AND VISSER GET BUSTED AGAIN!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507221956.05640.00001960@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111653

Yeah i concur. It doesn't seem that they are monitoring at all or very little. You could have caught them all, problem is good DFing equip. is sooo damn expensive. If Castle and Visser did jam, then let the chips fall where they may. If it's just an interpretation, sent in by affidavit then I have a problem with it. You and I both know that sometimes "interpretation" is everything. There have been instances on both sides that may or may not be called interference/jamming. I know Riley will do what's right given evidence. If there is none, or it's weak, I wouldn't expect a ticket pulled.
But who knows.
YCTHULHU wrote
>I'm really beginning to wonder if the FCC is really monitoring 3950 on a
>regular basis, as they claim. If they WERE, then there would be no need to
>send
>reports and affidavits to the FCC. The FCC would already know about the
>incident(s) in question.
>
>Heck, if I had the proper DF equipment, I probably could have nailed ALL the
>jammers on 3950 by now, even though I don't listen to it every day.
>
>
>
>

3811. Re: Need renewal information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005080226510.115-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111654
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 6 May 2000, asylum wrote:
> Can someone tell me the site to go to so that I can renew my ham license? I
> can't remember where it was.

Go to www.fcc.gov/wtb/uls and follow the instructions.

3812. Re: "welfare hams vs code hams"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005080230000.115-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111655

On Sun, 7 May 2000, it was written:
> It is not that the old timers in this hobby are ignorant. It is just that
> they know so much that is not true.

Actually, I must disagree. I overheard two people licensed in the 1980's or earlier, discussing (this week) whether or not a certain call, KR4xx format, was valid. They were in Southern California ("6-land").

KR4xx's were issued back in 1996 to the advanced class. Region 4 made it into the KV4's before restructuring took effect (I show KV4FB as the last one issued in that area).

Had these guys bothered to look in a recent callbook (paper or the internet), or even on a "recently issued" list, they would have found that the call they heard was in fact valid - but no: They'd rather discuss it than bother to look it up. Here's your FIRST case of ignorance - I leave it up to the other 700,000 or so to find case two.

3813. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507230043.09491.00002086@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 111656

YCTHULHU I have to say that your one of the fairest level headed individuals I have had the pleasure of arguing with in this NG.
KK7HO

3814. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sox@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507233013.19275.00001436@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111657

There was a famous murder case that occured on Palmyra, with ham radio being involved. I think it happened around 1988. The complete story is revealed in a paperback novel, titled "And the sea will tell", authored by Vincent Bugliosi, the prosecuting attorney in the Manson murder trial. The novel contains a lot of photos of the atoll and shots of the victims and murderers on the island. It's a very interesting story, and at one point was the object of a made for TV movie. Don't know the publisher, but if you like true murder mysteries, check it out. w9Sox

3815. Double murder on Palmyra atoll.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sox@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507233328.19275.00001437@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111658

Read my previous post in regard to the double murder on Palmyra Island. w9Sox

3816. AF2Y, Suggested Reading = http://www.jpfo.org/fear.htm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000507233335.17765.00001493@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 111659

Doc, It's rather lengthy but may help. LQQK @ http://www.jpfo.org/fear.htm

3817. Re: AF2Y=schmucky ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507235006.23705.00001598@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111660

We can only hope The Amazing AlGore does to the gun lobby what Komrade Klinton has done to the cigarette industry. Nothing. It's eyewash.

Cigarettes are as close as your corner store. And tobacco price supports are as Democratic as food stamps. So let's not get excited that Komrade Klinton is going to eliminate lung cancer in our life time.

Maybe we could see price supports for ammo like price supports for tobacco. Neat. 50 rounds of 30.06 Black Talon for the price of a pack of Winstons. What's not to like.

One stop shopping here. Go to a gun show. Buy ammo from the dealers. Buy cigarettes from the concession stand. This is STILL the greatest country on earth.

3818. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000507235402.23705.00001599@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111661

Innn-correctumundo, Radiosigs. A.A.Allen was the drunk. Died of cirrhossis years ago. Actually, Stair is something of a health nut. The "brothers" raise fresh veggies and eggs, etc on the farm, and the "sisters" cook it for them. Organic farming, if I'm not mistaken.

Then the question .. what else is he farming there that causes him to see the future so .. un-clearly? Nahhhh .. not Brother Stair. Surely not. Say it ain't so.

3819. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000508001135.14507.00001788@ng-ck1.aol.com>
Source record: 111662
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y wrote:
>You'll love guns until someone in your >family is shot.

Bullshit.
I wouldn't start hating cars if some relative who drank irresponsibly died in a DUI wreck - nor would I hate beer if some drunk driver killed a relative. Know why I'm a gun-right activist? Because my elderly mother and I were stalked a couple years ago by a convicted felon and mental patient with 40+ local arrests, 12+ for breakins. (We'd never heard of him before; he does this to random victims.)
Matt,
N4GSV

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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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3820. What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39164B77.7C38D9F@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111663

A friend of mine wanted me to download a copy of Form 610, but I could not find it on the FCC web site (on the forms page). What happened to this form?

I know the ULS is available now, but does this eliminate paper filing? In other words, can you still file using paper? If not, what about people who do not have computers (like my friend)?

Dwight Stewart

3821. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f5kc6$c79$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <39161CF0.513538A1@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>Jeffrey,
> Do you think they're going to 'sub-divide' later? How
>about utilities?
> 'Doc

The new owners intend it to be kept as a protected nature preserve;
apparently there are certain species of plants and animals that
occur only there and no where else on earth. The previous owners
have been excellent custodians of the atoll since 1922; over the
decades they were offered untold amounts of money by developers,
which they turned down with no hesitation.
73, Jeff KH6O

3822. May 9 APRS/Packet balloon; southern New Hampshire

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: HANK RILEY <hriley@umassd.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.PMDF.3.96.1000508031718.538976421A-100000@umassd.edu>
Source record: 111665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This balloon launching from southwest New Hampshire will drift roughly
along the border of New Hampshire and Massachusetts as it moves toward
the coastline not too far from Boston. The coverage could easily
include all of the New England states and beyond at its peak altitude.

Foxhunters/trackers could well enable the quick and successful
recovery of this balloon payload.

Full GPS telemetry will be transmitted, as well as balloon measurement
data. It may also be possible to connect to the launch crew by
packet through the balloon.

We have at HABLIC a CAPSAT coverage map based on expected line of sight
range, as well as all the relevant data and handy links for these upcoming
projects (check the nice CAPSAT webpage for detailed packet procedures).

May 9 CAPSAT southern New Hampshire
May 13 Delaware Rockets for Schools Delaware
May 13 or 14 SkyQuest experimental launch eastern Massachusetts
May 20 or 21 SkyQuest 3 eastern Massachusetts
May 27 BEAR 1 Alberta, Canada

Hank, N1LTV
SkyQuest/HABLIC

http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/3161/hablic.htm
HABLIC: "All balloon launches, all the time"

3823. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <39166d87.206389577@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 07 May 2000 19:48:44 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:
>
>>But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
>>is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
>>very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.
>
> I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
>basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
>KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
>term effect
>>
You got it. There will be a heap of upgrades over the next few months,
maybe a new ham here and there and back to business as usual with some
new voices on 20m ssb. Of course it also makes life even easier for
the FCC which was the only point to the whole thing from the gitgo.
>
w3rv

3824. Trade TS 940 for TS 579

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Dupree <ldupree@coastalnet.com>
Message-ID: <lmwR4.5458$Q7.5141305@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 111667

I would like to trade my TS 940 for a TS 570 or 870. I need a rig for my motorhome. The 940 is to big and heavy. The 940 just back from having the auto antenna tuner reparied. Louis/W4NRG
ldupree@coastalnet.com

3825. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas C. Sefranek" <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <391687CF.A6A5B549@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 111668

Dwight Stewart wrote:

> A friend of mine wanted me to download a copy of Form 610, but I could
> not find it on the FCC web site (on the forms page). What happened to
> this form?
>
> I know the ULS is available now, but does this eliminate paper filing?
> In other words, can you still file using paper? If not, what about
> people who do not have computers (like my friend)?
>
> Dwight Stewart

Try Form 605.

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*
| __O Thomas C. Sefranek tcs@cmcorp.com
|_-\<,_ Amateur Radio Operator: WA1RHP
(*)/ (*) Bicycle mobile on 145.41, 448.625 MHz

http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html
http://www.harvardrepeater.org

3826. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: twatson410@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000508062651.07408.00001654@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 111669

>A friend of mine wanted me to download a copy of Form 610, but I could
>not find it on the FCC web site (on the forms page). What happened to
>this form?

All renewals have to be done through the ULS. I really don't know what you do
if you don't own a computer. Maybe the library can help.

3827. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Stadt <dhstadt@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <hGxR4.10$Uz.103@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>
Source record: 111670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
news:4l9chskvkjksi3qpgrosi6qihu3if06ja8@4ax.com...
> "Dave Stadt" <dhstadt@ameritech.net> wrote:
>
> >> Packet, Slow-scan TV, APRS, for starters.
> > >
> > >You call those new technology? Maybe for 1935.
> >
> > Well, there went all your credibility right down the drain. If you'd
> > said 1965, you MIGHT have had a case.

Current technology in 1956, new technology in 1935.

> --
> glenq@cyberhighway.net
> WB7DOW
>
> http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3828. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX; Attn Jeff B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3916CD5D.7284C3F0@ahole.com>
Source record: 111671

You poor baby. Is it true about you not wanting to up-grade because
of Glenn Baxter? I can't believe that you would let someone control
your life. Again you poor baby......

Jeff B wrote:
>
> All those years that Glenn Baxter was doing his 'talk show'
> tended to put me off any interest in upgrading to general
> class. He was a cancer that infected 75 and 40 meters,
> instigating other hams to operate badly, and leading the way
> throughout the 1990's to make HF sound even worse than CB.
>
> I tangled with Glenn via e-mail two or three years ago, while he
> vilified and belittled me on the air in response. When I heard
> that Riley Hollingsworth, et al, effected Glenn's total retreat
> from continuing to air his 'talk show', my interest in upgrading
> to general class was renewed.
>
> 75 meters without the adversarial influence of Glenn Baxter is
> no longer the 'zoo band' it had become. Coincidence? I think
> not!
>
> Jeff Barnard
> ka1ogm
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3829. The 3.950 KJI - ART affidavit (the show goes on)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bernie the Bagel Man <swaniefo@vincen.usc.edu>
Message-ID: <qqyR4.40508$g4.1083465@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111672

Heard last evening Vic was talkin about the
wa9kji and w9art FCC affadavit report presently
on the Rain Report >> www.rainreport.com

Shortly after he mentioned it, (name) broke in an said he just e-mail'd
a copy of the original to Vic. Vic says he will post on his 3.950
web page at http://homepages.go.com/~wikk3/hollings.htm

And the 3950 "soap opera" goes on, like the Energizer bunny

(all we need now is a Doctor, some scorned women and a NYC office
and we could sell this to ABC for a daytime TV show...)

3830. Re: Bring this to the club meetin !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan B." <k4lyp@webdeals.net>
Message-ID: <DAyR4.2450$Qz5.22612@news1.atl>
Source record: 111673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If you really want to do some good at the next meeting........ print this
page out and pass it around the group!
http://www.webdeals.net/lid.htm

***
"Yourvoice" <mkoote@cims.com> wrote in message
news:u%nR4.39622$g4.1030441@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> There should be no less than THREE of these in
> the audience of every ham radio and SWL club meeting
>
> www.getsnagged.com/windbreaker.html
>
> I bought one and they sound 101% real.
> They are also loud, easily heard 20 feet away :)
>
>
>
>

3831. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: arronenglish <aenglish15@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3916c41f_5@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 111674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote in message <8f51a2$m7f$1@news.hawaii.edu>...
>Privately-owned Palmyra Atoll, KH5, owned by the Fullard-Leo family
>of Honolulu, is being sold to the Nature Conservancy; The U.S. Fish
>and Wildlife Service hopes to buy into the island, too. The sale
>price was not disclosed.
>
>The NC plans on using the atoll as a wildlife refuge and small-scale
>ecotourism operation (making DXpeditions easier to arrange).

If an area is designated as a "wildlife refuge" might that not place it in
the same category as national monuments, designated historical sites, etc.,
that require an EPA Envionmental Impact study before an Amateur Radio
station can be established there?
That would seem to make it *more* difficult to arrange DXpedtions, if
studies would be required.
Regards,
Aaron

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3832. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3916E474.8DA17C0A@ahole.com>
Source record: 111675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is this MARK.....

Callsign Results [ULS DATABASE]

Callsign File Number Applicant Type
Service
KB9RQZ 9711128976
I HA

Licensee Name Address PO Box
City
MORGAN, MARK C 221
ILLIOPOLIS

State Zip Grant Date
Expire Date
IL 652390221 Nov 12, 1997 Nov
12, 2007

NEPA Flag Trustee License ID
Previous Callsign

Operator Class

T

Group Previous Operator Class
Eligibility Code Trustee Ind
D
Trustee_license_id

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:
>
> >But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
> >is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
> >very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.
>
> I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
> basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
> KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
> term effect
> >
> >In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...

> >>
> >>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >>
> >>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
> >>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
> >>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
> >>
> >>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
> >>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
> >>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
> >>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
> >>hobby vital.
> >>--
> >>glenq@cyberhighway.net
> >>WB7DOW
> >>
> >>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
> >

3833. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f6l85$9r4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"arronenglish" <aenglish15@hotmail.com> wrote:

> That would seem to make it *more* difficult to arrange DXpedtions, if
> studies would be required.

That's the breaks of Naval Air, better known as air brakes.

Who really gives a rip if some hams can go there and talk back to their buddies, anyhow?

And that's the way it is!

Walter

PS: I got mine!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3834. AF2Y: oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8f6l8ttjf2@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111677

Oh...now I understand what's going on. I'm in a loop with the cream of the crop-I mean the greatest hams to ever tap a key or grip a mic and something was bandied about which I thought I understood but really didn't until now. I just performed my "Holliganisms" which means I went to the RAIN website and did something called DOWNLOAD Riley's weekly report which outlines the awards presented by the FCC to the ham community at large. Yeah, right.

Now as I said something was being bandied about or heavily discussed by the boys and it concerned the use of phonetics. From what I gathered I thought that using them could lead to an NAL but my interpretation was that of my own sordid brain rather than being led astray by anyone. Obviously I was mistaken based on what I just heard on streaming or flooding real audio. And when the light goes on flashing "buffering," does that mean my Apple has a headache?

For instance if I come on to call CQ using "This is Alfa Foxtrot Two Yankee" it's incorrect because the FCC never issued me those phonetics. Instead I was issued A F 2 Y and therefore I'm expected to use them. But from what I surmise off RAIN is that I can use my phonetics to augment, not to replace my standard call. To facilitate understanding by the person at the other end of my antenna is then okay and once he or she understands my call then it's unproductive and maybe even wrong to use the phonetics. Why I don't know except that such protocol does not fit the paradigm set forth in part 97 which I'll re-read. I suppose it's based on Riley's penchant for being a stickler to details or is a dickler for stetails? Whatever the case, it's no great shakes nor a big deal and unworthy of getting oneself in an uproar over. Then I remember someone mentioning that Youngblood uses the tagline, "Worldwide Mobeeeel" which apparently is acceptable in light of the other crackdown. Even though I can't stand the guy I don't see where it's wrong so long as it's prefaced by "This is K T 4 T R" instead of "Kilowatt Texas Four Texas Radio." In the meantime we can all hope he comes on with "Kilowatt Texas Four Texas Radio" and gets hits with a million dollar forfeiture for which he'll have to depend on Regis Philbin to pay and that's my final statement on that subject.

I also heard about Dave Castle and Art Visser getting letters about conduct on 3.950. I noticed that Riley did mention the Liberty Net by name but not in the context of their having reserved anything. I suppose his gripe deals with the Hoosiers' motives or their contesting the frequency while the net is under way. I never have spoken to Art but I have to Dave and time and time again I've pleaded with him to stay the hell away from 3.950. It's a trap as was 14.313 for me. I wised up and hopefully they will too. I can't blame Dave and Art for being riled over the misuse of a frequency by a group of goddamned anti-American sociopaths but fellows keep in mind that one of the rights we have is that of to hate which Vic and his plicks do quite

well. But then again something contradictory comes to mind. If they can sit on a freq. and get away with tossing venom at immigrants, Jews, the government, Negroes, Hispanics, the Holocaust and more while knowing it will cause an uproar on frequency which contravenes Riley's demands, then why can't I go on 14.313 and start a fight without fear of having my license revoked? How about it, Riley? Why the double standards?

And how about the two guys who got hit with fines of 8Gs each, tried to get them lowered and failed? Think about it guys. EIGHT THOUSAND BUCKS! You think it's worth that much to tick off Riley, the Commission or both? As Puck said in Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream." WHAT FOOLS THESE MORTALS BE.

And lastly 25 Puerto Ricans lost their licenses for failing to retest on the island. Goes to show the long arm of the law extends all the way into the Caribbean. Colegas, lo siento mucho pero ustedes tuvieron mal suerte!

AF2Y,Doc

3835. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8blk@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000508113214.12351.00003485@nso-fb.aol.com>
Source record: 111678

In article <20000508062651.07408.00001654@ng-cl1.aol.com>, twatson410@aol.com (TWatson410) writes:

>>A friend of mine wanted me to download a copy of Form 610, but I could
>>not find it on the FCC web site (on the forms page). What happened to
>>this form?
>
>All renewals have to be done through the ULS. I really don't know what you do
>if you don't own a computer. Maybe the library can help.

Nope, you can send in a form 605 with all of the sections relevant to the amateur service filled in. It's still possible for a single individual to use paper.
-art clemons-

3836. 2 Yaesu FT-101's on Auction at EBAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: saxjedi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f6p56ekr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111679

Check out this auction. 2 Yaesu FT-101 Ham
Look at the pictures.

radios.http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=326175125

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3837. Re: AF2Y: oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f6pscfdi1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111680

Doc Why dont you get off your fat ass and GET A JOB. Something that will take up your time so you wont be doing these ramblings.
You might try listening on 14.280 and hear a group of guys talk about the holocaust being exaggerated. The claim to be part of a group called the "posse comatose ?" or something like that. Being so aware of neo nazi's as you are you are falling down on the job protecting us from the neo guys!! Get off this internet insanity and LISTEN to these guys. They say the jews and the blacks are evil. They claim to have proof that the holocaust is a myth. I was waiting to hear YOU yelling at them. where are you Doc

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Before you buy.

3838. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8f6p4iqtq1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SNIP
>And I'm 47, no spring chicken either. Had a novice ticket back in '71, but
>as you know, they were only good for a year back then, and an all-expenses
>paid trip overseas courtesy of good 'ol Unk Sam got in the way of my
>upgrading. (Ever tried to send CW with an M-16? And I sure didn't want a
>QSL from the guys on the receiving end!!) So here I am 29 years later,
>getting back in. But calander age has nothing to do with it, it's your
>mental age. And if your mental attitudes are set in stone, then your
>thinking will be stone age. Some of the youngest guys I know are 20-30
>years older than me. And I also know a couple of 30 year old "Old Farts"
>
>Mark K5MAR
If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.

While I do not have much use for CW, it is fun to drag the QRP rig out into the woods every fall and see if I can still talk to the world on 2W.

3839. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <03d36e10.1282bc26@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 111682

A lot of conservatives are ex-liberals who've had their
asses mugged. Should a mugger confront me, his butt is
in mortal danger. I'm fortunate enough to live in a state
that has right to carry. kz5b
P. S. Mao, I don't belong to any gun group or club.

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3840. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8f6pboqtq2@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <hGxR4.10$Uz.103@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>,
dhstadt@ameritech.net says...
>
>
>Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
>news:4l9chskvkjksi3qpgrosi6qihu3if06ja8@4ax.com...
>> "Dave Stadt" <dhstadt@ameritech.net> wrote:
>>
>> >> Packet, Slow-scan TV, APRS, for starters.
>> >
>> >You call those new technology? Maybe for 1935.
>>
>> Well, there went all your credibility right down the drain. If you'd
>> said 1965, you MIGHT have had a case.
>
>Current technology in 1956, new technology in 1935.
>
>> --
>> glenq@cyberhighway.net
>> WB7DOW
>>
>> http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
>
Not to fan the flames any more, but SSTV was invented by a University of
Kentucky grad. He did his doctorial on it. Use the (then ham) 11Mtr band.
In 1957 or so it was the newest technology. I have read and should have a copy
of his desertation. Interesting given the technology he had available to work
with.
Do a net search on Capehorn Mcdonald sometime. I
only hope I have spelled his name correctly.

3841. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <DC6A59F9779E5FFD.C5814A3CE168ABCF.6C9C06B5703169F1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111534

The CW filter is used to separate out the PSK31 stations who may be
too close together for good copy when using the SSB or PACKET
settings.....(c;

PSK31 is only 35 hz wide, a very great use of bandwidth, albeit very
slow by today's computer standards..... I say this as my bot is
stripping music from Airnews.net at about 190KB/second.....

Larry W4CSC

On Mon, 8 May 2000 21:48:00 -0400, "William Shaw" <wshaw@erols.com>
wrote:

>I'm working on getting a license (I'll be buying a sailboat in a couple of
>years, and would like to have a little communication on board.). In looking
>at radios I noticed that they sold filters as accessories. CW filters, SSW
>filters, et al.
>
>What do they do? Do I need one, two, several????
>
>
>
>

3842. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39179FD3.4939ADAF@oio.net>
Source record: 111535

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EDMONTON,
They are 'applied' in the signal path through the 'IF'
stage/stages of the receiver, and may also be used in the
transmitter of some transceivers.
'Doc
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3843. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <wiNR4.341$L32.1406@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Nah, it's long gone. All I remember is that it was expired when I got back. The FCC office didn't give a S--T that I'd been in no position to do anything about upgrading and the person on the phone made a snotty comment about govt. killers not getting any special treatment. I suggested that with an attitude like his he needed to be careful what he said to "govt killers" and hung up. A couple of days later I got a visit from an FBI agent concerning "threats" I'd made to a govt. employee. He was a much more reasonable person, and after listening to my story, told me not to worry about it, SHOOK MY HAND! and said thank you, and left. (If it sounds like that meant alot to me, it did!) But I figured it would be a good idea if I avoided the FCC for awhile. No matter, I'll get my upgrade now on my own merits.
Mark

> If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
> length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
> renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
>

3844. Re: GMRS Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000509060259.06850.00001771@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111537

>
>Can anybody give me a little background info on GMRS transceivers?
>I am looking to purchase a few and wondering where I can purchase them.
>If you can point me to few web sites , I'd really appreciate it.
>
(Response via e-mail and NG)

Hi, Chris. One of the leading web sources is Bill's Two Way. He has a great reputation and excellent prices.

For more info, drop by alt.radio.family, which is a NG devoted to FRS/GMRS topics.

In making your selection, be alert to repeater capability if that is important. Several GMRS models are simplex, only.

73,
QRM2000

3845. Re: QST MAGAZINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000509060659.06850.00001772@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111538

>GET QST.....THE MOST EXPENSIVE, BLACK AND WHITE CONVOLUTION OF
>ADS YOU CAN FIND FOR THE MONEY !!!!!!!
>
>

What's the reading on the Troll-O-Meter on this one?

QRM2000

3846. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX; Attn Jeff B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff B <ka1ogmNOkaSPAM@gis.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <29b494e3.1cf79521@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 111539

There's a lot more than one sentence in my first post. Why stop reading it at that one sentence? It simply states that during a period of time, I was put off upgrading. The period of time is coincident with Baxter's broadcasts. The sentences that come after it in the first paragraph elaborate on the period of time that the first sentence alludes to, and describes the reason I was put off, and should allow both of you to get the questions you two have here answered.

On the other hand, I'm certainly not objecting to being flamed as a 'poor baby', because I shouldn't have let noisy, CB-like ham bands put me off upgrading all those years. But I did, and now I'm crying in my soup over 14 years of missed enjoyment working HF.

- Jeff B

"If you're well-adjusted THESE days, then you're just not paying attention." - dave maynard, on WBZ radio

In article <8f7or9$n81$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>Jeff B wrote:
>>Is it true about me not wanting to upgrade because of Glenn
>>Baxter? No. Didn't you read my post?
>
>
>But earlier you said:
>
>
>>>Jeff B wrote:
>>>> All those years that Glenn Baxter was doing his 'talk show'
>>>> tended to put me off any interest in upgrading to general
>
>
>I just thought I'd remind you of what you said.
>
>73, Jeff KH6O
>
>

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3847. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8f8ua0$l9i$1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <39177742.3AD7E123@mindspring.com>, mathewthreadgill@mindspring.com says...
>
>What the hell is wrong with communicating via the spoken word. Yes humans have
>been doing it for thousands of years, but we kept this form of communication
>for a good reason, it is efficient. I mean if CW mode was the most efficient
>mode of communication we would walk around carrying keys with speakers attached
>to them.
>
>Now don't get me wrong. CW has its usefulness but voice communications are
>much more simple. Their is no "translateing" voice communications, but you
>have to "translate" code. Anyway that is my two cents worth.
>
Voice is a lot easier.
But there are situations where CW is much better.
I have a little 2 watt QRP 40/80MTR rig that I can "talk" much further on CW then with voice or RTTY/ASCII/SSTV/FAX.
It is very simple.
And it is fun.
YMWV

3848. Re: VE6 RUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ed <edholmes@renc.igs.net>
Message-ID: <39180A53.35690E09@renc.igs.net>
Source record: 111541

Check with Industry Canada, they look after the callsign allotment now.

EDMONTON wrote:
>
> I am looking for a little info on this callsign VE6 RUM.
> I found a name and address that it is applied to it, but what I don't
> know is if this person is still alive.
> How do I go about finding this info? I have done different searches
> on the net and can not find any recent info.
>
> The reason I ask is that a friend of mine just passed his basic, so I
> did a search on this the callsign he chose and came up with a name
> and address. I have no idea how old this info is or who this person
> was.
>
> Just looking for a little history on an old callsign.
> --
> EDDY
>
> _____

3849. Re: Intellegent Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39182817.FF6109D9@ahole.com>
Source record: 111542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

That's what I was trying to prove. Do you believe that it passed my
spell checker?

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Anyone who spells "intelligent, intellegent," ISN'T!
>
> ----------
> In article <39172915.DA04DDAC@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> > Oh my.......
> >
> > Steve wrote:
> >>
> >> On Mon, 08 May 2000 16:46:26 GMT, General Mark Morgan
> >> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >You might wanta to check, mine was 1966 and was good for one year
> >> >non renewable...
> >>
> >> My Novice license is from 1973 (FCC form 660 - July 1972) and looking
> >> right at it here it says 'Effective Date 04-07-73' , 'Expiration Date
> >> 04-07-75.' There's also an outlined box in the upper right hand corner
> >> that says 'Not Transferable.' There's no mention on my license about
> >> it not being renewable but I don't think ?? it was.
> >>
> >> >
> >> >Who Did you Expect? wrote:
> >> >>
> >> >> SNIP
> >> >> >And I'm 47, no spring chicken either. Had a novice ticket back in '71,
> but
> >> >> >as you know, they were only good for a year back then, and an
> all-expenses
> >> >> >paid trip overseas courtesy of good 'ol Unk Sam got in the way of my
> >> >> >upgrading. (Ever tried to send CW with an M-16? And I sure didn't want
> a
> >> >> >QSL from the guys on the receiving end!!) So here I am 29 years later,
> >> >> >getting back in. But calander age has nothing to do with it, it's your
> >> >> >mental age. And if your mental attitudes are set in stone, then your
> >> >> >thinking will be stone age. Some of the youngest guys I know are 20-30
> >> >> >years older than me. And I also know a couple of 30 year old "Old Farts"

> >> >> >
> >> >> >Mark K5MAR
> >> >> If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
> >> >> length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
> >> >> renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
> >> >>
> >> >> While I do not have much use for CW, it is fun to drag the QRP rig out
> into
> >> >> the woods every fall and see if I can still talk to the world on 2W.
> >> >>

3850. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39182CD9.32EB27F1@ahole.com>
Source record: 111543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I guess my novice license was from a 'really' ancient era (1966),
one year non-renewable.

"M. Schneider" wrote:
>
> Nah, it's long gone. All I remember is that it was expired when I got back.
> The FCC office didn't give a S--T that I'd been in no position to do
> anything about upgrading and the person on the phone made a snotty comment
> about govt. killers not getting any special treatment. I suggested that
> with an attitude like his he needed to be careful what he said to "govt
> killers" and hung up. A couple of days later I got a visit from an FBI
> agent concerning "threats" I'd made to a govt. employee. He was a much more
> reasonable person, and after listening to my story, told me not to worry
> about it, SHOOK MY HAND! and said thank you, and left. (If it sounds like
> that meant alot to me, it did!) But I figured it would be a good idea if I
> avoided the FCC for awhile. No matter, I'll get my upgrade now on my own
> merits.
> Mark
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> > length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
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3851. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX; Attn Jeff B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39182D3E.B0D35DE7@ahole.com>
Source record: 111544

Jeff, glad to see you've seen the light and will enjoy the 'hobby'
for the rest of your life.....

Jeff B wrote:
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> There's a lot more than one sentence in my first post. Why stop
> reading it at that one sentence? It simply states that during a
> period of time, I was put off upgrading. The period of time is
> coincident with Baxter's broadcasts. The sentences that come
> after it in the first paragraph elaborate on the period of time
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> you two have here answered.
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> On the other hand, I'm certainly not objecting to being flamed
> as a 'poor baby', because I shouldn't have let noisy, CB-like
> ham bands put me off upgrading all those years. But I did, and
> now I'm crying in my soup over 14 years of missed enjoyment
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> (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
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> > >73, Jeff KH6O
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3852. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John smith <Someone@replay.com>
Message-ID: <8f95j9asl1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 111545

Thanks all for the input. I now know what they are and where they go in the block diagram.

But on to my second point of confusion:
Do I need one? Specifically, what would be the effect (from a listening/transmitting point of view) of having one vs not having one?

Since the filter (SSB, for example) is sold as an option, I assume it's not really needed for communication. So, what will be the observed effect of installing one? Will the received signal become more clear (less noise)? Will the signal be more easily distingushed from other, adjacent, signals? And is it for receive only or will it affect transmissions, too?

Thanks again for taking the time to help a newbie.

3853. Re: Hams crave "tinkerable" technology.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000509101357.23349.00001585@nso-cq.aol.com>
Source record: 111546

In article <8f7l3plpv1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>, "Unclaimed Mysteries"
<k4doh@mindspring.com> writes:

>I'm sure there are other facets of ham radio that invite tinkering. What's
>your favorite?

Without a doubt, antennas. Simple? Yes, some might think so. But I'm not
talking about pre-packaged, out of the box, ready made antennas, but what can
you do with wire? Beverage antennas? Rhombics? Coaxial Dipoles? Loops? I
love wire in the sky, and it's my favorite thing to tinker with. :))

Rick N9GSU

3854. WTB Ten-Tec 405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <v58ghsc64bg4p7nuaisqoqf6qs3dsb55jr@4ax.com>
Source record: 111547
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hi all;

I'm looking for a good condition Ten-Tec mode 405 amplifier. Must be operational, non-smoker. VG to E physical condition too, manual would be a plus.

Please email to NeilR@innermedia.com

or you can call me toll free at (800) 962-2949

Thanks!

Neil, N1DMA

3855. Bahamas License

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <39182159.34676D8@Telocity.com>
Source record: 111548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The Commonwealth of the Bahamas has evidently revoked its current reciprocal licensing treaty with the US while moving licensing duties from BATELCO and returning amateur licensing to a government agency, the Public Utilities Commission.

According to some recent information, all current licenses must be re-approved by the PUC before June 24th or they shall be considered expired. The exact process for getting re-approved is unclear.

If anyone has more information on this situation, I would appreciate knowing it.

Thanks

-Jon NU4JJ

3856. Swan SWR-1A meter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: qdw <qdw@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uRaRpTcu$GA.307@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111549

I recently bought a small SWAN SWR-1A Meter. Unfortunately there was no manual or instructions with it.

If someone can help me find instructions for it I would appreciate it. However, barring that I have the following questions I would like to get answers to:

1. What Frequency range it is made for?

2. It has 2 meters with a 0 to 10 dial in between the 2. What is the dial for?

3. The left meter range is marked 0 to 100 above the scale and 0 to 50 below. And I noticed it is marked "SET" over the 100/50. I guess this is for calibration, but I don't know how to calibrate it. Can anyone assist on this?

4. Assuming the Power meter is either 0 to 100 watts or 0 to 50 watts, how does one select which to use? (Maybe the dial comes into play here).

Any other information as to how to use the meter would be appreciated.

You can respond here or directly to my email address at qdw@email.msn.com .

Thanks,

Q. Don Wolfe
AC5UQ

3857. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX; Attn Jeff B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff B <ka1ogmNOkaSPAM@gis.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <06ba4e00.5cf1d87e@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>
Source record: 111550

Thanks!

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<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
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3858. New Resource For Investors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: meir@investmove.COM
Message-ID: <8M1O73TS.31P71Z13@investmove.com>
Source record: 111551

Hi,

I would like to introduce our new site and kindly request
that you add InvestMove.com <http://www.investmove.com>
to your Links/Resources page (or please forward this message
to the person who is responsible for maintaining your Web
site). This will provide your visitors with a very useful
and information packed resource. InvestMove.com allows
investors and analysts free access to vital stock market
information.

In recognition of its usefulness, InvestMove.com has been
awarded recently with the prestigious USA Today Hot Site award.

InvestMove.com features a unique tool that allows visitors to
enter a company symbol into a search form and obtain a customized
page covering more than 30 major information categories about
that specific company. The information includes: stock quotes,
stock performance, earnings estimates, stock valuation, company
performance, analyst opinions, broker reports, company profile,
and much much more.

Another feature of the site is an investor resources directory
that includes links to the best investment sites on the web.

Linking to InvestMove.com helps you to add value to your website
by presenting your visitors with a useful free investor resource.
Your visitors will find here all the tools and information needed
to make educated investment decisions, and it's all completely free.

In addition, links to relevant and popular sites are known to
increase a Web site's "popularity ranking" in some major search
engines. In other words, linking to http://www.investmove.com may
actually help increase your Web site's rank in certain search engines
that record this external link.

Thank you in advance

Meir Liraz,
InvestMove.Com

3859. Lightning Info URL (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Watch out for Flying Cows <mfineber@deja.com>
Message-ID: <KCWR4.41312$x4.1376017@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

http://www.lightningstorm.com

A VERY good page giving LIVE Lightning
strike maps and data.

3860. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <hNWR4.697$L32.3361@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Who Did you Expect?" <None@dontevntry.oro> wrote in message
news:8f8ua0$l9i$1@news.uky.edu...
> In article <39177742.3AD7E123@mindspring.com>,
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> says...
> Voice is a lot easier.
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> I have a little 2 watt QRP 40/80MTR rig that I can "talk" much further on
CW
> then with voice or RTTY/ASCII/SSTV/FAX.
> It is very simple.
> And it is fun.
> YMWV
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Now that is a statement I can't argue with. If it's fun for you, something
you enjoy, then go for it!! I intend to upgrade to General in the next
year and will probably get up to at least 10wpm code speed as a point of
pride. Already bought a Kenwood TS-440S/AT. The only problem I have with
CW is when somebody tries to beat me over the head with it to display their
superiorty.
Mark

3861. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8f9f70oan2@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <hNWR4.697$L32.3361@newsfeed.slurp.net>, markinokla@juno.com says...
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>pride. Already bought a Kenwood TS-440S/AT. The only problem I have with
>CW is when somebody tries to beat me over the head with it to display their
>superiorty.
>Mark
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>
Well, because CW is so good, because it can be used in emergencies and all,
lets make all hams learn symaphores, marine flags, and how to shoe horses.
After all, in an the right emeregency all of those tidbits could be usefull.
A special not for the satire impaired: This was a JOKE!

While I have been a ham for 30 years, I still marvel at the BS that claims
CW keeps out the riffraft. Not that anyone has asked me, but I would much
prefer to deal with a person who technical skills are a little dull, then
a whiz that is a jerk. IT is easier to help someone learn then to help a
jerk be nice.

Yea, sure.

3862. Re: Lightning Info URL (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: garyjames@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f9htqica1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

Cool! Thanks for the "heads up"!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3863. Re: LOOKING for reset-able circuit breaker for a power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7JHS <n7jhs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <shghplud5876@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mark:
Are you looking for 12 VDC or 117 VAC? If 12 VDC go to your auto parts store, they have them that are auto reset with nice post lugs, and tabs for mounting. If you are looking for 117 VAC, you can use a breaker made for a panel box, but you will either have to mount it in a small panel box, or find a way to mount it. I am talking simular to square D or GE. Good luck.
"Mark Russo" <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in message
news:3917632d.12292207@corp.supernews.com...
> Hi to all, does anyone out there know where I can buy
> a 25 or 30 amp reset-able curcuit breaker?
> This type of breaker needs to be reset by turning off
> main power switch.
> Any clues??
> please e-mail me direct at:
>
> mrusso@hoflink.com
>
> Thanks in advance for your help. Mark

3864. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39184BE1.A43A708F@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"M. Schneider" wrote:
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When that happens, I fire up my SCS PTC2e at 60wpm CW in
keyboard mode. :-)

Incidentally, PACTOR II works as well as (or better than) CW
at QRP levels and nobody tries to "display their superiority".
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

3865. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: qdw <qdw@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ODTb2Oeu$GA.260@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111558

Scott,
I took the "old" extra test on April 8th and did a "paper work only" session on April 15th. My upgrade was issued May 2nd. I think it mostly depends upon how fast the VE's get it sent up to the FCC (they have 10 days). I know that there were at least 75 and probably more people upgrading in all upgrade levels at the "paper work only" session I went to held by the W5YI group so I could see why it would take a while to get it all ready to go.

I also requested a systematic change in my call sign, but somehow that was overlooked so I got my Extra on my old advanced call (KM5BP). I requested a new systematic call through the ULS online and got my new call the next day. Boy that organization doesn't believe in bureaucratic red tape.

Good luck,

Don Wolfe
AC5UQ

"Scott" <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid> wrote in message
news:26378568.5f32d3ec@usw-ex0104-028.remarq.com...
> I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
> work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the
> ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
> days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
> Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
> with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
> n4zou/extra lite!
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3866. Comm. Manager Software for PC & ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveyjane@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8f9ohc$q85$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111559

Comm. Manager Software for PC & ICOM

I'm looking for your comments on your favorite COMMUNICATION PROGRAMS for ICOM radios and PCs. I'm using a CI-V converter to the serial port. Hopefully the software will allow me to communicate frequencies and modes and maybe squelch settings to the PC. Going the other way, maybe the software will record frequencies to my logging software. I'm using LOG-EQ. It seems to work well on Windows and DOS platforms. Allowing KEYBOARD CONTROL of the radio is of primary concern. Do you know of any DOS programs that will accomplish this? They must be shareware, or freeware, or have demo's to try.

Thanks, and 73's from Daveyjane.

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3867. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8f9o3f$r6v$2@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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PactorII may well work better, but with my QRP rig, all I need is it, an
antenna and 12V and I am in business, no PC/TNC/etc.
Not that I am opposed to PC/TNC/etc, it is just fun to do somehting simple
and fun. No reboots. No QRM[at least from my end]
Are there any programs to allow a modest [P233/MMX Creative/Ensoniq
PCI sound card] to run Pactor II?

3868. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8blk@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000509153216.00590.00013162@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 111561

In article <8f79dc$2up@rome.ics.uci.edu>, turner@rome.ics.uci.edu (Clark Savage Turner) writes:

>Any part of this form work for a simple change of address? I read
>the 605 over and it doesn't look like it would work for mere address
>modification. Just curious. It sure looks complicated to do such
>a simple thing now (paperwork reduction act?)

Look at Section 2 of the main form, changing the address counts as a modification of the license, thus for just changing the address, one would select MD for the desired action on the Main Form. The new form does not require you to list your date of birth for example, which I find amusing, but then again it does require a TIN or SS#.

-art clemons-

3869. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39186B5E.46CFBFB4@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111562
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Who Did you Expect? wrote:
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> PCI sound card] to run Pactor II?

Not yet and it's a proprietary mode. But it illustrates
what is possible.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

3870. Re: Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <119bc5ca.fd4d55b2@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>
Source record: 111563

Maybe he didnt know how bad the joke could be to a PC. Did you
think of that ? If you did then you would have know that there
was no need for that last comment you made .

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3871. Re: LOOKING for reset-able circuit breaker for a power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka4cnh <ka4cnh@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <NM_R4.3800$eo.33821@news2.atl>
Source record: 111564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello Mark, you might want to try a good marine supply store. (West Marine?) 73, Dave-KA4CNH

"Mark Russo" <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in message news:3917632d.12292207@corp.supernews.com...
> Hi to all, does anyone out there know where I can buy
> a 25 or 30 amp reset-able curcuit breaker?
> This type of breaker needs to be reset by turning off
> main power switch.
> Any clues??
> please e-mail me direct at:
>
> mrusso@hoflink.com
>
> Thanks in advance for your help. Mark

3872. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f9tsp$7ni$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111565

W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> CW (.25 - .5 Hz).

Pretty narrow filters, Doc.

Jeff KH6O

3873. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f9v40$903$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<8f9f70oan2@news.uky.edu>Who Did you Expect? <None@dontevntry.oro> wrote:

>Well, because CW is so good, because it can be used in emergencies and all,
>lets make all hams learn symaphores, marine flags, and how to shoe horses.
>After all, in an the right emeregency all of those tidbits could be usefull.

Except that none of those "modes" are in use on the ham bands.
Just whom would you communicate with using "semaphores, marine flags,
and horse shoes" on the amateur frequencies? Yet CW rivals SSB as the
most popular HF mode.

>While I have been a ham for 30 years,

Really? What was your first call? I'd like to check my 1961 Call Book.

>I still marvel at the BS that claims CW keeps out the riffraft.

No one's claimed that CW keeps the riff-raff out -- just listening to
certain 20 and 80 meter frequencies shows that even the riff-raff can
learn code. But you won't hear any of the riff-raff on the low ends of
the HF bands. The *use* of CW is the filter. Can you name any ham who
has received a NAL from the FCC for an intentional rule violation while
operating CW?

73, Jeff KH6O

3874. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005092155130.130-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111567

Note that if your CSCE and your upgrade were processed by different VEC's, the delay could be in verifying the CSCE that holds the element credit.

3875. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris P. Mezzolesta" <mezzolesta@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <k43hhs8frbh6bnklmu4h6jmlcfop734em2@4ax.com>
Source record: 111568

On Mon, 08 May 2000 23:47:37 GMT, vlfiscus@mcn.net (Vincent Fiscus, KB7ADL) wrote:

>Yes, the ham population is dwindling now because they're not licensing hams >anymore. They're licensing CBer's.

When I first got my Novice ticket in 1979 (age 15) I had been a CB-er previously. I studied and passed the exam. I used CW exclusively. I felt I made some headway past CB. Does that make me any less of a ham, am I still just a CB-er to the OMs?

Reading the ignorance and childishness in this and other ham NGs has made me question whether I really want to return to the hobby. You want to attract new and younger hams based on the merits of what you do, clean up your own acts first, how about...

3876. Re: Bahamas License

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <39188ED6.979D7D94@icss.net>
Source record: 111569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Johnson wrote:

> The Commonwealth of the Bahamas has evidently revoked its current
> reciprocal licensing treaty with the US while moving licensing duties
> from BATELCO and returning amateur licensing to a government agency, the
> Public Utilities Commission.
>
> According to some recent information, all current licenses must be
> re-approved by the PUC before June 24th or they shall be considered
> expired. The exact process for getting re-approved is unclear.
>
> If anyone has more information on this situation, I would appreciate
> knowing it.
>
> Thanks
>
> -Jon NU4JJ

The ARRL has always been helpful to me with foreign licensing information.

3877. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Susanj <jeffrey.l.susanj@boeing.com>
Message-ID: <FuBCI4.21v@news.boeing.com>
Source record: 111570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Amateur Radio is suffering from the same malady as the computer hobby. I have for a long time been a member of our company computer club and it is full of old guys now. Nearly everyone is retired and it is very hard to find people who can run for the top office (they must be active employees). Everyone thinks of radio and computers etc. as an appliance. It is something you turn on and use and don't tinker with. Many cell phone users use radio daily and never realize that they are. I became interested in SWL when I was young back in 1964 when it was a big deal to receive signals from far away places. Now I routinely converse with people all over the world on the news groups and think nothing of it. Until we can make the electronics hobbies look glamorus again we will not see a big influx of new members.

Jeff S.

M. Schneider wrote in message ...
>
>"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
>news:qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com...
>> ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
><snip>
>> We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>> hobby vital.
>> --
>> glenq@cyberhighway.net
>> WB7DOW
>

3878. Re: Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39188904.ADBE6749@oio.net>
Source record: 111571

Sam,
There is no ~need~ for any of the comments you've made
so far. Wanna try again? When I feel the need for
instuction in comportment, I'll let you know.
'Doc

3879. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39188985.C1BE4C05@oio.net>
Source record: 111572

Jeffrey,
!!! Sheesh... for got the 'K'. The .25 and .5 Hz
filters are only for PSK31.... or AM.
'Doc

3880. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39188D2F.B066A0D4@oio.net>
Source record: 111573

John,
Most radios come with a SSB filter, probably on the order of 2.4 - 3.0 Khz. This is sort of the 'normal' bandwidth for a 'standard' filter for SSB. There are narrower ones. Narrower filters make the recieve 'window' narrower, cutting out some of the 'extra' space on each side of a signal. SSB voice signals are a minimum of 3 Khz wide. The 'edges' of a SSB voice signal can be 'cut off' with little loss in inteligibility. The bigger a 'bite' you take off the edges, the more inteligibility is lost. There is a limit, if you want to 'understand' what your hearing. Once you get below about 2 Khz, the 'tone' of the voice signal starts to change, it gets 'tinny' (remember the song 'Winchester Cathedral'?). If an adjacent signal 'overlaps' the signal you want to listen to, you won't get rid of it. You can get rid of some of the adjacent signal, but not all of it.
Filters do not make a signal more 'clear'. It will get rid of some of the noise that 'leaks around' the signal you want, but not QRN.
One option you might consider is that filters can always be added to your radio later. Try the standard filters and see if you can 'live' sith it. If not, get an optional filter.
Another good thing to know is that the radio manufacturer's filters are not the best in the world! There are after-market filters that are much better (and in most cases, cheaper!).
'Doc

3881. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <39189EF4.2B80DFD3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 111574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> >"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
> >news:qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com...
> >> ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> ><snip>
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> >> --
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> >> WB7DOW

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Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)

Hardly dwindling fast

The current US population is 274,745,387 (http://www.census.gov/)
The US population in 1992 was 254,994,517
(http://www.census.gov/statab/freq/99s0002.txt)

Would you care to do some math about growth rates?

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73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca
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AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 100+ PAGES, 700 INDEXED TOPICS, AND 3000 LINKS
Over 580,000 Visits On The Counter
http://www.ac6v.com - General Ham Pages
http://www.ac6v.com/pagedx.html - DX Reference Pages
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3882. Re: Lightning Info URL (here)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: King Pineapple <craigseufNOcrSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <04266dcc.e5fcb15e@usw-ex0101-007.remarq.com>
Source record: 111575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

Try WeatherTap, it's a lot cheaper.

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The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

3883. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <ftehhs8l70ehbqf71gg693nslrq9il2ps9@4ax.com>
Source record: 111576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Correct. That's what I said.

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>
> Would you care to do some math about growth rates?

Go back and read the thread. I already addressed that misleading stat.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

3884. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Shaw <wshaw@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8faek7npk1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 111577

Thank You!
That's the info I was looking for. Thanks for thaking the time to
explain it to me. And thanks, too, for not making me feel foolish for
asking. From the tone of some of the posts in this group I thought I might
get hammered.

"W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:39188D2F.B066A0D4@oio.net...
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>
> John,
> Most radios come with a SSB filter, probably on the order
> of 2.4 - 3.0 Khz. This is sort of the 'normal' bandwidth for
> a 'standard' filter for SSB. There are narrower ones.
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> out some of the 'extra' space on each side of a signal. SSB
> voice signals are a minimum of 3 Khz wide. The 'edges' of a
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> filters are not the best in the world! There are after-market
> filters that are much better (and in most cases, cheaper!).
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3885. Re: VE6 RUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Smith <ckvnfm@mb.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <9o3S4.11187$TC1.168753@news1.mts.net>
Source record: 111578

Eddy:

Why not just pick up the phone and call him?

1. Callsign: VE6RUM Name: Darcy Knorr
Address: 9521 - 65 AVE.
EDMONTON, AB T6E 0K1 Qualifications: BASIC

Regards,
Lee Smith
VE4ANC

3886. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <hr3S4.11235$vN5.4547752@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 111579

Filters do just that -- they filter out unwanted stuff. In the case of radio communications, there is unwanted stuff in the form of atmospheric noise (lightning, general hash), man-made noise (electric motors, electric lamps, etc.), and signals other than the one you want to hear. All this stuff can be filtered out.

A receiver sucks in a broad range of frequencies. Thus, a receiver is receiving the signal that you want to hear plus about a zillion other signals plus hash, hiss, trash, noise, and all sorts of other bothersome crap. A filter on a receiver functions to reduce the bandwidth -- that is, it establishes a narrow electronic window through which only the signals in that window can pass.

FM signals are very broad, thus, they need a broad filter to let through the desired signal. AM signals are less broad, SSB signals even less and CW signals are extremely narrow. Thus, you can put into the receiver a very narrow filter that, if used to listen to FM, AM, or SSB, would allow no intelligible stuff through -- but it would allow the narrow CW signal to pass.

Decent receivers will have filters for FM, AM, SSB, and CW. Better receivers will have FM, AM, SSB, SSB-Narrow, CW, CW-Narrow, and CW-really narrow. Even better receivers will have a full complement of filters plus some form of passband tuning that allows you to tune the passband of the receiver, further reducing interfering signals. More recent receivers have digital signal processors that really sharpen things up -- I do not have a clue how DSP works except that it has been explained to me as Black Magic.

In addition to atmospheric and other naturally occurring noise and trash, there is unnatural trash on the air -- Rush Limbaugh, 3950, Art Bell, 14.313, and the like. No filter in the world except for one's natural intelligence can remove that stuff.
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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

William Shaw wrote in message <8f7rcrcil1@bob.news.rcn.net>...
>I'm working on getting a license (I'll be buying a sailboat in a couple of
>years, and would like to have a little communication on board.). In
looking
>at radios I noticed that they sold filters as accessories. CW filters, SSW

>filters, et al.
>
>What do they do? Do I need one, two, several????
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>

3887. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3918939F.F0FC2115@bctv.com>
Source record: 111580

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:

> > This will only be the "Land of the Free" if it is the HOME OF THE BRAVE!
>
> So just exactly what is wrong with normalizing relations with Cuba and
> ending the long term tension? You catch more flies with honey than with
> vinegar. The "Cold War" is over -- get over it.

The communists are still slavemasters. Dissent is still punished with
death.

You may be okay with this, but I'm not.

3888. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause att: John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10263-3918CABC-92@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111581

John,

I didn't start the chain of posts here, as the Elian matter transfixed the entire nation. Initially, I skipped the posts here until they could not be avoided any more than the protests here in South Florida.

That's when I chanced into Jose Basulto, recognizable as head of Brothers to the Rescue. I threw all my negative opinions at him, seizing the opportunity to become informed. For an hour or so, he recounted everything from dropping leaflets on Havana (an afterthought when his planes were pursued in international airspace by the Cuban Air Force) to the downing of two of his planes and the death of two pilots.

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Meanwhile, all over Miami, American flags are fly from automobiles as a show of patriotism, a moving display. When do you remember seeing American flags flying on automobiles?

John, a little enlightenment goes a long way.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3889. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause att: John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <8h4S4.11469$vN5.5033854@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 111582

Let's see if I understand this.

A 6-year-old child is taken in and sheltered by an uncle with four DUI convictions who, after living in this country for over ten years, still needs a translator to talk to the media.

The community in which the uncle lives has formed, over the years, their own foreign enclave in the US of A, acting as a law unto themselves, violating the domestic airspace of an sovereign nation.

The Attorney General of the US goes personally to meet with the uncle who defies, not her, but court orders and immigration law.

Meanwhile, the mayor of your fair city announces that he will not be responsible if violence breaks out.

Back in 1965, when I was a college student in Alabama and George Wallace stood in the school house door in defiance of court orders, he was denounced by all and sundry. And I am supposed to cheer for the uncle and his mob??

If you do write an article, how about you tell the funny uncle to put down the bottle, get a job, and learn English.
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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
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Miami, Florida

3890. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10263-3918CDE0-95@storefull-243.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111583

Curt,

That is how I felt before the Elian matter. If you lived down here and witnessed what we do, I know you'd have a different opinion.

Jose Basulto, head of Brothers to the Rescue, says that they cannot compete with the Clinton spin machine. I agree.

I had always thought Basulto an angry man from Cuba who exemplifies the movement. But when I sat down with him, he was the opposite: cool, calm, reflective, friendly, insightful. You see, it is fashionable for the media to prod him, then to show a pressured Basulto in ten second sound bites trying to answer with ten minutes worth of information. I don't believe they do not have the resources for even one PR employee.

Talking with Busalto one on one was astounding, proving the prejudice I was carrying--and no doubt carried by many. Where did it come from, I keep asking myself, since I try to be fair minded with all.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3891. LOOKING for reset-able circuit breaker for a power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <3917632d.12292207@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi to all, does anyone out there know where I can buy
a 25 or 30 amp reset-able curcuit breaker?
This type of breaker needs to be reset by turning off
main power switch.
Any clues??
please e-mail me direct at:

mrusso@hoflink.com

Thanks in advance for your help. Mark

3892. Re: A Satire: W4ASX on W4ASX; Attn Jeff B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f7or9$n81$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111625

Jeff B wrote:
>Is it true about me not wanting to upgrade because of Glenn
>Baxter? No. Didn't you read my post?

But earlier you said:

>>Jeff B wrote:
>>> All those years that Glenn Baxter was doing his 'talk show'
>>> tended to put me off any interest in upgrading to general

I just thought I'd remind you of what you said.

73, Jeff KH6O

3893. Re: FLASH!! GSP ERROR TO BE REMOVED 2 MAY 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8f7pteodf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.ham-radio.packet

Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>>> Brian <burke1@icss.net> wrote:
>>>>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> >>>>Loved those noon sightings -- one gets latitude practically for free.

>> >>>Only when its solar noon.

>> >>It's called "local apparent noon."

>> >Then you should have said so. Is that what it says in the "almanic?"

>> I said "noon sighting." To any navigator, that's local apparent noon.
>> That's the time at which the sun crosses one's longitude -- the sun
>> sun reaches its highest altitude.

>Yes, yes, Jeff. Thats solar noon.

I'm not doubting that you saw the phrase "solar noon" somewhere, but
you surely didn't see it in any work on navigation. The bible of marine
navigation, Bowditch (continuously published and updated for almost 200
years) makes no mention of "solar noon" but certainly does fully define
and explain the use of Local Apparent Noon.

Again, its importance can't be overstated -- LAN practically gives you
your latitude for free; no timepiece needed.

73, Jeff KH6O

3894. Re: Puzzling question for anyone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <KEKR4.6368$Ft1.355144@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 111627

Doc provided the proper "spin" on his answer to your question,
not a smart ass answer.

Susceptibility to EMI, ie. "keying" a HT close to a PC
can cause unpredictable results. Sometimes, catastrophic!
Clock frequencies, bus speeds, ect are similar to many frequencies
in the amateur bands, and can be misinterpreted by the logic if threshold
levels are exceded. You are lucky that the hard drive didn't crash...

Bottom line is that producing a strong EM field close to a PC will produce
a wide variety of failures....over a few tens of volts/meter will do the
trick...
easily produced by most HT's...

Try it on your own PC first :>)

73,
Chuck...K1KW...

3895. Re: Ham IV Rotator Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8f80caruc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111628

In article <39173f97.3240990@news.ipswich.gil.com.au>,
bpittman@gil.com.au wrote:

> I am after a copy or similar of a SERVICE manual for a HAM IV Rotator.
>
> I have the product manual but that has a very rudimentary service
> content in it.

Although there certainly could be such a beast, I have never seen one. The rotator (and control box) circuits are so simple, you really don't need much more than what's in the manual, anyway.

Here's a free tip for working on HAM series rotators: when removing the plastic encased string of ball bearings, always keep the two plastic ends near each other. Although you will have a couple of mishaps, you will eventually learn that that procedure will help keep your balls together.

There are two kinds of hams: those who have had ball bearings on the floor, and those who have never had a HAM series rotator apart.

Here's another: although there are lots of hams who like to use the resistor color code as their scheme for remembering how they wired their rotator which is now up on the tower, a simpler way (and one that's good for wire with colors not in the resistor code) is to go alphabetical. Remember; the 2 big wires go to terminals 1 & 2 (alphabetically), and the smaller ones on terminals 3-8 (alphabetically). Even the YF or your non-ham neighbor can help you that way.

For you lads in South Africa and other polyglot places, the next challenge is to remember what language you alphabetized it in!

LRod

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3896. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8f80g0$6fe$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111629

In article <26378568.5f32d3ec@usw-ex0104-028.remarq.com>,
Scott <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid> wrote:
>I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
>work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the
>ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
>days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
>Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
>with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
>n4zou/extra lite!
>
You're gonna hate this, but I got my upgrade in 3 days. Did
it on Saturday 4/15, appeared in the ULS database the following
Tuesday. Got paper 2 weeks ago. I went to a W5YI VE session
BTW. Heard the ARRL VEs have been slower, don't know if that's
true.

3897. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8f82or$ug4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111630

Best CW filter I know of is keeping the rig on FM. :)

(nyuck, nyuck, nyuck...)

In article <8f7rcrcil1@bob.news.rcn.net>,
"William Shaw" <wshaw@erols.com> wrote:
> I'm working on getting a license (I'll be buying a sailboat in a
couple of

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Before you buy.

3898. Re: What's a CW filter for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <aTMR4.24044$g62.375571@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 111631

If I may but in here....
Where and how are they applied?
--
EDDY

W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message
news:39179208.CA07D920@oio.net...
|
|
| William,
| 'IF' filters come in various 'widths'. Wide filters for
| AM (6Khz), SSB filters (3 - 1.8 Khz), and CW (.25 - .5 Hz).
| These filters are like looking through a 'hole' at a signal.
| A wide 'hole' lets you see a wide signal, a medium size 'hole'
| lets you see a medium size signal, and a small 'hole' a small
| signal. AM signals are 'wide', SSB signals are 'medium', and
| CW signals are 'small'. Thats a very basic description of
| what filters do, and there's a lot more to them.
| 'Doc

3899. VE6 RUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <V%MR4.24095$g62.376533@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 111632

I am looking for a little info on this callsign VE6 RUM.
I found a name and address that it is applied to it, but what I don't know is if this person is still alive.
How do I go about finding this info? I have done different searches on the net and can not find any recent info.

The reason I ask is that a friend of mine just passed his basic, so I did a search on this the callsign he chose and came up with a name and address. I have no idea how old this info is or who this person was.

Just looking for a little history on an old callsign.
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EDDY

3900. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8AFC032CDEB0BAD1.61F5A2F92F73B503.4280D81B0D6490B9@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111633

You've, obviously, gotten into the same problem I have.....

ARRL, as my VE told me this morning, was SWAMPED with the nonsense of how this special upgrade was run. 4 to 6 WEEKS is what I'm hearing now. I wish I had turned my paperwork into our Wescars group. They already GOT their new licenses 2 weeks ago......

IF we had done it right, you would simply have been sent, automatically with our VAST array of very expensive new computers dubbed ULS at FCC, not ARRL, HQ....your new license....if you had passed the required elements that are ALREADY in that system's database since January, in my case. A simple subroutine to print all licenses to all hams that had fulfilled the new requirement would have been written by some code hacker at FCC to scan the database (it's really NOT that big, you know) and issue new licenses.

Of course, this would have BYPASSED the collection of ANOTHER $6.65 x THE THOUSANDS of hams who upgraded....which, I surmise, is a princely sum! And, more importantly in FCC bureaucracies around the country, this subroutine would have BYPASSED the desk of countless clerks whos very LIVES depend on that useless paper form crossing their desk for the appropriate stamp of approval......

Fat Chance, suckers.
Larry W4CSC

On Mon, 08 May 2000 16:49:24 -0700, Scott
<n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid> wrote:

>I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
>work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the
>ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
>days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
>Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
>with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
>n4zou/extra lite!
>
>* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
>The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

3901. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <uTN8upwu$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 111434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote
>Get with the program, Aaron, and get yourself a palmtop.

I guess you never tried typing on a palmtop. Especially with the
stylus. Maybe you could program it to accept input from paddles...

3902. Re: Swan SWR-1A meter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000509200916.25494.00002450@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 111484

You can get a copy of the original manual at this website

http://www.sarrio.com/sarrio/rsman3.html

scroll down to swan swr-1a and the listing is
Swan SWR-1A SWR/Pwr Mtr. $5

Contact info is on the website.

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

3903. Re: Bahamas License

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: 103637.3375@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <00000409200856.OUI38.103637.3375@compuserve.com>
Source record: 111485

Following are procedures for renewing your Bahamian C6A reciprocal license eff Apr 15, 2000. If you do not have a current license, Batelco no longer has the authority to renew; we do not know how to renew expired licenses yet.

If you have a valid current (2000) C6A license, you must apply to the Public Utilities Commission for a new license as follows:

- Send copy of front and back of current license; if the 2000 stamp is not on back of license --- include a copy of the receipt. (I'm going to do both.) Make sure you keep copies of correspondence.

- This must be done prior to June 24, 2000.

- Send to: Executive Director & Secretary, Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box N4860, Nassau, Bahamas

- It's been suggested you might consider a mail receipt to confirm it's receipt.

- Expect your license within 6 months.

If you are in Nassau, you may go to the PUC off Collins Ave, vicinity of Doctors Hospital and attempt renewal.

Terry

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- Terry Palmer 103637.3375@compuserve.com

3904. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <583EFBC684EA35D3.A927C4C9E7EA8680.C2A0327243F693BE@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeff Susanj <jeffrey.l.susanj@boeing.com> wrote in article
<FuBCI4.21v@news.boeing.com>...
> Amateur Radio is suffering from the same malady as the computer hobby. I
> have for a long time been a member of our company computer club and it is
> full of old guys now. Nearly everyone is retired and it is very hard to
> find people who can run for the top office (they must be active employees).
> Everyone thinks of radio and computers etc. as an appliance. It is
> something you turn on and use and don't tinker with. Many cell phone users
> use radio daily and never realize that they are. I became interested in SWL
> when I was young back in 1964 when it was a big deal to receive signals from
> far away places. Now I routinely converse with people all over the world on
> the news groups and think nothing of it. Until we can make the electronics
> hobbies look glamorus again we will not see a big influx of new members.
>
> Jeff S.
>

Wow! That's an interesting observation and you sure did get me to thinking on
whole different level. Computers and radios, and things like them, used to be
"gizmos" that were new, interesting and fun to play with. They have now become
utilitarian devices and the uniqueness, newness, and fascination with them has
now become mundane.

That's an even harder battle to come out of, as well, in terms of
keeping/getting people interested in hobbies like this. So much the more for
demonstrations of what *can* be done with amateur radio. I hate to use the
word, but we need to "exploit" the hell out of our rescue and emergency
service, and whatever else I am leaving out (I think from the perspective of
those things because that is my "bag" with radio).

Kim W5TIT

3905. Want: QST Magazines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <3918cd9f.36615035@news.swcp.com>
Source record: 111487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello Everyone,

I am looking for QST magazines -- in decent shape -- from *at
the latest* the 1970's for a collection. I'm especially interested in
any issues prior to the 70's!

If you are looking to get rid of your box of QST's, I'll be
happy to reimburse for shipping and/or a reasonable cost for the
magazines.

Please email direct. Thanks!

73,
Brian, N5ZGT

3906. Re: VE6 RUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <hc7S4.28091$g62.416926@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 111488

This is the info of a friend who just got the callsign.
Looking at BuckMasters, there is info for a Mr. Horek.
We were just interested in the history, such as when the callsign was
first given and who long it was used.
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EDDY

_____
Lee Smith <ckvnfm@mb.sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:9o3S4.11187$TC1.168753@news1.mts.net...
| Eddy:
|
| Why not just pick up the phone and call him?
|
| 1. Callsign: VE6RUM Name: Darcy Knorr
| Address: 9521 - 65 AVE.
| EDMONTON, AB T6E 0K1
Qualifications: BASIC
|
| Regards,
| Lee Smith
| VE4ANC
|
|

3907. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause att: John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cricket <"Catch Me."@edu.com>
Message-ID: <39190c1b$1_2@corp.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 111489

The lies go on and on and on. The uncle had but ONE DUI conviction, NOT four. This alone does not make him any less loving and/or caring. Odds are that you have a skeleton or two in your closet that you would not like the Liberal Media to get hold of, so do not judge.
I'd bet the uncle has a LOT more credibility than Reno or our Convicted Perjuror In Chief!
Clinton is dangling that most useless Attorney General like a Howdy Doody puppet and using her to the max! Like Hillary, she likes the power of office so dearly that she has sold herself out.
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>

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http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
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3908. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <OY#PhkuGA.232@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 111490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote
>Incidentally, PACTOR II works as well as (or better than) CW
>at QRP levels

It's hard to drag a computer around the forest in your backpack. Yea, I know about laptops, but they are an extra 4-8 pounds and really suck batteries...

3909. Re: AF2Y: JPFO facts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fbeohtls1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111491

Jews live in Hartford,Wisconsin? You mean cold Jews? What kind of stupidity is your post? VERY STUPID and tactless and confrontational and nothing more than a mouthpiece and springboard for suave sophisticated anti-Semitism disguised to foster a calculated schism between a great man like Abe Foxman, a great organization, the ADL, and a bunch of Yiddish nuts who advocate no gun control which is doubtfully predicated on the existence of such a moronic organization in the first place. Don't involve me and my people in any kind of a scam advocating lawlessness because if you knew anything about our Torah and Talmud you would know, for example, that hunting for sport is expressly FORBIDDEN and it holds true for Islam as well. To kill an animal for the hell of it is revolting and violates every precept of the kind of decency and compassion unseen in the animal world. Jews need more weapons to protect themselves against the greatest government ever created by man? Have you lost your mind? Your sponsorship of this rightwing Jewish cultist band of gunloving screwballs, if indeed it exists, is nothing more than a pattern of deceit, treachery, indoctrination and underlying mistrust of us and our Ten Commandments. How dare you put us in league with militants, militias and other entities who would rejoice at the downfall of these precious United States? Keep your goddamned lying filth about Jews loving guns to fend off American justice, off this board and take it to a KKK meeting or on 3.950 to convince those brainless heartless amoebae that Jews concur about the "illegal" legislation that would make it more difficult for one person to kill another. Dammit-you take out of rightfield some crackpots in Wisconsin and try to convince me and my brethern that gun control is wrong because of THEM? You belong out there in the Nevada desert because you have the brain of a lizard.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000507213420.14494.00001697@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Jews For The Preservation of Firearms Ownership, Inc.
> P.O. Box 270143
> Hartford, WI 53027
>
> Phone (262) 673-9745
> Fax (262) 673-9746
> ---
> ------
> Help Jews For The Preservation of Firearms Ownership (JPFO) tell the truth
> about how the Anti-Defamation League lies about Militias, law abiding firearms
> owners and Judaism.
>
> Please help distribute the following FACT SHEET! -- PEOPLE MUST KNOW THE

TRUTH!
>
>
> ADL LIE: Militias threaten you.
>
> JPFO FACT: The ADL reports on militias offer virtually no facts -- hard
> evidence, documentation -- to support the ADL's allegations that militias
> threaten public order. Why are the ADL's reports nearly empty of references to
> newspaper articles with verifiable specifics as to date, place, time,
> participants, etc.? The ADL's reports suggest that a tiny minority of militias
> is run by neo-Nazis, racists, or other bigots. Why should the doings of a
tiny,
> nasty minority be a reason to condemn the vast majority of decent, law-abiding
> militia-members?
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>
> ADL LIE: "Gun control" makes you safer, at the cost of "minor" inconvenience,
> e.g., permits, waiting periods, registration bans on, and confiscation of,
some
> firearms and magazines.
> JPFO FACT: The down-side to "gun control" is genocide, and mortal peril to
> those in the U.S. armed services, who have recently been deployed overseas
> thanks to "gun control".
>
> In this century there have been at least seven major genocides in which at
> least 56,000,000 persons, including millions of children, have been murdered
by
> officials of governments "gone bad". The seven cases are:
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> 1915 - 1917 Ottoman Turkey, 1.5 million Armenians murdered;
> 1929 - 1953 Soviet Union, 20 million people that opposed Stalin were murdered;
> 1933 - 1945 Nazi occupied Europe, 13 million Jews Gypsies and others that
> opposed Hitler were murdered;
> 1948 - 1952 China, 20 million anti communists;
> 1960 - 1981 Guatemala, 100,000 Mayan Indians Murdered;
> 1971 - 1979 Uganda, 300,000 Christians and Political Rivals of Idi Amin
> murdered;
> 1975 - 1979 Cambodia, 1 million educated persons murdered.
> TOTAL VICTIMS: 56 MILLION!
>
> In every case, there was on the books before the murdering began, at least one
> "gun control" law, sometimes the last of a series. In five of the seven cases,
> "gun control" was first enacted by a regime that came before the genocide
> regime -- sometimes decades before.
>
> Most genocides unfold without outside intervention, except after the fact. For
> example, during World War II, the U.S. government absolutely refused to bomb
> the rail lines leading to the Nazis' main murder camp, Auschwitz, in Poland.
> Had that been done many lives might have been saved.

>
> The ADL's strategy -- of watching hate groups and urging ever-more severe" gun
> control" -- has a lethal flaw. If vigilance fails, and if a hate group seized
> control of the U.S. government, prior enforcement of "gun control" will ensure
> the hate groupies can easily pile up mountains of corpses.
>
> Those who say, "It couldn't happen here...we would never do that ... ", are
> quite wrong. The U.S. government took all but the last step of a major
genocide
> just over 50 years ago. On 19 February 1942, President Franklin Delano
> Roosevelt signed Executive Order No. 9066. Under that order, some 125,000
> Japanese-Americans -- 70% of whom were U.S. citizens -- were forced to leave
> homes and businesses on the west coast of the U.S. and were sent to places
that
> the New York Times of that era called "concentration camps". That Executive
> Order was affirmed by Congress in the form of a public law at end-March 1942.
> The Supreme Court ultimately concurred that these deportations were legal
> (Korematsu v. U.S., 1944).
>
> U.S. armed forces have recently gone to Haiti ("Gun Control"Law, 22 Dec 1922,
> amended 1 Oct 1980), and to Bosnia (ex-Yugoslavia "GunControl" Law, 17 Sep
> 1964) to try to rescue people made helpless thanks to "gun control". Had we
> simply shipped rifles to the Haitians, they likely could have freed themselves
> from their murderous government. U.S. troops may be needed to rescue the
> Bosnian Muslims, because an arms embargo keeps them from defending themselves
> against Bosnian Serb "ethnic cleansing". Why does the ADL back a policy, "gun
> control", that forces U.S. soldiers, sailors, marines, and flyers to go in
> harm's way?
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>
> ADL LIE: Judaism and "gun control" go together.
> JPFO TRUTH: "Gun control" violates and subverts Jewish Law. The sanctity of
> life is a core Jewish value. By promoting genocide, "gun control" poses a
clear
> and present danger to the lives of decent people, everywhere.
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> Life is so precious that under Jewish law, there are only three things a Jew
> may NOT do to save his/her own life:
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>
> a) commit murder (willfully take an innocent life);
> b) bow down to idols;
> c) engage in prohibited forms of sexual activity.
> Thus, a Jew threatened with death unless he eats pork (prohibited toJews),
must
> eat the pork, if doing so will save his life.
>
> From the sanctity of Life comes an imperative to safeguard Life. Thus, it is
> written in the Talmud -- the 70-volume Code of Jewish Law -in at least three
> places, "And the Torah says, 'If someone comes to kill you, arise quickly and

> kill him.'" The Torah is the Five Books of Moses; this injunction is rooted in
> Exodus, Chapter 22, Verse 1. This injunction occurs twice in the section of
the
> Talmud dealing with Blessings (TractateB'rachos), on pages 58A and 62B. It
also
> is found in the section of theTalmud dealing with Administration of Justice
> (Tractate Sanhedrin) page 72A. The contexts are all different, but the message
> is consistent: forJews, self-defense is an individual duty. As nothing in the
> Five Books of Moses, or the Talmud, is ever repeated without a reason, that
> this injunction is three times repeated suggests it is a powerful injunction,
> indeed.
>
> History shows clearly that the biggest murderer -- of Jews and of other
> minorities (ethnic, political, linguistic, etc.) -- has NOT been hate
> groups,but governments that have "gone bad". To varying degrees, these murders
> of Jews occurred because Jews neglected to learn and to practice our
religion's
> teachings which mandate self-defense. We have paid a ferocious price for this
> neglect. Millions of lives will be saved if Jewish law onself-defense is
> faithfully followed.
>
>
> ADL LIE: JPFO is a danger to Jews. The ADL lies about JPFO's mission and
> research (See letter by Abraham Foxman, ADL National Director, to the Editor
of
> the New York Times, 21 May 1995). The ADL says it fights anti-Semitism and
> neo-Nazis.
> JPFO TRUTH: The ADL dismisses JPFO research that shows the U.S. Gun Control
Act
> of 1968 (GCA '68) likely is based on the Nazi Weapons Law of 18 March 1938.
> Nazi laws have no place in America. Yet, the ADL backs GCA'68 and advocates
> further restrictions on firearms-ownership by the law-abiding.
>
> JPFO has a new bumper sticker called ADL LIES. We would like to get 1 MILLION
> or more of these on firearms owners automobiles, campers and homes. The
sticker
> is white with red, blue and black letters. It is 4 and1/4 inches high X 14
> inches wide. Large enough for the ADL to see from their headquarters at the
> United Nations Plaza, New York.
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>
> Stop the Lies -- Destroy "Gun Control" Buy and Display this Bumper Sticker
> Today!
>
>

3910. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8fbjd5adh2@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <39186B5E.46CFBFB4@IEEE.org>, Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...
>
>Who Did you Expect? wrote:
>> Are there any programs to allow a modest [P233/MMX Creative/Ensoniq
>> PCI sound card] to run Pactor II?
>
>Not yet and it's a proprietary mode. But it illustrates
>what is possible.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca
Thanks, Ihad done a quick net search but came up fairly emepty.
I will have to keep my eyes open for this one.
AX25 was not the end all it was once proclaimed to be.
Especially on HF.

3911. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause att: John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <rRcS4.17914$vN5.7412811@news-east.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 111493

So go tell it to the NYTimes who reported FOUR DUI.

Okay, let's put the shoe on the other foot.

Mother living in the US decides that life would be better back home in China so she grabs the child and heads back to the good old People's Republic. She arrives there and dies. Extended family decides the kid is better off with them than back in the USofA with Dad. In view of your comments, you would vote to leave the kid in China with the funny uncle.

Can't have it both ways -- stay with the uncle or go back to dad. What do you say?

This is not a theoretical exercise. There are right now approx 100 cases in which a US spouse is seeking custody of a child, born in the US, but taken back to the old country by the foreign born spouse. If Elian stays in the US, then what grounds does the US have to insist on these children returning here?

Vote Republican. It's easier than thinking.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

Cricket > wrote in message <39190c1b$1_2@corp.newsfeeds.com>...
>
>The lies go on and on and on. The uncle had but ONE DUI conviction, NOT
>four. This alone does not make him any less loving and/or caring. Odds are
>that you have a skeleton or two in your closet that you would not like the
>Liberal Media to get hold of, so do not judge.
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>http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
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3912. PISSBOWL...the AIDS INFECTED IDIOT is back.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fbph3$1qs$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111494

In article <8ev11dbkt1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_ass_whole@yahoo.com wrote:
<FLUSH!...at least his writings match what he lives in a toilet bowl,
huh pissbowl?>

Poor Aids-infected, toothless paper tiger pissbowl. It must be tough to
be known to so many as such a LOSER, huh, FELON?

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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3913. Pitbull formally announces his ownership by KC8JBO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fbqv6$34f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111495

In article <8ev10fbkj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_king_qrm@my-deja.com wrote:
<FLUSH!>

Your formal announcement of my OWNERSHIP of you is duly noted, and I
think your slave name shall be "Rastus."
Now go wash and wax my Mom's car and my truck, Rastus...that's a good
boy.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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3914. Re: Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fbr23$3bt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111496

In article <8euv13$97p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8eulao$tl7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <28567-3912A7D9-5@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> > BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> > > Did Deja finally catch up to him???
> > >
> > > DUMBASSDon
> >
> > Catch up to me for what, dumbass? I bet if my size 10 1/2 boot was
up
> > your ass you'd know where I was.
>But I Only beat up old men over 65
> if there not to tough. but if you want a blow job ill do it. .

Why Mike, I didn't know you wanted to give me a blow job.

> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger

> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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3915. I OWN PITBULL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fbr46$3iu$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111497

In article <8ev11dbkt1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_ass_whole@yahoo.com wrote:
<FLUSH!>

I OWN you, "Rastus."

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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3916. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause att: John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39196A6B.E26A3327@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111498

There are right now approx 100 cases in
> which a US spouse is seeking custody of a child, born in the US, but taken
> back to the old country by the foreign born spouse.

Point of law: A child born in this country is a US citizen.

Additional point of law: Since 1978 Cuban Exiles making landfall
on US Soil are entitled to asylum. Request for asylum is assumed. No
age limit. No status requirements.

In the US, matters of law have, indeed, been constructed so you
can have it both ways.

If Elian stays in the

> US, then what grounds does the US have to insist on these children returning
> here?
>
Matters of law. It may not seem fair and equitable...but it is
law. And there's the rub.

> Vote Republican. It's easier than thinking.

By all means vote Democrat. The liars will be on YOUR side.
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> Regards,
> Joe Schlatter
> joe@schlatter.org
> http://www.schlatter.org/
> http://www.miafacts.org/
> Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
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> Cricket > wrote in message <39190c1b$1_2@corp.newsfeeds.com>...
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> >The lies go on and on and on. The uncle had but ONE DUI conviction, NOT
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> >puppet and using her to the max! Like Hillary, she likes the power of
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3917. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-450SAT [Complete Package]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marvin Volz <mtve@hal-pc.org>
Message-ID: <3919774E.3D91F3A0@hal-pc.org>
Source record: 111499
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gee, my 450SAT IS portable.

W5MTV

"Sickles, Matt [W2BYV]" wrote:

> If you have just upgraded and need some HF gear now is a great time. I have
> a complete package, all you need is an antenna and you will be on the air!
>
> This rig is in excellent condition but I need a portable unit for an
> expedition I will be going on in the next few months, so this one needs a
> new home!
>
> For Sale
>
> $900.00 OBO [shipping included]
>
> Kenwood TS-450SAT HF Transceiver (Manuals included)
> Kenwood PS-53 Power Supply
> Kenwood SP-230 Speaker
> Kenwood MC-80 Base Microphone
> Kenwood Hand Microphone
> Kenwood HS-5 Headphones
>
> $900.00 OBO [shipping included]
>
> Contact me at:
>
> Matt Sickles
> w2byv@arrl.net
> W2BYV
> 919.303.6657

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Marv

3918. KA9FFR issue date?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <Don-West@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <ckfS4.57880$WF.3226165@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111500

Hi,
I was issued my original call, KA9FFR, sometime between 1979 and 1981, I think. Was not active until 1991 and was able to renew my license under the amnesty program. My original license was lost sometime after 1991. In any event, I would like to know when I was first licensed. If anyone has a call book from that era, I would certainly appreciate it if you could look it up and let me know. Please email me at w9dew@qsl.net .

Thanks for your time & 73,
de Don, W9DEW

3919. Re: KA9FFR issue date?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fc4lk$e60$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111501

In article <ckfS4.57880$WF.3226165@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>,
"Your Name" <Don-West@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

> I was issued my original call, KA9FFR, sometime between 1979 and
> 1981, I think.

I met a couple of KA9Lxx hams in late 1981 who were licensed in the
middle of 1981. My recollection of issuance rates would put KA9FFR
sometime in 1980. Can't help you with hard copy.

LRod

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3920. Morse exercises No.22

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC - Frank Schmitte <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8fc3qt$5cs$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 111502
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr22_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr22_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr22_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
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| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

3921. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fc5h3$m4m$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111503

Don't give me this crap about JEWS for Preservation of Firearms Ownership because EVERY AMERICAN SHOULD RIGHTFULLY DEMAND THIS RIGHT but what has that got to do with legislating better CONTROL of weapons in light of constant misuse causing death? You reactionary screwballs are all the same. Constantly you equate legislation with confiscation and if you don't know the difference, then you haven't the intelligence to handle a gun to start with. All this stuff about legislation equalling confiscation was concocted by rightwing nuts in order to stir up sentiment against Washington,D.C. You beat the drum of lies and hope that we can't see through you and them. There will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this democracy. Even if put to a vote Congress would kill it immediately. There are millions of responsible gun owners out there who are in no danger whatsoever; you'll be able to target shoot and kill defenseless animals to adorn your walls with their heads. WOW, ain't you something! But what will happen is that laws will come into effect which will make it impossible for incompetents to buy them which is a PLUS for society. Gun manufacturers will be forced to comply with laws allowing only the buyer to use one. That's called SAFETY like in SAFETY LOCKS. For those who rebel againt such an idea, would you step into a commercial airliner whose captain just finished smoking a joint? It's exactly the same principle. When it comes to the safety of us all there should never be a compromise and saying no to gun legislation is cutting off your noses to spite your faces. The government crackdown on the cigarette industry WILL SAVE LIVES yet it's our right to smoke. Increased gun legislation will SAVE LIVES yet it's our right to bear arms.
AF2Y

In article <20000507204446.14514.00001785@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

>
> Doc you started it and now you say it's ridiculous. I can post YOUR over
> reaction here(a couple of them) for everyone to see and then we'll really see
> what's ridiculous and over reacting. I sent you e-mail not the NG. You get on
> here calling names and rant and rave. ol man, grow up
>
> Ps. it's not my theory Doc check out
> Jews for the "Preservation of Firearms Ownership. OK? http://www.jfpo.org

3922. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39199DC5.E455A63E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Who Did you Expect? wrote:
>
> In article <39186B5E.46CFBFB4@IEEE.org>, Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...
> >
> >Who Did you Expect? wrote:
> >> Are there any programs to allow a modest [P233/MMX Creative/Ensoniq
> >> PCI sound card] to run Pactor II?
> >
> >Not yet and it's a proprietary mode. But it illustrates
> >what is possible.
> >--
> Thanks, I had done a quick net search but came up fairly empty.

I did a web search for "PACTOR II" and came up with a bunch of
stuff. Try http://www.scs-ptc.com and http://www.pactor.com
for a start.

> AX25 was not the end all it was once proclaimed to be.
> Especially on HF.

AX25 was not designed for HF. PACTOR II was.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

3923. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <39199E0A.F5A52656@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Aaron Jones wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote
> >Incidentally, PACTOR II works as well as (or better than) CW
> >at QRP levels
>
> It's hard to drag a computer around the forest in your backpack. Yea, I
> know about laptops, but they are an extra 4-8 pounds and really suck
> batteries...

Get with the program, Aaron, and get yourself a palmtop.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

3924. Re: Double murder on Palmyra atoll.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobzuiker@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000510150941.14503.00002193@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111506

Yes, "And the Sea will tell", a really great story and intriguing trial for the female accomplice. I believe the time frame was like 1988 or so for the trial part. I left a post regarding this film but I don't see it anywhere. Anyway, it involved ham radio to a fairly large degree as the victims had kept regular skeds with a friend in Hawaii. So if anyone wants to read a great novel, get "And the sea will tell", by Vincent Bugliosi. Bob Zuiker w9Sox>

>Was this post in reference to the 1970's crime referred to in Vince
>Bugliosi's book - "And the Sea Will Tell", or was there another double
>homicide out there?

3925. Components URL's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Radio K\"" <swonbat@caltec.edu>
Message-ID: <FhjS4.45460$x4.1535982@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Selected URL's for electronic components

AMP: www.amp.com

AMPHENOL: www.amphenol.com

Beau: www.beauint.com

Buss Fuses: www.bussman.com

Electroniocs Products Mag: www.electronicproducts.com

FCC ID Certification: www.fcc.gov/oet/fccid/

Linear Devices: www.linear-tech.com

Motorola: www.mot-sps.com

National Semi: www.national.com

Phillips: www.us.semiconductors.phillips.com

...and finally

Bastard Dipsh-t Ham Dealers Homepage: www.amishrakefight.com/gfy/

(send that last one to those Dipsh-t Hamfest Dealers who think they
know everything and sell products that suck and/or don't work and
have suckas- customer service....we all know adleast one...)

astard

3926. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause att: John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005102010560.178-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111508

On Wed, 10 May 2000, Joe Schlatter wrote:
> So go tell it to the NYTimes who reported FOUR DUI.
>
> Okay, let's put the shoe on the other foot.
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> Mother living in the US decides that life would be better back home in
> China so she grabs the child and heads back to the good old People's
> Republic. She arrives there and dies. Extended family decides the kid is
> better off with them than back in the USofA with Dad. In view of your
> comments, you would vote to leave the kid in China with the funny uncle.
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> Can't have it both ways -- stay with the uncle or go back to dad. What do
> you say?
>
> This is not a theoretical exercise. There are right now approx 100 cases in
> which a US spouse is seeking custody of a child, born in the US, but taken
> back to the old country by the foreign born spouse. If Elian stays in the
> US, then what grounds does the US have to insist on these children returning
> here?

THe fact that BOTH parents are still alive (responding to your last comment).

So, what does this have to do with amateur radio?

3927. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000510165635.00689.00013666@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 111509

In article <8fc5h3$m4m$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:

>There
>will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this democracy.

Correct. Just as long as we don't succumb to mandatory registration and
licensing.

3928. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fcjubieu1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111510

Oh but you will because mandatory registration and licensing are two ways which will assure everyone that guns won't fall into the hands of incompetents therefore if you are one, WORRY. They are called safeguards and in case you don't understand it's complexity, it means it'll be good for you and your family too. Get it? Guns can't be treated like pea shooters or a paper clip on an elastic band. Guns, in the hands of WRONG PEOPLE, will destroy us. Guns in the hands of RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE is desirable therefore we must separate the wheat from the chaff and the sooner the better. And I'm all for target shooting to better prepare the average government-appreciative person to protect himself and his family if and when these stinking neo-Nazi militia groups decide to put their venom into action.
AF2Y

In article <20000510165635.00689.00013666@nso-ch.aol.com>,
toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:

> In article <8fc5h3$m4m$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:
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>>will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this democracy.
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> Correct. Just as long as we don't succumb to mandatory registration and
> licensing.
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3929. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fckad$pa3$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111511
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Matt,
You're absolutely justified in being a gun-rights activist and I have a feeling you are the type of responsible person who knows the right protocol. And it's your RIGHT to bear arms but it's wrong to enable every Tom,Dick and Harry in this nation from obtaining a gun at any time, anywhere as if he were buying a can of tomato soup. That's called raping a right!
AF2Y

In article <20000508001135.14507.00001788@ng-ck1.aol.com>, glc1173@aol.com (GLC1173) wrote:

> AF2Y wrote:
>>You'll love guns until someone in your >family is shot.
>
> Bullshit.
> I wouldn't start hating cars if some relative who drank irresponsibly died
> in a DUI wreck - nor would I hate beer if some drunk driver killed a relative.
> Know why I'm a gun-right activist? Because my elderly mother and I were
> stalked a couple years ago by a convicted felon and mental patient with 40+
> local arrests, 12+ for breakins. (We'd never heard of him before; he does this
> to random victims.)
> Matt,
> N4GSV
>
>
> ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
> Al Gore - in his own words
> ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
> official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
>

3930. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000510172946.16811.00002348@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 111512
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y wrote:
>All this stuff about legislation equalling >confiscation was concocted
>by rightwing nuts in order to stir up >sentiment against Washington,D.C.

We don't have to do a thing to stir up sentiment against Washington -
Jackboot Janet did that beautifully with "the photo."

>There
>will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It >cannot happen in this democracy.

Tell that to the fools in Britain who registered their handguns - and then
had their "democracy" confiscate them.
You cannot trust a government - this one included: I did not have a
sexual relationship with this woman means that high elected officials will
lie to fools like you - and you will believe it in the name of "it can't happen
here." From the Tuskeegee syphilis experiments to the internment of American
citizens in concentration camps just for having Japanese ancestors to Klinton's
"one-year" peace deployment in YugoNam (now in its fifth year) to the Gulf of
Tonkin non-"incident" that 58,000 Americans died in Vietnam for, federal lying
to sheeple like you is the rule and not the exception.
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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
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3931. Re: AF2Y: JPFO facts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000510173402.16811.00002350@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 111513
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y wrote:
>Keep your goddamned lying filth about >Jews loving guns to fend off
>American justice, off this board and take it >to a KKK meeting or on 3.950 to
>convince those brainless heartless >amoebae that Jews concur about the
>"illegal" legislation that would make it >more difficult for one person to
>kill another.

This Jewish lawyer has been a shooter since age 13 - when introduced to rifle shooting on a range run by the heavily-Jewish Cleveland suburb of Shaker Heights. Every Saturday, that range was full of young kids like me learning to shoot.
And this Jewish lawyer became a gun-rights activist by being the victim of a convicted felon and burglar who stalks local people at random. If he breaks in tonight to get even with me for pressing charges, the local police won't be here in the critical first seconds - and I don't hear you volunteering to protect me, either.
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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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3932. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fcq66$7vf$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111514
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <20000510172946.16811.00002348@ng-fz1.aol.com>,
glc1173@aol.com (GLC1173) wrote:
> AF2Y wrote:
> >All this stuff about legislation equalling >confiscation was
concocted
> >by rightwing nuts in order to stir up >sentiment against
Washington,D.C.
>
> We don't have to do a thing to stir up sentiment against
Washington -
> Jackboot Janet did that beautifully with "the photo."
>
> >There
> >will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It >cannot happen in this
democracy.
>
> Tell that to the fools in Britain who registered their handguns -
and then
> had their "democracy" confiscate them.
> You cannot trust a government - this one included: I did not
have a
> sexual relationship with this woman means that high elected
officials will
> lie to fools like you - and you will believe it in the name of "it
can't happen
> here." From the Tuskeegee syphilis experiments to the internment of
American
> citizens in concentration camps just for having Japanese ancestors to
Klinton's
> "one-year" peace deployment in YugoNam (now in its fifth year) to the
Gulf of
> Tonkin non-"incident" that 58,000 Americans died in Vietnam for,
federal lying
> to sheeple like you is the rule and not the exception.
> ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
> Al Gore - in his own words
> ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
> official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
>
>
Well said and totally accurate. I just wonder what bureacrat will
select who gets to hold a gun and who don't. Maybe they can make it

easier. Just let those that support the Demoncrat party line would qualify.

All this debate on guns is a waste of time. The problem is not the guns the problem is the criminal element. Who, by the way, are laughing their collective butts off at this whole thing. Wanna bet who don't register their guns?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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3933. Re: Where's JBO????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fcqpi$8kh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111515

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In article <8fbr23$3bt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8euv13$97p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> > In article <8eulao$tl7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > > In article <28567-3912A7D9-5@storefull-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> > > BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:
> > > > Did Deja finally catch up to him???
> > > >
> > > > DUMBASSDon
> > >
> > > Catch up to me for what, dumbass? I bet if my size 10 1/2 boot was
> up
> > > your ass you'd know where I was.
> >But I Only beat up old men over 65
> > if there not to tough. but if you want a blow job ill do it. .
>
> Why Mike, I didn't know you wanted to give me a blow job.
DO YOU WANT A MAN TO DO THAT TO YOU?
> > > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
>
> > > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> > > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> > >
> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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3934. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kelley <jwkelley@uci.edu>
Message-ID: <3919F3FB.4002A4F8@uci.edu>
Source record: 111516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kim W5TIT wrote:
> I hate to use the
> word, but we need to "exploit" the hell out of our rescue and emergency
> service, and whatever else I am leaving out (I think from the perspective of
> those things because that is my "bag" with radio).

Hi Kim,

The president of our local club out here has come to exactly the same conclusion, and we are actively promoting the formation of ARES/RACES groups in our relatively new area. We are encouraging them to use our repeaters, and are putting new repeaters on the air to service the areas in greatest need. We'll see how it goes, but I think it definitely helps to create activities, and facilitate the need for the use of amateur radio.

73, Jim AC6XG

3935. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510195310.23683.00001685@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111517

Ok, Charlie, your no Doc, I know docors, and doctors have far more brains and common sense than you do.
Your a liberal; gun grabbing, bleeding heart animal rights nut. Are you a tree hugger also??
Read what the JEWS that know say about "registration" and "confiscation" (not legislation you idiot). Your own people know and tell you and references to the Torah are given. Read it.
As for You wanting more legislation to CONTROL the misuse. You nut, the "misuse" is intentional, they don't give a damn about laws to begin with. So making 2 more or 200 more won't stop anything with the "misuse". It's intentional. What the legislation YOU call for will do is restrict the rights of the law abiding that are not the problem to begin with. YOUR legislation will only CONTROL the law abiding. Get it??
Read the site Charlie http://www.jpfo.org you may learn something.
Charlie your one dumb son of a bitch. Read what has happened thru out history when there was registration (not legislation, idiot). The laws can be "enforced" without registration - it's been that way for over two hundred years. Your really looking pathetic. You stay out there in the concrete jungle (must be by choice) and be afraid - maybe the government will help or protect you. As for me, i can do a better job of it myself if YOU don't get your way and there is more CONTROL of the Law Abiding. Charlie, Your blind in one eye and can't see out of the other. http://www.jpfo.org

3936. Re: AF2Y: JPFO facts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510195944.23683.00001686@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111518

GLC1173, well put. Doc is just misled and too damn stuborn to open his eyes
and realize. Thanks for input.
I for one appreciate it.
Keep 'em in the 10 ring, KK7HO

3937. Davis Instruments WeatherLink

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Ratliff <noone@home.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1383ba364257265c989680@news.mrtc.com>
Source record: 111519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking for schematics/plans for the Davis Instruments WeatherLink.
If anyone has any info, it would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Bob Ratliff
KD4MKB
kd4mkb@qsl.net

3938. Re: Licensing and registration

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3919FF07.4A12B580@oio.net>
Source record: 111520

KK7HO,
So, what else is new?
'Doc

3939. Looking for 1983-1986 Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Patrick W. Soileau" <psoileau@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <B4DF43CD049A6405.8661CEBB428FCF0E.BFD11E3EE229C32F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111521

Greetings!

I'm presently looking for a 1983-1986 US Callbook
so that I can provide proof that I was a licensed
novice back in those days.

If you've got one for sale, or would be willing to
photocopy a page from it for me, I'd certainly
appreciate hearing from you.

73 de pat KA5NMN

3940. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Patrick W. Soileau" <psoileau@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <A7F8E74817E5E806.B22D059FE7DAD7AE.95EDB50421913DFF@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111522

Gee.

It's been quite a while since I've read any of the amateur radio forums on USENET and I must admit that I'd thought that maybe I was missing out on something.

What ever happened to the spirit of friendship which was so commonplace in amateur radio for years and years? It seems to have all but evaporated.

The last time I can remember such furor was when the "No-Code Tech" concept was brand new.

Oh, yes, there was one more that comes readily to mind. That was when the FCC restructured the commercial licenses, eliminating the First, Second, and Third Class Radiotelephone tickets and replacing them with the "General" ticket.

Someone even went so far as to say that I didn't know anything about broadcasting because I had a General rather than a First Phone. I politely told him that I took the only damn test that the FCC gave and that he should take the matter up with them.

If someone's "upset" about license restructuring, perhaps their comments should be directed at those who are responsible, not the "newcomers" who are showing an interest in a fine hobby which, given the trends of the last couple of decades, might well become extinct in our lifetimes.

73 de pat KA5NMN

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p.s. - If you have any comments which you'd like to address to me personally, please feel free to do so by e-mailing me. Thank you.

3941. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <018df988.0b831cac@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 111523

HEY ! "REAL HAM" . I ONLY GOT TWO WORDS FOR YOU. FUCK YOU !!!!

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3942. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Forensic Ornithologist <dogworks@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <shk6oj8nkcp108@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111524

Is there a "Q" signal for that?

"Sam" <alphacentauriNOalSPAM@i-plus.net.invalid> wrote
in message
news:018df988.0b831cac@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com...
> HEY ! "REAL HAM" . I ONLY GOT TWO WORDS FOR YOU. FUCK
YOU !!!!
>
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>

3943. Re: AF2Y: oh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Forensic Ornithologist <dogworks@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <shk6oapfkcp89@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111525

<dtolassi@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8f6pscfdi1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>The claim to be part of a group called the "posse
comatose ?" or something like that.

No, I think you spelled it wrong. It's "Pussy Come 'n'
Taunt Us"

3944. Field Day 1999 2A Battery scores needed please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyberkat <fantbbNOfaSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <045fdfc4.76d2c8a9@usw-ex0103-019.remarq.com>
Source record: 111526

I am hoping that someone could send me the top 3 2A Battery
scores for 1999. We are going to operate 2A Battery this coming
Field Day and like to know what kind a score we could shoot for.
Then again the way we operate we'll probably just try not to be
dead last! 8-)

73!

Jeff

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3945. AF2Y REFUTES WYATT EARP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fd7o3$t8o$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111527
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

To: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

> Tell that to the fools in Britain who registered their handguns - and then
> had their "democracy" confiscate them.
> You cannot trust a government - this one included: I did not have a
> sexual relationship with this woman means that high elected officials will
> lie to fools like you - and you will believe it in the name of "it can't
happen
> here." From the Tuskeegee syphilis experiments to the internment of American
> citizens in concentration camps just for having Japanese ancestors to
Klinton's
> "one-year" peace deployment in YugoNam (now in its fifth year) to the Gulf of
> Tonkin non-"incident" that 58,000 Americans died in Vietnam for, federal lying
> to sheeple like you is the rule and not the exception.

<<

3946. Schlatter blather

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3919EA47.3F8BB589@bctv.com>
Source record: 111528

Joe Schlatter wrote:
>
> Let's see if I understand this.
>
> A 6-year-old child is taken in and sheltered by an uncle with four DUI
> convictions who, after living in this country for over ten years, still
> needs a translator to talk to the media.

One of the men whom we must thank for the existence of this country was
never able to speak English, training and leading the Continental Army
through the use of a translator.

> The community in which the uncle lives has formed, over the years, their own
> foreign enclave in the US of A, acting as a law unto themselves, violating
> the domestic airspace of an sovereign nation.

The United States was the first entity to violate the domestic airspace
of a sovereign nation, and it has since become a tradition.

3947. More Schlatter blather

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <3919EAE2.345DDD8@bctv.com>
Source record: 111529

Joe Schlatter wrote:
>
> So go tell it to the NYTimes who reported FOUR DUI.

Wasn't it the NYTimes who won the Pulitzer prize a few years back for a series of "news" articles which turned out to be FICTION?

> Okay, let's put the shoe on the other foot.
>
> Mother living in the US decides that life would be better back home in
> China so she grabs the child and heads back to the good old People's
> Republic.

Not comparable, and you know it.

However, it is nice to see a Democrat returning to his party's roots.

3948. Reply to Joe: Hispanics Touch off Flag Waving Frenzy in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26976-391A208E-94@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111530

Joe, with the allegation all laid out as facts, you're buying the Clinton spin uncritically. Though no final arbiter of all the facts, I can tell you that your version is is far from theirs.

No one is advocating operating outside the law. The Cuban population here is not only law abiding but exemplary with family as well as hard working. Cubans have rocketed Miami to world class city.

No doubt in my mind that you are carrying certain prejudices fuelled strictly by the press. Maybe not all, as I'm no expert either.

But I can address Janet Reno's trip down here. I also have personal experience with Reno, who is basically an honest person. She came down here at the marching orders of President Clinton, unopen to both sides as she had declared. Cubans here bristle at the way they were set up by that trip. They never recovered from that, because they cannot equal the Clinton spin machine.

In this city, Cubans have touched off a frenzy of flag waving by everyone, as the roads are filled with flags flying from cars. You see, the Hispanic population is more zealous than most, thrilled to live in our land, honored to serve their country, indebted to the Constitution.

When Janet Reno was Dade County Attorney, I once picked up my telephone to a ranting Reno. It was her response to a column in which I was rightfully critical of her office. Above all a politician, she quieted quickly.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3949. Warm Welcome to All New Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26976-391A2723-97@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111531

Let no one be confused by the headline. It surely doesn't represent the feelings of this ham or the majority.

For my fifty years in this hobby, I've found hams extraordinarily civic minded and friendly. We welcome all the new hams with open hearts.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

3950. Re: Field Day 1999 2A Battery scores needed please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391A370D.85531919@oio.net>
Source record: 111532

TOP THREE "AA" BATTERIES OF 1999

1.Duracell
2.Eveready
3.Rayovac

3951. Re: Field Day 1999 2A Battery scores needed please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyberkat <fantbbNOfaSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0caeb184.a776d9cf@usw-ex0104-028.remarq.com>
Source record: 111533

In article
<8A358B9BC298D317.924D36D726959B07.A668A1ACD19ECFBC@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:
>We ALWAYS did better when we operated as 1A, not 2A. We never
ran out
>of operators and didn't have a CW station that set idle for
hours with no operator, that way.

Well we are going to have at least 10 people there most of the
time. We will also be running a VHF/UHF station as it's a
freebie. Doesn't count towards the transmitter count.
So a empty station won't be a problem.

Come on Field Day!

Jeff

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3952. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391B14D8.5D82@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111384

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> Curt,
>
> That is how I felt before the Elian matter. If you lived down here and
> witnessed what we do, I know you'd have a different opinion.
>
> Jose Basulto, head of Brothers to the Rescue, says that they cannot
> compete with the Clinton spin machine. I agree.
>
> I had always thought Basulto an angry man from Cuba who exemplifies the
> movement. But when I sat down with him, he was the opposite: cool,
> calm, reflective, friendly, insightful. You see, it is fashionable for
> the media to prod him, then to show a pressured Basulto in ten second
> sound bites trying to answer with ten minutes worth of information. I
> don't believe they do not have the resources for even one PR employee.
>
> Talking with Busalto one on one was astounding, proving the prejudice I
> was carrying--and no doubt carried by many. Where did it come from, I
> keep asking myself, since I try to be fair minded with all.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Bob,

I understand that the perspective on this issue is different down in the Miami area, but isn't what you witnessed there the collective gut reactions of a group of disgruntled expats? I know that the Cuban regime is not a good one, but I favor conversion to a free-market economy and a Democracy through mutual interaction and trade. It seems that the Miami Cubans generally favor punitive actions against the home island and its people, and would even applaud a Pyhrric victory of some type that would hurt ordinary Cubans just to "get at" Castro. It is my impression that the group to which you referred ("Brothers to the Rescue") tend to seek confrontation with Cuban authorities rather than reconciliation - (ref. the airspace incursion that resulted in the shoot-down a while ago). There are times for difiance, but there are also times for letting old grudges go in order to make things better for everyone.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

3953. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Ellers <ed_ellers@msn.com>
Message-ID: <O$TI#S5u$GA.234@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 111385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Rod <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

"Would you care to do some math about growth rates?"

Sounds like you entirely missed Paul's point -- that "the amateur population (would be) dwindling down to nothing" if we did *not* have a no-code license.

--
Ed Ellers, KD4AWQ

3954. Re: can reg. wire destroy receiver ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391B330D.F0257833@oio.net>
Source record: 111386

Phil,
An antenna makes no difference in how a signal 'sounds',
other than in strength an 'noisiness'. The characteristics
of the receiver's audio section, filtering, and to some
slight extent, propagation do affect the audio qualities of
a signal. More than likely, the only difference between
your 'plain-old-wire' antenna, and a 'real-live' HF antenna
is going to be the strength of the signal your listening to.
Depending on propagation, distance to the signal source, and
some other variables, the 'plain-old-wire' may out-do the
other antenna!
I think the difference your hearing is just the difference
between receivers.
'Doc

3955. Re: Noise on a switching power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391B3625.8177EBAF@oio.net>
Source record: 111387

(Things to try)
Jack,
Switching power supplies, UNLESS designed for communications
applications, are notorious noise generators. Thats because of
'how' they go about producing the required voltage/current.
Sort of like a 'square wave' generator. Aside from re-designing
the circuit (almost), your only recourse is to try filtering
the output, and this ~may~ be all that you have to do. Try
adding a filter network, such as you find on conventional power
supplies. If that doesn't at least reduce the 'buzz', I think
I would try selling it at the next hamfest/fleamarket.
Switching power supplies can be very nice...small size, low
weight, etc. But they have to be designed with the application
in mind.
'Doc

3956. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391AFE49.9A64AC3C@bctv.com>
Source record: 111388

GLC1173 wrote:
>

> It's a whole lot easier for a habitual DUI offender like one neighbor's son
> to buy another car - even on credit - than it is for him to buy a shotgun, much
> less a pistol.

Except in New York City or Washington DC. You don't find cars being
stolen from cops and sold on every streetcorner.

3957. FS:Used stuff!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A. Billings" <kc5doo@aol.com>
Message-ID: <391B3721.810A990D@aol.com>
Source record: 111389

New remote variable control, alternator voltage regulators. 6 to 20
volts output, Heavy duty.

Used tubes.

Goto "http://www43.pair.com/billings/" used stuff for sale.

Thanks

Art./ kc5doo
Please use this e-mail address "billings@pair.com"

3958. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391B00E8.358E97C8@bctv.com>
Source record: 111390

"Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>

> Bob,
>
> I understand that the perspective on this issue is different down in the
> Miami area, but isn't what you witnessed there the collective gut
> reactions of a group of disgruntled expats?

This was the National Socialist response when the early reports of
"concentration camps" started filtering out of Europe.

> It is my
> impression that the group to which you referred ("Brothers to the
> Rescue") tend to seek confrontation with Cuban authorities rather than
> reconciliation - (ref. the airspace incursion that resulted in the
> shoot-down a while ago).

Your impression is wrong. Surprise!

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3959. Re: Second Story Grounding??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391B3921.22F13E6D@oio.net>
Source record: 111391

Ken,
First of all, forget the coax ground with the capacitors, they do absolutely no good. This idea originated from a 'letter' to one of the ham magazines 20 or 30 years ago. It does not work.
Second floor grounding is almost impossible to do. The length of the ground wire/strap is the problem. What would be a low impedance length to ground on one band, is almost sure to be a high impedance on another. Multiple ground wires/straps are just 'asking' for a ground loop problem. I haven't used one so can't say from personal experience, but the 'artificial' ground method ~might~ be your best bet.
About your power supply... You didn't say what the current requirement was for your amplifier. If the amp's current draw is very high (>20 A), your 35A astron just isn't 'enough' power supply! Depending on current requirements, you may have to double that, something like 60-70 amps. So, the problem with the grounding may not be the problem there.
Good luck, and if you get things 'fixed' let me know how you did it!
'Doc

PS - Do you go 'fishing' by dropping one end of an antenna in the river??

3960. Re: AF2Y :"me,me,me KK7HO"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ffealmqt1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111392
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You unidentified yellowbelly. Blow it out of your you know what. God all mighty, all you think about is Clinton's lack of morality yet those who condemned him the most were found out to be the biggest whoremongers of all. Why don't you get off your sanctimonius kick? November's coming and you'll be able to pull the lever for saint George of Bush. That'll make you forget all about Bill. And apprently you have no compassion for the elderly Americans who have to now decide whether to take a pill or eat? That's because you're a narrow minded schmuck who's probabaly a young rich snotnosed character without a care in the world. You're parents aren't old either so why the hell should you care about such an important problem? I'll bet if we went your way, you'd destroy social security and Medicare too. A young bigmouthed rightwing ultra conservative Republican horse's ass is what you are. One of Dick Armey's and Trent Lott's boys. Guaranteed both of them will go the way of Gingrich and you can go the way to the devil.
AF2Y

In article <20000511143044.07411.00002208@ng-cl1.aol.com>, glc1173@aol.com (GLC1173) wrote:

> Maybe that's because Canada's premier didn't get caught by an O.J.-style DNA
> test perjuring himself in two separate proceedings. Maybe that's because
> Canada's premier didn't go on television and lie to Canadians: I did not
> have a sexual relationship with that woman.

3961. Re: Looking for 1983-1986 Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: km2f@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ffg4p$80h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111393

Hi again,
Glad to read that I wasn't the only one who answered. Hams will always
renew my faith in human nature, hi. I hope that you can extract
the .tif attachment of the page that I copied from the '86 Call Book.
Congratulations on your future upgrade....73...MikeIn article
<B4DF43CD049A6405.8661CEBB428FCF0E.BFD11E3EE229C32F@lp.airnews.net>,
psoileau@airmail.net wrote:
> Greetings!
>
> I'm presently looking for a 1983-1986 US Callbook
> so that I can provide proof that I was a licensed
> novice back in those days.
>
> If you've got one for sale, or would be willing to
> photocopy a page from it for me, I'd certainly
> appreciate hearing from you.
>
> 73 de pat KA5NMN
>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

3962. Re: KB8JBO & mom's COLOSTOMY bag

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ffekunql1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111394

THIS IS ABSOLUTELY OUT OF CONTROL!

In article <8ff5c1rbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com wrote:

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>
> The TRUTH must hurt, DEFORMO FACE!!!! You always must <FLUSH!>
> everything I say about the 'ole GOAT. Am I starting to get "UNDER YOUR
> SKIN?" Have I hit one too many NERVES? Are my postings about the 'ole
> GOAT to CLOSE TO HOME?
>
>> Now go wash and wax my Mom's car and my truck,
>
> The only "car" the 'ole GOAT will be in any time soon is a HEARSE!!!!
> Better change her COLOSTOMY BAG again, FREAK FACE. What does she think
> about all your MAGAZINE reading?, hohohoho.
>
> As for your "truck".....TYPICAL "redneck" transportation......Does
> your "truck" have a GUN RACK in the rear window? How about a scented
> PINE TREE hanging from the rear view mirror? Any empty cans of LONE STAR
> beer in the back bed? How about a "My mother is on her DEATHBED"
> bumper-sticker? Do you play the sound track from DELIVERANCE on your 8
> track tape system?
>
> Ya, I guess you do "OWN ME", MONKEY FACE.....The first thing I
> plan to do since you "OWN ME" is to get the 'ole GOAT some HEMORHOIDAL
> cream. She needs RELIEF from her constant "ITCHING & BURNING". hohohoho.
>
>> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
>> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> [QRM'er] General IDIOT [CB'er]
> 'ole GOATS retard son [QRM'er]
> [AF2Y suckboy] Unemployed [Idiot]
>> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> [Deformed face] No job [Fatso]
>
> Keep on reading those MAGAZINES, ELEPHANT FACE.....Go check on
> the 'ole GOATS bed WELTS now!!!!!!!!!!!!!
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> The ONE & ONLY,
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> PITBULL
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> Before you buy.

3963. Re: Re-Larry: Warm Welcome to All New Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ffff7bvg1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111395

Mickey?

In article <9201-391A55FC-31@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> Larry, Here, here. Those days are long gone. Having lived half of ham
> radio history, we're also half way down the road of silent keys. Then
> another caring generation will pick up the mantel.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

3964. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fffpe$r1b$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111396

Wait for the debates when Al Gore will prove that George W. doesn't know the
difference between issues and tissues.

In article <8f1ho1$8k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> In article <ySEUOTeQTjN7KnNLv46mDsMPTx5d@4ax.com>,
> Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>> On Thu, 04 May 2000 22:02:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>
>> >You may be right Doc....but I'll tell you this....the Demoncrats have
>> >LOST THE CUBAN VOTE FOREVER. And that includes all their friends.
>>
>> Where have you been? The democrats haven't had the Cuban vote since
>> the Bay Of Pigs! The Cubans may influence Miami, and to some extent
>> the State of Florida...but they don't elect Presidents.
>>
>> Jim
>> KG4GXP
>>
> I've been in Alabama for the last couple of decades, after having lived
> in North Miami and Ft. Lauderdale. I'm right up the road from the
> Talladega prison where we still have a lot of the "boat people" housed.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
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> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
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3965. Re: What's up with Sister Stair??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fffts$328$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111397

Is a helo a halon . If so, hello?

In article <391713F4.B3CE07C3@Telocity.com>, Jon Johnson
<Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com> wrote:

> Larry W4CSC wrote:
>>
>> The drug cops even find it growing from the helos where noone
>> can get to!
>
> What part of a helo can't you get to??

3966. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ffg76$1rf$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111398

Yeah and nowadays a Democrat is defined as a Republican who cares.

In article <03d36e10.1282bc26@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

> A lot of conservatives are ex-liberals who've had their
> asses mugged. Should a mugger confront me, his butt is
> in mortal danger. I'm fortunate enough to live in a state
> that has right to carry. kz5b
> P. S. Mao, I don't belong to any gun group or club.
>
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3967. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcdjr <dewitt_jrNOdeSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1fba65de.5335b0ae@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 111399

where and when did you purchase your freq., i want one of my own
too....

DICK

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3968. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ffg7tmdo1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>>On rec.radio.amateur.dx, Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com> wrote:

>>>Who really gives a rip if some hams can go there and talk back to
>>>their buddies, anyhow?

But then writes:

>I have several QSL's from KP6,

Why condemn others if you've done the same thing yourself? Apparently
you gave enough of a "rip" to make the QSO and collect the card.

>Jeffrey, don't presume to lecture your elders.

You posed a silly question -- you apparently needed the lecture.

73, Jeff KH6O

3969. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391B40E6.40BC@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111401

Keith Wood wrote:
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> "Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> > Bob,
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> > I understand that the perspective on this issue is different down in the
> > Miami area, but isn't what you witnessed there the collective gut
> > reactions of a group of disgruntled expats?
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> This was the National Socialist response when the early reports of
> "concentration camps" started filtering out of Europe.
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> Your impression is wrong. Surprise!
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> Funny how the only people who shoot down unarmed, non-aggressive
> aircraft are the same ones who imprison their own people.

Keith,

If the "Brothers" weren't trying to generate a confrontation, then what were they doing violating Cuban airspace? Can you imagine what would happen if a couple of Cuban planes decided to drop leaflets over Miami...? I own a private airplane, and I am very aware of the fact that I could legally be shot down if I chose to fly into one of the prohibited areas in this country (such as P-66). While I agree with you that it's better to show restraint, you can't blame a soverign country for defending its borders. I'm also aware of the lengths that people will go to thumb their nose at authority that they don't agree with. There is a fellow up here in Albany, NY who owns a semi-famous

Beechcraft Bonanza called "10-Romeo" that he used to fly a "medical mercy mission" to Havana against the wishes of the State Department. He almost lost the aircraft (it was temporarily confiscated) (and his freedom) for this when he returned to our area. He had apparently declared a questionable "emergency" when over Havana on a corridor to Jamaica, and unloaded his supplies when he was at the airport there. He was ordered by the US State Department (and the Customs Service) to fly immediately to Miami to face their inquiry, but he chose to return to Albany via the Bahamas instead. He said that he feared for his life as a result of the anti-Cuban attitudes prevalent in the Miami area. He also considered that there was a high probability of his being framed if he passed through Customs in that area on his way back.

The Miami Cuban expat community has a reputation for extreme views, and it hasn't been improved by recent events...

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

3970. Re: AF2Y-JUST FOR YOU..AUSIE GUN CONTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <030cdc20.1c35125e@usw-ex0102-015.remarq.com>
Source record: 111402

Oh, I am sure ole smucky-boy will have something to say. He
always does even if it is not pertinent.

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3971. 2 Yaesu FT 101 ham radios on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: SaxJedi <saxjedi@freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <8fflpk$n0h$1@news.smartworld.net>
Source record: 111403
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Check out this auction on ebay.

2 Yaesu FT 101 ham radios!!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=326175125

3972. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391B3296.37B407C2@bctv.com>
Source record: 111404

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The civilized nations of this world don't shoot down unarmed airplanes for the heinous crime of crossing into their airspace. Much less for being ten miles outside that airspace.

In fact, there is no international aviation law whatsoever prohibiting nonbelligerent entry of a nation's airspace -- it's LANDING that gets you in trouble.

However, there is a chronology at http://www.hermanos.org/feb24/chrono.html which you might find of interest.

The ICAO report, including comm transcripts, is at http://www.hermanos.org/feb24/icao.html

3973. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391B7134.3850@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111405

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I appreciate the references, and I'll look at them carefully. I know that one of the planes had an APRS system onboard, and a friend of mine had a track series on the flight. There is international law on the point of unauthorized airspace incursion - even if you penetrate the US Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ) from either ocean without an IFR or DVFR flight plan, or if you are outside your declared window of penetration (in time or location) you are subject to interception. If you do not follow the radio or visual instructions of the interceptors, you are subject to shoot-down. They usually preface this with a cannon tracer-burst to get your attention, but this isn't strictly necessary. This is all in the FAR/AIM literature. Other countries are free to use their own rules, but they often parallel these fairly closely.

The establishment of the boundary of "space" as 53 miles (in the 50's) was part of the agreement that created nationally protected airspace as part of international law.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

3974. MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510200523.23704.00001741@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111435

Clinton ally leads march

Tony Blankley

The late, brilliant professor of semantics (and U.S. senator) S.I. Hayakawa wrote almost half a century ago that the act of communication is the basic moral act: "One begins with the sharing of perceptions about commonplace or even obvious things, so that, with the establishment of myriads of little agreements, larger and larger agreements become possible." That would be a pretty good mission statement for a news organization.
But, regretfully, not all news organizations report the details accurately, thereby justifying the confidence of their readers or viewers — which brings me to the anti-gun "Million Mom March" (a Mother's Day march on Washington which will call for registration of all handguns and other sundry gun-control measures.)
CNN's coverage is typical. Earlier this week CNN reported that "the march is the brainchild of a New Jersey mother, Donna Dees-Thomases, who conceived of the idea as she watched footage of a shooting at an area day camp." In a script that goes on for more than four single-spaced pages, that is all we learn of Ms. Dees-Thomases.
But that is just television — what about the printed word? In a major, front-of-the-section Sunday piece, the New York Times headlined its story: "Invoking the Moral Authority of Moms." Befitting the greatest news organization in the universe, the Times gives us more information. It quotes Ms. Dees-Thomases explaining: "Our maternal instincts were just kicking in . . . Everyone truly believes that until we get the politics out of this, nothing much will get done . . . This is a public health issue . . . This is personal, not political . . . We are in this for one reason alone: to keep our kids safe."
The New York Times, whose motto is "all the news that's fit to print," does manage to squeeze into this almost 2000-word report the background fact that Ms. Dees-Thomases is "currently on leave from her job as a part-time publicist for CBS." So, apparently, she is not just any New Jersey mother, but a part-time CBS publicist. But even the vaunted New York Times couldn't fit in all the news about Ms. Dees-Thomases. Before she was a part-time publicist, she was Dan Rather himself's publicist — and by reputation an exceptionally able public relations executive.
Oh, there is one other interesting fact about her. If the last half of her hyphenated name rings a bell, it's no accident. She just happens to be the sister-in-law of Susan Thomases, who just happens to be Hillary Clinton's best friend and closest political adviser. Just a New Jersey housewife, indeed. One might as well identify Queen Elizabeth as "Liz Windsor, an English mother of four."
Now, maybe all those warmhearted thoughts about maternal instincts, the kids and getting politics out of it, are genuine. But when the organizer of

this event — so timely and politically useful to the Clintons — turns out to be so closely connected to the Clintons, shouldn't that be reported widely? During the New York Republican primary, when some anti-McCain environmental ads ran on New York television, the major media formed a posse to find out who placed the adds. When it turned out to be a businessman closely connected to George W. Bush, that became the main story. For days the media itemized every available detail about the Bush connection — as well they should have. The public has a right to judge the motives of political players by knowing their background and affiliations.

The absence of such information in the New York Times piece is particularly galling, because it is an otherwise fascinating account of the role of mothers in reform crusades. I have a personal interest in that topic because for many years my mother, now retired, was an organizer for the Mother's March of Dimes, which fought polio and birth defects. Now those were public health issues bereft of politics. So it upsets me when political operatives cover their activities under the saintly mantle of motherhood.

Yet, in the lead of that New York Times article Ms. Dees-Thomases' motives are characterized as "trying to break through ideology and partisanship and make an appeal based on the moral authority of women as mothers." Thus it is penetratingly probative of the story's thesis (and of Ms. Dees-Thomases' credibility), whether Ms. Dees-Thomases is acting "as a mother" or as a political operative. To deny the readers such necessary (and available) information is to breach what professor Hayakawa called the moral act of communication.

3975. Licensing and registration

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510201444.23683.00001687@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111436

Anti-Gun March Rejects Firearm Safety
Organizers of Sunday's anti-gun march on Washington DC have rejected NRA's firearm safety initiatives and made clear that restricting the rights of law-abiding citizens is their number one priority.
In a press release issued this week, the march's top booster said NRA, "should endorse what we stand for, specifically the licensing of handgun owners and the registration of handguns." The release went on to emphasize that, "the main goal of this March is licensing and registration."

Read more at http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/articles/A37040-2000May9.html

3976. Jews and Gun Control by Rabbi.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510202739.23700.00001800@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 111437

http://www.jpfo.org/fear.htm

3977. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fd1kg$g1n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111438

In article <8fc5h3$m4m$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Don't give me this crap about JEWS for Preservation of Firearms
Ownership
> because EVERY AMERICAN SHOULD RIGHTFULLY DEMAND THIS RIGHT but what
has that
> got to do with legislating better CONTROL of weapons in light of
constant
> misuse causing death? You reactionary screwballs are all the same.
> Constantly you equate legislation with confiscation and if you don't
know
> the difference, then you haven't the intelligence to handle a gun to
start
> with. All this stuff about legislation equalling confiscation was
concocted
> by rightwing nuts in order to stir up sentiment against
Washington,D.C. You
> beat the drum of lies and hope that we can't see through you and
them. There
> will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this
democracy.
> Even if put to a vote Congress would kill it immediately. There are
millions
> of responsible gun owners out there who are in no danger whatsoever;
you'll
> be able to target shoot and kill defenseless animals to adorn your
walls
> with their heads. WOW, ain't you something! But what will happen is
that
> laws will come into effect which will make it impossible for
incompetents to
> buy them which is a PLUS for society. Gun manufacturers will be
forced to
> comply with laws allowing only the buyer to use one. That's called
SAFETY
> like in SAFETY LOCKS. For those who rebel againt such an idea, would
you
> step into a commercial airliner whose captain just finished smoking a
joint?
> It's exactly the same principle. When it comes to the safety of us
all there
> should never be a compromise and saying no to gun legislation is
cutting off
> your noses to spite your faces. The government crackdown on the

cigarette
> industry WILL SAVE LIVES yet it's our right to smoke. Increased gun
> legislation will SAVE LIVES yet it's our right to bear arms.
> AF2Y
>

Had the Jews of Europe NOT been disarmed, would 6 million of them
still have been slaughtered? Or, was this simply the price they had to
pay for "reasonable" and "better control of weapons"?

"There will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this
democracy". SAYS WHO? CLINTON, FEINSTINE, SCHUMMER? OR maybe the fine
fellow down the road from you that has that lovely bridge to sell?

Throughout history, it has been the nature of governments to
accumulate as much power as the people will tolerate. Beyond that
point there is tyranny. Tyranny is little concerned with people
quoting laws and the constitution. Tyranny is much more concerned when
the Constitution holds an honored place in your gun cabinet.

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> In article <20000507204446.14514.00001785@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>
> >
> > Doc you started it and now you say it's ridiculous. I can post YOUR
over
> > reaction here(a couple of them) for everyone to see and then we'll
really see
> > what's ridiculous and over reacting. I sent you e-mail not the NG.
You get on
> > here calling names and rant and rave. ol man, grow up
> >
> > Ps. it's not my theory Doc check out
> > Jews for the "Preservation of Firearms Ownership. OK?
http://www.jfpo.org
>

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Before you buy.

3978. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510215118.05641.00002162@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111439

Oh, didn't you know beachmaster, Charlie says that the 6 million that died were not disarmed by Hitler. He sounds more like some of them on 3950 than he knows.

3979. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000510215814.05641.00002163@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111440

Just in case Charlie doesn't recall, here's a copy below
The statement by someone else below
.
>> > "Germany established gun control in 1938 and from 1939 to 1945,
>> > 13 million Jews and others who were unable to defend themselves were
> rounded
>> > up and exterminated.

Charlie's response to it below.

>Ridiculous stupid pro NRA propaganda. After W W I ended in Nov.1918, the provisional and then permanent government in Berlin OUTLAWED private ownership of guns in the Weimar Republic as it was known. Hitler came to power on Jan.30,1933, FIFTEEN years later. He had absolutely nothing to do with ending private ownership of guns <

3980. Re: Looking for 1983-1986 Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: aowen@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <8fd6kplhb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111441

In article
<B4DF43CD049A6405.8661CEBB428FCF0E.BFD11E3EE229C32F@lp.airnews.net>,
psoileau@airmail.net wrote:
> Greetings!
>
> I'm presently looking for a 1983-1986 US Callbook
> so that I can provide proof that I was a licensed
> novice back in those days.
>
> If you've got one for sale, or would be willing to
> photocopy a page from it for me, I'd certainly
> appreciate hearing from you.
>
> 73 de pat KA5NMN
>
Hey I found an old 1983-84 official ARRL Callbook in my basement and
sure enough, there you are, listed as a novice at 510 N Reed St, etc I
would be happy to send you a photocopy by mail. Is that still your
current address ? If not, please e-mail me the latest one. 73 WA3OWT

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3981. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fd759$m3t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111442

In article <20000510215814.05641.00002163@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> Just in case Charlie doesn't recall, here's a copy below
> The statement by someone else below
> .
> >> > "Germany established gun control in 1938 and from 1939 to 1945,
> >> > 13 million Jews and others who were unable to defend themselves
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> provisional and then permanent government in Berlin OUTLAWED private
> ownership of guns in the Weimar Republic as it was known. Hitler came
to
> power on Jan.30,1933, FIFTEEN years later. He had absolutely nothing
to do
> with ending private ownership of guns <
>
> I'm sure those who were put to death took great comfort in the
fact that it wasn't Hitler who disarmed them.

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3982. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fd7nc$mh1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111443
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <8fckad$pa3$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> Matt,
> You're absolutely justified in being a gun-rights activist and I have
a
> feeling you are the type of responsible person who knows the right
protocol.
> And it's your RIGHT to bear arms but it's wrong to enable every
Tom,Dick and
> Harry in this nation from obtaining a gun at any time, anywhere as if
he
> were buying a can of tomato soup. That's called raping a right!
> AF2Y
>

As long as Tom, Dick or Harry are not insane, an addict or a
convicted felon, they should have the right to buy both tomato soup and
guns.
> ----------
> In article <20000508001135.14507.00001788@ng-ck1.aol.com>,
glc1173@aol.com
> (GLC1173) wrote:
>
> > AF2Y wrote:
> >>You'll love guns until someone in your >family is shot.
> >
> > Bullshit.
> > I wouldn't start hating cars if some relative who drank
irresponsibly died
> > in a DUI wreck - nor would I hate beer if some drunk driver killed
a relative.
> > Know why I'm a gun-right activist? Because my elderly mother
and I were
> > stalked a couple years ago by a convicted felon and mental patient
with 40+
> > local arrests, 12+ for breakins. (We'd never heard of him before;
he does
> this
> > to random victims.)
> > Matt,
> > N4GSV
> >
> >

> > ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> > Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
> > Al Gore - in his own words
> > ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
> > official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
> >
>

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3983. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <SCUaOV4c0C3b3H0Z4SmTYscInnqY@4ax.com>
Source record: 111444

On Wed, 10 May 2000 21:28:06 -0500, "Forensic Ornithologist"
<dogworks@pobox.com> wrote:

>Is there a "Q" signal for that?

QFU?

3984. Re: Davis Instruments WeatherLink

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5WLS@SpamCop.net
Message-ID: <8F30ED9BBK5WLSemailcom@192.168.44.3>
Source record: 111445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob Ratliff <noone@home.net> wrote:

>I am looking for schematics/plans for the Davis Instruments
>WeatherLink. If anyone has any info, it would be greatly
>appreciated.

Meaning that you don't want to buy their equipment, you want to steal
their design and build your own?

I can't help you, but maybe you can get one of these sites to copy the
schematics and send them to you:

http://weathertools.com/dtoolbox.htm
http://www.wxsystems.com/Davisstations.htm
http://www.weathershop.com/davis_wireless.htm
http://www.online-catalog.com/gadgets/wx.html
http://www.poly-electronic.ch/davis-weatherlink.htm
http://www.binary.co.nz/davis.html
http://www.centurytel.net/renfro/Station.htm

3985. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000511001544.19174.00002010@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 111446

Charlie, your spin and interpretation of that gentlemans post could almost put you in the same class as James "the snake" Carvell.
The problem isn't the country or what made it great the problem is that people like you want to change it. I'm all for immigrants coming here, learn the language, etc., but they don't need to come over here because it is America and then try to change it.
You want the majority to pay the price for a minority. CONTROL and restrict the freedom of the law abiding because of the deeds of the criminal.
It makes no sense. Charlie, how about you having to ask for permission to speak because of something David Duke said?

3986. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511002517.19501.00001370@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 111447
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y wrote:
>Oh but you will because mandatory >registration and licensing are two ways
>which will assure everyone that guns won't > fall into the hands of
>incompetents therefore if you are one, >WORRY.

You are naive as hell.
Think that the doper son of the neighbor, who has done time for selling coke to an undercover officer, is going to either register his gun - or be deterred from buying one by registration schemes? Last I heard, the guy - who as a convicted felon cannot legally possess guns now - had a pistol he'd filed the serial number off of, also a felony.

>Guns, in the hands of WRONG PEOPLE, >will
>destroy us.

Who are the "wrong people," Doc?
Federal statistics report that blacks commit homicide at EIGHT times the rate of European-Americans.
Doesn't that suggest to you that this country's violence problem is hardly due to an inanimate steel object equally available to all in a town?
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3987. Re: What happened to Form 610?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391A3682.B1D15F89@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111448

"Thomas C. Sefranek" wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> > A friend of mine wanted me to download a copy of Form 610, but I could
> > not find it on the FCC web site (on the forms page). What happened to
> > this form?
> >
> > I know the ULS is available now, but does this eliminate paper filing?
> > In other words, can you still file using paper? If not, what about
> > people who do not have computers (like my friend)?
> >
> > Dwight Stewart
>
> Try Form 605.

Got it. Thanks for the assistance.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

3988. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511003051.19501.00001371@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 111449
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y wrote:
>You'll love guns until someone in your >family is shot.

quoted me:
>> Know why I'm a gun-right activist? >>Because my elderly mother and I
were
>> stalked a couple years ago by a >>convicted felon and mental patient with
>>40+
>> local arrests, 12+ for breakins. (We'd >>never heard of him before; he does
>>this
>> to random victims.)

and replied:
>You're absolutely justified in being a >gun-rights activist and I have a
>feeling you are the type of responsible >person who knows the right protocol.
>And it's your RIGHT to bear arms but it's >wrong to enable every Tom,Dick and
>Harry in this nation from obtaining a gun >at any time, anywhere as if he
>were buying a can of tomato soup.

Ever actually buy a gun, Doc - particularly since the Brady Bill?
It's not like buying Campbell's Soup at Harris-Teeter, or even buying a car.
To legally buy any gun at any gun shop, you have to undergo a
background check - through a national database. And here in North Carolina,
buying a handgun means about a three-day wait for the sheriff's department to
do a background check.
It's a whole lot easier for a habitual DUI offender like one neighbor's son
to buy another car - even on credit - than it is for him to buy a shotgun, much
less a pistol.
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3989. Re: MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511003418.19501.00001372@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 111450
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

KK7HO wrote:
>"Million Mom March" (a Mother's Day >march on
>Washington which will call for registration >of all handguns and other sundry
>gun-control measures.)

"Million" Mom March is a lie.
Its organizer, Donna Dees-Thomases, this week claimed 600 buses were coming.
Can you fit a million people on 600 buses?
Realistically, expect no more than 30,000 - with almost all from New Jersey
(see the "Million" Mom March's own web site) and D.C. suburbs.
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3990. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511004243.18557.00001998@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 111451

EXCELLENT point, Dan. They have every reason to laugh .. they'll be the only ones with guns when this is over. Well, them and the KommieKrat bureaucrats who "make the decisions".

Hope things take a turn for the better in November.

As for the "million mom march", pray for rain in Washington DC this coming Sunday. Hard rain. Monsoon rain. All day long rain. Send all those Volvo-station-wagon-driving soccer-moms home all wet and soggy. :-)

3991. Re: MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511004503.18557.00002000@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 111452

As for the "million mom march", pray for rain in Washington DC this coming Sunday. Hard rain. Monsoon rain. All day long rain. Send all those Volvo-station-wagon-driving soccer-moms home all wet and soggy. :-)

3992. Re: Jews and Gun Control by Rabbi.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511004711.18557.00002001@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 111453

As for the "million mom march", pray for rain in Washington DC this coming Sunday. Hard rain. Monsoon rain. All day long rain. Send all those Volvo-station-wagon-driving soccer-moms home all wet and soggy. :-)

3993. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <radio62@idirect.com>
Message-ID: <r9rS4.23567$Kv2.151816@quark.idirect.com>
Source record: 111454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Not to fan the flames any more, but SSTV was invented by a University of
> Kentucky grad. He did his doctorial on it. Use the (then ham) 11Mtr band.
> In 1957 or so it was the newest technology. I have read and should have a
copy
> of his desertation. Interesting given the technology he had available to
work
> with.
> Do a net search on Capehorn Mcdonald sometime. I
> only hope I have spelled his name correctly.

Try Copthorne McDonald.

Rick...

3994. Re: Reply to Joe: Hispanics Touch off Flag Waving Frenzy in Miami

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <365F5414F77CB348.D71FB8DC1BFCFC24.8D0F86DAB7C61609@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111455

On Wed, 10 May 2000 22:53:02 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>
>When Janet Reno was Dade County Attorney, I once picked up my telephone
>to a ranting Reno. It was her response to a column in which I was
>rightfully critical of her office. Above all a politician, she quieted
>quickly.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>
Sometimes you just want your phone connected to a 50KW clear channel
AM transmitter around 900Khz, don'tcha?....(c;

Larry W4CSC.

If she calls me, I'll simply hang up.

3995. Re: Field Day 1999 2A Battery scores needed please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8A358B9BC298D317.924D36D726959B07.A668A1ACD19ECFBC@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111456

We ALWAYS did better when we operated as 1A, not 2A. We never ran out
of operators and didn't have a CW station that set idle for hours with
no operator, that way. No interference from our other station made
scoring on the one transmitter MUCH faster, too!

I always wanted to have a set of those 6250AH submarine cells to
operate 2A off of.....(c; Even if they were dead, you could still run
the legal limit!

Larry...

On Wed, 10 May 2000 19:54:37 -0700, Cyberkat
<fantbbNOfaSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid> wrote:

>I am hoping that someone could send me the top 3 2A Battery
>scores for 1999. We are going to operate 2A Battery this coming
>Field Day and like to know what kind a score we could shoot for.
>Then again the way we operate we'll probably just try not to be
>dead last! 8-)
>
>73!
>
>Jeff
>
>* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
>The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

3996. Re: Warm Welcome to All New Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <014AEED269F71E4F.1DBB2BCB8DC991CF.9B4B4453FC5EE992@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111457

On Wed, 10 May 2000 23:21:07 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

>Let no one be confused by the headline. It surely doesn't represent the
>feelings of this ham or the majority.
>
>For my fifty years in this hobby, I've found hams extraordinarily civic
>minded and friendly. We welcome all the new hams with open hearts.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>
Add me to that list, Bob! Of course, being just a kid and having been a ham only since 1957, I yield to your "seniority"....(c;

Larry W4CSC Charleston South Carolina

3997. Re: FS: Grundig Satellite 700 world band radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oldgrowth <forestheart@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <391A5372.A455338B@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 111458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

wondering if the radio is still for sale
please confirm that is 250.00 cdn
how much is the shipping to Montreal?
contact me at galerieunison@hotmail.com

Michael wrote:

> FS:
> Grundig Satellite 700
> SSB / AM / FM / FM stereo worldband receiver
> with box and manuals, Mint condition
> Pictures are available at:
> http://users.snip.net/~hamman/grundig.html
>
> Price $250 buyer pays shipping
>
> Thanks
> Michael

3998. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fdjqvhpc1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On rec.radio.amateur.dx, Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Who really gives a rip if some hams can go there and talk back to their
>buddies, anyhow?

Since you're posing your question to the DX newsgroup, you're probably trolling; I'll bite the bait:

We're communicators, first and foremost. As communicators, we're not content to limit the number of people we can talk to, nor do we attempt to limit the distance our signal carries. On the contrary, we strive to build as efficient a station as possible so as to get every possible milliwatt into the ionosphere. One measure of the efficiency of our station is being able to consistently "work" hams in far-off countries; no different from a golfer striving to drive the ball as far and accurately as possible.

Just as the stamp collector collects stamps and the coin collector collects coins, we collect QSL cards. A rare card might not have the monetary value of a rare stamp or coin, but nevertheless, it represents personal value to the recipient. Also, just as the golfer's score card provides proof of his distance and accuracy, so too the QSL card provides proof that an amateur did in fact carry on a two-way contact with the distant station in some far off land.

Walter, do you routinely troll the golf, coin, and stamp NGs, making fun of their pastimes? If not, then why troll the DX NG with your silly questions?

73, Jeff KH6O

3999. can reg. wire destroy receiver ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: X X <devil666@netzero.com>
Message-ID: <391A3C4B.207DA5A2@netzero.com>
Source record: 111460

Hi there !

Can instalation of regular wire in antenna input destroy
the receiver ?
Just for RX -ing ?
I installed it in FT 847. the SSB signal is demodulated and it sounds
totally different
than the same signal on my shortwave ssb receiver. Noise level is quite
hight as well.
Or is it just, that such radio requires real HF antenna ?

Thanx for your answer in advance.
Phil

4000. Re-Larry: Warm Welcome to All New Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9201-391A55FC-31@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111461

Larry, Here, here. Those days are long gone. Having lived half of ham radio history, we're also half way down the road of silent keys. Then another caring generation will pick up the mantel.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4001. Re: Reply to Larry: On General Reno

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <9201-391A5AD4-33@storefull-248.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111462

Prior to her current position, General Reno was chief of the Dade County Attorney's office. Her staff feared her emotional tirades.

When I received the telephone call described in an above post (this thread, I kept asking: "Are you sure this is Janet Reno? This can't be Janet Reno!" It was so uncharacteristic of what you'd expect from the Dade County Attorney, I was incredulous.

That's when a number of people told me, I wasn't the only one. With the passage of time, She may have grown out of it.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4002. Re: AF2Y :"me,me,me KK7HO"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fe4kuvnm1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111463

"Oh no, Mr. Government...you can't put any restrictions whatsoever on my guns. I am a law abiding citizen who knows how to handle them. Your laws are for someone else, not me. I'm above reproach." This is the selfish attitude of Cowboy Volz out there in the Nevadie desert. It's like saying to state officials, "I should drive 55 miles an hour? That's all? Why me-I've never been in an accident. Leave ME alone-go pick on someone else." Or telling an insurance company, "I must pay these rates? Why me? I have a great driving record. Send someone else the premium, not me. I'm above reproach." It's the "me,me,me and to hell with the rest of you" theory that's counterproductive. It's putting your own special narrow minded ideas before the welfare of this nation which creates problem. Undoubtedly the majority of gun collectors in this nation exceed the screwballs but does that mean screwballs who either have them or have access to them should not be scrutinized? Jeez, how selfish can a person get? What is so different about that attitude and the guy who's covered medically, pharamceutically and dentally at work who says, "To hell with the other guy. Let him go bankrupt because of lack of coverage. Let him decide whether to take a pill or eat? What about a veteran who justly derives BENEFITS? We have a clearcut case of the government intervening on behalf of the citizen but how many of the vets yell, "That's socialism?" Hell, comprehensive health insurance will be socialistic and that's just like communistic, so say the clods on 3.950." Yet, do any of them refuse coverage now? I say it's time for an infant like KK7HO to grow up and put his nation before himself and to understand that every citizen in this country is potentially a target thanks to the uncontrolled proliferation of guns imposed on us by Herren Heston and LaPierre. It's time for you thinkers who mimick Volz to understand the difference between regulation and confiscation instead of lumping them together in one basket. It's time you took an INTELLIGENT look at government instead of shrugging off every attempt to make America safer. I once asked Graham Dyer, VA3GJB, who is very PRO GUN, if Canadians are allowed to have them. I never got a reply therefore I think the answer is NO. If that's the case I never read a post by a Canadian ham tearing apart his government as I do by "loyal" Yankees. Maybe it's that Canadians are more mature than we or maybe it's because we have too much freedom and are abusing the hell out of it? Maybe it's because we take our liberty for granted and our rights too and are so in love with ourselves that we accept a myopic view of society as normal. Kennedy was right when he said, "Ask not what this country can do for you but rather what you can do for your country." Those words stated on Jan.20,1961 will always ring true and if the vast number of gun owners can still advocate no controls after witnessing the murder and mayhem over the past few years, then they have no concept of making America right and safe for everyone. This is not the lawless west of the 1800s but a complicated society whose needs must be met and one of them is to safeguard the health and welfare of every citizen and every LEGAL immigrant. We have a right to

be free of the horrible spectre of an NRA which imposes its stink on all of us. We demand a powerful organization like it to work WITH the government instead of against it. We demand that they acknowledge safety not profits come first and once that's accepted, then the overwhelming number of responsible gun owners won't have to pay the price of scorn thanks to the sanctioned lunacy of the irresponsible.
AF2Y

In article <20000511001544.19174.00002010@ng-ci1.aol.com>, kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Charlie, your spin and interpretation of that gentlemans post could almost put
> you in the same class as James "the snake" Carvell.
> The problem isn't the country or what made it great the problem is that
> people like you want to change it. I'm all for immigrants coming here, learn
> the language, etc., but they don't need to come over here because it is America
> and then try to change it.
> You want the majority to pay the price for a minority. CONTROL and restrict
> the freedom of the law abiding because of the deeds of the criminal.
> It makes no sense. Charlie, how about you having to ask for permission to
> speak because of something David Duke said?

4003. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8fe8k9$527$1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <r9rS4.23567$Kv2.151816@quark.idirect.com>, radio62@idirect.com says...
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>
>> Not to fan the flames any more, but SSTV was invented by a University of
>> Kentucky grad. He did his doctorial on it. Use the (then ham) 11Mtr band.
>> In 1957 or so it was the newest technology. I have read and should have a
>copy
>> of his desertation. Interesting given the technology he had available to
>work
>> with.
>> Do a net search on Capehorn Mcdonald sometime. I
>> only hope I have spelled his name correctly.
>
>Try Copthorne McDonald.
>
>Rick...
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>
Sorry about the mispelling.

4004. Re: Looking for 1983-1986 Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fe8uqomr1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111465

Pat,
If you can't get what you want and your claim is still refuted, just tell
the guy to go to hell. It works.
AF2Y

In article
<B4DF43CD049A6405.8661CEBB428FCF0E.BFD11E3EE229C32F@lp.airnews.net>,
"Patrick W. Soileau" <psoileau@airmail.net> wrote:

> Greetings!
>
> I'm presently looking for a 1983-1986 US Callbook
> so that I can provide proof that I was a licensed
> novice back in those days.
>
> If you've got one for sale, or would be willing to
> photocopy a page from it for me, I'd certainly
> appreciate hearing from you.
>
> 73 de pat KA5NMN

4005. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391AC71C.8DE75A3A@ahole.com>
Source record: 111466

I beg to differ with you Doc but they can be confiscated and if the
government needs to do it they will. What will stop them? There
are too many laws on the books now, some really silly and need to be
looked at and not just add new laws to the books.

Also what really needs to be done is to use the laws to put the
criminals in jail, not the guns. I have yet to see a gun kill
someone on their own, seems there was always a person pulling the
trigger. I have been in law enforcement for a long time and have
yet to see a gun kill someone that wasn't attached to a persons
hand.

Also all the laws in the world will not keep the guns out of the
hands of the criminal. They have easy access now and will always.
As a law enforcement officer we cannot protect all the people all
the time and sometimes you need to be able to protect yourself. If
the criminals have guns your broom will do nothing to stop him.
Also doing what he says and giving him all you got does not guaranty
that you will not be shot or killed. Will you hide in your house
with the doors locked all your life and only go out during the day
and stay away from areas that you deem dangerious? Sounds like you
would be the one in prison, not the criminal.

Try again but do keep your liberial bull shit to yourself. This
does not belong here in rec.radio.amateur.misc

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Don't give me this crap about JEWS for Preservation of Firearms Ownership
> because EVERY AMERICAN SHOULD RIGHTFULLY DEMAND THIS RIGHT but what has that
> got to do with legislating better CONTROL of weapons in light of constant
> misuse causing death? You reactionary screwballs are all the same.
> Constantly you equate legislation with confiscation and if you don't know
> the difference, then you haven't the intelligence to handle a gun to start
> with. All this stuff about legislation equalling confiscation was concocted
> by rightwing nuts in order to stir up sentiment against Washington,D.C. You
> beat the drum of lies and hope that we can't see through you and them. There
> will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this democracy.
> Even if put to a vote Congress would kill it immediately. There are millions
> of responsible gun owners out there who are in no danger whatsoever; you'll
> be able to target shoot and kill defenseless animals to adorn your walls
> with their heads. WOW, ain't you something! But what will happen is that
> laws will come into effect which will make it impossible for incompetents to
> buy them which is a PLUS for society. Gun manufacturers will be forced to
> comply with laws allowing only the buyer to use one. That's called SAFETY

> like in SAFETY LOCKS. For those who rebel againt such an idea, would you
> step into a commercial airliner whose captain just finished smoking a joint?
> It's exactly the same principle. When it comes to the safety of us all there
> should never be a compromise and saying no to gun legislation is cutting off
> your noses to spite your faces. The government crackdown on the cigarette
> industry WILL SAVE LIVES yet it's our right to smoke. Increased gun
> legislation will SAVE LIVES yet it's our right to bear arms.
> AF2Y
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> ----------
> In article <20000507204446.14514.00001785@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
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> >
> > Doc you started it and now you say it's ridiculous. I can post YOUR over
> > reaction here(a couple of them) for everyone to see and then we'll really see
> > what's ridiculous and over reacting. I sent you e-mail not the NG. You get on
> > here calling names and rant and rave. ol man, grow up
> >
> > Ps. it's not my theory Doc check out
> > Jews for the "Preservation of Firearms Ownership. OK? http://www.jfpo.org

4006. Re: AF2Y; Registration preceeding confiscation by Rabbi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391AC833.5B2BC9FD@ahole.com>
Source record: 111467

And who is to say that you are unfit to own a weapon. Doctors,
lawyers, our elected representatives? Just WHO Doc?

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Oh but you will because mandatory registration and licensing are two ways
> which will assure everyone that guns won't fall into the hands of
> incompetents therefore if you are one, WORRY. They are called safeguards and
> in case you don't understand it's complexity, it means it'll be good for you
> and your family too. Get it? Guns can't be treated like pea shooters or a
> paper clip on an elastic band. Guns, in the hands of WRONG PEOPLE, will
> destroy us. Guns in the hands of RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE is desirable therefore
> we must separate the wheat from the chaff and the sooner the better. And I'm
> all for target shooting to better prepare the average government-
> appreciative person to protect himself and his family if and when these
> stinking neo-Nazi militia groups decide to put their venom into action.
> AF2Y
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> ----------
> In article <20000510165635.00689.00013666@nso-ch.aol.com>,
> toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
>
> > In article <8fc5h3$m4m$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> > <radiosigs@mindspring.com> writes:
> > >
> >>There
> >>will be NO CONFISCATION of anything. It cannot happen in this democracy.
> > >
> > > Correct. Just as long as we don't succumb to mandatory registration and
> > > licensing.
> > >

4007. Re: Palmyra Atoll, KH5, being sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fed7l$uh2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <8fdjqvhpc1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> On rec.radio.amateur.dx, Walter Gesundheit <w2dne@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >Who really gives a rip if some hams can go there and talk back to
their
> >buddies, anyhow?

> Just as the stamp collector collects stamps and the coin collector
> collects coins, we collect QSL cards.

Jeffrey, don't presume to lecture your elders.

I have several QSL's from KP6, so talking to Palmyra on my radio
another time is way down on my list of things that I gotta get done.

In that regard most of humanity has the same priority regarding
Palmyra, even if the FCC has changed the prefix.

And thats the way it is!

Walter

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4008. Re: Field Day 1999 2A Battery scores needed please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <25511C14EB82F8B5.52FE0E12EF96391F.6CC3B95D56CBB13F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111469

On Wed, 10 May 2000 22:30:32 -0700, Cyberkat
<fantbbNOfaSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid> wrote:

>Well we are going to have at least 10 people there most of the
>time. We will also be running a VHF/UHF station as it's a
>freebie. Doesn't count towards the transmitter count.
>So a empty station won't be a problem.
>
>Come on Field Day!
>
>Jeff
>
Oh, we had lots of people around all the time. Most of them were
standing over the poor sap at the mic or key TALKING like hams do so
the guy had to have on earphones to hear the contacts. Of course,
this made the poor logger have to constantly tell them to shut up,
pissing everyone off in the process. We, the next year, setup the
station in a small camper that was TOO small for the yapping audience
to stand up in (no seats for spectators). Scores shot up without the
interruptions. Anyone wanting to watch the action stood OUTSIDE
looking in through the WINDOWS that kept the noise out of the
operator/loggers' ears.....

We made great scores the year I put a trap vertical sticking up out of
the surface of a little lake in a public park. We, carefully, laid
out an underwater counterpoise on the lake bottom. The antenna was 6"
of the water, and the water was a little brackish. I suppose the
counterpoise is still there if anyone wanted to use it. The wire was
insulated, so only the ends would be eaten away.... The photographer
from the daily paper took my picture assembling the AV-7 and it was
published to promote ham radio with the caption "On the Beam". Made a
much better display than those simple text notifications that usually
get published for Field Day....

Good luck on your scores! I just wish it wasn't so DAMNED HOT in the
South during the event. It's usually 95F by the time FD rolls around
and it makes FD really miserable down here!

Larry W4C S C
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4009. Re: Re-Larry: Warm Welcome to All New Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8A2A36F138A59CBB.F326260504D13968.D87764F427C61703@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111470

Oh, if it were only true. But, I doubt I'll make it to 108...(c;

Another 20 years to play would be nice, though.

Larry W4CSC

On Thu, 11 May 2000 02:41:00 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin)
wrote:

>Larry, Here, here. Those days are long gone. Having lived half of ham
>radio history, we're also half way down the road of silent keys. Then
>another caring generation will pick up the mantel.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida
>

4010. Noise on a switching power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511095510.15501.00001917@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 111471

Howdy,

I picked up a switching PS at a hamfest flea market. It's about the size of a Cracker Jack box and is rated 15-V@7-A.

There is a pot which adjusts the output voltage between about 13 V and over 15 V.

I use this on my Yaesu FT-530 in the early morning in the living room with a rubber duck or telescoping whip.

There is noise on the output signal and discernable noise and desensing on the received signal for weak signals. When I disconnect the PS from the rig and hold the power wire near the rig, there is noise in the receiver.

I would appreciate some tips on how to fix this. Please categorize your hints as to :

1. Things to try. or

2. Methods that you have used and that work. :-)

tnx es 73 de Jack, K9CUN

4011. Re: You new hams arent welcome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com>
Message-ID: <28hlhssm5s0avdmlnhi0svednsjb2e1r6g@4ax.com>
Source record: 111472

On 19 Apr 2000 16:47:03 -0000, Anonymous-Remailer@See.Comment.Header
(A REAL Ham) wrote:

You're real, huh? Then why not use your *real* call sign?

> Anyone who upgraded on or after April 15th arent welcome. Youre lazy CB
>types and arent worth spit, so get lost. Anyone who was a Tech Plus and
>upgraded to Extra is a scumbag. Dont come on my frequency because youll be
>run off.

Uh huh, sure. This hobby has no use for your nasty attitude. If
that's how you feel about it, why not sell your radio gear and leave
the rec.radio.amateur news groups?

That way you will avoid all the hassle of constantly losing those
silly arguments with other folks who don't think you are truly
"superior" to them. Your attitude and your behavior seem truly
incoherent, immature, and just plain stupid to me.

If that's the best you have to offer, the ham radio community won't
miss you one bit. Don't let the door hit you in the ass on your way
out.

Good Bye.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4012. Re: Reply to Larry: On General Reno

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <391ad550.821563@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111473

On Thu, 11 May 2000 03:01:40 -0400 (EDT), Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

>Prior to her current position, General Reno was chief of the Dade County
>Attorney's office. Her staff feared her emotional tirades.
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>When I received the telephone call described in an above post (this
>thread, I kept asking: "Are you sure this is Janet Reno? This can't be
>Janet Reno!" It was so uncharacteristic of what you'd expect from the
>Dade County Attorney, I was incredulous.

Evidently the *voters* weren't, she was reelected 3 or 4 times.

>That's when a number of people told me, I wasn't the only one. With the
>passage of time, She may have grown out of it.
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>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida

4013. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <391bd635.1051213@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 10 May 2000 19:33:50 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>W6RCecilA wrote
>>Get with the program, Aaron, and get yourself a palmtop.
>
>I guess you never tried typing on a palmtop. Especially with the
>stylus. Maybe you could program it to accept input from paddles...

I agree about CW being much better than having to horse around with a
computer or even a palmtop for portable / camping etc. But I did just
this week see a spiffy looking folding keyboard for one of those
devices, there's also several mini-keyboards available.

4014. Re: MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8feq9vekc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111475

Just another example of how deeply intrenched the Demoncrats and the Liberal mindset is in our beloved N.E. Hillary and Billery have done more for the cause of socialism in this country then FDR.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4015. AF2Y-JUST FOR YOU..AUSIE GUN CONTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ferfe$g12$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111476

Australia's Disasterous
Gun Confiscation Program
GUNSSAVELIFE.COM

Let's all move to Australia -- Where only the criminals have guns!

AUSTRALIAN Gun Confiscation:
The Results Are In

The following is a synopsis of an interview conducted by Ginny Simone with Keith Tidswell of Australia's Sporting Shooters Association. The entire interview is available as "Surprise, Surprise" in the "Archive News" section of http://www.nralive.com/

One year after gun-owners were forced to surrender 640,381 personal firearms to be destroyed, including semi-automatic .22 rifles and shotguns, a program costing the government over 500 million dollars, the results are in...

Gun control advocates said before the the law was passed: "Just wait... we'll be safer... you'll see..."

The facts point to a different conclusion. A dramatic increase in criminal activity has been experienced.

OBSERVABLE FACT, AFTER 12 MONTHS OF DATA:

* Australia-wide, homicides are up 3.2%

* Australia-wide, assaults are up 8.6%

* Australia-wide, armed-robberies are up 44% (yes, FORTY-FOUR PERCENT)

* In the state of Victoria, homicides-with-firearms are up 300%

* Figures over the previous 25 years show a steady decrease in homicides-with-firearms (changed dramatically in the past 12 months)

* Figures over the previous 25 years show a steady decrease in armed-robbery-with-firearms (changed dramatically in the past 12 months)

* There has been a dramatic increase in breakins-and-assaults-of-the-elderly

* At the time of the ban, the Prime Minister said "self-defense is not a reason for owning a firearm."

* From 1910 to present, homicides in Australia had averaged about
1.8-per-100,000 or lower, a safe society by any standard.

* Australian politicians are on the spot and at a loss to explain
how no improvement in "safety" has been observed after such monumental
effort and expense was successfully expended in "ridding society of
guns". Their response has been to "wait longer".

Last updated: April 20, 1999

Now can we all stop this stupid debate. If this is not proof enough
that gun control simply will not work, I don't know what it will take.

Submitted by;

Dan/W4NTI

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4016. Re: can reg. wire destroy receiver ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fes7ogqc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111477

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> than the same signal on my shortwave ssb receiver. Noise level is
quite
> hight as well.
> Or is it just, that such radio requires real HF antenna ?
>
> Thanx for your answer in advance.
> Phil
>
>
No.....you are probably picking up noise on your wire.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4017. Re: AF2Y :"me,me,me KK7HO"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511143044.07411.00002208@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 111478
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AF2Y wrote:
>"Oh no, Mr. Government...you can't put >any restrictions whatsoever on my
>guns. I am a law abiding citizen who >knows how to handle them. Your laws are
>for someone else, not me. I'm above >reproach." This is the selfish attitude
>of Cowboy Volz out there in the Nevadie >desert. It's like saying to state
>officials, "I should drive 55 miles an hour? >That's all? Why me-I've never
>been in an accident. Leave ME alone-go >pick on someone else."

Ever notice that the Washington-imposed 55-mph national speed limit ended in near-universal civil disobedience - and fast?
Enacting into nationwide laws lacking any broad nationwide consensus ends fast in civil disobedience. Just like Prohibition.
You may find it hard to believe in the 2-call area - but this country is bitterly regionally divided on all social issues, guns included. A few weeks ago, an antigun group (Violence Policy Center) released poll results showing heavy support for banning handguns - in the Northeast, but nowhere else (not even California).

>What is so different about
>that attitude and the guy who's covered >medically, pharamceutically and
>dentally at work who says, "To hell with >the other guy. Let him go bankrupt
>because of lack of coverage. Let him >decide whether to take a pill or eat?

Do you want to live in a Peking-like nation where everyone is forced to do calisthenics every morning at work by a "nanny state" in the interests of reducing health costs, too?

>KK7HO to grow up and put his nation >before himself and to understand that
>every citizen in this country is potentially >a target thanks to the
>uncontrolled proliferation of guns imposed >on us by Herren Heston and
>LaPierre.

Bull.
Every Canadian is "potentially" a target too, despite draconian gun laws there - as was proven when both schoolkids in a feud this spring shot each other in a Toronto high school.

>Kennedy was right when he said, "Ask >not what this country can do
>for you but rather what you can do for your >country."

Your hero: got 58,000 Americans killed in a war in Vietnam, abandoned the Cuban exiles after sending them on a covert operation (Bay of Pigs), and rampantly cheated on his wife.

>We have a right to
>be free of the horrible spectre of an NRA >which imposes its stink on all of

>us. We demand a powerful organization >like it to work WITH the government
>instead of against it.

How can you trust "the government" after its leader lied twice under oath
and told the American people on TV: I did not have a sexual relationship
with that woman?
How can you trust "the government" after: Tuskeegee syphilis experiments,
concentration camps for Japanese-descent Americans, FBI supervisor Larry Potts
now doing 10 years for coverup at Ruby Ridge?

>We demand that they acknowledge safety >not profits
>come first and once that's accepted, then >the overwhelming number of
>responsible gun owners won't have to pay >the price of scorn thanks to the
>sanctioned lunacy of the irresponsible.

Let me make a suggestion.
The U.S. is bitterly split regionally on all social issues - as first came
to the fore during the impeachment debate, when Clinton's friends openly hoped
to use the New York congressional delegation as a "veto" against the heartland.
You will never get your cherished liberal social agenda nationwide
except by becoming your own country; you just lack the votes in Congress. It's
not Republican vs. Democrat - but regional. That's why you lost impeachment -
and why even the ultraliberal Washington Post said last year that you lost the
House gun vote.
Partition off as your own liberal nation in the northeast and upper Midwest.
Otherwise, the vast socially-conservative zone - the South, non-urban Midwest,
Mountain States, and non-coastal Midwest - has more than enough votes in
Congress to keep you from ever having your agenda nationwide.

>If that's the
>case I never read a post by a Canadian >ham tearing apart his government as I
>do by "loyal" Yankees.

Maybe that's because Canada's premier didn't get caught by an O.J.-style DNA
test perjuring himself in two separate proceedings. Maybe that's because
Canada's premier didn't go on television and lie to Canadians: I did not
have a sexual relationship with that woman.
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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4018. Second Story Grounding??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <08ec7284.090b6ec0@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>
Source record: 111479

Folks, I have what I guess is a pretty common problem. My shack is on the second floor of my home. Since I live on a river I had to build up on Pier and beam. I have a Rhon HBX32 up right next to the room where my chak is located. The eaves of the second story are at 20 feet and my tri-bander is up around 40 feet. In addtion to the tri-bander I have a 17 meter dipole just at the roof. I know I need a current balun on the dipole to keep the feed line from radiating. My question (finally) is how do I keep RF out of my shack? I tried a small solid state amp and when my TS-440S/AT keyed it, it would fold back the amp in a mtter of seconds and the 440 followed quickly. No damage but no power either. Now I guess it is possible that the power supply was crashing (they were on am Astron 35M). I saw where some folks are using a piece of coax to the grounding lug and a couple .01uf disk capacitors to run to ground. Is an MFJ Artificial Ground an answer or does my cable idea have any merit.

Thanks in advance.

73 de Kenn W5KAP

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4019. programming stuff needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Susan <lindx6@TheRamp.net>
Message-ID: <shm4gn6kcp160@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111480

Hi. I know this is off topic, but I can't find a list that deals with this. I need a programming cable, "rib" box, and software to program a Tekk NT-8 portable. Any websites you know of where I can get this stuff?

As always, thanks for your help
Adam

4020. KB8JBO & mom's COLOSTOMY bag

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ff5c1rbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111481

The TRUTH must hurt, DEFORMO FACE!!!! You always must <FLUSH!>
everything I say about the 'ole GOAT. Am I starting to get "UNDER YOUR
SKIN?" Have I hit one too many NERVES? Are my postings about the 'ole
GOAT to CLOSE TO HOME?

> Now go wash and wax my Mom's car and my truck,

The only "car" the 'ole GOAT will be in any time soon is a HEARSE!!!!
Better change her COLOSTOMY BAG again, FREAK FACE. What does she think
about all your MAGAZINE reading?, hohohoho.

As for your "truck".....TYPICAL "redneck" transportation......Does
your "truck" have a GUN RACK in the rear window? How about a scented
PINE TREE hanging from the rear view mirror? Any empty cans of LONE STAR
beer in the back bed? How about a "My mother is on her DEATHBED"
bumper-sticker? Do you play the sound track from DELIVERANCE on your 8
track tape system?

Ya, I guess you do "OWN ME", MONKEY FACE.....The first thing I
plan to do since you "OWN ME" is to get the 'ole GOAT some HEMORHOIDAL
cream. She needs RELIEF from her constant "ITCHING & BURNING". hohohoho.

> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
[QRM'er] General IDIOT [CB'er]
'ole GOATS retard son [QRM'er]
[AF2Y suckboy] Unemployed [Idiot]
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
[Deformed face] No job [Fatso]

Keep on reading those MAGAZINES, ELEPHANT FACE.....Go check on
the 'ole GOATS bed WELTS now!!!!!!!!!!!!!

The ONE & ONLY,

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4021. KC8JBO info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_deformo@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8ff5ddrbs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111482

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4022. KC8JBO...Squirm, BOY!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ff5gkrqk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111483

The TRUTH must hurt, DEFORMO FACE!!!!! You always must <FLUSH!> everything I say about the 'ole GOAT. Am I starting to get "UNDER YOUR SKIN?" Have I hit one too many NERVES? Are my postings about the 'ole GOAT to CLOSE TO HOME?

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4023. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Henry A. Kolesnik" <wd5jfr@tulsa.oklahoma.net>
Message-ID: <391C97CE.E80AC126@tulsa.oklahoma.net>
Source record: 111284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

i wish i was!!!!
hank wd5jfr

Gerd Henjes wrote:

> Are you a late bloomer Kevin? Gerd, W2ISB
>
> "Kevin McQuiggin" <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> wrote in message
> news:391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca...
> > Hi Folks:
> >
> > I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate
> > school up here near Vancouver, BC.

4024. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burke1@icss.net>
Message-ID: <391C9898.BD7428D5@icss.net>
Source record: 111285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:

> "Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
> > I've changed my mind regarding restructuring and I can't believe I've been
> > wrong about it all this time.
> > Why would a any sensible CBer want to go to all the trouble of getting a
> > ham license just to talk to other newly licensed CBer's on different
> > bands? They wouldn't.
>
> Same for the dreaded freebanders. Why would a freebander bother to
> get a ham license?

So they can talk 200 khz below their authorization?

4025. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <etd0A2Gv$GA.306@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner
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News Flash: New technologies will solve ham radio problems for everyone like it or not. FCC Licensing to use a consumer product like a ham radio is stupid, counter productive stifles innovation and keeps prices for gear artificially high. These FCC rules and regulations are ALL showing their age and the world is changing way too fast for antiquated systems.

Personally, I use a real neat device called a cellular phone for most things no license, no testing required I figured out how to use it all by my self. :)

"GLC1173" wrote in message
news:20000512181506.16827.00002377@ng-fz1.aol.com...
> Wouff Hong wrote:
> >5 simple steps for better ham radio.
> >Step 1: No more automatic renewals. >Individuals must retest and
> > pass all elements required for their >license class.
>
> Want to guarantee the economic end of ham radio? Because if a hobby
becomes
> a chore, people will defect in large numbers to the Internet, etc. - and
no
> manufacturers will remain to provide either new gear nor a lobbying base.
> The present licensing system anticipates that those licensed will know
> enough to stay out of trouble in whatever "specialty" they gravitate to -
like
> the wife of a ham who just uses two meters to keep in touch with him.
> We don't even require that kind of licensing for drivers or lawyers.
> ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
> Al Gore - in his own words
> ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
> official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
>

4026. On Telling Basulto's Baptism By Fire att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13162-391C9C7D-10@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111287

I told the story as I perceived. Having experienced my own causes, I know how involved movers and shakers become. All the more so when life and death are at stake.

Approaching Basulto with the opposite opinion and throwing hardballs, I was moved by story. Hence, the moving tone of the piece.

I am saddened that a professor cannot accept the empathy expressed. Instead, you question like a lawyer doing cross examination.

I can easily understand that, upon seeing Cuban MIGs closing fast, Basulto chose to present himself as a decoy by intruding on Cuban airspace.

I can also understand that, knowing his planes were under attack and seeing Havana below, he would think of that tiny stack of leaflets as a kind of retaliation. After all, he was ready to die.

The next large leaflet drop was timed with the winds. Brothers to the Rescue used scientists to assist them in picking up the winds into Cuba.

Curt, I am not the final arbiter, just an observer sharing his observations. It is sad that you have difficulty accepting my good intentions on their face, because I have no hidden agendas.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4027. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beaver <not@spam.com>
Message-ID: <391C9214.1903@spam.com>
Source record: 111288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Those interested in communicating by radio, antenna, and ionosphere
> will continue to be attracted to the hobby/service; those that aren't,
> won't.
>
> The outline of our present HF allocation was created with fewer than
> 20,000 licensed amateurs. If our number dwindles to just double-digit
> thousands as before, there will still be plenty of folks to talk to.
> We might have to go back to building our own gear again, but that in
> no way will be detrimental; on the contrary, that will be good for the
> hobby/service in that only folks with technical interests will be
> licensed and on the air. (Before you criticize my last sentence, read
> the fundamental purpose of the ARS as written by the FCC, attached below;
> pay special attention to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d).)
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

Yea... sure... if there is an HF amateur allocation to communicate on!
Go back to the history you keep quoting---amateurs had to bust ass just
to get what they have---and we keep on loosing bandspace. Overseas gets
new VLF allocations while here in the States a gazillion members of
industry first have to decide if they need it or not before hams can
have access. The government auctioned off our national resources when
they opened up the the VHF/UHF portions of the spectrum to the highest
bidder (like maybe they will do with our national parks---if they
haven't done it already). Who will fear a double digit thousands of ham
bullshitters when megabucks want specturm for bizzzzznessssssss...

4028. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter O. Brackett" <ab4bc@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8fid88nen1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

And then later...

the Amateur Guiglilemo Marconi was awarded a Nobel Prize!

Peter K1PO

"Wes Stewart" <n7ws@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:391ca9c9.125484864@news.azstarnet.com...
> On 12 May 2000 18:41:38 GMT, glass2@glass2.lexington.ibm.com wrote:
>
> >In <391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca>, Kevin McQuiggin <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> writes:
> >>Hi Folks:
> >>
> >>I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate
> >>school up here near Vancouver, BC.
> >>
> >>I'm researching amateur radio and its history. I'm specifically
> >>interested in inventions, discoveries, or techniques that were developed
> >>within amateur radio and later spread to the electronics industry.
> >>Similarly, some of our operating techniques and procedures were later
> >>widely adopted by other services.
> >
> >
> Marconi was an amateur.
>
> N7WS

4029. Re: Basulto's Baptism by Fire att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391CBB27.759D@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111290

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> > I understand that you respect Basulto, but you damage your credibility
> > with your worshipful tone. From your prose, it would appear that the
> > only thing missing from this man is a crown of thorns! Don't you think
> > that leaflet drops of propaganda are at least somewhat provocative? How
> > was this done from international airspace?
>
> How did you pass your Private without learning about wind drift?
>
> > Was a strong wind blowing the leaflets ashore?
>
> Most likely. From 10,000 feet, it doesn't take much breeze to blow
> paper 12 or 15 miles.
>
> > I don't know the truth about exactly how the arial
> > confrontation took place,
>
> You haven't checked the URLs I gave you? The ICAO report is pretty
> clear.
>
> There was no "confrontation," the Cuban jets shot down two unarmed
> Cessnas in international airspace.

Keith,

I did read the material on both of the URLs that were cited. As I am not certain of their origin, I can't take them as fact any more than the news accounts may be accepted as clear fact. There are too many agendas at work here. I'm just annoyed by the private attempts to bypass foreign policy decisions that have to be made and administered in Washington, D.C. Attempts have been made at the diplomatic level to remove some of the old Cold War baggage, but these efforts have met with great opposition from the same group that wants to bludgeon the country with that poor kid Elian. It's not that I'm unsympathetic to the plight of Cuban citizens - on the contrary - I believe that their lives would be improved by normalizing relations with the U.S. I don't think that well-intentioned but ineffective direct actions such as those undertaken by BTTR are really beneficial to anyone in the end. They are certainly not worth the attendant loss of life.

For the record, I'm quite aware of the physics of wind drift, but I'm trying to make the point that even the presence of propaganda leaflets

on those planes illustrates the provocative nature of their "mission". What was that supposed to accomplish? To tell the Cubans that they are living under a dictatorship? Don't they already know that?

Extremism is always diluted by contact with enlightened cultures. Why not let it happen naturally?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4030. Dichotomies: Not logical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clint \"Rattlehead\"" <rattlehead@computron.net.X>
Message-ID: <391CC836.6960@computron.net.X>
Source record: 111291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>
> Kim showed me the light!
>
> I've changed my mind regarding restructuring and I can't believe I've been
> wrong about it all this time.
> Why would a any sensible CBer want to go to all the trouble of getting a
> ham license just to talk to other newly licensed CBer's on different
> bands? They wouldn't. So CBer's won't be flocking to amateur radio after
> all. Looks like the ARRL's amateur radio restructuring plan CBer money
> grab membership drive back-fired after all. HA!
>
> kw5tit@hotmail.com (Kim W5TIT) wrote in
>
> >I am one of those who doesn't believe that
> >Restructuring will do a thing for increasing the number of hams...
> >
> >Kim W5TIT

I know most of this post was meant for sarcasm, as far as the CB flock
to ham radio goes, but here's a good point. The procode crowd is trying
to have it's cake and eat it too, further showing the illogic of thier
position. They are trying to claim, both at once, that the 11 meter
crowd will jam up the bands by suddenly flooding to it. Then they try to
tell you that the restructuring will cause a tremendous drop in ham
radio spectrum usage and liscencing. which is it? both can't coexist.
It's a rhetorical question, my point being that they try to state
self-denying facts and hope that the anti CW test crowd buys it.

4031. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carmen <CHTHOMP@spamanddie.prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8fiid1$20jg$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 111292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gordon could be wrong...but he states that "a score of 37 or more correctly-answered questions (74%) will earn you a passing grade..." That does seem to indicate he knows what he's saying. My local VEs agree with that as well. I suspect it is 37 because 38 would be 76%, essentially raising the bar. Therefore 74% was settled on instead. Sensible in a "institutional" fashion. :)

Carmen

John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message news:391CA472.147BBFBB@worldnet.att.net...
> I think you had better go for one more. 75% passing score means 38
> right.
> John
>
> Carmen wrote:
> >
> > Hi,
> >
> > According to Gordon West, page 13 of the new study guide, 37 or more out of
> > the 50.
> >
> > Hope this helps,
> > Carmen
> >
> > BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> > news:Y9VS4.449$ap2.6933@news.swbell.net...
> > > How many questions must one get correct to pass the test?

4032. Re: Proposed amending Part 15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391CD85C.BC4562AE@oio.net>
Source record: 111293

Kevin,
Okay, so how was Part 15 changed? How will that change
affect us?
'Doc

4033. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <09501873.11e1f784@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>
Source record: 111294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Since when did privacy and killing spam become a lack of
integrity? Please don't take selfish pride in ignorance.

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4034. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <07ac6448.1465b2e1@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>
Source record: 111295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

What you fail to realize is, inteligents and technical prowess
do not exclude abusers and criminals. Sure, crime is not
inteligent. Yet there are a lot a inteligent criminals out
there. Like the ones who disrupt the repeater clubs. You'll
never see them on "worlds dummest criminals". Stupidity isn't
the problem. Lack of character is.

So, a hard test isn't the answer. What we now have are a lot of
inteligent asses.

What is the answer. Enforcement, policing our own bands *with*
FCC support, Inovation and change so to attract quality people.
What do you think?

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4035. >>>> Dayton Vendors <<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KI8IK <ki8ik@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fh9as$5j6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you're a Hamvention vendor who plans on selling QRP equipment please
contact me at KI8IK@arrl.net. I'm compiling a list of QRP vendors for
subscribers of the QRP-L reflector. This will help them easily locate
you among the thousands of sellers in attendance.

Items of interest include:

Used QRP gear.
CW keys and keyers.
Portable HF antennas.
QRP books.
Gell cells/chargers/solar cells.
Workbench supplies/soldering stations.
Parts for homebrew (transistors, var caps, PCB stock)
Crystals near QRP frequencies.

Please pass along:
1. Call or Business name.
2. Hamvention space #.
3. Description of items.

73,
Mike

--
Michael Ostrowski - KI8IK
Saline, MI

KI8IK@arrl.net

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4036. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carmen <CHTHOMP@spamanddie.prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8fh870$3tti$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 111335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

According to Gordon West, page 13 of the new study guide, 37 or more out of the 50.

Hope this helps,
Carmen

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message news:Y9VS4.449$ap2.6933@news.swbell.net...
> How many questions must one get correct to pass the test?

4037. Re: Poor deluded Polly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fh9ee$5js$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111336

In article <8euump$8sa$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
nd8vmike@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8eulsi$u9r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8e5658tgj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > > Negative. He's a world class jammer and a low class moron.
> >
> > And this is news.............LOL!!!!
> HAY FATASS DUMBASSWISEMAN HE HASENT ANY WARRING LETTERS YOU SEEM TO

I think Polly HAS gotten warnings. I've only received 1. Unlike you,
Gurnseycow the fatassed racecar driver wannabe. Hollingsworth contacted
your fat ass several times, he never did phone me, why is that?

GET
> THEM EVERY WEEK

Obviously, your grade-school education is as lacking in Mathematics as
it is in English.

GO SUCK YOUR BOY FRIEND OFF.

Projecting, Mike? I heard that's what you do to your WIFE.

> > > ----------
> > > In article <8e48cb$68c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-
> deja.com>
> > wrote:
> > >
> > > > The only thing you are famous for is being a QRMer and world-
class
> > > > MORON.
> > > >
> > > > --
> > > > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > > > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> > > > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> > > >
> > > >
> > > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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4038. Re: KC8JBO info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fh9i0$5lr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111337

In article <8ff5ddrbs1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_deformo@yahoo.com wrote:
>
>
> The TRUTH must hurt, DEFORMO FACE!!!! You always must <FLUSH!>
> everything I say about the 'ole GOAT. Am I starting to get "UNDER YOUR
> SKIN?" Have I hit one too many NERVES? Are my postings about the 'ole
> GOAT to CLOSE TO HOME?
>
> > Now go wash and wax my Mom's car and my truck,
>
> The only "car" the 'ole GOAT will be in any time soon is a HEARSE!!!!
> Better change her COLOSTOMY BAG again, FREAK FACE. What does she think
> about all your MAGAZINE reading?, hohohoho.
>
> As for your "truck".....TYPICAL "redneck" transportation......Does
> your "truck" have a GUN RACK in the rear window? How about a scented
> PINE TREE hanging from the rear view mirror? Any empty cans of LONE
STAR
> beer in the back bed? How about a "My mother is on her DEATHBED"
> bumper-sticker? Do you play the sound track from DELIVERANCE on your 8
> track tape system?
>
> Ya, I guess you do "OWN ME", MONKEY FACE.....The first thing I
> plan to do since you "OWN ME" is to get the 'ole GOAT some HEMORHOIDAL
> cream. She needs RELIEF from her constant "ITCHING & BURNING".
hohohoho.
>
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> [QRM'er] General IDIOT [CB'er]
> 'ole GOATS retard son [QRM'er]
> [AF2Y suckboy] Unemployed [Idiot]
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> [Deformed face] No job [Fatso]
>
> Keep on reading those MAGAZINES, ELEPHANT FACE.....Go check
on
> the 'ole GOATS bed WELTS now!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> The ONE & ONLY,
>
> PITBULL
>

> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Hmm, several posts, same content. It shows lack of depth, intellect,
education, and most telling, shows how utterly impotent you are.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4039. Re: This hot little whore can fuck all day long... 92144

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <tjm2509@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <391C2725.B98BC801@uswest.net>
Source record: 111338
Cross-posted to: rec.skiing.backcountry,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.photo.equipment.aps,rec.photo.equipment.large-format,rec.photo.film+labs,rec.photo.marketplace

Your'e the WHORE This post does not belong here. If you think this is so hot, why can't people email you directly?

Hi. This is the qmail-send program at albqpop1.albq.uswest.net.
I'm afraid I wasn't able to deliver your message to the following addresses.
This is a permanent error; I've given up. Sorry it didn't work out.

<me@home.com>:
24.0.95.23 does not like recipient.
Remote host said: 550 <me@home.com>... Mailbox disabled for this recipient
Giving up on 24.0.95.23.

me@work.net wrote:

> http://www.preciousteens.freeteen.nu
> http://www.fineteens.freeteen.nu
> http://www.sleepingteen.freeteen.nu
> Welcome to the Teen circle. We have everything from teens being spied on to teens fucking. Cum check us out without having all the annoying banners and popups. New pages are added daily!!!!! You people keep complaining and having the sites shut down will just piss me off more to advertise about 5 times more then I was. If you don't like porn, then you don't have to view the sites. At least let those that like porn be able to see it. Just be thankful that I am considerate enough not to put pictures in the postings. You won't stop me, so stop trying. Just accept what you get and don't make it worse on yourselves!!!!
>
> W^

4040. Re: Callbook listing needed for '87-'89

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh <lipizzan@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <uMfNeUCv$GA.90@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111339

"KC4PHU" is not listed in the 1989 Callbook.

The only other old Callbook I have is the 1981 issue.

Sorry couldn't help much.

Josh
KF4BF

David V. McGuire <dvmcguire@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:391419b1.8281520@news.mindspring.com...
> Hello. I am hoping that someone still has some old callbooks. I
> would like to find the listing information for KC4PHU. I believe it
> should be in the '87-'89 callbooks. It was my first callsign. When I
> moved my original ticket got lost. So, I'm hoping to get a photocopy
> of the page with my listing. If you can find it, I'd appreciate the
> help. Thank you.
>
>
> --
> David V. McGuire (mailto: dvmcguire@mindspring.com)
> Danville, Virginia, USA
> Amateur Radio Callsign: AE4LH
> Trumpet: Jupiter 1200S
> Life is Short: PRAY HARD!

4041. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1a9067e8.a677568a@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 111340

Aw, you made me cry with your liberal garbage. Really don't
know how you left-wingers are going to cope after George B.
stacks the courts with conservatives next year.

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4042. Re: Poor deluded Polly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <11f9cce0.6ef64148@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 111341

In article <8euump$8sa$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, nd8vmike@my-deja.com
wrote:
>HAY FATASS DUMBASSWISEMAN HE HASENT ANY WARRING LETTERS YOU

"Hey," Hasn't", "Received(verb missing in original,)" "Warning"

SEEM TO GET
>THEM EVERY WEEK

"comma/or period"

Poor ND8V. He must've suffered from real brain damage when he
supposedly "died." I realize this is a contradiction, brains and
ND8V, but there must be an explanation.

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4043. Re: Hispanics Hamper Their Own Cause, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391BF6C2.685FA59B@bctv.com>
Source record: 111342

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:

> I appreciate the references, and I'll look at them carefully. I know
> that one of the planes had an APRS system onboard, and a friend of mine
> had a track series on the flight. There is international law on the
> point of unauthorized airspace incursion - even if you penetrate the US
> Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ) from either ocean without an IFR
> or DVFR flight plan, or if you are outside your declared window of
> penetration (in time or location) you are subject to interception. If
> you do not follow the radio or visual instructions of the interceptors,
> you are subject to shoot-down.

Yep. This is not the same as a prohibition on penetration, and that
phrase you used "follow the instructions" is key.

In the Hermanos killings, as well as KAL 007, the slavemasters made no
attempt to give instructions. They located the target, made aquisition,
and released weapons.

They were confident that their apologists in the civilized nations would
make all their excuses, confuse the issue, and marginalize it.

4044. I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <shobpcohkcp80@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Kim showed me the light!

I've changed my mind regarding restructuring and I can't believe I've been wrong about it all this time.
Why would a any sensible CBer want to go to all the trouble of getting a ham license just to talk to other newly licensed CBer's on different bands? They wouldn't. So CBer's won't be flocking to amateur radio after all. Looks like the ARRL's amateur radio restructuring plan CBer money grab membership drive back-fired after all. HA!

kw5tit@hotmail.com (Kim W5TIT) wrote in

>I am one of those who doesn't believe that
>Restructuring will do a thing for increasing the number of hams...
>
>Kim W5TIT

4045. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391BF747.67E6956D@bctv.com>
Source record: 111344

wolf wrote:
>
> Aw, you made me cry with your liberal garbage. Really don't
> know how you left-wingers are going to cope after George B.
> stacks the courts with conservatives next year.

What makes you think that "Duhhhhhh-bya" is a conservative?

4046. HouseBOY Pitbull's instructions for the day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <22e287ee.7287a722@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 111345

Dear Rastus:

Make sure you change your soiled clothes BEFORE you run the
sweeper throughout the house, you'll make less work for yourself
that way.

Put your dentures IN, you'll be able to communicate without the
use of your normal spastic facial tics and slobbering babblings.

The vacuum hose of the sweeper is NOT for your sexual
gratification.

Clening the toilet bowl with your tongue is obviously your
personal preference, but we have a waiver for you to make your
mark indemnifying us of any medical consequences when you use
the Sno-bowl.

Perhaps, after saving your pay, you may be able to finally get
that G.E.D. and complete your high school education.

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4047. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0222ca5c.739f5541@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 111346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <shobpcohkcp80@corp.supernews.com>, vlfiscus@mcn.net
(Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL) wrote:
>Kim showed me the light!
>
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believe I've been
>wrong about it all this time.
>Why would a any sensible CBer want to go to all the trouble of
getting a
>ham license just to talk to other newly licensed CBer's on
different
>bands? They wouldn't. So CBer's won't be flocking to amateur
radio after
>all. Looks like the ARRL's amateur radio restructuring plan
CBer money
>grab membership drive back-fired after all. HA!

LOL!

The fact remains, however, that amateur radio DOES need new
people involved in the hobby, because otherwise, the internet
and other new developments will cause this great hobby to go the
way of the dinosaur. The newer technologies will become more
popular, and nobody will be interested anymore.

>kw5tit@hotmail.com (Kim W5TIT) wrote in
>
>>I am one of those who doesn't believe that
>>Restructuring will do a thing for increasing the number of
hams...
>>
>>Kim W5TIT
>
>

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4048. 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: integrity@arrl.sucks.org
Message-ID: <anti.arrl@arrl.sucks.org>
Source record: 111347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
pass all elements required for their license class.

Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.

wouff hong

4049. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391C55FD.E884CC8D@ahole.com>
Source record: 111348

Don't agree much with what you say Dan but gotta agree on this
one....

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>
> In article <20000512004403.13555.00001019@ng-ct1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> > That figures, I wonder if AF2Y is out there translating?
> >
> > >From: glc1173@aol.com
> >
> > >I would "go so far."
> > > Right this weekend, the Justice Dept. is monitoring elections in
> New
> > >Jersey
> > >- in large part to see that the ballot is printed in Spanish.
> >
> >
> Well guys, you know what really chaps my butt about this immigration
> thing? The language deal. I have been to 13 different countries in my
> travels. And in each and everyone I learned enough of the local
> language to be able to communicate. But here in the great USA I lived
> in North Miami, where my kids were not able to keep up in public school
> because the teacher was using Spanish for Gods sake.
>
> Then I hear about how the "cubano's" want to change all the road signs
> to Spanish. I left Florida.
>
> My point is this; If one comes to a country to make it their home,
> then they must learn the language...ENGLISH...They must learn about the
> government, politics, etc. And they MUST APPLY FOR CITIZENSHIP. Or get
> the HELL OUT.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4050. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391C5610.81CD5BBB@ahole.com>
Source record: 111349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

All of them......

BD wrote:
>
> How many questions must one get correct to pass the test?

4051. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0040b762.b7ea31da@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 111350

Living in Tx, I'm probably a bit more familiar with his
policies than most of you Marx brothers on this board.
(Karl Marx, that is).

A problem is only an opportunity in work clothes.
Henry J. Kaiser

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4052. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stewart Teaze <stewart.teaze@gat.com>
Message-ID: <391C3DE9.50156881@gat.com>
Source record: 111351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Wouff Hong wrote:

> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.

agree here.

> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

sure, why not.

> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

HA! How does THAT make things better! Go back to the stoneage, fool.

> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

Why?

> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.

That is the best suggestion yet.

> wouff hong

4053. ATTN: Wolf -- Duhhh-bya is a "conservative"? Since when?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391C084D.3D54B982@bctv.com>
Source record: 111352

wolf wrote:
>
> Living in Tx, I'm probably a bit more familiar with his
> policies than most of you Marx brothers on this board.
> (Karl Marx, that is).

No, your perspective is skewed by proximity.

Duhhh-bya's policies are close to those of LBJ in 1964. To me, this isn't "conservatism."

When you show me where -- as governor -- he called for the Rangers to turn over their records on the Branch Davidian debacle for impartial investigation, then maybe you will have something.

When you show me where -- as governor -- he called on your legislators to eliminate any of the state's gun laws, seizure laws, laws against freedom of expression, or those permitting ninja raids, then maybe you will have something.

When you show me where -- as governor -- he risked anything of his own to advance the cause of individual liberty, then, maybe you will have something.

THESE are things that a CONSERVATIVE would do. Except nowdays, these are considered "radical" -- even JFK would be too far right to be a Republican presidential candidate this year.

4054. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391C08C5.2F282558@bctv.com>
Source record: 111353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Why should we listen to a poster who calls itself "integrity" but won't
give a real email address?

4055. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512134126.21763.00001170@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 111354

And the best one of all ..

Blaming guns for Columbine is like ..

.. blaming spoons for Rosie O'Donnell being FAT ! ! !

4056. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <2D1508EE5C5EC775.FA40AAE6F1514D5E.57BA2B064A14100F@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Wow, did anyone happen to look up Wouff Hong on Altavista? Maybe it's not anything new to you oldtimers. But, for the newer folks or those who don't know...

Kim W5TIT

Stewart Teaze <stewart.teaze@gat.com> wrote in article <391C3DE9.50156881@gat.com>...
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>
> sure, why not.
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> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>
> HA! How does THAT make things better! Go back to the stoneage, fool.
>
> > Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>
> Why?
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> > Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
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> That is the best suggestion yet.
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> > wouff hong
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4057. Re: This hot little whore can fuck all day long... 92144

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ReferenceCount <rc@rc.not>
Message-ID: <8fhfuk$hd0$1@web1.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 111356
Cross-posted to: rec.skiing.backcountry,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.photo.equipment.aps,rec.photo.equipment.large-format,rec.photo.film+labs,rec.photo.marketplace

TJM wrote in message <391C2725.B98BC801@uswest.net>...
>Your'e the WHORE This post does not belong here.

more spam disguised as a complaint about spam.

Don't fall for it.

rc

4058. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <391d474c.10999072@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111357

On Fri, 12 May 2000 08:58:20 -0700, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

>Aw, you made me cry with your liberal garbage. Really don't
>know how you left-wingers are going to cope after George B.
>stacks the courts with conservatives next year.

With *laughter.* It'll be hilarious seeing Dubbya trying to figure out
which way north is. ;-)

>
>* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
>The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

4059. Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin McQuiggin <mcquiggi@sfu.ca>
Message-ID: <391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca>
Source record: 111358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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If anyone could provide me with more examples, or good books or articles on this topic, then that'd be great. Of course I'll give appropriate credit to those who assist!

If you could email me as well as posting your reply, thanks. There's lots of traffic in these groups and I don't want to miss any replies.

73,

Kevin VE7ZD
mcquiggi@sfu.ca

4060. Re: Reply to Mundyusa1: On General Reno

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <391e49eb.11669628@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111359

On Fri, 12 May 2000 01:22:15 -0400 (EDT), AllAmericn@webtv.net (Robert Morris) wrote:

>I agree with your statement, the very purpose of these posts.
>
>Definitely honest, popular with the electorate, General Reno has always
>been the consummate politician. Her telephone call to me is indicative
>of her political instincts. She spent more time on politics than
>organization, where she was weak. Permit me to expand.
>
>More than a decade ago, I returned to find my house burglarized. Every
>room was strewn with property in disarray, much was missing, and a few
>doors were smashed. Determined to catch the thief, I played a hunch and
>hit the jackpot. It was my next door neighbor, whom I caught red handed
>my goods.

>The police filed a report; the Dade County Attorney proceeded
>with the prosecution. An easy conviction, I assumed.

" the Dade County Attorney ", not Janet Reno.

>Called downtown at my own expense to assist the prosecutor, I gladly
>cooperated. However, after I was kept waiting all afternoon on two
>separate occasions, I came to feel penalized.
>The prosecutor then botched the notice of hearing for the Defendant,
>failing also to notify me. The thief got off.
>
>Having proceeded the law and order way, I wound up being threatened by
>the thief, who lived next door. The law's inept efforts emboldened him.
>
>Livid, I called a Miami Herald Columnist with clout, who wrote my story
>beautifully. Enter a ranting Reno, as I picked up the telephone.
>Sharing the tete-a-tete with insiders, they told me that Reno's tirades
>downtown were legendary, and her staff was dispirited. Small wonder my
>case was derailed.

Sorry to hear of your home burglary, but if you had a botched knee surgery who is to blame ? The surgeon who *actually* did the work or the head of the surgical department ?

>
>The irony: The electorate loved her. Reno knew how to spotlight the
>roses and avoid the dandelions.
>
>Bob Sherin, W4ASX
>Miami, Florida

4061. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <391C4ACB.C2DC90B@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Wouff Hong wrote:
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Step 6: Kiss the Amateur Radio Service goodby.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

4062. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: glass2@glass2.lexington.ibm.com
Message-ID: <8fhj92$146i$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 111361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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>Kevin VE7ZD
>mcquiggi@sfu.ca
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How about if I start you off with a pointer to a piece by the guy who invented SSTV, Copthorne Macdonald, VY2CM, in his own words. SSTV was invented at the University of Kentucky, in Lexington, Kentucky.

http://www.ultranet.com/~sstv/history/

Dave

P.S. Standard Disclaimer: I work for them, but I don't speak for them.

4063. Dayton hamvention Books F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: w0tok <w0tok@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u9c9tREv$GA.206@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 111362

This is Paul Washa, W0TOK Mound, MN we are bringing
almost all our electronics books to Dayton. 3,000 pounds. We
have been loading the Surburban for three days with books we
have ordered over the last two weeks for this great event.
If you are there, stop by and visit. This is our third year
at outside vendor spaces: 2615, 2616, 2617 We have the very
latest ARRL, W5YI, and Gordon West license study guides, plus
the best selection of Amateur Radio related books you have
ever seen at VERY competitive prices. 73 Paul

4064. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <391C6267.55F3C768@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111363
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

"Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL" wrote:
> I've changed my mind regarding restructuring and I can't believe I've been
> wrong about it all this time.
> Why would a any sensible CBer want to go to all the trouble of getting a
> ham license just to talk to other newly licensed CBer's on different
> bands? They wouldn't.

Same for the dreaded freebanders. Why would a freebander bother to
get a ham license?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

4065. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: blackm00@cam.org
Message-ID: <blackm00-1205001607450001@dialup-15.hip.cam.org>
Source record: 111364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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> operating techniques.
>[stuff deleted]

Packet radio already existed. Somebody (I can't remember his position
or whether he was a ham) in what was then the Department
of Communications here in Canada, with a name like deMercado, had had
some experience with Aloha Net in Hawaii. He decided it was time
for hams to move forward, and so he changed the rules in Canada to
allow packet radio, and introduced the Digital License. That license
carried no code test, but what was said to be a more complicated
theory test, and was VHF only, maybe restricted to certain bands. I
thought there was also a segement or two set aside for packet that
only Digital License holders could use. I remember he came and talked
to one of the local clubs in 1977 or 78, so long ago that the details
are vague.

So it's debatable how much ham radio influenced packet radio. On
the other hand, I don't dismiss the value to some individuals, who
got it going in ham radio and played with it, and used that
experience in the commericial area.

I think the influence of ham radio on technology in recent years has diminished. That's less important than whether it is still affecting the young, getting them interested in electronics and radio at a young age and providing them with a place to play with these things.

But up till a certain point, ham radio was basically synonomous with electronics and or radio. You don't have to go any further than Howard Armstrong, who was a ham first and it could be said his work was nothing more than an extension of ham radio, even if it influenced radio tremendously; regeneration (and regenerative receivers) the superheterodyne receiver, the superregenerative receiver and practical FM. You can't do anything in radio without one or more of those things.

A lot of the oscillator circuits are named after people who happened to be hams.

I thought practical narrow band FM for two way communication came from a ham, something like the guy who started Sonar, but that is based on some remembrance.

Amateur satellites certainly must have helped the field. The first OSCAR went up only a few years after Sputnik and must have cost significantly less. The concept of a piggyback launch came from OSCAR, and certainly others have taken advantage of that. There have in recent years been "OSCAR-type" satellites, ie relativley simple and inexpensive, which have probably been mainly experimental but have either helped provide a training ground for satellite work or helped "third world countries" in some way.

And you can find examples of hams supplying practical experience (gained from the hobby) in some of the important projects of the last century. I can't get to it easily, but I read a book about Benchley Park during World War II where they worked on what the other side was doing, and the author mentions right at the end the importance of hams in the practical experience they brought to the process. I think there was a similar mention in a book about radar development during WWII. People would come out of the universites, and know all the theory, but be lost when it came to practical work, but hams had that down because of building their own equipment. And of course when WWII started up, hams ended up filling various technical roles in the armed services.

I thought the first person to play with radio astronomy was a ham. If it was't someone who followed up was.

The US Army tried moonbounce in the forties or fifties, but they needed big arrays and lots of power. Hams followed, using much simpler equipment. I'm not so certain moonbounce has much practical use for society other than hams, since others can put up satellites while hams are somewhat limited, but the process of advancing the art may be as important as whether the technology actually migrates elsewhere.

A lot of the history has been written. The ARRL had or has some books on the history, including that one about "200 meters and down...". "Empire of the Air" by Tom Lewis (and it was a Ken Burns PBS show some years back) dealt with Armstrong, Sarnoff and DeForest and probably is fairly available. There was a book about Armstrong, I can't find my copy right now, first published in the fifties and then in the sixties by Bantam Paperback, that I've found in used book stores that provides good, though not too technical, coverage of his life.

Since you can now get QST easily on CDROM, it would be worth getting the early years, actually get the whole set if you've got the money, and then you can see the history unfolding as it happened. The other ham magazines may not be as useful, since they came later, and more important they aren't as available so cheaply or conveniently.

Once you have the ham history, then you can start exploring where it fits into the rest of electronic/radio history. Whether it was simply implementing something discovered elsewhere, or had impact on society beyond ham radio.

And you might want to dig up an article by John W. Campbell (yes the legendary editor of Astounding/Analog SF magazine) who was a ham and once upon a time wrote some technical articles for CQ. He once wrote an article about "How to be an Amateur" pointing out some of the benefits hams have to innovate for the simple reason that they aren't bound by corporations. I think it was published in an early issue of 73, and then reprinted once or twice. 1971 comes to mind.

Micahel VE2BVW

4066. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <391C655B.8FB@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 111365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Step 6: Ban all licensees under age 50

Step 7: Give away all ham frequencies which are now underused

Step 8: FCC declares the Amateur Radio Service closed

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> wouff hong
Rick T. W7RT

4067. Proposed amending Part 15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <!@invalid>
Message-ID: <jfpohsgaar1ih932m2glrut3r2b9t0m1cu@4ax.com>
Source record: 111366

IN THE MATTER OF REVISION OF PART 15 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES REGARDING ULTRA-WIDEBAND TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS. Proposed amending Part 15 of the Commission's rules to pave the way for new types of products incorporating ultra-wideband technology. Comments Due: 90 days from publication in Federal Register, Reply Comments Due: 120 days from publication in Federal Register. Dkt No.: ET-98-153. Action by the Commission. Adopted: May 10, 2000. by NPRM. (FCC No. 00-163). OET
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Kevin
http://nworegonradio.netfirms.com/ a site covering NW Oregon, Scanner SWL and Ham Radio topics and links.

4068. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fhqlb$p2r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <391C655B.8FB@mail.firstinter.net>,
rickw7rt@firstinter.net wrote:
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Hooray! Now we can all get a life!
> >
> > wouff hong
> Rick T. W7RT

Stewart - N0MHS
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Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4069. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <934A2434D060EB1F.30EC2E8C1F862F41.529FAA88B7301F84@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 12 May 2000 17:03:19 GMT, integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff Hong) wrote:

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Step 6: Applicant must be certified sane by a licensed Psychiatrist.

Step 7: Anyone with a violent history, negative attitude, road rage is not eligible for renewal.

Step 8: Anyone convicted of DOTA (Drunk On The Air) is not eligible for renewal.

4070. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <shoukil5kcp60@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

hey, you stole my comments from a letter to the FCC. Next time come up
with your own improvements.

kb7adl

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4071. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: teknoid@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fhvfsuri1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111370

In article <20000504221034.00590.00011787@nso-fi.aol.com>,
toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
> In article <8ess1i$38$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-
deja.com> writes:
>
> >Anyone that can support Clintons protege after Waco and now Miami
> >deserves another 8 years of ripping up the constitution.
>
> You forgot Ruby Ridge. Ask Randy Weaver's widow how she feels about
Bill
> Clinton and Janet Reno's "enforcement" techniques.

I love seeing Bill Clinton and Janet Reno attacked for Ruby Ridge.
Since it happened when GEORGE BUSH was president in 1992. Clinton
didn't take office until January of 1993. BTW, Randy Weaver doesn't
have a widow, he's still living. Randy's wife was killed at Ruby Ridge.

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Before you buy.

4072. need help with yaezu ft 101ex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <n1umj@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <0b%S4.38803$nl3.44405@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 111371

I am looking for some one who will work on my yaezu 101ex and fix a couple little problems with it and get it up and running who can be trusted so I can use it as a backup radio. If you can help, email me at n1umj@mediaone.net thanks and 73

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John Miller, owner of seekonkspeedway formula4 #3, we need sponsors to race! We will miss Adam Petty Tragiclykilled in a reck at NHIS May 12 2000 you will be missed. if you would like to chat with me, I can be found on aol instant messager under ss4mula4 3, or you can look me up on speakfreely IM me any time!

4073. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512181110.16827.00002376@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 111372
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KK7HO wrote:
>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as >illogical as blaming Arson deaths on
>matches.

It's worth remembering that BATF has an arson-prevention leaflet saying that juvenile arson fires kill 600 Americans yearly.

>Laws waived at a criminal lack the impact >of a .44 special.

Having both prosecuted and defended criminals, it is my firm opinion as a lawyer that habitual criminals have no fear of laws whatsoever in this country, nor of judges, nor of probation officers. They so rarely even get prison time that they don't even fear it.
But the two things that burglars fear most - and admit in jail interviews to fearing - are dogs and guns. One will wake up the resident - and lead him straight to the intruder - even if the dog is just a yappy Chihuahua.

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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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4074. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512181506.16827.00002377@ng-fz1.aol.com>
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Want to guarantee the economic end of ham radio? Because if a hobby becomes
a chore, people will defect in large numbers to the Internet, etc. - and no
manufacturers will remain to provide either new gear nor a lobbying base.
The present licensing system anticipates that those licensed will know
enough to stay out of trouble in whatever "specialty" they gravitate to - like
the wife of a ham who just uses two meters to keep in touch with him.
We don't even require that kind of licensing for drivers or lawyers.
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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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4075. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <vN%S4.3894$ux.289698@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 111374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Are you a late bloomer Kevin? Gerd, W2ISB

"Kevin McQuiggin" <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> wrote in message
news:391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca...
> Hi Folks:
>
> I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate
> school up here near Vancouver, BC.

4076. Re: Basulto's Baptism by Fire att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391C74FE.10DA@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111375

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> KW is correct when he writes that the airspace violation and leaflet
> drop coincided with the killing of two Brothers to the Rescue pilots
> and downing of their private plane.
>
> It was the opening hardball I threw Basulto, when I chanced into him at
> Fudruckers, here in Miami, Florida. Like you Curt, I was convinced of
> his wrong-doing. Calmly, he recounted that day, as if he were reliving
> it.
>
> Pursued by MIGs in international waters near Cuba, Basulto thought fast,
> knowing his three private planes were no match for the MIGs. He decided
> spontaneously to fly into Cuban airspace, as a decoy. It was a bold
> gamut to sacrifice himself for the safety of the others.
>
> Gesturing to me by looking down at the restaurant floor, he said:: "I
> could see Havana below." Reaching beyond his food: "Then I grabbed a
> stack of leaflets and threw them out." (Later he described a second
> large leaflet drop from international waters.)
>
> On that day when his pilots perished, Basulto survived. As he tells me
> the story, he is consumed with grief for the pilots he lost, one a Viet
> Nam vet. The Cuban pilots, who flew to the same spot twice that day,
> had orders to bring down their planes, he contends.
>
> The Cuban government had good reason to know Brothers to the Rescue
> would be there. For years, all Brothers to the Rescue, flight plans
> had been furnished to them beforehand. On this particular day, the
> flight plan had been amended. U.S. radar spotted the Cuban planes on
> two separate occasions in accordance with those flight plans. Basulto
> is convinced the Cuban missions were premeditated.
>
> With utter dismay, he says, the U.S. government knew the jets signalled
> impending doom yet remained mute, His voice still controlled, his face
> grimacing with pain, he emphasises that he is determined to bring the
> "murderer Castro" to justice.
>
> Watching him, listening to him, you are impressed with his principles,
> the danger to which he subjects himself, and, at 59, his serene,
> conditioned appearance. This is not the media depiction of Busalta; it
> is the Real McCoy. You wonder how you could have bought the U.S.
> misinformation hook, line and sinker for so long?
>

> Basulto's mission is the rescue of Cuban refugees drifting towards
> Florida in all modes and manner of rafts and wreckage. Sadly, many,
> like Elian's Mom, don't make it.
>
> U.S. rules render refugees heroes: If they are caught at sea, they are
> repatriated, but if they scratch their way to shore, they can ask for
> asylum. For them, life, liberty and happiness lives--or dies.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Bob,

I understand that you respect Basulto, but you damage your credibility with your worshipful tone. From your prose, it would appear that the only thing missing from this man is a crown of thorns! Don't you think that leaflet drops of propaganda are at least somewhat provocative? How was this done from international airspace? Was a strong wind blowing the leaflets ashore? I don't know the truth about exactly how the arial confrontation took place, but people have to realize that while we go to great lengths to protect protesters in this country, this is not a general phenomenon. If you taunt a rattlesnake, you're eventually going to get bitten. You can't then blame the animal for following its nature. Countries are a little like animals - they protect their territories and their interests with teeth and claws when sufficiently provoked. If you're going to subdue such an entity, you have to choose one of two ways - either by gentle coaxing and friendliness, or through overpowering aggression and conquest - any middle ground leads to failure and injury. The other option is to leave them alone! Cornered animals are the most dangerous. I think that as a civilized country, we cannot choose the aggression method. This leaves just two things - leaving them alone or trying to change their system through friendship, tourism and trade. There is no room in such a plan for those who are consumed by bitterness and want retribution at any cost. They should take the higher ground and they'll enjoy life a lot more.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4077. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391C8AA2.6FB66E5F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111376

> But the two things that burglars fear most - and admit in jail
> interviews to
> fearing - are dogs and guns. One will wake up the resident - and lead him
> straight to the intruder - even if the dog is just a yappy Chihuahua.
>

LOL! How true...although, I must tell you, I"ve had Chihuahua's all my life, and a Chihuahua who is well adjusted and secure, only barks in defense of it's turf. In fact, the one I had previous to my current dog, was so laid back, that when someone entered my house uninvited, she didn't bark at all. She began a soft low growl, and kicked me until I woke up. And then once I got out of bed to investigate, crawled up under the covers and hid until the noise was over. She always had more sense than me.

My current dog, also a Chihuahua has barked maybe twice in the 10 years I've owned her.

But you are right about the fear of guns. The two times I was in the house when it was invaded, when I got behind the intruder, and clicked the safety off my Walther, the incident was over. Once the intruder soiled himself.

4078. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Fairbanks <BILLFAIRBANKS@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bfbd2e$8fcec020$3c10460c@default>
Source record: 111377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You sir, are an idiot

73 Bill
KG4GXS

4079. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391C54E6.E871C620@bctv.com>
Source record: 111378

Peter Maus wrote:

> My current dog, also a Chihuahua

A Chihuahua isn't a dog. A Chihuahua is a BARKING RAT.

4080. Re: Basulto's Baptism by Fire att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391C5673.4B114D40@bctv.com>
Source record: 111379

"Curt M. Breneman" wrote:

> I understand that you respect Basulto, but you damage your credibility
> with your worshipful tone. From your prose, it would appear that the
> only thing missing from this man is a crown of thorns! Don't you think
> that leaflet drops of propaganda are at least somewhat provocative? How
> was this done from international airspace?

How did you pass your Private without learning about wind drift?

> Was a strong wind blowing the leaflets ashore?

Most likely. From 10,000 feet, it doesn't take much breeze to blow
paper 12 or 15 miles.

> I don't know the truth about exactly how the arial
> confrontation took place,

You haven't checked the URLs I gave you? The ICAO report is pretty
clear.

There was no "confrontation," the Cuban jets shot down two unarmed
Cessnas in international airspace.

4081. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <DI0T4.61$16.2708@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 111380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote:

> Looks like the ARRL's amateur radio restructuring plan CBer money
> grab membership drive back-fired after all. HA!

Yes, it did, Vince. Instead of creating classes of license, with a maximum
12 wpm code test, as ARRL asked for, the FCC gave 3 classes of license, with
a 5 wpm code test.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

>
> kw5tit@hotmail.com (Kim W5TIT) wrote in
>
> >I am one of those who doesn't believe that
> >Restructuring will do a thing for increasing the number of hams...
> >
> >Kim W5TIT

4082. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: great horneytoads! <bluetel@aol.com>
Message-ID: <nJ0T4.55930$g4.1554581@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

WE TRIED THIS ONCE ALREADY SPORT.

IN 1965-67

IT WAS CALLED "INCENTIVE LICENCING"

IT WAS A MONMUNTAL DISASTER FROM WHICH WE
HAVE NEVER RECOVERED.

Wouff Hong <integrity@arrl.sucks.org> wrote in message
news:anti.arrl@arrl.sucks.org...
>
> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.
>
> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
>
> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>
> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>
> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
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>
> wouff hong
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>

4083. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: great horneytoads! <bluetel@aol.com>
Message-ID: <8M0T4.55968$g4.1554766@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote in message
news:391C4ACB.C2DC90B@IEEE.org...
> Wouff Hong wrote:
> >
> > Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> > pass all elements required for their license class.
> >
> > Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
> >
> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
> >
> > Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
> >
> > Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
>
> Step 6: Kiss the Amateur Radio Service goodby.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

It's already gone Cecil. Ham radio is literally dying.
Average age for hams is 68 Yrs old.
Your correct above, and ham radio WILL be DEAD
by 2015. Stick a fork in it - it's done cooked thru and thru.

RIP: Amateur Radio 1917-2015

4084. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fi52i$t5r$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111383

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on matches.

I assume you're all for legalizing the sale of weapons of mass destruction? Atomic weapons? Biological? Chemical? How about surface-to-air missiles? After all, as you say, it's not the weapon that kills. Will you take a consistent stance in regard to these weapons or will you be a hypocrite?

73, Jeff KH6O

4085. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391b4c03.337091632@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What was you point in posting this General Morgan

Amusing how with other saying that I Mark Morgan, holder of
the license KB9RQZ, lack credibilty you insist on trying to assmue my
name and ID

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

On Mon, 08 May 2000 13:58:54 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Is this MARK.....
>
>
>
> Callsign Results [ULS DATABASE]
>
>
> Callsign File Number Applicant Type
>Service
> KB9RQZ 9711128976
>I HA
>
> Licensee Name Address PO Box
>City
> MORGAN, MARK C 221
>ILLIOPOLIS
>
> State Zip Grant Date
>Expire Date
> IL 652390221 Nov 12, 1997 Nov
>12, 2007
>
> NEPA Flag Trustee License ID
>Previous Callsign
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>Operator Class
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>T
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> Group Previous Operator Class
>Eligibility Code Trustee Ind

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> Trustee_license_id
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>
>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:
>>
>> >But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
>> >is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
>> >very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.
>>
>> I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
>> basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
>> KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
>> term effect
>> >
>> >In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...
>> >>
>> >>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>> >>
>> >>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
>> >>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
>> >>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
>> >>
>> >>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
>> >>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
>> >>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
>> >>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>> >>hobby vital.
>> >>--
>> >>glenq@cyberhighway.net
>> >>WB7DOW
>> >>
>> >>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
>> >

4086. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391b4c74.337203958@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 09 May 2000 13:20:03 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>I guess my novice license was from a 'really' ancient era (1966),
>one year non-renewable.

What are you trying to do make that I claim an anceint Novice
license and then "prove" I never held one. I Mark Morgan, KB9RQZ never
held a Novice license General Morgan
>
>"M. Schneider" wrote:
>>
>> Nah, it's long gone. All I remember is that it was expired when I got back.
>> The FCC office didn't give a S--T that I'd been in no position to do
>> anything about upgrading and the person on the phone made a snotty comment
>> about govt. killers not getting any special treatment. I suggested that
>> with an attitude like his he needed to be careful what he said to "govt
>> killers" and hung up. A couple of days later I got a visit from an FBI
>> agent concerning "threats" I'd made to a govt. employee. He was a much more
>> reasonable person, and after listening to my story, told me not to worry
>> about it, SHOOK MY HAND! and said thank you, and left. (If it sounds like
>> that meant alot to me, it did!) But I figured it would be a good idea if I
>> avoided the FCC for awhile. No matter, I'll get my upgrade now on my own
>> merits.
>> Mark
>>
>> > If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
>> > length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
>> > renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
>> >

4087. make money

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: 4Roses@Access1.NET
Message-ID: <391B4C95.297B5335@Access1.Net>
Source record: 111408

Make $1000 of an initial $6 investment very easy, not a scam, really works!

Make Money Now! It doesn't get any easier than this. Just follow this awesome money making program, and you'll be collecting a nice supplemental income in no time. You don't have to buy anything! You don't have to sell anything! This is not a Paid To Surf Program or a Paid to Click Program. You don't have to surf the Internet for a ton of hours or click on little banners a million times. This program is fast, simple, easy, and most importantly....IT WORKS!

Mission: To make a one time investment of $6.00 and have it return to you over $6,000.00

The program really works! Read this testimonial first!
A little while back, I was browsing through newsgroups and websites, just like you are now, and came across an article similar to this. It said that you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $6.00! So I thought, "Yeah right, this must be a total scam." But like you and me, i was curious, so i kept reading. Anyways it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 6 names and addresses stated in the article. After you send the mail, you then place your own name and address in the the bottom of the mailing list and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups. No catch, that was it. So after thinking it over and talking to a few people about it, I figured, "what have I got to lose other than $6.00 and a few stamps?" So I decided to try it and I mailed out my measly 6 bucks. Well Guess What?! Within 7 days, I started getting money in the mail! I was shocked! I figured it would end soon, but the money just kept coming in. Mail after mail with a 1 dollar bill inside. In the first week, I made $25.00 - Wow, I already made back my initial investment with some extra lunch money. But next week came more mail. By the end of the second week, I had made over $100! In the third week, I had over $1200.00 and it was still growing. By the end of the 4th week, I had well over $6,000.00! I couldn't believe it. It was certainly worth $6.00 and 6 stamps. And the best thing - it's perfectly legal! Thanks a bunch to everyone involved!

Important: This is not a rip-off; it is not indecent; it is not illegal; and it is 99% no risk - it really works!
Please note: Please follow the directions EXACTLY, and $6,000.00 or more can be yours in 20 to 60 days. This program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants. Please continue its success by carefully adhering to the instructions.
You will now become part of the Mail Order business. In this business

your product is not solid and tangible, it's a service. You are in the business of developing Mailing Lists. Many large corporations are happy to pay big bucks for quality lists. However, the money made from the mailing lists is secondary to the income which is made from people like you asking to be included in that list.
4 Basic Steps to Success
STEP 1 : Get 6 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST." Write on each piece of paper your mailing address and your email address. Now get 6 US $1.00 bills and place ONE inside EACH of the 6 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope (to prevent thievery). Place one paper in each of the 6 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 6 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the above phrase with
your house and email address. What you are doing is creating a service. THIS IS ABSOLUTELY
LEGAL! You are requesting a legitimate service and you are paying for it! Any doubts? Please refer
to Title 18 Section 1302 & 1341 of the Postal lottery laws or call the US Postal office at 1-8000-725-2161.
STEP 2 : Mail the 6 envelopes to the following addresses:

1) Christopher L. Sloan
2200 Hickory St.
H.S.U. Box #14579
Abilene, TX 79698

2) Karen Lohning
155 Blue Spruce Ct.
Delaware, Ohio 43015

3) B. Stoltenberg
7149 Wynter Way
Indianapolis, IN 46250

4)J. Hanan
10871 Poyntell Cir.
San Diego, CA, 92131

5)Rob Barnes
14575 Spingvale st.
Poway, CA, 9206465t

6)Eric Larose
17757 Corazon Pl.
San Diego, CA, 92127

STEP 3 : Now copy this list and take the #1 name off the list that you see above and move the other names
up (6 becomes 5, 5 becomes 4, etc...) and add YOUR name as #6 on the list.
STEP 4 : Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as

close to the original as possible. Now try to post your amended article to at least 200 newsgroups (chat rooms, message boards, guest books, bulletin boards...u know). You don't have to post 200, you can do more or less, but remember, THE MORE YOU POST, THE MORE CASH YOU MAKE! Keep a copy of these steps for yourself, and whenever you need cash, you can use it again, and again.

PLEASE REMEMBER : This program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants and by their carefully adhering to the directions. Loook at it this way. If you are a person of integrity, the program will continue and the CASH that so many others have received will come your way.

NOTE : You may want to retain every name and address sent to you, either on a computer or hard copy and keep the notes peple send you. This VERIFIES that you are truly providing a service. (Also, it might be a good idea to wrap the $1 bill in dark paper to reduce the risk of mail theft. So, as each post is downloaded or read, and the directions carefully followed, six members will be reimbursed for their participation as a List Developer with one dollar each. Your name will move up the list geometrically so that when your name reaches the #1 position you will be receiving thousand of dollars!! What an opportunity for only a one time investment of of $6.00 and six stamps. Send it now, add your own name to the list, post it, and you're in business!

To make sure you don't get into trouble with Uncle Sam, make sure you declare your extra income. Remember, this is LEGAL> You are using the Internet to advertise your business. What is that business? You are creating a mailing list of people who are interested in home based computer and online business and methods of generating income at home. Remember, people send you a small fee to be addesd to your mailing list. It is legal. What you do with your list of names is up to you. so build your mailing list, keep good accounts, declare your income and pay your taxes. By doing this you prove your business intentions.

How Much Can I Really Make?

Out of 200 postings (which should take no more than 1 hour) you receive only 7 replies (a very low percentage). So then you just made $7.00 with your name at #6 on the letter. Now each of the 7 people make around 200 postings with your name at #5 and 7 more people respond, you just made $49.00. Now those 49 people put up another 200 posts each, and still only 7 more reply from each person, you just made $343.00 with your name at #4. Following the same pattern, you would make $2401.00 with your name at #3, $16,807.00 at #2, and $117,649.00 at #1. And remember, that's only if 7 people reply each time!

Additional NOTES :

1) In some countries, the export of the country's exchange is illegal. But you can get the license to do this from the post office, explaining the above statements (that you have an online busines, etc.). You may have to pay an extra tax, but that's OK, the amount of the incoming CASH is HUGE!!

2) You may want to buy mailing and email lists for future CASH, or

database of spreadsheet software.
3) You may eventually want to rent a P.O. Box due to the large amount of mail you will receive. If you wish to stay anonymous, you can invent a name to use, as long as the postman will deliver it. Just make sure all the addresses are correct.
4) If you're really not sure or still think this can't be for real, please print a copy of this article and give it to someone who really needs the CASH, and see what happens.
5) For a business to be successful, be honest and fair.

4088. Re: AF2Y-JUST FOR YOU..AUSIE GUN CONTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000511212951.19263.00001994@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111409

It's an interesting and telling observation that AF2Y, Charles Schwartzbard, is the only one, out of all the posts and replies, that has taken the stance he has. Charlie seems to be the only one way out in LEFT field.

4089. Re: AF2Y on gun- loving schmucky hams.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000511213812.19263.00001996@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111410

In your dreams Charlie. There was a day, long ago, when the Democratic party actually stood with and for America, not anymore. They're socialists, if not worse.

Charlie Schwartzbard spewed

>Yeah and nowadays a Democrat is defined as a Republican who cares.
>

Charlie , we feel your pain ! LOL LOL LOL

4090. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511220008.16096.00002785@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 111411

KK7HO wrote:

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>
> The problem isn't the country or what made it great the problem is that
>people like you want to change it. I'm all for immigrants coming here, learn
>the language, etc., but they don't need to come over here because it is
>America
>and then try to change it.
>

.....

Here, I think, is the most common widespread misconception about immigration and what the United States was originally intended to be.

These immigrants aren't conciously trying to change America. Its not like they have some master plan to change the USA to fit their tastes. This happens because
Mexico is wherever Mexicans are, Africa is wherever Africans are, China is wherever Chinese are, etc. When any race becomes a majority in a particular geographic location, that area becomes, in fact, the same type of civilization, culture,
"country", that they came from!

The United States, its civilization and culture, was created by White Europeans FOR White Europeans. If Whites become a minority in America, you can kiss your "world" goodbye, and get reagy to live in what will be just like Africa, Mexico, or whatever.

THAT is why non-White immigration should be made a criminal offense in a White country.

4091. Radiosigs is "da man" ! ! ! !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511221204.20443.00001862@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 111412

Radiosigs a Leftie? I don't think so. He's the best agent provocateur on the internet. Look at the replies he stimulates. He's causing the right minded people to get off the fence and speak up.

I think Radiosigs will single-handedly turn out enough Republican voters to send The Amazing AlGore back to farming tobacco this November. Rush Limbaugh should learn from Radiosigs.

So far, Rush has "lost" 2 presidential elections for us. He just couldn't turn out the voters. Along comes Radiosigs. Suddenly, gun owners and tax payers are starting to speak up.

If this continues till November, Bush will beat The Amazing AlGore worse than Nixon beat McGovern in 1972. And we should see another Republican landslide in both houses of congress. Not to mention what will trickle down to state and local elections. With Radiosigs stirring the pot, the welfare parasites won't be able to elect a Democrat to Dawg-Catcher this time around.

Keep the pot stirred, Radiosigs. You're the best advocate the devil ever had. Well, aside from Komrade Klinton. But that's an apples-to-oranges comparison. Does not apply here.

http://www.vote.com
Great site. Cast your vote soon ! !

4092. Re: Noise on a switching power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511221805.23286.00002729@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 111413

Thanks. Yeah I know the principle of how they work but...FOUR DOLLARS!

My friend gave me a TDK 2-port noise filter and that helped quite a bit. I tried a 0.005-uF disk ceramic...no luck.

Then 270 uF...no luck. The equivalent output impedance of the supply is just very low.

Thanks for your interest. I read a lot of your posts, BTW.

73, Jack

4093. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000511225454.25496.00002560@ng-df1.aol.com>
Source record: 111414

I wouldn't go so far as to say that but it's certain that our goverment agencies have been catering. Let's see, every form, application, or request for aid are printed in how many languages now?
Take that along with the failure to control illegal immigration and, well you get an influx of non-Americans that don't plan on becoming one, are here to get the freebies (i.e., welfare, medical, etc.), and are not required to do anything (i.e.,learn the language, Constitution, get a job) other than register as democrats.

4094. Re: AF2Y :"me,me,me KK7HO"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000511235729.05261.00002013@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 111415
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

AF2Y quoted me:
>> Maybe that's because Canada's >>premier didn't get caught by an
>>O.J.-style
>>DNA
>> test perjuring himself in two separate >>proceedings. Maybe that's because
>> Canada's premier didn't go on television >>and lie to Canadians: I did not
>> have a sexual relationship with that >>woman.

and replied:
>And apprently you have no compassion >for the elderly
>Americans who have to now decide >whether to take a pill or eat? That's
>because you're a narrow minded schmuck >who's probabaly a young rich
>snotnosed character without a care in the >world.

In your mind.
I was the only student daily taking a bus to the University of North Carolina Law School from 1982-85 because my father had just been unemployed (professor) for a year.
I also know what it is to be one of the only three kids from a middle-class family in a rich suburb (when I was in elementary school and sixth grade).

>You're parents aren't old
>either so why the hell should you care >about such an important problem?

Bullshit.
I just visited my 78-year-old mother in the nursing home today - where she's been since several strokes led to her ending up there late last year.
Before that, I was her one-person nursing home for two years as she had three major strokes and a ministroke.
Matt,
N4GSV
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

4095. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512000030.05261.00002014@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 111416
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

KK7HO wrote:
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>agencies have been catering. Let's see, >every form, application, or request
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>aid are printed in how many languages >now?

I would "go so far."
Right this weekend, the Justice Dept. is monitoring elections in New Jersey
- in large part to see that the ballot is printed in Spanish.
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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
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4096. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000512004403.13555.00001019@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 111417

That figures, I wonder if AF2Y is out there translating?

>From: glc1173@aol.com

>I would "go so far."
> Right this weekend, the Justice Dept. is monitoring elections in New
>Jersey
>- in large part to see that the ballot is printed in Spanish.

4097. Reply to Mundyusa1: On General Reno

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17490-391B9507-17@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111418

I agree with your statement, the very purpose of these posts.

Definitely honest, popular with the electorate, General Reno has always been the consummate politician. Her telephone call to me is indicative of her political instincts. She spent more time on politics than organization, where she was weak. Permit me to expand.

More than a decade ago, I returned to find my house burglarized. Every room was strewn with property in disarray, much was missing, and a few doors were smashed. Determined to catch the thief, I played a hunch and hit the jackpot. It was my next door neighbor, whom I caught red handed my goods. The police filed a report; the Dade County Attorney proceeded with the prosecution. An easy conviction, I assumed.

Called downtown at my own expense to assist the prosecutor, I gladly cooperated. However, after I was kept waiting all afternoon on two separate occasions, I came to feel penalized.
The prosecutor then botched the notice of hearing for the Defendant, failing also to notify me. The thief got off.

Having proceeded the law and order way, I wound up being threatened by the thief, who lived next door. The law's inept efforts emboldened him.

Livid, I called a Miami Herald Columnist with clout, who wrote my story beautifully. Enter a ranting Reno, as I picked up the telephone.
Sharing the tete-a-tete with insiders, they told me that Reno's tirades downtown were legendary, and her staff was dispirited. Small wonder my case was derailed.

The irony: The electorate loved her. Reno knew how to spotlight the roses and avoid the dandelions.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4098. fs kam all mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hcrane@thezone.net
Message-ID: <391baab6.187200037@news.thezone.net>
Source record: 111419

i have a kam all mode all hookups for vhf and hf
all manuels...and radio to go with it vhf.
i am seling
or will trade for some thing of equal value
playstation and games
or burner any thnig give me offers.

4099. Basulto's Baptism by Fire att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16675-391BB3E5-48@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111420

KW is correct when he writes that the airspace violation and leaflet drop coincided with the killing of two Brothers to the Rescue pilots and downing of their private plane.

It was the opening hardball I threw Basulto, when I chanced into him at Fudruckers, here in Miami, Florida. Like you Curt, I was convinced of his wrong-doing. Calmly, he recounted that day, as if he were reliving it.

Pursued by MIGs in international waters near Cuba, Basulto thought fast, knowing his three private planes were no match for the MIGs. He decided spontaneously to fly into Cuban airspace, as a decoy. It was a bold gamut to sacrifice himself for the safety of the others.

Gesturing to me by looking down at the restaurant floor, he said:: "I could see Havana below." Reaching beyond his food: "Then I grabbed a stack of leaflets and threw them out." (Later he described a second large leaflet drop from international waters.)

On that day when his pilots perished, Basulto survived. As he tells me the story, he is consumed with grief for the pilots he lost, one a Viet Nam vet. The Cuban pilots, who flew to the same spot twice that day, had orders to bring down their planes, he contends.

The Cuban government had good reason to know Brothers to the Rescue would be there. For years, all Brothers to the Rescue, flight plans had been furnished to them beforehand. On this particular day, the flight plan had been amended. U.S. radar spotted the Cuban planes on two separate occasions in accordance with those flight plans. Basulto is convinced the Cuban missions were premeditated.

With utter dismay, he says, the U.S. government knew the jets signalled impending doom yet remained mute, His voice still controlled, his face grimacing with pain, he emphasises that he is determined to bring the "murderer Castro" to justice.

Watching him, listening to him, you are impressed with his principles, the danger to which he subjects himself, and, at 59, his serene, conditioned appearance. This is not the media depiction of Busalta; it is the Real McCoy. You wonder how you could have bought the U.S. misinformation hook, line and sinker for so long?

Basulto's mission is the rescue of Cuban refugees drifting towards Florida in all modes and manner of rafts and wreckage. Sadly, many, like Elian's Mom, don't make it.

U.S. rules render refugees heroes: If they are caught at sea, they are repatriated, but if they scratch their way to shore, they can ask for asylum. For them, life, liberty and happiness lives--or dies.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4100. Re: Noise on a switching power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391BD4EA.A7FE3E7D@oio.net>
Source record: 111421

Jack,
I'll give you your $4.00 back if you'll ship it to me.
'Doc

4101. Re: Davis Instruments WeatherLink - Email Correction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: elminstr@mrtc.com
Message-ID: <8fgiig$k0a$1@nd.eastky.net>
Source record: 111422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sorry for the wrong E-mail address. I had forgotten that I had it set up
for anti-spam. Correct E-mail is kd4mkb@qsl.net

Bob Ratliff
KD4MKB
kd4mkb@qsl.net

noone@home.net (Bob Ratliff) wrote in
<MPG.1383ba364257265c989680@news.mrtc.com>:

>I am looking for schematics/plans for the Davis Instruments WeatherLink.
>If anyone has any info, it would be greatly appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Bob Ratliff
>KD4MKB
>kd4mkb@qsl.net

4102. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: None@dontevntry.oro
Message-ID: <8fgpl2cfi2@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 111423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <391b4c74.337203958@nntp.one-eleven.net>, konstans@oneleven.net says...
>
>On Tue, 09 May 2000 13:20:03 GMT, General Mark Morgan
><one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
>>I guess my novice license was from a 'really' ancient era (1966),
>>one year non-renewable.
>
> What are you trying to do make that I claim an anceint Novice
>license and then "prove" I never held one. I Mark Morgan, KB9RQZ never
>held a Novice license General Morgan
>>

>>> > If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
>>> > length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
>>> > renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
>>> >
>
Geaz guys, I was NOT TRY TO START ANOTHER FLAME WAR. Just wondered if mine was the only 2 year expired novice license in existance. I was NOT trying to cast doubt on anyones histories.

4103. Re: AF2Y :"me,me,me KK7HO"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391C254E.1156F72@ahole.com>
Source record: 111424
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

What a schmuck you are DOC.....

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> You unidentified yellowbelly. Blow it out of your you know what. God all
> mighty, all you think about is Clinton's lack of morality yet those who
> condemned him the most were found out to be the biggest whoremongers of all.
> Why don't you get off your sanctimonius kick? November's coming and you'll
> be able to pull the lever for saint George of Bush. That'll make you forget
> all about Bill. And apprently you have no compassion for the elderly
> Americans who have to now decide whether to take a pill or eat? That's
> because you're a narrow minded schmuck who's probabaly a young rich
> snotnosed character without a care in the world. You're parents aren't old
> either so why the hell should you care about such an important problem?
> I'll bet if we went your way, you'd destroy social security and Medicare
> too. A young bigmouthed rightwing ultra conservative Republican horse's ass
> is what you are. One of Dick Armey's and Trent Lott's boys. Guaranteed both
> of them will go the way of Gingrich and you can go the way to the devil.
> AF2Y
>
> ----------
> In article <20000511143044.07411.00002208@ng-cl1.aol.com>, glc1173@aol.com
> (GLC1173) wrote:
>
> > Maybe that's because Canada's premier didn't get caught by an O.J.-style
> DNA
> > test perjuring himself in two separate proceedings. Maybe that's because
> > Canada's premier didn't go on television and lie to Canadians: I did not
> > have a sexual relationship with that woman.

4104. Re: BUsh = Quayle. Duh!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391C25FE.D9FE22B4@ahole.com>
Source record: 111425

So Doc what does Al Gor know. What a spotted owl looks like or how
to get money from the Chinese? Help me on this one will ya?

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Wait for the debates when Al Gore will prove that George W. doesn't know the
> difference between issues and tissues.
>
> ----------
> In article <8f1ho1$8k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
> wrote:
>
> > In article <ySEUOTeQTjN7KnNLv46mDsMPTx5d@4ax.com>,
> > Jim <hop.along@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >> On Thu, 04 May 2000 22:02:36 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >You may be right Doc....but I'll tell you this....the Demoncrats have
> >> >LOST THE CUBAN VOTE FOREVER. And that includes all their friends.
> >>
> >> Where have you been? The democrats haven't had the Cuban vote since
> >> the Bay Of Pigs! The Cubans may influence Miami, and to some extent
> >> the State of Florida...but they don't elect Presidents.
> >>
> >> Jim
> >> KG4GXP
> >>
> > I've been in Alabama for the last couple of decades, after having lived
> > in North Miami and Ft. Lauderdale. I'm right up the road from the
> > Talladega prison where we still have a lot of the "boat people" housed.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
> >
> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> >
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.

4105. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391C2683.950F892@ahole.com>
Source record: 111426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey idiot, do you think you are the only one in this world with the
name of Mark Morgan! Did GOD reserve that name just for you? Are
you a General in the armed forces? Help me out on this one will ya
Mark.....

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> What was you point in posting this General Morgan
>
> Amusing how with other saying that I Mark Morgan, holder of
> the license KB9RQZ, lack credibilty you insist on trying to assmue my
> name and ID
>
> Mark Morgan
> KB9RQZ
>
> On Mon, 08 May 2000 13:58:54 GMT, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> >Is this MARK.....
> >
> >
> >
> > Callsign Results [ULS DATABASE]
> >
> >
> > Callsign File Number Applicant Type
> >Service
> > KB9RQZ 9711128976
> >I HA
> >
> > Licensee Name Address PO Box
> >City
> > MORGAN, MARK C 221
> >ILLIOPOLIS
> >
> > State Zip Grant Date
> >Expire Date
> > IL 652390221 Nov 12, 1997 Nov
> >12, 2007
> >
> > NEPA Flag Trustee License ID
> >Previous Callsign

> >
> >
> >Operator Class
> >
> >T
> >
> > Group Previous Operator Class
> >Eligibility Code Trustee Ind
> > D
> > Trustee_license_id
> >
> >
> >
> >
> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >>
> >> On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:
> >>
> >> >But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
> >> >is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
> >> >very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.
> >>
> >> I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
> >> basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
> >> KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
> >> term effect
> >> >
> >> >In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...
> >> >>
> >> >>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >> >>
> >> >>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
> >> >>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
> >> >>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
> >> >>
> >> >>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
> >> >>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
> >> >>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
> >> >>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
> >> >>hobby vital.
> >> >>--
> >> >>glenq@cyberhighway.net
> >> >>WB7DOW
> >> >>
> >> >>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
> >> >

4106. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <391C26F2.B611740D@ahole.com>
Source record: 111427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well good for you Mark... I was just pointing out that your
statement about the 2 year license is not as ancient as the one year
non-renewable which I held in 1966, now that's ancient....

Mark Morgan wrote:
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> On Tue, 09 May 2000 13:20:03 GMT, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> >I guess my novice license was from a 'really' ancient era (1966),
> >one year non-renewable.
>
> What are you trying to do make that I claim an anceint Novice
> license and then "prove" I never held one. I Mark Morgan, KB9RQZ never
> held a Novice license General Morgan
> >
> >"M. Schneider" wrote:
> >>
> >> Nah, it's long gone. All I remember is that it was expired when I got back.
> >> The FCC office didn't give a S--T that I'd been in no position to do
> >> anything about upgrading and the person on the phone made a snotty comment
> >> about govt. killers not getting any special treatment. I suggested that
> >> with an attitude like his he needed to be careful what he said to "govt
> >> killers" and hung up. A couple of days later I got a visit from an FBI
> >> agent concerning "threats" I'd made to a govt. employee. He was a much more
> >> reasonable person, and after listening to my story, told me not to worry
> >> about it, SHOOK MY HAND! and said thank you, and left. (If it sounds like
> >> that meant alot to me, it did!) But I figured it would be a good idea if I
> >> avoided the FCC for awhile. No matter, I'll get my upgrade now on my own
> >> merits.
> >> Mark
> >>
> >> > If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
> >> > length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
> >> > renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
> >> >

4107. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fh3kh$v8u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111428

In article <20000512004403.13555.00001019@ng-ct1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> That figures, I wonder if AF2Y is out there translating?
>
> >From: glc1173@aol.com
>
> >I would "go so far."
> > Right this weekend, the Justice Dept. is monitoring elections in
New
> >Jersey
> >- in large part to see that the ballot is printed in Spanish.
>
>
Well guys, you know what really chaps my butt about this immigration thing? The language deal. I have been to 13 different countries in my travels. And in each and everyone I learned enough of the local language to be able to communicate. But here in the great USA I lived in North Miami, where my kids were not able to keep up in public school because the teacher was using Spanish for Gods sake.

Then I hear about how the "cubano's" want to change all the road signs to Spanish. I left Florida.

My point is this; If one comes to a country to make it their home, then they must learn the language...ENGLISH...They must learn about the government, politics, etc. And they MUST APPLY FOR CITIZENSHIP. Or get the HELL OUT.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4108. AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000512095823.02260.00002500@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111429

Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on matches.

All trigger fingers should be registered. Just as a gun will not work without a bullet, it will not work without a finger.

If guns are so evil, why are they so often used in the name of God.

Ask not how a gun may harm you, ask instead how it may save you.

Laws waived at a criminal lack the impact of a .44 special.

Sign on the window of a burglarized house. "Hollow point test center, test subjects needed".

Repeating firearms do wonders for repeating criminals.

Burglars hate light, especially muzzle flashes.

4109. Re: Second Story Grounding??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0fc882b0.5005163b@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 111430

Doc, thanks for your words. I kinda figured the coax trip was too good to be true. I have a friend in the local area who swears it fixed his problems though. I have enough radiating feedline witht eh coax to the 17 meter dipole!! I guess I will watch e-bay and see if they have an MFJ Artificial Ground out there to bid on.

The question on the power supply was a good one. I negelected to mention that the amp needed around 20 amps. I knew it was gonna be close running the amp and the rig on the same power supply. I just don't know if the problem was cuased by RF coming in the shack or by the power supply breaking down. I have not suffered any RF "bites" so my guess is the PS couldn't take the load. I wish I had a tube amp around to play with and see if I can run some power. Of course I busted FW/G3... last night on 100 watts on the first call so maybe power is overrated (NOT!) I know A5 is not in the log yet but ya gotta hear em to work em.

73 Doc de Kenn W5KAP

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4110. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 62)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000512111535.05645.00002566@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 111431

The 62nd episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
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4111. Re: KC8JBO...Squirm, BOY!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fh93n$5gm$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111432

In article <8ff5gkrqk1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> The TRUTH must hurt, DEFORMO FACE!!!!! You always must <FLUSH!>
> everything I say about the 'ole GOAT. Am I starting to get "UNDER YOUR
> SKIN?" Have I hit one too many NERVES? Are my postings about the 'ole
> GOAT to CLOSE TO HOME?

Not at all, but has the FBI been around yet? I gave them YOUR name and
address.

> > Now go wash and wax my Mom's car and my truck,
>
> The only "car" the 'ole GOAT will be in any time soon is a HEARSE!!!!
> Better change her COLOSTOMY BAG again, FREAK FACE. What does she think
> about all your MAGAZINE reading?, hohohoho.

No problem. A simple solution is NOT to pay any invoice one does not
order. A simple, retarded, ill-educated fuck such as yourself fails to
understand that. Keep up the childish "I'll subscribe you to many
magazines tantrum, it's really quite amusing, and you know, the FBI is
watching the source isp, oh well, you've been in prison before haven't
you?

> As for your "truck".....TYPICAL "redneck" transportation......Does
> your "truck" have a GUN RACK in the rear window? How about a scented
> PINE TREE hanging from the rear view mirror? Any empty cans of LONE
STAR
> beer in the back bed? How about a "My mother is on her DEATHBED"
> bumper-sticker? Do you play the sound track from DELIVERANCE on your 8
> track tape system?

I don't NEED guns. However, I DO have the access to them. My truck
beats your rusted out, broken window taped with a trash bag
"transportation" though.

> Ya, I guess you do "OWN ME", MONKEY FACE.....The first thing I
> plan to do since you "OWN ME" is to get the 'ole GOAT some HEMORHOIDAL
> cream. She needs RELIEF from her constant "ITCHING & BURNING".
hohohoho.

Yeah, well, you DO like to stick your tongue up somebody's rectum,
don't you?
>
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger

> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> [QRM'er] General IDIOT [CB'er]

Still could pass the Extra test, too bad you had to take the General
over 15 times, huh?

> 'ole GOATS retard son [QRM'er]
> [AF2Y suckboy] Unemployed [Idiot]
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> [Deformed face] No job [Fatso]

Prove it.

> Keep on reading those MAGAZINES, ELEPHANT FACE.....Go check
on
> the 'ole GOATS bed WELTS now!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> The ONE & ONLY,
>
> PITBULL WITH AIDS
> TESTICLELESS COWARD WHO HIDES
> UNDER AN ALIAS, MAINLY BECAUSE
> HE KNOWS HE WOULD GET HIS ASS
> KICKED OTHERWISE

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4112. Re: KB8JBO & mom's COLOSTOMY bag

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fh97f$5ih$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111433

In article <8ffekunql1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> THIS IS ABSOLUTELY OUT OF CONTROL!

It's OK, I've given the Law Enforcement authorities
a list of suspected individuals.

> ----------
> In article <8ff5c1rbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, kc8jbo_____m@my-
deja.com
> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> > The TRUTH must hurt, DEFORMO FACE!!!! You always must <FLUSH!>
> > everything I say about the 'ole GOAT. Am I starting to get "UNDER
YOUR
> > SKIN?" Have I hit one too many NERVES? Are my postings about the
'ole
> > GOAT to CLOSE TO HOME?
> >
> >> Now go wash and wax my Mom's car and my truck,
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> > The only "car" the 'ole GOAT will be in any time soon is a
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> > Better change her COLOSTOMY BAG again, FREAK FACE. What does she
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> > about all your MAGAZINE reading?, hohohoho.
> >
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> > your "truck" have a GUN RACK in the rear window? How about a scented
> > PINE TREE hanging from the rear view mirror? Any empty cans of LONE
STAR
> > beer in the back bed? How about a "My mother is on her DEATHBED"
> > bumper-sticker? Do you play the sound track from DELIVERANCE on
your 8
> > track tape system?
> >
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> > plan to do since you "OWN ME" is to get the 'ole GOAT some
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> > cream. She needs RELIEF from her constant "ITCHING & BURNING".
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4113. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391D8F51.B8312FE@bctv.com>
Source record: 111184

KK7HO wrote:
>
> What a liberal loony. I gather you know nothing about ballistics from your
> ridiculous statement. You must be teaching liberal arts - whatever that is.
> LOL Learn something about ballistics Jeff then we'll talk. Until then - your
> sounding foolish.

Even after. He will just expand his sphere of ignorance to some other
topic.

4114. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000513172406.08158.00015017@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 111185

In article <20000512181506.16827.00002377@ng-fz1.aol.com>, glc1173@aol.com (GLC1173) writes:

> Want to guarantee the economic end of ham radio? Because if a hobby >becomes a chore, people will defect in large numbers to the Internet

They already have. Reducing the code requirement (rather than outright elimination, which would have been preferable) is too little, too late.

4115. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom2@socket.net
Message-ID: <391dcafa.13846009@news.socket.net>
Source record: 111186

Lets ban cars... More people die from the use of automobiles than
guns. Lets register plastic and steel pipe, could be made into bombs.
Lets register all knifes including whats on your table.... Knifes
kill.
While were at it lets register Brain dead Liberal's who rant about
guns.

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>In New Jersey we have had gun registration and licensing since the 1960s and
>no one complains about anything. Not one nut stands on a steet corner or
>writes a letter to an editor saying that CONFISCATION is next. It's
>ludicrous. stupid and embarrassing. The downfall of this nation will lie in
>the uncontrolled proliferation of such things as gunshows during which any
>loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks and walk offf with a deliverer of
>death. Question: why don't you rant and rave about your computers being
>registered? They most certainly are and you know it. If you screw around on
>the Internet and create a life threatening situation or try to disrupt
>commerce by means of viruses, by having registered with an ISP, the Feds
>will get you. We are all safer by knowing what exists, where and when and
>yet you "gunnets" who've sold your souls to the NRA care nothing about the
>safety and security of your fellow man. The founding fathers must be turning
>over in their graves seeing how a basic tenet of the Bill of Rights is being
>raped in this nation. Gun owners-KEEP THEM, USE THEM PROPERLY, POLISH THEM,
>DISPLAY THEM, TAKE THEM TO TARGET PRACTICE RANGES, KILL DEFENSELESS ANIMALS
>FOR SPORT SINCE THAT'S LEGAL BUT DAMMIT, you're going to have to register
>and license every weapon you own OR ELSE and if you don't like it, you're
>going to do it anyway!
>
>
>

4116. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12355-391DC522-44@storefull-135.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111187

What part of "shall not infringe" does this Doc-Dick not understand????

Don B.

4117. Help with MFJ-1278 and Kenwood TMV7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pedro Braz <pqp@netcabo.pt>
Message-ID: <8fjfpujfu8@duke.telepac.pt>
Source record: 111188

Hello,

I have a MFJ-1278 and a Kenwood TM-V7 and need to connect them both.

The MFJ 1278 Pin out is as follows:

PIN 1 - MIC. AUDIO
PIN 2 - GND
PIN 3 - PTT
PIN 4 - REC. AUDIO
PIN 5 - SQUELCH INPUT

The TMV7 Pin out is as follows:

PIN 1 - Packet data input(PKD) (TX data from TNC to transceiver)
PIN 2 - GND for PKD
PIN 3 - Packet Standy - TNC can use this pin to inhibt the transceiver microphone input while txing packet signals
PIN 4 - OUput of detected 9600 bps date 500mVp-p 10Kohm
PIN 5 - Same but for 1200bps (500mVp-p 10Kohm)
PIN 6 - Squelch Control output (Inhibts TNC data txing while transceiver squelch is open, Prevents interference to voice comms over the same freq. Output leve: Open Squelch +5 V high Close Squelch 0V Low.

They say the 9600 pin should be used when there is only one PIN coming out of the TNC for the data.

The idea I have of connecting them is:

MFJ TMV7
PIN 1 ---- PIN 1
PIN 2 ---- PIN 2
PIN 3 ---- PIN 3
PIN 4 ---- PIN 4
PIN 5 ---- PIN 6

IS ot ok? Should I do it another way???

I really need help.

73's and thx all

Pedro Braz - CT1FQD
pqp@netcabo.pt

4118. If output on TS440s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin John Hallsworth <Martin@g1gyc.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <958257794.29157.0.nnrp-06.9e98acde@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 111189
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Hello,
I am wanting to use the SM220 + panadapter with my TS440 but it has no
IF output. Has any one made a mod to give if out on this rig ?
any helpful details appreciated.

also what is the bandwidth of the 45.05Mhz 1st if filter ?

Thanks Martin

4119. >>>>>>>>> For my good friend Doc <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fkonjqrs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111190

Doc, the first time you get mugged, you will be calling on your
Congressman, to make rocket launchers legal! Rich

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4120. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net>
Message-ID: <8qlT4.61982$fF5.1952926@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 111191

Boy am I embarrassed! I had disconnected the R7000 for a thunderstorm.
that is why things were lousy above 40-10. :-)

It is back and magically, so is the propagation.

Oh well!

"Gil Baron W0MN" <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
news:YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
> What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so
poor
> as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above 4
> Mhz is dead.
> Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
> It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from tine
to
> tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE
> signal!
>
>
> --
> Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"
>
>

4121. Yaesu VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: T-Net News <yimmy@telcel.net.ve>
Message-ID: <0zIT4.136$5q5.58@news01.t-net.net.ve>
Source record: 111192

I have just bought the new Scanner/Two-Way Radio: Yaesu VX-5R. I wonder what other users of this device think about its capabilities!

4122. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391DE586.C186435B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111193

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> >Jeff, ol man, we're talking about self defense, personal protection, home
> >security, defense of loved ones and property, not mass destruction, taking out
> >a town, or terrorism. You've reach the crest of being illogical trying to make
> >YOUR point.
>
> Good, you took the bait. Since you're saying that weapons are for
> just self-defense, then you'll no doubt agree that it is completely
> unnecessarily for a bullet to travel up to a distance of one mile.
> Let's say you only need a protective perimeter of say, 10 yards
> in radius. Then you won't mind having ammo sold that will only
> cover that distance. We'll ban all ammo that can out-distance that
> range.
>
> 73, Jeff

Makes as much sense as putting a short armed boxer in the ring
with George Forman. Reach, sometimes is the issue.

Defense of home, property and country, often takes place at a
range greater than 10 yards. As has been demonstrated time and again
throughout history.

The Second Amendment is NOT about sport, it is about defense, and
most specifically defense of the individual and the individual's
rights. From other individuals, and from the Government.

Do your homework. The Constitution was not written to empower the
government. It was written to limit the powers of the government
against the rights of the individual. The Second Amendment is the
insurance policy that protects that intent.

And for the record, the posters here who insist that the Second
Amendment is soley for the purpose of a well regulated
militia...You're exactly right. The Militia, in the language of the
period, was an armed populace. The people. Individuals. Citizens of
The Republic. And a Well Regulated Militia, in the language of the
period, was a Militia that was well equipped for defense of country,
that is to say, well armed.

A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a
free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not
be infringed.

It means in clear language, that the right of every citizen to be armed and competent in the use of weapons shall not be restricted, limited, or controlled, so that the people, shall be able to protect the rights to remain free. That means individuals. That means individual responsibilities. And duties to citizenship.

As unpopular a stand as it is, it has been upheld by the most learned of Constitutional scholars, and numerous court decisions.

4123. tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred-palmer <fred-palmer@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oi#B#rTv$GA.232@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 111194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sbay.hams

Need a 6AL5 and a 12AU7 to finish restoring a Johnson Viking. Would like Dallas area but would pay for shipping if tube prices are reasonable. I added that' cause from what I've read, the prices are going out of sight and it wasn't too long ago that I had to give away 3 large bin boxes full. thinking I would never need them again!) Fred 940-321-2029 or fred-palmer@msn.com

4124. Re: Castro vs. Cuban-Americans: Two Hams Face Off, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391DE0B7.283C@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111195

Sherins@webtv.net wrote:
>
> The issue: Enlightenment. The "party line" that you've been espousing
> yields neither peace nor international cooperation. If an hour with
> Jose Basulto can debunk my most closely held opinions formed over 40
> years, I fear our government is less than forthcoming.
>
> In what looks like a blind rush to support our government, please
> reflect on and respond to the following:
>
> Do you know how many people have been saved by Brothers to the Rescue?
> Does normalizing relations include standing by when a foreign government
> slaughters innocent Americans in international waters?
>
> Wouldn't one expect Brothers to the Rescue, like any other organization,
> to have brochures? Wouldn't you expect survival in the Florida
> Straights to illicit educational material from somewhere? How would you
> recommend that such information be circulated in light of the closed,
> Cuban press?
>
> Why do you label Cuban-Americans "rabble rousers," rather than likening
> them to people of all nationalities who came to our shores. The history
> of Cuba reveals strong ties with the United States to the extent that
> tongues once wagged in Cuba about statehood. Is there any wonder,
> therefore, Cuban-Americans would still feel and act on those strong
> ties? After all, it doesn't take a declaration of statehood for
> Cuban-Americans to feel strong kinship with Cubans on the Island.
>
> Why is it so difficult to communicate the point that dropping a small
> stack of leaflets was strictly a Basulto afterthought while over Havana,
> as he tried to draw Cuban jets away from international waters. Isn't
> shooting down two American pilots and planes in international waters a
> provocative act? How do you explain raising the responsive, second,
> drop of leaflets in international waters to "provocative," while the
> murder of our pilots doesn't merit a word in protest?
>
> Doesn't the fact, Basulto survived over Cuba when his fellow pilots
> perished in international waters, demonstrate Cuba's closely scripted
> premeditation and U.S. misfeasance, if not malfeasance? Do you think
> Brothers to the Rescue would submit flight plans to the Cuban government
> if it thought its pilots and planes would be shot down?
>
> In fact, Brothers to the Rescue had been cooperating with the U.S. and
> Cuban governments long before that fatal day; they submitted to Cuba all

> flight plans, which included pilots' names.
>
> Respected Curt, cloak your writing in academic argot; however, it
> remains generalized naivety to my mind.
>
> In the so-called "Ivory Tower," I think you'll agree, the tendency is
> too much reliance on theory and too little, on personal experience.
> More than most, university personnel are beholden to government in some
> way, which readily biases viewpoints.
>
> Like Cuban-Americans, our Founding Fathers were passionate about
> liberty. They urged everyone of us to participate zealously in full
> political dialogue, because they knew the risk of unchecked power.
> Would you have it otherwise?
>
> Though I know my position is not fully developed by a long shot, I am
> compelled to say that, far from neutral, your posts are tainted with
> obvious prejudice and bias.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Bob,

I would like to differ with you on a couple of points - first, I have no axe to grind since I'm not a great supporter of the current administration, and I am definitely not in favor of the Cuban political system or its leader(s). While it's true that some "ivory tower" thinking strays to the left of mainstream, I consider myself quite a bit more conservative than my colleagues on most issues. I don't feel a bit pressured by any governmental granting agencies to take up any political positions, or to avoid any for that matter. I'm speaking from the point of view of someone who has accumulated as many facts about this situation as possible, and then formed an opinion based on an evaluation of those facts. That's what we do in the science biz - We can't afford to take limited "world views" of anything, so I don't. Second, it seems naive of you to believe that the leaflet distribution came as a self-sacrificing afterthought. Don't you think it would be odd for them to be carrying leaflets if they didn't intend to drop them? I don't know the content of the leaflets, and I don't have data about the people who were saved by the BTTR organization. They may have done a lot of good in other areas, so I don't mean to pick on them specificially. My point is that it's not in the best interest of US international relations for private citizens to engage in their own private foreign policy actions, particularly if they undercut ongoing negotiations taking place at a higher level.

I condemn the shooting down of the Cessna 337's, and I think that the current Cuban regime has pathological tendencies. What we differ on is the best method to be used to improve this situation. I liken the current state of affairs to a hostage situation, where negotiation is

the best way to prevent loss of life. Emotional responses are certain to generate casualties when dealing with a government like that. If we were discussing relations between the US and Canada or some other modern, free country, I would say that a different set of procedures and expectations would be present. In the case of an isolated country with a totalitarian form of government, provocation is likely to lead to violence rather than a strongly worded protest. This being the case, doesn't it make more sense to bring about change through business and social interactions rather than through confrontation?

Curt Breneman
RPI Chemistry
KC2EBP

4125. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391E0145.19BC0512@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111196

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> <snip> The downfall of this nation
> will lie in the uncontrolled proliferation
> of such things as gunshows during which any
> loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks
> and walk offf with a deliverer of death.

Anti-gun advocates are dishonestly suggesting that gun shows is a new, unforseen, and dangerious, phenomenon that has to be quickly regulated and controlled before the world ends.

Nonsense!! Gun shows have been going on for the entire 220 year history of this country. Indeed, gun shows were common long before this country came into existance. Government control over another aspect of individual rights is the new, unforseen, and dangerious, phenomenon.

> Gun owners-KEEP THEM, USE THEM PROPERLY,
> POLISH THEM, DISPLAY THEM, TAKE THEM TO
> TARGET PRACTICE RANGES, KILL DEFENSELESS
> ANIMALS FOR SPORT SINCE THAT'S LEGAL BUT
> DAMMIT, you're going to have to register
> and license every weapon you own OR ELSE
> and if you don't like it, you're going
> to do it anyway!

The hatred towards gun owners is also a new, unforseen, and dangerious, phenomenon.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4126. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391DCB15.15E58DDD@bctv.com>
Source record: 111197

Dwight Stewart wrote:
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> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > <snip> The downfall of this nation
> > will lie in the uncontrolled proliferation
> > of such things as gunshows during which any
> > loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks
> > and walk offf with a deliverer of death.
>
> Anti-gun advocates are dishonestly suggesting that gun shows is a new,
> unforseen, and dangerious, phenomenon that has to be quickly regulated
> and controlled before the world ends.

You are assuming that the anti-gunner wants the same thing for this
country as do the rest of us.

4127. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391E04FD.C859008E@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > kc8jbo wrote:
> > >
> > > <snip> the internet and other new developments
> > > will cause this great hobby to go the
> > > way of the dinosaur. The newer technologies
> > > will become more popular, and nobody will
> > > be interested anymore.
> >
> > They said the same thing about
> > broadcast radio, television, and other
> > "technologies." Ham radio survived
> > those and will easily survive the
> > internet also.
>
> Don't believe it. Those other technologies
> were non-participative. The net is the most
> efficient communications medium available
> to the common man, and it doesn't have many
> of the drawbacks that radio has.

Sorry, Keith, but I don't buy it. The internet has not made even a small dent in number of people watching television, renting videos, or listening to the radio. If it hasn't affected those "technologies," there is no reason to believe that it will have any more effect on ham radio.

Again, as I said before, it is not new technology that will harm ham radio - its the operators. The kind of operators we have will either make or break ham radio. Its as simple as that.

By the way, you said that the internet "is the most efficient communications medium available to the common man." Look, I'll agree the internet is interesting, but lets not go overboard here. The internet also has more negative aspects than any other medium known to man (privacy issues, questionable content, wrong information, misinformation, etc.).

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4128. Re: If output on TS440s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391E0647.F686B923@oio.net>
Source record: 111199
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Martin,
Good luck! There's no easy way to do that without
quite a bit of circuit modification. The 45Mhz filter
is a 2.7 Mhz.
'Doc

4129. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391E08B4.2DAC1D9@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"great horneytoads!" wrote:
>
> We are OBSOLETE Dwight, a curisoity,
> perhaps a resource to some, but technically
> and operationally obsolete nonetheless.

Well, I guess I don't see the same ham radio that you see. In my ham world, there has never been a greater demand for ham operators by all kinds of groups wanting support for their communications system, or lack of communications system.

And I've seen plenty of interest. In fact, there is not a week that goes by that I don't have to take time to answer somebody's questions about ham radio.

In my area, the numbers of ham operators is growing. The license exam sessions are full. And the new license holders seem thrilled with this hobby.

I guess people see what they want to see. I see a bright future for ham radio, while you see its ultimate end. I guess only time will show who is right.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4130. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391E0BC4.6151ABB9@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111201

beachmaster wrote:
>
> And while the "Million Moms" are demonstrating in Washington, their
> homes are being burglarized. Not that being home would make much
> difference since they probably don't have a gun to defend themselves in
> the first place.

Now that is funny. By the way, I heard on the news that sponsors of
the "million moms" say that the numbers expected in Washington was
closer to 150,000 (instead of a million). I guess honesty is not a big
issue with this group either (gee, we're expecting 150,000, but we'll
call it a million mom march).

Of course, Clinton, in a radio address, is also supporting this group.
Of course, we already know where he stands on honesty.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4131. WTB: Drake MS-4 and AC-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <DontDoIt@ImNotHere.com>
Message-ID: <3p4shskha44hu31i08nljuo4elhv22n6p9@4ax.com>
Source record: 111202
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hi all;

Looking for both/either Drake MS-4 Speaker and Drake AC-4 power
supply.

Power supply must be operational, cosmetics not very important.

Speaker must have proper Drake decal on front, and not be dented.
Otherwise I'm flexible.

Please contact:

Neil, N1DMA
NeilR@innermedia.com

or call toll free: 800-962-2949

Thanks!!!

4132. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391DDCEA.2E28BCA3@bctv.com>
Source record: 111203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dwight Stewart wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Dwight Stewart wrote:
> > >
> > > kc8jbo wrote:
> > > >
> > > > <snip> the internet and other new developments
> > > > will cause this great hobby to go the
> > > > way of the dinosaur. The newer technologies
> > > > will become more popular, and nobody will
> > > > be interested anymore.
> > >
> > > They said the same thing about
> > > broadcast radio, television, and other
> > > "technologies." Ham radio survived
> > > those and will easily survive the
> > > internet also.
> >
> > Don't believe it. Those other technologies
> > were non-participative. The net is the most
> > efficient communications medium available
> > to the common man, and it doesn't have many
> > of the drawbacks that radio has.
>
> Sorry, Keith, but I don't buy it. The internet has not made even a
> small dent in number of people watching television, renting videos, or
> listening to the radio.

And you think that ham radio HAS?

> If it hasn't affected those "technologies,"
> there is no reason to believe that it will have any more effect on ham radio.

As I said, those are non-participatory. The net attracts those who are
interested in long distance communication for amusement. YOU, for
instance.

> By the way, you said that the internet "is the most efficient
> communications medium available to the common man." Look, I'll agree
> the internet is interesting, but lets not go overboard here.

Sure. Just as soon as you consider where this discussion is taking
place.

And all you have to do to prove me wrong is show me one other medium by which, say, an anonymous 9-year-old can communicate with thousands of others . . .even when she is asleep.

4133. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391DDD66.6196A115@bctv.com>
Source record: 111204

Dwight Stewart wrote:

> Of course, Clinton, in a radio address, is also supporting this group.
> Of course, we already know where he stands on honesty.

It's not that -- he's just dreaming about all those defenseless women
coming to DC.

4134. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.4.21.0005132029540.17026-100000@uhunix5>
Source record: 111205

On Sat, 13 May 2000, KK7HO wrote:

> Sorry Jeff but DO NOT attribute something someone else wrote to me. Just as I
> thought. THOSE are not my words. You seem to be confused on more than one
> issue. How you came to the conclusion I posted that is beyond me.

Below is the complete article, including the full header.

73, Jeff KH6O

Article 222141 of rec.radio.amateur.misc:
Path: news.hawaii.edu!hammer.uoregon.edu!newsfeed.direct.ca!europa.netcrusader
.net!152.163.239.131!portc03.blue.aol.com!audrey05.news.aol.com!not-for-mail
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....
Lines: 17
NNTP-Posting-Host: ladder06.news.aol.com
X-Admin: news@aol.com
Date: 12 May 2000 13:58:23 GMT
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512095823.02260.00002500@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Xref: news.hawaii.edu rec.radio.amateur.misc:222141

Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on matches.

All trigger fingers should be registered. Just as a gun will not work without
a bullet, it will not work without a finger.

If guns are so evil, why are they so often used in the name of God.

Ask not how a gun may harm you, ask instead how it may save you.

Laws waived at a criminal lack the impact of a .44 special.

Sign on the window of a burglarized house. "Hollow point test center, test
subjects needed".

Repeating firearms do wonders for repeating criminals.

Burglars hate light, especially muzzle flashes.

4135. KJI and "tommy toob" page URL?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: great horneytoads! <bluetel@aol.com>
Message-ID: <DdbT4.54613$x4.1868369@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111234

Heard Uncle Walter at 3 AM talkin about some kind
of a KJI and "Tommy the Toob" parody page. Seems to
be generatin alot of contention among some of the
dentures-on-the-sink group. What is the URL? Please post in NG
I wanna see if these are as funny as Uncle Walter says
they are, or if their just the product of yet another senile old
ham operator

4136. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: great horneytoads! <bluetel@aol.com>
Message-ID: <lmbT4.54724$x4.1868888@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote in message
news:391D3927.B55731@sccoast.net...
>
>
> "great horneytoads!" wrote:
> >
> > It's already gone Cecil. Ham radio is literally dying.
> > Average age for hams is 68 Yrs old.
> > Your correct above, and ham radio WILL be DEAD
> > by 2015. <snip>
>
>
> Myth! Ham radio has never been a young person's hobby. Look back
> over the magazines printed decades ago - the pictures show a lot of
> older faces (and very few young ones).

Correct DFwight, HOWEVER where you data needs to be
revised is found in the new licence applications. Their almost
zero. Number of Generals and Advanced calls dropping out
or not renewing: up 15%. Read Wayne's editorials in 73. He is
right I am afraid. FCC official figures and trends bear out a
stead decline in ham radio for the next 5 years, then an exponential
drop to 2015. (assuming historical baseline statistics and plotted trends)
I wish it were otherwise too, but what young person, meaning DROVES
of young persons want to spend ups of a thousand of dollars, take a
test on arcane theory, (worse yet...)-->code....just to talk to a bunch
of old men on HF, who double 6 times out of 10 when they transmit
and don't even realize it? (listen to 40 any time during the day and see
what I mean) We are OBSOLETE Dwight, a curisoity, perhaps a
resource to some, but technically and operationally obsolete nonetheless.

4137. Re: MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fjk3lkqv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111236

In article <8feq9vekc1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>
> Just another example of how deeply intrenched the Demoncrats and the
> Liberal mindset is in our beloved N.E. Hillary and Billery have done
> more for the cause of socialism in this country then FDR.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Tell us how you really feel, Dan. LOL!!!!
Don't forget Al Gore....ROFL!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4138. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <080ac096.6e8cdf9d@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>
Source record: 111237

In article <8fh3kh$v8u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-
deja.com> wrote:
>In article <20000512004403.13555.00001019@ng-ct1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>> That figures, I wonder if AF2Y is out there translating?
>>
>> >From: glc1173@aol.com
>>
>> >I would "go so far."
>> > Right this weekend, the Justice Dept. is monitoring
elections in
>New
>> >Jersey
>> >- in large part to see that the ballot is printed in Spanish.
>>
>>
>Well guys, you know what really chaps my butt about this
immigration
>thing? The language deal. I have been to 13 different
countries in my
>travels. And in each and everyone I learned enough of the local
>language to be able to communicate. But here in the great USA
I lived
>in North Miami, where my kids were not able to keep up in
public school
>because the teacher was using Spanish for Gods sake.
>
>Then I hear about how the "cubano's" want to change all the
road signs
>to Spanish. I left Florida.
>
>My point is this; If one comes to a country to make it their
home,
>then they must learn the language...ENGLISH...They must learn
about the
>government, politics, etc. And they MUST APPLY FOR
CITIZENSHIP. Or get
>the HELL OUT.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

I agree. If they want to keep their national/ethnic pride, fine,
use their former languages/customs in their _homes_, for
instance, and adapt the customs/language of their new country.
Although in countries like Switzerland, spoken languages are
diverse. I beleive there are German, Italian, French, and
Esperanto, and English. I know there are several different
printed language newspapers. That kind of setup maight work
there, but I don't think it will work here.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

4139. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000513094255.05660.00002624@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111238

W4NTI wrote:

.....

> I left Florida.

.....

Now THERE, in a nutshell, is WHY White Americans are loosing this battle.
Instead of standing our ground and making the INVADERS leave, WE leave instead!

Dan, I am not critisizing YOU per se ... many many Whites, including my family, are "guilty" of this behavior. Whites WILL lose this country that their forefathers built, fought, bled, and even died for, as long as they continue to flee rather than fight.

4140. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391D2406.858228E7@bctv.com>
Source record: 111239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> kc8jbo wrote:
> >
> > <snip> the internet and other new developments
> > will cause this great hobby to go the
> > way of the dinosaur. The newer technologies
> > will become more popular, and nobody will
> > be interested anymore.
>
> They said the same thing about broadcast radio, television, and other
> "technologies." Ham radio survived those and will easily survive the
> internet also.

Don't believe it. Those other technologies were non-participative. The net is the most efficient communications medium available to the common man, and it doesn't have many of the drawbacks that radio has.

What we have to do is see the problem ahead of us, and position ourselves to fit through the holes in the net.

Now that we don't require high-speed CW (the radio equivalent of forcing someone to build a biplane before flying an F-16), one of the big stumbling blocks is gone -- but I haven't seen ONE news story (print or broadcast) mentioning this in the mainstream media, because hams aren't TELLING the mainstream media about it.

4141. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <kb9tmp@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fjpbh$q8r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <anti.arrl@arrl.sucks.org>,
integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff Hong) wrote:
>
> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.

That would be a royal pain which would mean fewer hams = BAD FOR ARS

>
> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

Less hams would pass so again there would be fewer hams = BAD FOR ARS

>
> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

Code does not make you a good ham, more code = less hams = BAD FOR ARS

>
> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

Which would result in fewer hams totally = BAD FOR ARS

>
> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.

So hams will have NO representation at all = BAD FOR ARS

wouff hong = BAD FOR ARS

Next time Wouff be a MAN, put your callsign and your REAL
name on your trolls! Hiding in the corner and shouting
insults is not how you win others over to "your side"!

>

--
'73' From KB9TMP

It is best not meddle in the affairs of dragons,
for you are crunchy and taste good with ketchup!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4142. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391D3583.B10812F@bctv.com>
Source record: 111241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <391C08C5.2F282558@bctv.com>,
> kw@bctv.com wrote:
> >
> >
> > Why should we listen to a poster who calls itself "integrity" but
> won't
> > give a real email address?
>
> Are you intending to send him/her a private email? Perhaps that's why
> he/she don't give one. ;-)
>
> More seriously though, when I post with my home email address, I get
> heaps of crap from organisations that skim the addresses. I just delete
> them, but that sort of thing really bugs some people. I don't even look
> to see if mail comes the mj-deja.com address, so I don't care how many
> times it gets picked up.
>
> I think that the ideas presented by a poster either have merit, or
> don't. A valid email address doesn't make it any more sensible if it is
> stupid or any less credible if it is well thought out.
>
> Having said that, using "Integrity" does seem a triffle pretentious to
> me. :-)

I guess that depends on what "is" is.

4143. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lenny-t <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391D6F69.6ADB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Sycho_Graphics wrote:
>
> WOW, what an eloquent response. Is "73" your age or IQ grandpa?
>
----------<remainder of rant deleted >---------------

My goodness. What a boatload of inane crap from a self-proclaimed newbie! You should have started off your ravings with, "I don't know anything about it, but it seems to me....."

Looks like the first part of your ID fits you quite well despite the misspelling.

--
"A greyhound needs no fanfare." - Jean Boone 1917-1998

4144. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513111743.06850.00002444@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111243

You crack me up Lloyd. Well let's see, I think the ....

>Which of the following is NOT an assault rifle?
>a) Browning Buck Mark - a spot in the trail
>b) Colt Python - big snake
>c) Ruger 10-22 - a rock band
>d) Colt 45-1911 - aged beer(good stuff)
>e) Hemi-Cuda - assault weapon
>f) Dodge Slant-6 - kids playground game
>g) Kenmore Dishwasher - culinary union member
>h) Gateway 2000 - new age book
>i) Commodore 64 - retired navy
>j) All the above
>

4145. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513112550.06844.00002879@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111244

Charlie your so full of shit your eyes are brown. You don't know what the hell your talking about. You've jumped on the liberal democratic bandwagon and repeat there gibberish with knowing. Licensing and registration in NJ.....They have it where you are then...shut up! You have what you want where YOU live....Don't try to infect my area with your liberal BS. Besides Charlie ol man, there's a difference between local and national registration. sheesh - what a screwball.

4146. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "George W. White" <deeplyshrouded@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <8fjsc9bem0@216.39.130.22>
Source record: 111245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Dwight Stewart wrote:

> Sycho_Graphics wrote:
> >
> > So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why should
> > I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my AOR
> > 8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about
> > electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my
> > roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry, guys
> > your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)
>
> Well, to be perfectly honest, I don't think you ever will be
> interested in ham radio. You're too caught up in "whats new." You
> can't turn your head away from the 'whats new" ads long enough to see
> the advantages of what is already out there. Keep your blinders on,
> don't try to see the advantages of ham radio, and you'll be just fine.
>
> Dwight Stewart W5NET

I tend to agree with you Dwight.
I'm not a ham and probobly never will be. Never had the discipline to learn code.
Sometimes, code can get through where voice can't.
Listening to some of the hams on my scanner talk about old times and what ham
radio
was back in the 30's 40's 50's 60's and 70's is a wonderful experience.
True, technology has changed. Where hams built radios, amplifiers, and antennas,
today's people are building computers, networks and whatnot.
Sometimes at a garage sale, I find an old shortwave receiver, with "8 transistor"
blazed on the front of it. Nowadays, it is all microchips and digital technology.
Newer hams with digital tuners can lock right onto a frequency.
They'll probobly never experiment with a <good God should I say it?>
old fashioned dial tuned radio with the little stick in a window showing you
what "frequency" you're on. Their loss.....
Many people depend on ham radio and don't even know it.
Storm chasers use ham radio.
What about natural disasters? Hams are usually the first to set up
an emergency network of radios to get messages through.
Remember when San Fransisco lost telephone service in many
neighborhoods as a result of the earthquake?
How about the current situation in Los Alamos New Mexico?
Hams are probobly getting traffic through, assisting law enforcement
and fire crews with communications. There is no substitute for experience.
Just my 2 cents worth....

--Deeply Shrouded & Quiet
--Diversi-Dial #49

4147. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513113514.06844.00002881@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111246

>Keith replied:

>>A Chihuahua isn't a dog. A Chihuahua is >a BARKING RAT.

>From: glc1173@aol.com

>Doesn't matter to intruders.
> What they are scared of is that barking - by anything - will wake up
>occupants and have them alert and armed by the time the burglar wanders
>across
>them, or that the dog will lead the armed homeowner straight to them.
>

That's true, but the key statement is "armed homeowner" I'm sure it WOULDN'T bother the bad guys at all (barking dog or not) - if they knew the homeowner WAS NOT armed.
the best neighborhood cop is an armed homeowner.

4148. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fjvcpir1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <391D3583.B10812F@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:

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> > don't. A valid email address doesn't make it any more sensible if it
is
> > stupid or any less credible if it is well thought out.
> >
> > Having said that, using "Integrity" does seem a triffle pretentious
to
> > me. :-)
>
> I guess that depends on what "is" is.

Sorry, That one went over my head.

Mark.

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4149. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391D7FEA.183753A4@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I stand corrected. The report and order is given as 37 right - not in
terms of percentage.
John

Carmen wrote:
>
> Gordon could be wrong...but he states that "a score of 37 or more
> correctly-answered questions (74%) will earn you a passing grade..." That
> does seem to indicate he knows what he's saying. My local VEs agree with
> that as well. I suspect it is 37 because 38 would be 76%, essentially
> raising the bar. Therefore 74% was settled on instead. Sensible in a
> "institutional" fashion. :)
>
> Carmen
>
> John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
> news:391CA472.147BBFBB@worldnet.att.net...
> > I think you had better go for one more. 75% passing score means 38
> > right.
> > John
> >
> > Carmen wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi,
> > >
> > > According to Gordon West, page 13 of the new study guide, 37 or more out
> of
> > > the 50.
> > >
> > > Hope this helps,
> > > Carmen
> > >
> > > BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> > > news:Y9VS4.449$ap2.6933@news.swbell.net...
> > > > How many questions must one get correct to pass the test?

4150. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513122823.13554.00001536@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 111249

their gibberish

4151. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John LeMay <jlemay@nospam.njmc.com>
Message-ID: <8fk01ijvg1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 111250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <anti.arrl@arrl.sucks.org>, integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff Hong) wrote:
>
> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.

Agree, but how often? Perhaps every 3-5 years a written exam would suffice.

>
> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
>

I think 70% is a bit low, but I also think 90% is a bit high. Maybe 80%.

> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

Forget this one. Code will be gone as a requirement very soon. Don't get me wrong, I don't think this is necessarily a good thing.

> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

Bad. Very bad for the hobby. If someone is happy with the no-code license and what they are allowed to do with that license, let them keep it.

> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.

No comment here.

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To reply directly to my email address, please remove the "nospam." from the address shown. Sorry for the inconvenience!

4152. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fk29f$3ls$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111251

In article <8fjcab$q2c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> In New Jersey we have had gun registration and licensing since the
> 1960s and no one complains about anything.
You personally can make a statement such as this? Wow, you know a lot more folks on a personal level than me. You know the whole state, and all of their concerns? Hmmmm.....

> Not one nut stands on a steet corner or writes a letter to an editor
> saying that CONFISCATION is next. It's ludicrous.stupid and
> ebarrassing.
Actually, registration can and HAS LED TO CONFISCATION in other nations. If I own a gun, I am not 'The Problem(TM)', and my registration will be of no use to anyone, except it will be information useful during a wholesale confiscation.

Try punishing the criminal FIRST before you punish the passive elements, and destroy MY constitution. Intervening government is what makes our "forefathers roll over in their graves."

> The downfall of this nation will lie in the uncontrolled proliferation
> of such things as gunshows during which any loony can walk in, plunk
> down some bucks and walk offf with a deliverer of death.
I beleive the downfall of this nation, if it comes will be due to either misinformation, or uneducation. I can name many various places that I can obtain many various items where "any loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks and walk offf with a deliverer of death."

Bottles are free, and just laying around. Gasoline is cheap and available to anybody, kids included. I could make a firebomb any minute of any day of any week of any month of any year. So does this mean we make gasoline and bottles REGISTERED or CONTRABAND?

I kept hearing about the kids in Columbine having BMW's. They could have, on an outside pep-rally day, run over and killed many more students and teachers than were killed by BOMBS and guns. Don't laugh or claim this is a silly analogy. They kept referring to DOOM!, the game, and there is also a popular game called CARMAGEDDON where the object is to run over people while driving a car. Remember that they snapped, so most anything was possible....

So, if this took place, would we be trying to rid society of deadly cars? Specifically those heinous BMW's? Do you know that inattentive and selfish cell-phone-user-while-driving drivers kill WAY MORE people (kids, like in Columbine, too) than were killed in Columbine? Are cell phones illegal? (yes, I know they are REGISTERED).

Plumbing supplies were used to kill that day as well. KIDS can go buy plumbing supplies, AS DEADLY AS THEY ARE. Why aren't you trying to get all pipes, wahsers, elbow joints, end caps, etc. REGISTERED? How many kids did the BOMBS take out that day? Hmmmm...not much mention of this in the media was there? Noooope. Guns were The Problem(TM).

> Question: why don't you rant and rave
YOU win the award for the most ranting and raving, Buckaroo. Ask ANYBODY!

> about your computers being registered? They most certainly are and you
> know it. If you screw around on the Internet and create a life
> threatening situation or try to disrupt commerce by means of viruses,
> by having registered with an ISP, the Feds will get you.
INCORRECT. I can introduce viruses, worms, Trojan horses, etc. onto the network in an untraceable manner. The dipshits get caught. The Melissa virus/worm coder LEFT HIS NAME IN THE SOURCE CODE, then thew his machine in the trash of his apartment complex. Duh. That's the first place the Feds looked!

If what you say is true, how come there are HUNDREDS and THOUSANDS of untraceable viurses and malicious executables in the wild?!? How come there are HUNDREDS of new ones each WEEK that are untraceable? I have held Information Security and Virus Control positions, and the FEDS are behind the 8 ball....

> We are all safer by knowing what exists,
Yes, and Russia is the epitome of this concept. So, when is your permanent departure date?

> where and when and yet you "gunnets" who've sold your souls to the
>NRA care nothing about the safety and security of your fellow man.
AHHHhhhh....hate to interrupt here, but UNREGISTERED GUN OWNERSHIP is a basic AMERICAN premise, and just because I believe in this doesn't make me any less caring about the safety and security of my fellow (law abiding) man. SPEAK FOR YOURSELF, and TRY USING FACTS, not your emotions.

Actually, I WISH my whole neighborhood owned guns. Guns in the right hands equal less crime, more security, and more safety. (for the right people...if you're breaking into houses, God help you....)

> The founding fathers must be turning over in their graves seeing how a
> basic tenet of the Bill of Rights is being raped in this nation.
By misinformed or uneducated people that would rather RAPE the CONSTITUTION versus actually punish the criminal. Why is it that you can be a CONVICT, and keep your rights?!? Try ranting and raving to get criminals to LOSE their rights and actually have punishment for crimes.

Why doesn't 'Free Willy' declare OPEN SEASON on CRIME? If our "forefathers are rolling", it's because the basic American citizen has power that the government is diffusing. This is the power to fight to defend your life or property ABOVE and BEYOND government CONTROL. If you break the law in so doing, that is a matter for the courts to decide,

and a ruling will ensue. But by doing so and NOT breaking the law, then the government shouldn't even be IN THE PICTURE.

> Gun owners-BLAH, BLAH, BLAH you're going to have to register and
>license every weapon you own OR ELSE and if you don't like it,
> you're going to do it anyway!
Ja Voll, Herr Kommandant! (sorry about the spelling...)
HAVE TO?
OR ELSE?
DO IT ANYWAY?
Says who? YOU? YOU now run the Nation? Have you got a RUDE awakening coming! Like the silent body of this nation is going to just let YOU dictate! Hahahahahahahahahahahaah!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Why don't the CRIMINALS HAVE to do ANYTHING? Why is the easiest answer to take away BASIC rights? The criminals now have more rights than those that have jobs and pay taxes!

NO, I do not belong to any gun clubs, or support any. I just support the right to bear arms. (Especially to defend the Constitution.)

You are either uneducated, ignorant, or a Socialist. Pick one, or more.

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4153. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fk43t$5id$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111252
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <#GnUKHLv$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>,
"Sycho_Graphics" wrote:
> The Second Amendment is NOT "contrary to the anti-gun lobby" ABOUT
FUCKING
> DUCK HUNTING OR TARGET SHOOTING!!! It is about having the right and
ability
> to defend ones self, loved ones, property and country from harm. Even
if it
> means that we are forced to turn those same guns on our own
government in
> order to defend our rights as citizens.
>
> As for home protection, 135lb 5 year old Rottweiler, Colt 10mm Gold
Cup
> cocked and locked w/ 200grain Winchester silvertips by the bed. If he
> doesn't stop you I have 8 little friends that sure as heck will.
>
> "April 14, 2000 Million Moron March" a national farce
>

And while the "Million Moms" are demonstrating in Washington, their
homes are being burglarized. Not that being home would make much
difference since they probably don't have a gun to defend themselves in
the first place.

> "GLC1173" wrote in message
> news:20000512224747.13634.00002545@ng-bk1.aol.com...
> > Jeff quoted KK7HO:
> > >>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as >>illogical as blaming Arson
deaths on
> > >>matches.
> >
> > and replied:
> > >I assume you're all for legalizing the sale >of weapons of mass
> > >destruction? Atomic weapons?
> >
> > Actually, it would make no difference - as nobody but
governments and
> > terrorist movements could afford them, anyway.
> >
> > >Biological? Chemical?
> >
> > Did the legal status of sarin make any difference when a
Japanese cult

> > nerve-gassed the urban subway there?
> > ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> > Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
> > Al Gore - in his own words
> > ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
> > official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
> >
>
>

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4154. Re: Second Story Grounding??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fk6m4$8go$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111253

In article <08ec7284.090b6ec0@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>,
W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid> wrote:
> Folks, I have what I guess is a pretty common problem. My shack
> is on the second floor of my home. Since I live on a river I
> had to build up on Pier and beam. I have a Rhon HBX32 up right
> next to the room where my chak is located. The eaves of the
> second story are at 20 feet and my tri-bander is up around 40
> feet. In addtion to the tri-bander I have a 17 meter dipole
> just at the roof. I know I need a current balun on the dipole
> to keep the feed line from radiating. My question (finally) is
> how do I keep RF out of my shack? I tried a small solid state
> amp and when my TS-440S/AT keyed it, it would fold back the amp
> in a mtter of seconds and the 440 followed quickly. No damage
> but no power either. Now I guess it is possible that the power
> supply was crashing (they were on am Astron 35M). I saw where
> some folks are using a piece of coax to the grounding lug and a
> couple .01uf disk capacitors to run to ground. Is an MFJ
> Artificial Ground an answer or does my cable idea have any merit.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> 73 de Kenn W5KAP
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
>
>
In order for the coax and capacitor deal to work is you must
electrically detune the ground wire from the frequency of operation.
Thus it will only "work" on one or two freqs, if at all.

Try using a "counterpoise" wire. You don't need a fancy MFJ "artifical
ground" to do it. Just run a wire 1/4 wave long around the baseboard
of your room. Insulated because it will be HOT with RF. Keep it away
from metal and anything that will readly burn in case of a arc. Do
this for any and all frequencies that your having trouble with. If you
need to use multi core insulated wire and cut the lengths accordingly.
Such as rotar cable, etc.

The MFJ thingy is basically a tuner on a random wire used for ground
(RF). Why waste your money?

Dan/W4NTI

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4155. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391D9C5B.5787B038@oio.net>
Source record: 111254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Wouff Hong,
Hows this for a suggestion? Instead of doing away
with the CW testing, lets add testing in the other modes!
We could have CW testing, RTTY testing, SSB testing, SSTV
testing, PSK31 testing, FM testing, Packet testing, and???
That should settle this whole obsolete/antique/unused
misconception about the different 'modes'.
'Doc

4156. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fk821$9pr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca>,
Kevin McQuiggin <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> wrote:
> Hi Folks:
>
> I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate
> school up here near Vancouver, BC.
>
> I'm researching amateur radio and its history. I'm specifically
> interested in inventions, discoveries, or techniques that were
developed
> within amateur radio and later spread to the electronics industry.
> Similarly, some of our operating techniques and procedures were later
> widely adopted by other services.
>
> Hams operate outside of the structured environments within industry,
and
> I think that this freedom has permitted us to invent and discover
> without being shackled by any policy issues, or possible stigmatism
from
> investigating things that would be considered "too far out in left
> field" by management and non-ham co-workers.
>
> Examples would be the investigation of wavelengths below 200 meters,
> with the discovery by hams that such wavelengths were better for
> propagation than longer waves; packet radio; APRS; propagation studies
> that were undertaken in the 20s and 30s; facsimile; SSTV; and network
> operating techniques.
>
> Some of this stuff was regulated, such as the banishment of amateur
> radio to the "useless" wavelengths < 200 M, but this sort of proves my
> point. There's been lots of innovation within the hobby, and the
general
> public now benefits from it.
>
> If anyone could provide me with more examples, or good books or
articles
> on this topic, then that'd be great. Of course I'll give appropriate
> credit to those who assist!
>
> If you could email me as well as posting your reply, thanks. There's
> lots of traffic in these groups and I don't want to miss any replies.
>
> 73,

>
> Kevin VE7ZD
> mcquiggi@sfu.ca
>
>
Go to www.hrshowcase.com and select the series of "wayback"
articles. You will find some really good info there on your subject.

Dan/W4NTI

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4157. Amateur Radio Class - Lindenhurst, NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2GSB <info@gsbarc.org>
Message-ID: <%9hT4.17070$X91.106014@news02>
Source record: 111256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

SUMMER Tech Class -Lindenhurst

Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club Amateur Radio Classes

Summer Technician class -Saturdays 9-11:30 AM

The Great South Bay ARC has scheduled Tech classes beginning
on Saturday July 8, 2000 at 9:00 - 11:30 AM and will continue
every Saturday until August 12.

All students are required to have the new version study manual
Now You're Talking! All You Need For Your First Amateur Radio License
4th edition c 2000 which will be available in May 2000 from the ARRL,
225 Main St., Newington CT 06111 and your local Radio Shack.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All classes are located in the basement of Babylon Town Hall,
200 E. Sunrise HWY, Lindenhurst NY in the Emergency Operations Center
(ARES/RACES Room), access is gained via the door at the bottom of the
stairs at the rear of Town Hall.

If you are interested in attending a class or you know someone who is,
have them contact Phil Lewis N2MUN (631)226-0698 for further information
or just come on down to class. The class instructor is Walter KA2RGI.

Information is also available during the GSBARC 2 meter info net every
Monday evening at 7:00 pm on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5)
PL required. You may also write to:

GSBARC
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

Email: info@gsbarc.org

visit GSBARC online at: http://www.gsbarc.org

73,
GSBARC

4158. Re: MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fk8h2acc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111257

In article <8fjk3lkqv1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8feq9vekc1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >
> >
> > Just another example of how deeply intrenched the Demoncrats and the
> > Liberal mindset is in our beloved N.E. Hillary and Billery have
done
> > more for the cause of socialism in this country then FDR.
> >
> > Dan/W4NTI
> >
> > --
> > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> Tell us how you really feel, Dan. LOL!!!!
> Don't forget Al Gore....ROFL!
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
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>
So far that REMF (Rear Echolon MF) has not caused much damage. Other
than scraping the bark off a few trees he hugged. On this
subject...can you believe a draft dodger and a REMF in the White house
at the SAME TIME? I'd love to hear their "war stories".

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4159. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fk9b7$b2e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111258

In article <080ac096.6e8cdf9d@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>,
kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid> wrote:
> In article <8fh3kh$v8u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-
> deja.com> wrote:
> >In article <20000512004403.13555.00001019@ng-ct1.aol.com>,
> > kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> >> That figures, I wonder if AF2Y is out there translating?
> >>
> >> >From: glc1173@aol.com
> >>
> >> >I would "go so far."
> >> > Right this weekend, the Justice Dept. is monitoring
> elections in
> >New
> >> >Jersey
> >> >- in large part to see that the ballot is printed in Spanish.
> >>
> >>
> >Well guys, you know what really chaps my butt about this
> immigration
> >thing? The language deal. I have been to 13 different
> countries in my
> >travels. And in each and everyone I learned enough of the local
> >language to be able to communicate. But here in the great USA
> I lived
> >in North Miami, where my kids were not able to keep up in
> public school
> >because the teacher was using Spanish for Gods sake.
> >
> >Then I hear about how the "cubano's" want to change all the
> road signs
> >to Spanish. I left Florida.
> >
> >My point is this; If one comes to a country to make it their
> home,
> >then they must learn the language...ENGLISH...They must learn
> about the
> >government, politics, etc. And they MUST APPLY FOR
> CITIZENSHIP. Or get
> >the HELL OUT.
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
> >
> >--

> >"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
> I agree. If they want to keep their national/ethnic pride, fine,
> use their former languages/customs in their _homes_, for
> instance, and adapt the customs/language of their new country.
> Although in countries like Switzerland, spoken languages are
> diverse. I beleive there are German, Italian, French, and
> Esperanto, and English. I know there are several different
> printed language newspapers. That kind of setup maight work
> there, but I don't think it will work here.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
>
>
Well no I don't think a multi-lingual society will work in this
country. And why? We are just too dang diverse, and then add multiple
languages to the mix and we have a great country ripe for revolution
and take over by anyone that has their act together.

Back in the late 19th and early 20th centuries we had a massive influx
of immigrants. All with their own customs, languages and attitudes.
However by the next generation the "American" was predominant. My
mother was second generation Italian/Austrian. She and her 12 siblings
were FORBIDDEN to speak Italian. Why? who knows. But by the time I
came around it was all but forgotten. As were the "different"
customs. In otherwords we assimilated into AMERICAN SOCIETY.

And there is one more minor point here folks. ENGLISH, not German, was
decided upon as the OFFICIAL LANGUAGE of the United States.....way back
in the 1700s. I might add by only 1 vote. But its official.

Dan/W4NTI

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4160. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <8fk7h7$7oh$0@63.162.247.87>
Source record: 111259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

horseshoestew@my-deja.com wrote:

> But if we start setting up hi-speed digital wireless communications
> networks - are you going to change your tune?
>
The problem is, HAMS seem to consider 1200 and 9600 to be high speed.

We do 19.2 commercially all day long, old news.

4161. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <8fk7t1$99p$0@63.162.247.87>
Source record: 111260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

John LeMay wrote:

> > Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> > pass all elements required for their license class.
>
> Agree, but how often? Perhaps every 3-5 years a written exam would
> suffice.
>
What purpose would this serve?

I can understand retesting for say, a drivers license, as the loss
of those skills can kill someone. But retesting for HAM? Why?

> >
> > Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
> >
>
> I think 70% is a bit low, but I also think 90% is a bit high. Maybe 80%.
>

Who cares. What difference will it really make as long as there is some
level to achieve.

> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>
> Forget this one. Code will be gone as a requirement very soon. Don't get
> me wrong, I don't think this is necessarily a good thing.

Yep. Code killed this hobby. If it had been killed 20 years ago, the
hobby might still be viable, with the new blood it might have kept up.

>
> > Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>
> Bad. Very bad for the hobby. If someone is happy with the no-code license
> and what they are allowed to do with that license, let them keep it.
>

Agreed.

> > Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
>
> No comment here.
>
I will comment. The publishing house called the ARRL is disbanding by
itself. Slowly, but surely. Why rush it.

4162. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fk7gratf1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111261

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Jeff, ol man, we're talking about self defense, personal protection, home
>security, defense of loved ones and property, not mass destruction, taking out
>a town, or terrorism. You've reach the crest of being illogical trying to make
>YOUR point.

Good, you took the bait. Since you're saying that weapons are for
just self-defense, then you'll no doubt agree that it is completely
unnecessarily for a bullet to travel up to a distance of one mile.
Let's say you only need a protective perimeter of say, 10 yards
in radius. Then you won't mind having ammo sold that will only
cover that distance. We'll ban all ammo that can out-distance that
range.

73, Jeff

4163. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fk8jn$c16$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Anon Beaver <not@spam.com> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> Those interested in communicating by radio, antenna, and ionosphere
>> will continue to be attracted to the hobby/service; those that aren't,
>> won't.
>> The outline of our present HF allocation was created with fewer than
>> 20,000 licensed amateurs. If our number dwindles to just double-digit
>> thousands as before, there will still be plenty of folks to talk to.
>> We might have to go back to building our own gear again, but that in
>> no way will be detrimental; on the contrary, that will be good for the
>> hobby/service in that only folks with technical interests will be
>> licensed and on the air. (Before you criticize my last sentence, read
>> the fundamental purpose of the ARS as written by the FCC, attached below;
>> pay special attention to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d).)

>Yea... sure... if there is an HF amateur allocation to communicate on!

Name one organization that has made a bid on amateur HF frequencies.

>Go back to the history you keep quoting---amateurs had to bust ass just
>to get what they have---

Individually, amateurs' efforts didn't amount to squat. It was the ARRL
which fought for each and every Hz we currently have. They were invited
to participate as members of the US delegation at each and every
international radio conference.

>and we keep on loosing bandspace.

On the contrary, we've gained three new HF bands. Our only loss was
the little-used 11m band. As we speak, there is a proposal to give us
new HF and LF spectrum, including a sliver near 5 MHz, and turning
1750m over to hams.

The only spectrum we've lost is up in the V/UHF range; a code-free
tech license was supposed to save those frequencies, though.

>Overseas gets
>new VLF allocations while here in the States a gazillion members of
>industry first have to decide if they need it or not before hams can
>have access.

VLF? That's 3 to 30 KHz. Few US amateurs would have the real estate
to efficiently operate way down there.

>The government auctioned off our national resources when
>they opened up the the VHF/UHF portions of the spectrum to the highest
>bidder

You mean the Technician license failed its intended purpose? Pity.
What are *you* doing to protect our upper spectrum?

73, Jeff KH6O

4164. Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net>
Message-ID: <YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 111263

What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so poor as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above 4 Mhz is dead.
Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from tine to tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE signal!

--
Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
"Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"

4165. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fkb2mcsv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111264

> The streets Are a battle field. Thats who so many people are buying
> guns and getting carry permits. The silent majority may be silent,
but
> the're not stupid.
>
> > Here's 2 questions for Rosie O'Donnell, and all her "expert"
>

Finally someone with some real insight to the problem at
hand......CRIME. Why are so many folks getting weapons to defend
themselves? What are they defending against? Right.....CRIME.

Do you think that if we attack the problem instead of the system that
it may work a bit better?

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4166. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jim@taborsoft.com>
Message-ID: <shragi6pje480@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111265

Howdy Gil,

Sounds discouraging for sure.

Do you by chance check the NCDXF/IARU beacons? Very useful system.
http://www.ncdxf.org/beacon/

Looks like the "A-Index" has been somewhat high. From SEC Alerts/Warnings:
"
Type II Radio Emission 12 May 2000 23:16 UT
Comment: Estimated shock velocity = 581 km/s

Magnetic A-Index >=20 Observed 13 May 2000 03:00 UT
Comment: None

The following Alert ENDED at 06:00 UT on 13 May 2000
Magnetic A-Index >=20 Observed 13 May 2000 03:00 UT
Comment: None
"

A quick glance at their "27-day Outlook", appears, propagation will improve
next week?

Regards,
Jim
--
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http://www.taborsoft.com
Communications Analysis Prediction Wizard
CAPMan HF Propagation Prediction & System Analysis Software
Jim's page: http://www.wtrt.net/~ku5s/

Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
news:YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
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> as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above 4
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> Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"

>
>

4167. FA: Transceivers, transmitters, and receivers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: preston2345@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000513152120.28064.00000579@ng-me1.aol.com>
Source record: 111266

Please review my listing of transmitters, receivers, and transceivers
on auction. There may be something you're interested in. Thanks,

Central Electronics CE 100V:
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=328265040

National NC-155 receiver:
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=328275827

Lafayette HA-50 receiver:
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=328308023

Heathkit SB-301 receiver:
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=328315524

Kenwood TS-520 receiver:
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=330680725

Collins-designed R-392 military receiver (little brother to R-390a)
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=330708437

Heathkit DX-60 5 band transmitter:
http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=330721786

4168. Active Beacon Wizard ++ v2.5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jim@taborsoft.com>
Message-ID: <shrauhbuje4150@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111267

Howdy,

ABW ++ displays the currently active NCDXF beacon over a topographic map, along with the solar terminator. Tools for setting the system clock, via the net, are also provided.

ABW ++ will also download and display up to fourteen selected Space Environment Center (SEC) solar reports and forecasts. In addition, ABW ++ provides the comprehensive SEC glossary of solar terrestrial terms. This glossary, along with report explanations, is provided in windows-help-file format and may be of useful when interpreting the propagation reports and forecasts.

In addition, ABW ++ provides a beacon-cw simulation function. This function uses the system sound card to create the international morse code sounds of the NCDXF beacons. This is mainly intended for demo and training purposes.

Screen captures and basic information along with the publicly download able version, are available at:
http://www.taborsoft.com/abw/

Regards,
Jim, KU5S
--
http://www.taborsoft.com
Communications Analysis Prediction Wizard
CAPMan HF Propagation Prediction & System Analysis Software
Jim's page: http://www.wtrt.net/~ku5s/

4169. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391DAC27.4EE70EF0@oio.net>
Source record: 111268

Gil,
Mercy! Not that bad here. Sounds like the 'usual'
propagation with the 'normal' selection of stations.
Guess it's one of those 'black hole' things...
'Doc

4170. KC8JBO...Horsehead

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fkbpb$dn4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111269

Don't be FOOLED by a DEFORMED "man".....KC8JBO has been LAUGHED &
POINTED at his WHOLE LIFE!!!!!!!

Only the 'ole GOAT would love his CIRCUS MONKEY FACE, hohohoho.

Better a PITBULL than an ELEPHANT FACE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

'Da BULL

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4171. FA: Vintage receivers, transmitters and transceivers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: preston2345@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000513153931.28064.00000589@ng-me1.aol.com>
Source record: 111270

I have a number of vintage transmitters, receivers, and transceivers
on auction. There may be something you're interested in. Thanks,

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http://cgi.ebay.aol.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=328275827

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Heathkit DX-60 5 band transmitter:
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4172. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: oN <Konjfig@si.se>
Message-ID: <8fkada$g0n$1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 111271

Go to some www.yahoo.com and type haarp (or haarph, or harph???) / search,
and follow the link.

Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
>What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so poor
>as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above 4
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>
>

4173. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carmen <CHTHOMP@spamanddie.prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8fkcsf$1l4i$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 111272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi John,

Although 37 is enough to get the piece of paper, hopefully most will still
strive to ace it. :)
73s,
Carmen

John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:391D7FEA.183753A4@worldnet.att.net...
> I stand corrected. The report and order is given as 37 right - not in
> terms of percentage.
> John

4174. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391db478.494920818@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 13 May 2000 06:24:25 GMT, mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:

>In article <07ac6448.1465b2e1@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>,
> PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid> wrote:
>
>> Stupidity isn't
>> the problem. Lack of character is.
>>
>> So, a hard test isn't the answer. What we now have are a lot of
>> inteligent asses.
>>
>> What is the answer. Enforcement, policing our own bands *with*
>> FCC support, Inovation and change so to attract quality people.
>> What do you think?
>
>I agree. The problems evident on the bands arising from a lack of
>knowledge and expereience are insignificant compared to the problems
>caused by people who know, or should know, better.
>
>I haven't seen any statistics where there is any indication that the
>higher the licence grade, the lower the problem per licencee group. I
>must admit that I did this about 4~5 years ago and more recent surveys
>may indicated otherwise. I seem to recall somewhere that the FCC took a
>similar view in relation to some aspects of the licence grades in the
>recent discussions about licence testing, but I'm happy to be corrected
>if my recollection is incorrect.

Indeed It is my understanding that the Extra Class has
recieved more NALs by number than any other class, and the extra are
one of the smaller classes (but the only opne growing net besides the
Techs before restructuring)
>
>As to innovation and change being required to attact new Amateurs, I
>think that even without any change, it would be possible to attract good
>quality Amateurs with more effective promotion of the hobby. Of course,
>critically assessing and modifying the existing regulations and
>attitudes won't hurt either.

Indeed promtotion of the Hobby is the critical feature the
current changes are by and large unknown to the General Public, Indeed
the general public in my experence, if they know that CB and Ham radio
are different things, still don't know such things as the fact it has
been possible for the last ten years to obtain ANY license without
code testing (indeed I was amoug that group till 3 years ago

>
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>
>Mark.
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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4175. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fke3lfrp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111274

In article <8fkb2mcsv1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> > The streets Are a battle field. Thats who so many people are
buying
> > guns and getting carry permits. The silent majority may be silent,
> but
> > the're not stupid.
> >
> > > Here's 2 questions for Rosie O'Donnell, and all her "expert"
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> Finally someone with some real insight to the problem at
> hand......CRIME. Why are so many folks getting weapons to defend
> themselves? What are they defending against? Right.....CRIME.
>
> Do you think that if we attack the problem instead of the system that
> it may work a bit better?
>
> Dan/W4NTI
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> In a word, YUP.
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
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4176. Re: Amateur Radio Class - Lindenhurst, NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2cru@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000513161604.05636.00002846@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 111275

>I bet that info will be most useful to about .001% of the readers here...
>Wouldn't a 'tag line' with a link to your homepage be much more appropriate?
>What if everyone decides to start posting their local schedules?...

I'm sure we really don't want to interfere with all of the off topic posts with amateur radio information, do we?

4177. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fke8c$ga3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111276

In article <8fjcab$q2c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> In New Jersey we have had gun registration and licensing since the
1960s and
> no one complains about anything. Not one nut stands on a steet corner
or
> writes a letter to an editor saying that CONFISCATION is next. It's
> ludicrous. stupid and embarrassing. The downfall of this nation will
lie in
> the uncontrolled proliferation of such things as gunshows during
which any
> loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks and walk offf with a
deliverer of
> death. Question: why don't you rant and rave about your computers
being
> registered? They most certainly are and you know it. If you screw
around on
> the Internet and create a life threatening situation or try to disrupt
> commerce by means of viruses, by having registered with an ISP, the
Feds
> will get you. We are all safer by knowing what exists, where and when
and
> yet you "gunnets" who've sold your souls to the NRA care nothing
about the
> safety and security of your fellow man. The founding fathers must be
turning
> over in their graves seeing how a basic tenet of the Bill of Rights
is being
> raped in this nation. Gun owners-KEEP THEM, USE THEM PROPERLY, POLISH
THEM,
> DISPLAY THEM, TAKE THEM TO TARGET PRACTICE RANGES, KILL DEFENSELESS
ANIMALS
> FOR SPORT SINCE THAT'S LEGAL BUT DAMMIT, you're going to have to
register
> and license every weapon you own OR ELSE and if you don't like it,
you're
> going to do it anyway!
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>Doc,how can you talk about gun's, when
you've never owned one?<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<
>

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4178. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391db5f2.495299030@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 13 May 2000 07:54:51 GMT, mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:

>> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
>
>Tsk, tsk. I doubt you could ever do this (disband the ARRL). I'm not up
>on the US constituition, but I'd be very suprised if it didn't have a
>freedom of association clause somewhere. But, assuming that it didn't,
>what mechanism would you use to prevent people from joining an
>organisation on a voluntary basis? Not only is this horse dead, it has
>long since decayed.

This IS just barely possible, but it would take declaring that
ARRL was on a worse level of threat to NATIONAL security than than was
the Comunist party during most of the Cold War or on the same level as
the Bund (American Nazi's during WW2) or the Japense Americans of the
same period

It can be done but what would be the point. The ARRL did not
make the recent changes, the FCC did.

Hope you take the correction in the sprit it was intended
>
>0 out of 5 for practical suggestions, I'm afraid.
>
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>Mark.
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>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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4179. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391db702.495571073@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 13 May 2000 18:45:53 GMT, Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com> wrote:

>
>
>John LeMay wrote:
>
>> > Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
>> > pass all elements required for their license class.
>>
>> Agree, but how often? Perhaps every 3-5 years a written exam would
>> suffice.
>>
>What purpose would this serve?
>
>I can understand retesting for say, a drivers license, as the loss
>of those skills can kill someone. But retesting for HAM? Why?

gievn the ammount of change that occours in electronics etc
retesting in some form on our 10 year renewals would likely mean that
the current crop of Hams for example I know several Extras who do not
know the RF emissions rules as well as I do as a mere tech.

I think it would be an improvement, but we will see Liquid He
flowing through the street of Hell first
>
>> >
>> > Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
>> >
>>
>> I think 70% is a bit low, but I also think 90% is a bit high. Maybe 80%.
>>
>
>Who cares. What difference will it really make as long as there is some
>level to achieve.
>
>
>> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>>
>> Forget this one. Code will be gone as a requirement very soon. Don't get
>> me wrong, I don't think this is necessarily a good thing.
>
>Yep. Code killed this hobby. If it had been killed 20 years ago, the
>hobby might still be viable, with the new blood it might have kept up.

No code has not killed the hobby but its advocates sure seem
to be trying to kill it. The best case for NoCode is made by simply
looking at a creative minority of the ProCoders (creative minoroty a
large vocal visible group)

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>>
>> > Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>>
>> Bad. Very bad for the hobby. If someone is happy with the no-code license
>> and what they are allowed to do with that license, let them keep it.
>>
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>Agreed.
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>> > Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
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>> No comment here.
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>itself. Slowly, but surely. Why rush it.

4180. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <391DBB6F.741CED50@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> kw@bctv.com wrote:
> > I guess that depends on what "is" is.
>
> Sorry, That one went over my head.

You don't recognize Clinton's infamous statement?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

4181. Re: KC8JBO...Horsehead

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <391dc3ee.7859191@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 111280

On Sat, 13 May 2000 19:52:15 GMT, kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com wrote:

> Don't be FOOLED by a DEFORMED "man".....KC8JBO has been LAUGHED &
>POINTED at his WHOLE LIFE!!!!!!!!
>
> Only the 'ole GOAT would love his CIRCUS MONKEY FACE, hohohoho.
>
> Better a PITBULL than an ELEPHANT FACE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
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>
>
> 'Da BULL
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.
Why don't you two shut the fuck up. Both of you act like children.

4182. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513171209.02272.00002651@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111281

w4nti wrote>Well no I don't think a multi-lingual society will work in this
>country. And why? We are just too dang diverse, and then add multiple
>languages to the mix and we have a great country ripe for revolution
>and take over by anyone that has their act together.

Good point Dan - another reason I think it won't work is that the country will
go to hell before that happens.
America has it's own tradition, history and culture. Granted it was derived
from a mixture of all(standing for the same principles) in the early days and
has made this country great. Catering to, or developing a multi-lingual society
here in America will only weaken this great nation.
In two hundred years this country has risen to the top because of it's
principles and beliefs - we should keep it that way.

4183. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513171508.02272.00002652@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111282

What a liberal loony. I gather you know nothing about ballistics from your ridiculous statement. You must be teaching liberal arts - whatever that is. LOL Learn something about ballistics Jeff then we'll talk. Until then - your sounding foolish.

4184. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fkhl5$je4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111283

In article <8fjcab$q2c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> In New Jersey we have had gun registration and licensing since the
1960s and
> no one complains about anything. Not one nut stands on a steet corner
or
> writes a letter to an editor saying that CONFISCATION is next. It's
> ludicrous. stupid and embarrassing. The downfall of this nation will
lie in
> the uncontrolled proliferation of such things as gunshows during
which any
> loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks and walk offf with a
deliverer of
> death. Question: why don't you rant and rave about your computers
being
> registered? They most certainly are and you know it. If you screw
around on
> the Internet and create a life threatening situation or try to disrupt
> commerce by means of viruses, by having registered with an ISP, the
Feds
> will get you. We are all safer by knowing what exists, where and when
and
> yet you "gunnets" who've sold your souls to the NRA care nothing
about the
> safety and security of your fellow man. The founding fathers must be
turning
> over in their graves seeing how a basic tenet of the Bill of Rights
is being
> raped in this nation. Gun owners-KEEP THEM, USE THEM PROPERLY, POLISH
THEM,
> DISPLAY THEM, TAKE THEM TO TARGET PRACTICE RANGES, KILL DEFENSELESS
ANIMALS
> FOR SPORT SINCE THAT'S LEGAL BUT DAMMIT, you're going to have to
register
> and license every weapon you own OR ELSE and if you don't like it,
you're
> going to do it anyway!
>
>
"...BUT DAMMIT, you're going to have to register and license every
weapon you own OR ELSE...."

I have two old friends who spent careers as homicide detectives. One
in a large eastern city, the other in a smaller Northwest town. They

do not know each other, but both of them have told me the smae thing. "Registration doesn't work." "It makes the politicians look good and feel better, but it rarely prevents crime, or helps me solve a homicide." "Only a really stupid murderer would use a gun resistered to himself or anyone close to him."

If registration is the answer, then why does the Northeast with almost universal registration, have a significantly higher violent crime rate than the Southwest with very little registration?(latest FBI figures).

Do you think for one minute that burglars, gang members, crack dealers, car jackers or store robbers will register? The only response you"ll get from them is "F*** YOU AND YOUR REGISTRATION."

So who does that leave? It leaves a lot of NON-criminal Joe Six-packs and Michael Martinis who are NOT commiting the crimes, and don't "Need" to be registered in the first place. If you think that honest people "need" to be registered, then you "need" to take a good hard look at those who ARE commiting violent crimes, and see how little effect registration would have on those who really "need" it.

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4185. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000512200404.13553.00001179@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 111296

That's right - two handler protection trained shepards and a 45. The best security system out there.

4186. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fi680$1f0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid> wrote:
>The fact remains, however, that amateur radio DOES need new
>people involved in the hobby, because otherwise, the internet
>and other new developments will cause this great hobby to go the
>way of the dinosaur. The newer technologies will become more
>popular, and nobody will be interested anymore.

Those interested in communicating by radio, antenna, and ionosphere
will continue to be attracted to the hobby/service; those that aren't,
won't.

The outline of our present HF allocation was created with fewer than
20,000 licensed amateurs. If our number dwindles to just double-digit
thousands as before, there will still be plenty of folks to talk to.
We might have to go back to building our own gear again, but that in
no way will be detrimental; on the contrary, that will be good for the
hobby/service in that only folks with technical interests will be
licensed and on the air. (Before you criticize my last sentence, read
the fundamental purpose of the ARS as written by the FCC, attached below;
pay special attention to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d).)

73, Jeff KH6O

97.1 Basis and purpose.
The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
radio service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
principles:
(a) Recognition and enhancement of the value of the amateur service to
the public as a voluntary noncommercial communication service,
particularly with respect to providing emergency communications.
(b) Continuation and extension of the amateur's proven ability to
contribute to the advancement of the radio art.
(c) Encouragement and improvement of the amateur service through rules
which provide for advancing skills in both the communications and
technical phases of the art.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio service
of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
(e) Continuation and extension of the amateur's unique ability to enhance
international goodwill.

4187. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fi6f6$1hi$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'll sign the petition! (But only if you quit cross-posting this
thread to .space, .scanner, and .shortwave.)
Jeff KH6O

Wouff Hong <integrity@arrl.org> wrote:
>Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.
>Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
>Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>Step 5: Membership in the ARRL should be made mandatory.

4188. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000512201035.13553.00001180@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 111299

Jeff, ol man, we're talking about self defense, personal protection, home security, defense of loved ones and property, not mass destruction, taking out a town, or terrorism. You've reach the crest of being illogical trying to make YOUR point.

4189. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fi84r$7t0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <etd0A2Gv$GA.306@cpmsnbbsa04>,
"Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
> News Flash: New technologies will solve ham radio problems for
everyone
> like it or not. FCC Licensing to use a consumer product like a ham
radio is
> stupid, counter productive stifles innovation and keeps prices for
gear
> artificially high. These FCC rules and regulations are ALL showing
their age
> and the world is changing way too fast for antiquated systems.
>
> Personally, I use a real neat device called a cellular phone for most
things
> no license, no testing required I figured out how to use it all by my
self.

You also pay thru the snout for that service.

It sounds like you aren't really intersted in learning the technical
details of radios. I don't think ham radio is for you.

But if we start setting up hi-speed digital wireless communications
networks - are you going to change your tune?

> :)

Stewart - N0MHS

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4190. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fi6oa$207$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111301

KK4TL <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote:
>Blaming guns for Columbine is like ..
>.. blaming spoons for Rosie O'Donnell being FAT ! ! !

If weapons don't kill, I suppose you're all for legalizing the
sale of weapons of mass distruction? Nuclear weapons? Biological
weapons? Chemical weapons? How about surface-to-air missiles?

73, Jeff KH6O

4191. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512203628.28978.00002424@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 111302

Jeff tried again after Tim wasted him ..
Nuclear weapons? Biological weapons? Chemical weapons? How about surface-to-air missiles?

My reply:
Allow me to echo Tim's comments here. The discussion is about personal firearms to be used for sport shooting and home / self defense.

LAWS rockets would be amusing at the range, but would be a mite spendy for regular sport shooting. Unless you're a Gates or a Rockefeller.

In terms of home defense, my goal would be to drop the intruder, not level the 'hood.

Glad to have you in the debate, Jeff. Keep it "apples to apples", ok?

4192. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391CA472.147BBFBB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111303
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I think you had better go for one more. 75% passing score means 38
right.
John

Carmen wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> According to Gordon West, page 13 of the new study guide, 37 or more out of
> the 50.
>
> Hope this helps,
> Carmen
>
> BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> news:Y9VS4.449$ap2.6933@news.swbell.net...
> > How many questions must one get correct to pass the test?

4193. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fi978$4on$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:
>Wow, did anyone happen to look up Wouff Hong on Altavista? Maybe it's not
>anything new to you oldtimers. But, for the newer folks or those who don't
>know...

An even worse instrument of torture used on lids is the Rettysnitch.
Go to www.qsl.net/ae0q/rsnitch.htm and be thankful present-day OTs
are more forgiving than those who laid the foundation of our hobby...

73, Jeff KH6O

4194. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7ws@arrl.net
Message-ID: <391ca9c9.125484864@news.azstarnet.com>
Source record: 111305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On 12 May 2000 18:41:38 GMT, glass2@glass2.lexington.ibm.com wrote:

>In <391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca>, Kevin McQuiggin <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> writes:
>>Hi Folks:
>>
>>I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate
>>school up here near Vancouver, BC.
>>
>>I'm researching amateur radio and its history. I'm specifically
>>interested in inventions, discoveries, or techniques that were developed
>>within amateur radio and later spread to the electronics industry.
>>Similarly, some of our operating techniques and procedures were later
>>widely adopted by other services.

Marconi was an amateur.

N7WS

4195. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fibhn$bi4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111306

In article <8fi52i$t5r$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> >Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths
on matches.
>
> I assume you're all for legalizing the sale of weapons of mass
> destruction? Atomic weapons? Biological? Chemical? How about
> surface-to-air missiles? After all, as you say, it's not the
> weapon that kills. Will you take a consistent stance in regard
> to these weapons or will you be a hypocrite?
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O
>
A truly assinine statement. Most Americans, not being terrorists,
have no interest in NUKES or SAMs. Pull your head out of your bomb
shelter and get real !

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4196. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000512212927.06854.00002456@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 111307

Thanks for the support Lloyd. Jeff was a tad off Target. :-) He was way left.
At least another liberal poked his head out. LOL

4197. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512222520.10722.00002549@ng-bj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111308

Don't be so hard on him Beachmaster. He's aparently a go-with-the-flow kinda guy.

Remember the fuss over "Saturday Night Specials"? And suddenly, everything was a "Saturday Night Special"? Colt Python, Ruger 10-22, Springfield M1A1, Mossberg 590, didn't matter what it was .. if it was a gun, it was a "Saturday Night Special". Why? Because CBS News at 6 told us so.

Then along comes the term "assault rifle". Now everything is an "assault rifle". Colt Python, Ruger 10-22, Springfield M1A1, Mossberg 590, doesn't matter what it is .. if it is a gun, it is an assault rifle. Why? Because Komrade Klinton told us, "these things are meant for the battle field, not for the streets".

Here's 2 questions for Rosie O'Donnell, and all her "expert" friends.

Which of the following is NOT an assault rifle?
a) Browning Buck Mark
b) Colt Python
c) Ruger 10-22
d) Colt 45-1911
e) Hemi-Cuda
f) Dodge Slant-6
g) Kenmore Dishwasher
h) Gateway 2000
i) Commodore 64
j) All the above

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f) Dodge Slant-6
g) Kenmore Dishwasher
h) Gateway 2000
i) Commodore 64
j) All the above

Well .. ??

4198. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8figau$gf3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111309

In article <20000512222520.10722.00002549@ng-bj1.aol.com>,
kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL) wrote:
> Don't be so hard on him Beachmaster. He's aparently a go-with-the-
flow kinda
> guy.
>
> Remember the fuss over "Saturday Night Specials"? And suddenly,
everything was
> a "Saturday Night Special"? Colt Python, Ruger 10-22, Springfield
M1A1,
> Mossberg 590, didn't matter what it was .. if it was a gun, it was
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> Then along comes the term "assault rifle". Now everything is
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> rifle". Colt Python, Ruger 10-22, Springfield M1A1, Mossberg 590,
doesn't
> matter what it is .. if it is a gun, it is an assault rifle. Why?
Because
> Komrade Klinton told us, "these things are meant for the battle
field, not for
> the streets".
>
The streets Are a battle field. Thats who so many people are buying
guns and getting carry permits. The silent majority may be silent, but
the're not stupid.

> Here's 2 questions for Rosie O'Donnell, and all her "expert" friends.
>
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> f) Dodge Slant-6
> g) Kenmore Dishwasher
> h) Gateway 2000
> i) Commodore 64
> j) All the above
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> e) Hemi-Cuda
> f) Dodge Slant-6
> g) Kenmore Dishwasher
> h) Gateway 2000
> i) Commodore 64
> j) All the above
>
> Well .. ??
>

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4199. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512224440.13634.00002544@ng-bk1.aol.com>
Source record: 111310
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Keith quoted Peter:
>> My current dog, also a Chihuahua

and replied:
>A Chihuahua isn't a dog. A Chihuahua is >a BARKING RAT.

Doesn't matter to intruders.
What they are scared of is that barking - by anything - will wake up occupants and have them alert and armed by the time the burglar wanders across them, or that the dog will lead the armed homeowner straight to them.

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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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4200. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <391cc22c.105342492@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 111311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 12 May 2000 17:49:56 GMT, "Kim W5TIT" <kw5tit@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Wow, did anyone happen to look up Wouff Hong on Altavista? Maybe it's not
>anything new to you oldtimers. But, for the newer folks or those who don't
>know...
>

saw a picture in QST of riley hollingsworth holding a wouff hong...

4201. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512224747.13634.00002545@ng-bk1.aol.com>
Source record: 111312
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Jeff quoted KK7HO:
>>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as >>illogical as blaming Arson deaths on
>>matches.

and replied:
>I assume you're all for legalizing the sale >of weapons of mass
>destruction? Atomic weapons?

Actually, it would make no difference - as nobody but governments and
terrorist movements could afford them, anyway.

>Biological? Chemical?

Did the legal status of sarin make any difference when a Japanese cult
nerve-gassed the urban subway there?
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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
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4202. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391cc560.433707286@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 12 May 2000 13:42:07 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Hey idiot, do you think you are the only one in this world with the
>name of Mark Morgan! Did GOD reserve that name just for you? Are
>you a General in the armed forces? Help me out on this one will ya
>Mark.....

Given that you are using a ficticous address to post
infalmitory material, the same as another fake poster and that yin one
of your messages you Quote the FCC database on MY license. Frankly
I'll take you as a trouble maker and fraud till proven otherwise

Are you a General? I don't think so

As to wether the Gods reservsed the name for me is an issue
that I will not address, but the FCC has reservsed a license for me,
which I question YOUR intent in posting details about it

>
>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> What was you point in posting this General Morgan
>>
>> Amusing how with other saying that I Mark Morgan, holder of
>> the license KB9RQZ, lack credibilty you insist on trying to assmue my
>> name and ID
>>
>> Mark Morgan
>> KB9RQZ
>>
>> On Mon, 08 May 2000 13:58:54 GMT, General Mark Morgan
>> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>>
>> >Is this MARK.....
>> >
>> >
>> >
>> > Callsign Results [ULS DATABASE]
>> >
>> >
>> > Callsign File Number Applicant Type
>> >Service
>> > KB9RQZ 9711128976

>> >I HA
>> >
>> > Licensee Name Address PO Box
>> >City
>> > MORGAN, MARK C 221
>> >ILLIOPOLIS
>> >
>> > State Zip Grant Date
>> >Expire Date
>> > IL 652390221 Nov 12, 1997 Nov
>> >12, 2007
>> >
>> > NEPA Flag Trustee License ID
>> >Previous Callsign
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>> >Operator Class
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>> >T
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>> > Group Previous Operator Class
>> >Eligibility Code Trustee Ind
>> > D
>> > Trustee_license_id
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>> >
>> >Mark Morgan wrote:
>> >>
>> >> On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:
>> >>
>> >> >But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
>> >> >is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
>> >> >very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.
>> >>
>> >> I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
>> >> basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
>> >> KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
>> >> term effect
>> >> >
>> >> >In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...
>> >> >>
>> >> >>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>> >> >>
>> >> >>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
>> >> >>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
>> >> >>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
>> >> >>
>> >> >>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year

>> >> >>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
>> >> >>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
>> >> >>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>> >> >>hobby vital.
>> >> >>--
>> >> >>glenq@cyberhighway.net
>> >> >>WB7DOW
>> >> >>
>> >> >>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
>> >> >

4203. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391cc69f.434026541@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Again the question stands why are quoting the details of MY
LICENSE in your post?

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

On Mon, 08 May 2000 13:58:54 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Is this MARK.....
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>
> Callsign Results [ULS DATABASE]
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> Callsign File Number Applicant Type
>Service
> KB9RQZ 9711128976
>I HA
>
> Licensee Name Address PO Box
>City
> MORGAN, MARK C 221
>ILLIOPOLIS
>
> State Zip Grant Date
>Expire Date
> IL 652390221 Nov 12, 1997 Nov
>12, 2007
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> NEPA Flag Trustee License ID
>Previous Callsign
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>Operator Class
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>T
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> Group Previous Operator Class
>Eligibility Code Trustee Ind
> D
> Trustee_license_id

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>Mark Morgan wrote:
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>> On 7 May 2000 06:21:25 -0700, FredJ@aol.com wrote:
>>
>> >But, of course, restructuring has taken care of the "Old Fart" problem, so this
>> >is no longer an issue. The "new blood" will be flocking in droves to the door
>> >very soon now. Stop worrying. It's all taken care of.
>>
>> I wish that were the case, but considering the fact that
>> basicaly few beyond the ranks of ourselfs the existing pool of hams
>> KNOWS of the changes means that it is hard for them have much long
>> term effect
>> >
>> >In article <qo69hskqccdm1f3qp7cn7fj95od3auhv4m@4ax.com>, Glen says...
>> >>
>> >>ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>> >>
>> >>>Huh -- as of April 2000 there are 678,539 US Hams
>> >>>(http://www.speroni.com/FCC/Licenses.html)
>> >>>In 1992 there were 524,782 US Hams (RAC CALLBOOK)
>> >>
>> >>This does not allow for the effects of the change to the ten year
>> >>license. It also does NOT show how many hams are inactive. Check the
>> >>stats for the ages of hams, and you'll find that the ham population is
>> >>mainly Old Farts. We're not getting nearly enough new blood to keep the
>> >>hobby vital.
>> >>--
>> >>glenq@cyberhighway.net
>> >>WB7DOW
>> >>
>> >>http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
>> >

4204. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <391cc742.434188796@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 111315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Better Ham radio or simply dead Ham radio

On Fri, 12 May 2000 17:03:19 GMT, integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff
Hong) wrote:

>
>Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.

Not a bad idea
>
>Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

Why?
>
>Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

I do hope you are not holding your breath on that
>
>Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

Why?
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>Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
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>
>wouff hong
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4205. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391CDAB8.8098D3C6@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111316

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> Peter Maus wrote:
>
> > My current dog, also a Chihuahua
>
> A Chihuahua isn't a dog. A Chihuahua is a BARKING RAT.

Oh c'mon Keith...you can do better than that.

4206. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391CA2EB.96885EA@bctv.com>
Source record: 111317

Peter Maus wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > > My current dog, also a Chihuahua
> >
> > A Chihuahua isn't a dog. A Chihuahua is a BARKING RAT.
>
> Oh c'mon Keith...you can do better than that.

hehehehehehe

Okay, a Chihuahua is what you have when your Boxer goes flat.

4207. Re: Basulto's Baptism by Fire att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391CA465.B6C6573C@bctv.com>
Source record: 111318

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > "Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
> >
> > > I understand that you respect Basulto, but you damage your credibility
> > > with your worshipful tone. From your prose, it would appear that the
> > > only thing missing from this man is a crown of thorns! Don't you think
> > > that leaflet drops of propaganda are at least somewhat provocative? How
> > > was this done from international airspace?
> >
> > How did you pass your Private without learning about wind drift?
> >
> > > Was a strong wind blowing the leaflets ashore?
> >
> > Most likely. From 10,000 feet, it doesn't take much breeze to blow
> > paper 12 or 15 miles.
> >
> > > I don't know the truth about exactly how the arial
> > > confrontation took place,
> >
> > You haven't checked the URLs I gave you? The ICAO report is pretty
> > clear.
> >
> > There was no "confrontation," the Cuban jets shot down two unarmed
> > Cessnas in international airspace.
>
> Keith,
>
> I did read the material on both of the URLs that were cited. As I am
> not certain of their origin, I can't take them as fact any more than the
> news accounts may be accepted as clear fact.

You accept news accounts and the opinion of the uninformed as the gospel
truth. I send you to a URL with the ICAO report and suddenly you are a
doubter.

Apparently, your worldview won't permit you to see anything you don't
want to see, so I'm going to stop annoying the pig.

4208. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391CEC40.82904FDE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111319

Keith Wood wrote:
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> Peter Maus wrote:
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> > Keith Wood wrote:
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> > > Peter Maus wrote:
> > >
> > > > My current dog, also a Chihuahua
> > >
> > > A Chihuahua isn't a dog. A Chihuahua is a BARKING RAT.
> >
> > Oh c'mon Keith...you can do better than that.
>
> hehehehehehe
>
> Okay, a Chihuahua is what you have when your Boxer goes flat.

LOL....Better. Now drop the Chalupa and put your hands up.

4209. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fisegsrm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

In article <07ac6448.1465b2e1@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>,
PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid> wrote:

> Stupidity isn't
> the problem. Lack of character is.
>
> So, a hard test isn't the answer. What we now have are a lot of
> inteligent asses.
>
> What is the answer. Enforcement, policing our own bands *with*
> FCC support, Inovation and change so to attract quality people.
> What do you think?

I agree. The problems evident on the bands arising from a lack of knowledge and expereience are insignificant compared to the problems caused by people who know, or should know, better.

I haven't seen any statistics where there is any indication that the higher the licence grade, the lower the problem per licencee group. I must admit that I did this about 4~5 years ago and more recent surveys may indicated otherwise. I seem to recall somewhere that the FCC took a similar view in relation to some aspects of the licence grades in the recent discussions about licence testing, but I'm happy to be corrected if my recollection is incorrect.

As to innovation and change being required to attact new Amateurs, I think that even without any change, it would be possible to attract good quality Amateurs with more effective promotion of the hobby. Of course, critically assessing and modifying the existing regulations and attitudes won't hurt either.

Mark.

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4210. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fitajtgf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <391C08C5.2F282558@bctv.com>,
kw@bctv.com wrote:
>
>
> Why should we listen to a poster who calls itself "integrity" but
won't
> give a real email address?

Are you intending to send him/her a private email? Perhaps that's why
he/she don't give one. ;-)

More seriously though, when I post with my home email address, I get
heaps of crap from organisations that skim the addresses. I just delete
them, but that sort of thing really bugs some people. I don't even look
to see if mail comes the mj-deja.com address, so I don't care how many
times it gets picked up.

I think that the ideas presented by a poster either have merit, or
don't. A valid email address doesn't make it any more sensible if it is
stupid or any less credible if it is well thought out.

Having said that, using "Integrity" does seem a triffle pretentious to
me. :-)

Mark.

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4211. Castro vs. Cuban-Americans: Two Hams Face Off, att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sherins@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13160-391CF0D4-98@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111322

The issue: Enlightenment. The "party line" that you've been espousing yields neither peace nor international cooperation. If an hour with Jose Basulto can debunk my most closely held opinions formed over 40 years, I fear our government is less than forthcoming.

In what looks like a blind rush to support our government, please reflect on and respond to the following:

Do you know how many people have been saved by Brothers to the Rescue? Does normalizing relations include standing by when a foreign government slaughters innocent Americans in international waters?

Wouldn't one expect Brothers to the Rescue, like any other organization, to have brochures? Wouldn't you expect survival in the Florida Straights to illicit educational material from somewhere? How would you recommend that such information be circulated in light of the closed, Cuban press?

Why do you label Cuban-Americans "rabble rousers," rather than likening them to people of all nationalities who came to our shores. The history of Cuba reveals strong ties with the United States to the extent that tongues once wagged in Cuba about statehood. Is there any wonder, therefore, Cuban-Americans would still feel and act on those strong ties? After all, it doesn't take a declaration of statehood for Cuban-Americans to feel strong kinship with Cubans on the Island.

Why is it so difficult to communicate the point that dropping a small stack of leaflets was strictly a Basulto afterthought while over Havana, as he tried to draw Cuban jets away from international waters. Isn't shooting down two American pilots and planes in international waters a provocative act? How do you explain raising the responsive, second, drop of leaflets in international waters to "provocative," while the murder of our pilots doesn't merit a word in protest?

Doesn't the fact, Basulto survived over Cuba when his fellow pilots perished in international waters, demonstrate Cuba's closely scripted premeditation and U.S. misfeasance, if not malfeasance? Do you think Brothers to the Rescue would submit flight plans to the Cuban government if it thought its pilots and planes would be shot down?

In fact, Brothers to the Rescue had been cooperating with the U.S. and Cuban governments long before that fatal day; they submitted to Cuba all flight plans, which included pilots' names.

Respected Curt, cloak your writing in academic argot; however, it remains generalized naivety to my mind.

In the so-called "Ivory Tower," I think you'll agree, the tendency is too much reliance on theory and too little, on personal experience. More than most, university personnel are beholden to government in some way, which readily biases viewpoints.

Like Cuban-Americans, our Founding Fathers were passionate about liberty. They urged everyone of us to participate zealously in full political dialogue, because they knew the risk of unchecked power. Would you have it otherwise?

Though I know my position is not fully developed by a long shot, I am compelled to say that, far from neutral, your posts are tainted with obvious prejudice and bias.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4212. Re: Ferrite Rods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dstalk@execulink.com
Message-ID: <3r6T4.19732$HG1.494398@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 111323

If you're willing to stack ferrites, you can get lots of them for free from old computers. I got several 0.6" dia x 1.1" long from some old defunct keyboards and many 0.9" dia x 3/8" from old C64's. For powdered iron type stuff, old power supplies are a gold mine. In addition, yokes often contain large ferrites (the size of the yoke itself) and flyback transformers contain pieces up to 1/2" dia.

Don ve3hur

4213. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#c6bPQKv$GA.351@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

WOW, what an eloquent response. Is "73" your age or IQ grandpa?

To the other posters who replied, count me in on high speed, high bandwidth networks but I'm not holding my breath. As far as cell phone rates go they are constantly dropping (due to COMPETITION and a broad base of users) and in many cases they rival land line costs. I pay less than .07 cents per minute with Long Distance service included at peak times and I am positive that will be .05 by year end. Further, many big business users do even better than that.

I have nothing against HAMS but from my personal experiences as a newbie to the hobby (less than 2 years) is that there is not a whole lot of hobby left. Just a bunch of OLD FARTS reminiscing about the golden glory years (1960?, 1950?, 1930? what are the glory years). Guys move on, get over it time and technology march on. I go to local shows and it's the same thing, each show has a small number of exhibitor booths manned by guys who have ZERO people / marketing skills. These guys stand in front of what appear to be high school science projects gone wrong handing out literature that was embarrassing 10 -15 years ago. I see young people and potential HAMS walk the show floors and leave because these same OLD FARTS are busy bullshitting with each other and don't do anything to appeal to a younger more educated, sophisticated users.

Most are bunch of mom and pop companies selling crap they assembled in their garage and pass off as "state of the art equipment" circa what year 1959? Software with so many bugs that most are unusable, many still being written in DOS??? Trade Magazines that are riddled with self promotion, substandard copy, and the worst layouts and ads I have ever seen. I wonder if any of these "publishers" ever hear of QUARK, PAGEMAKER, INDESIGN? Shit, I can't believe my eyes is it really 2000?

So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why should I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my AOR 8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry, guys your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)

"Bill Fairbanks" <BILLFAIRBANKS@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message news:01bfbd2e$8fcec020$3c10460c@default...
> You sir, are an idiot
>
> 73 Bill
> KG4GXS

4214. TR-9000 Freq Mods Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: AH FRANSMAN <zr1trd@mweb.co.za>
Message-ID: <391cfb6e.0@news1.mweb.co.za>
Source record: 111325

Hi All

On behalf of my friend ZS2ACP.....we looking for the frequency mods for the KENWOOD TR-9000 please

Thanks very much

73 Andre ZR1TRD

4215. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdaddyking <bigdaddyking@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fivhp$vp8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <anti.arrl@arrl.sucks.org>,
integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff Hong) wrote:
>
> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.

>>>Ok,I'll go along with that.
>
> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

>>>>>Sure,it's too easy..

> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

>>>>AW,you had to screw it up!You were doing so well!And then you had to
lose your mind!

> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

>>>>>They ALL should be no code!
>
> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.

>>>Well,since they were DEFENDERS of your beloved code for theor
entire existence,why stab them in the back now.You should JOIN them...
>
> wouff hong
>
>>>>Love the name,hate a couple of the ideas,though..

BDK

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4216. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clint \"Rattlehead\"" <rattlehead@computron.net.X>
Message-ID: <391CFC17.51B1@computron.net.X>
Source record: 111327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:
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> Wouff Hong wrote:
> >
> > Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> > pass all elements required for their license class.
> >
> > Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
> >
> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
> >
> > Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
> >
> > Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
>
> Step 6: Kiss the Amateur Radio Service goodby.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

Thank heavens Wouff Hong is just a wild radical with innane ideas that aren't taken seriously by anybody that actually has decision making powers in these manners... most importantly you can give up on #5. I must agree with cecil; if your goal was to annihilate the amatuer radio service, that agenda will surely do it.

4217. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fj1o7$322$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

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integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff Hong) wrote:
>
> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.

Well, that would certainly remove a slab of people, I would expect, but for what purpose? Can you demonstrate a need to do this? If not, it serves no practical purpose. You would need to provide pretty bullet proof reasons because the legal costs, logistical overhead and costs involved would be enormous. I doubt any outsider to Amateur Radio, such as the regulatory authorities, could be convinced that this served any useful purpose.

> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

Such levels are arbitary and would probably be the easiest to implement IF you can show that there is a practical requirement for it. By that I mean you would need to demonstrate that there would be a noticeable outcome on the Amateur bands. I suspect that you would be hard pressed to provide it.

> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

For what purpose? Morse is not mandatory, nor does it play any significant part in SAR or other community service operations. Again, you would need to provide some evidence that this provided something that could be explained to the govermental bodies administering the rules. Clearly they recently could not find any linkage between Morse speed and appropriate operating practices, so I think this one is also a "non-starter". Given the recent changes, a reversal would create an administrative nightmare that any bureaucrat would run a mile from.

> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

See comments on steps 1 & 3. Unless you can demonstrate the gains this would bring (to the regulatory authority), this is also a "dead duck".

> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.

Tsk, tsk. I doubt you could ever do this (disband the ARRL). I'm not up on the US constituition, but I'd be very suprised if it didn't have a freedom of association clause somewhere. But, assuming that it didn't, what mechanism would you use to prevent people from joining an organisation on a voluntary basis? Not only is this horse dead, it has long since decayed.

0 out of 5 for practical suggestions, I'm afraid.

Mark.

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4218. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#GnUKHLv$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111329
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

The Second Amendment is NOT "contrary to the anti-gun lobby" ABOUT FUCKING DUCK HUNTING OR TARGET SHOOTING!!! It is about having the right and ability to defend ones self, loved ones, property and country from harm. Even if it means that we are forced to turn those same guns on our own government in order to defend our rights as citizens.

As for home protection, 135lb 5 year old Rottweiler, Colt 10mm Gold Cup cocked and locked w/ 200grain Winchester silvertips by the bed. If he doesn't stop you I have 8 little friends that sure as heck will.

"April 14, 2000 Million Moron March" a national farce

"GLC1173" wrote in message
news:20000512224747.13634.00002545@ng-bk1.aol.com...
> Jeff quoted KK7HO:
> >>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as >>illogical as blaming Arson deaths on
> >>matches.
>
> and replied:
> >I assume you're all for legalizing the sale >of weapons of mass
> >destruction? Atomic weapons?
>
> Actually, it would make no difference - as nobody but governments and
> terrorist movements could afford them, anyway.
>
> >Biological? Chemical?
>
> Did the legal status of sarin make any difference when a Japanese cult
> nerve-gassed the urban subway there?
> ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
> Al Gore - in his own words
> ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
> official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
>

4219. AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fjcab$q2c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111330

In New Jersey we have had gun registration and licensing since the 1960s and no one complains about anything. Not one nut stands on a steet corner or writes a letter to an editor saying that CONFISCATION is next. It's ludicrous. stupid and embarrassing. The downfall of this nation will lie in the uncontrolled proliferation of such things as gunshows during which any loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks and walk offf with a deliverer of death. Question: why don't you rant and rave about your computers being registered? They most certainly are and you know it. If you screw around on the Internet and create a life threatening situation or try to disrupt commerce by means of viruses, by having registered with an ISP, the Feds will get you. We are all safer by knowing what exists, where and when and yet you "gunnets" who've sold your souls to the NRA care nothing about the safety and security of your fellow man. The founding fathers must be turning over in their graves seeing how a basic tenet of the Bill of Rights is being raped in this nation. Gun owners-KEEP THEM, USE THEM PROPERLY, POLISH THEM, DISPLAY THEM, TAKE THEM TO TARGET PRACTICE RANGES, KILL DEFENSELESS ANIMALS FOR SPORT SINCE THAT'S LEGAL BUT DAMMIT, you're going to have to register and license every weapon you own OR ELSE and if you don't like it, you're going to do it anyway!

4220. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391D369F.74865673@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

kc8jbo wrote:
>
> <snip> the internet and other new developments
> will cause this great hobby to go the
> way of the dinosaur. The newer technologies
> will become more popular, and nobody will
> be interested anymore.

They said the same thing about broadcast radio, television, and other "technologies." Ham radio survived those and will easily survive the internet also.

Its not technology that will kill ham radio, its the people involved that will make or break this hobby. When those other "technologies" came along, ham operators banded together, promoted the hobby, and recruited new members.

Today, too many operators are going around trying to convince the world that they are special, unique, better, because they are ham operators. Bringing too many new people into the hobby would cause them to lose their fake status.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4221. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391D3927.B55731@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"great horneytoads!" wrote:
>
> It's already gone Cecil. Ham radio is literally dying.
> Average age for hams is 68 Yrs old.
> Your correct above, and ham radio WILL be DEAD
> by 2015. <snip>

Myth! Ham radio has never been a young person's hobby. Look back over the magazines printed decades ago - the pictures show a lot of older faces (and very few young ones).

Dwight Stewart W5NET

4222. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391D3B9E.DF77CA79@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Sycho_Graphics wrote:
>
> So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why should
> I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my AOR
> 8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about
> electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my
> roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry, guys
> your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)

Well, to be perfectly honest, I don't think you ever will be
interested in ham radio. You're too caught up in "whats new." You
can't turn your head away from the 'whats new" ads long enough to see
the advantages of what is already out there. Keep your blinders on,
don't try to see the advantages of ham radio, and you'll be just fine.

Dwight Stewart W5NET

4223. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000514161229.18540.00002691@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 111084

Jeff makes it too easy:
>73, Jeff KH6O (I keep my weapons in the Coast Guard armory)

That's great. While the intruder is raping your wife and / or daughter, you can run over to the armory and get your piece.
Surely he'll wait around till you get back. Intruders are noble people, and they'd never think of fleeing the scene before getting what they deserve.

4224. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lenny-t <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391F0906.2515@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Sycho_Graphics wrote:

> Yes, I am a newbie so what? Am I not entitled to an opinion? I do know
> something about "it" because I actually tried to look for a reason and gave
> your "hobby" a chance and came to the same conclusion as many have. IT IS
> DEAD!

Perhaps, but your ranting and your personal attack detroyed your
credibility. Besides, if it's "dead" why does it bother you so much?

> By the way idiot my ID is not misspell it is just the way I intended.

You misspelled "misspelled" in the above sentence too.

> Thanks for making my point. I gave you my views of this "hobby" from my

Those weren't views. They were hyperemotional adolescent rants.

Cheers,

Lenny-t

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"A greyhound needs no fanfare." - Jean Boone 1917-1998

4225. 14.313 jamming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fn3nn$6qp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111086

Sounds like KC8JBO attempting to jam with his laugh--4:48 EST.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4226. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <5E63FAAA1C27F0BE.3B709216AC4452FD.D17799BA0B3A54B2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111087

I don't think it comes under "perception". The public only has to
read this newsgroup to find out about ham radio....

Larry

On 14 May 2000 15:18:59 GMT, toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios)
wrote:

>Nothing, except to enhance the growing public perception that ham radio
>operators are extremists, survivalists, anti-government fanatics, and kooks.
>
>Please take these off-topic discussions to a more appropriate venue. Those who
>wish to preserve our hobby do thank you in advance.
>

4227. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000514164253.08158.00015329@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 111088

In article <8fmpatruk1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login
<crouchingllama@netscape.net> writes:

>So now, if you would like to exercise the right to self-defense and
>bear arms, you are a "extremists, survivalists, anti-government
>fanatics, and kooks."?

I don't believe this to be the case, but "Joe and Jane Public" do, thanks to the liberal news media's constant portrayal of anyone who is in favor of defending constitutional rights as the enemy.

I'm just saying that I don't think we do ourselves any favors by reinforcing this negative stereotype of amateur radio operators.

4228. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: twatson410@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000514165551.09316.00002912@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 111089

>Please take these off-topic discussions to a more appropriate venue. Those
>who
>wish to preserve our hobby do thank you in advance.

I agree. I'm going to filter "gun".

4229. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carmen <CHTHOMP@spamanddie.prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8fn53g$2504$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 111090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello Gary,

I guess it depends how one chooses to view one's fellow hams. I view them as essentially decent and hard working, and oddly enough I'm usually right. (Even about the grumpy ones.)

Carmen

Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message news:391EADDC.7FB85617@home.com...
> The real question REALLY was-"how ignorant can I be and still pass?"
>
> Carmen wrote:
> >
> > Hi John,
> >
> > Although 37 is enough to get the piece of paper, hopefully most will still
> > strive to ace it. :)
> > 73s,
> > Carmen
> >
> > John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
> > news:391D7FEA.183753A4@worldnet.att.net...
> > > I stand corrected. The report and order is given as 37 right - not in
> > > terms of percentage.
> > > John

4230. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#O1H6rev$GA.304@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

I made no personal attacks until pinheads like you made asshole comments.
The fact that HAM is dying / dead doesn't "bother" me. I just accept it as a matter of fact, like typewriters or B & W televisions are obsolete. They reached the end of their usefulness only to be replaced by newer, cheaper better ways of doing things. What bothers me is the wasted bandwidth of all the HAMS wondering "duh, Why is it dying? Why doesn't anyone care but us?" I just told you why, LISTEN AND LEARN.

As for misspelling a word sorry (fucking grammar police) at least I got the important ones right like IDIOT, MORON and ASSHOLE. By the way I am neither "hyperemotional" nor am I an "adolescence" I am 34 and I will be more than happy to indulge your half-witted comments.
Last, I have responded to a post on rec.radio.scanner so take your hobby and your whining about how bad it is somewhere else you pathetic bunch of pencil protector, old fart, has-been losers. When the last one of you drops dead (we won't have to wait long) I'll piss on your grave and your bullshit HAM society. Now thanks to the morons who are representative of HAMS on these newsgroups not only do you not have a potential new member you have another person who is indifferent to your cause.

"Lenny-t" <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:391F0906.2515@worldnet.att.net...
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> > your "hobby" a chance and came to the same conclusion as many have. IT
IS
> > DEAD!
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> credibility. Besides, if it's "dead" why does it bother you so much?
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> > By the way idiot my ID is not misspell it is just the way I intended.
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>
> > Thanks for making my point. I gave you my views of this "hobby" from my
>
> Those weren't views. They were hyperemotional adolescent rants.
>
> Cheers,
>

> Lenny-t
>
> --
> "A greyhound needs no fanfare." - Jean Boone 1917-1998

4231. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Uri Blumenthal <uri@attglobal.net>
Message-ID: <391F1D0F.A79F5448@attglobal.net>
Source record: 111092

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> He [whoever that might be] claims that weapons don't kill.

Which is correct - people kill, using whatever weapons
(including pieces of wire, metal pipes, etc. etc.) they
choose, or managing to accomplish th ejob with bare hands.

> *IF* that's true, then it shouldn't matter what weapons are
> available.

Now this is a big fallacy. It is *people* that kill [other
people and animals]. And the fact is - there always is a
certain percent of the population that [for whatever
resaons] will [try to] kill.

And just like a power-saw makes cutting wood more "efficient"
than an hand saw, some weapons make killing easier.

I.e. a weapon still requires that criminal to push the
button, to pull the trigger, or to swing the razor blade.

However realize that criminals tend to get access to
the most efficient "tools of the trade" (after all,
they are called "criminals" not because they obey
the existing laws too well). In countries where
firearms were totally banned, criminals still
had them (while "normal" citizens didn't).

Thus, common sense

> But if you wish
> to see certain weapons banned, then it must be that weapons
> do kill, and thus, Tim is incorrect.

No, Tim is correct - your fallacy is missing the fact
that since there are people who want to kill and tools
that make it possible for them to kill in very large
numbers, it makes sense to keep those tools away from
those people. Thus banning certain weapons makes
sense: we don't want a gang of criminals to assault the
local police precinct in Leopard-II battle tanks for
example, or for one deranged individual to eradicate a
whole city by detonating a nuclear/chemical/biological
device. It's still a man who pushes the button, but
availability (or lack of it) of certain tools can
make the murderer's job too easy, which normal
society doesn't want.

Oh, and think about this: it's fairly easy to argue
back and forth about guns. But consider genetically
engineered food which we're about to get soon.Think
how much it would take for a dissatisfied and not-
so-stable employee to tweak the specimen s bit.
Or for a terrorist state to develop a
"tailored" bug [with extremely long
incubation period, for example, or...]

Enjoy the Brave New World!

> "What a tangled web we weave, when we learn to deceive."

Unlearn then!

> 73, Jeff KH6O (who keeps his weapons in the Coast Guard armory)

73, N2RIU
--
Regards,
Uri
-=-=-==-=-=-
<Disclaimer>

4232. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net>
Message-ID: <j2GT4.63325$fF5.2032204@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 111093

"Jim" <jim@taborsoft.com> wrote in message
news:shtsb86fje412@corp.supernews.com...
> Hi,
>
> Well that is most humbling, no? :-))
>

Yupp, pretty embarassing. I hoe not to do that again!

> Regards,
> Jim
> --
> http://www.taborsoft.com
> Communications Analysis Prediction Wizard
> CAPMan HF Propagation Prediction & System Analysis Software
> Jim's page: http://www.wtrt.net/~ku5s/
> Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
> news:8qlT4.61982$fF5.1952926@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
> > Boy am I embarrassed! I had disconnected the R7000 for a
thunderstorm.
> > that is why things were lousy above 40-10. :-)
> >
> > It is back and magically, so is the propagation.
> >
> > Oh well!
> >
> >
> > "Gil Baron W0MN" <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
> > news:YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
> > > What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation
so
> > poor
> > > as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically
above 4
> > > Mhz is dead.
> > > Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
> > > It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from
tine
> > to
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> > > signal!
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> > >
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> > > Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/

> > > Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> > > "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el
mejor"
> > >
> > >
> >
> >
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>

4233. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lenny-t <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391F2E46.1967@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111094
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Sycho_Graphics wrote:

> I made no personal attacks until pinheads like you made asshole comments.

Hmmm. I quote from one of your previous posts to another member of the newsgroup who had the temerity to simply disagree with you: "WOW, what an eloquent response. Is "73" your age or IQ grandpa?"

> The fact that HAM is dying / dead doesn't "bother" me. I just accept it as a
> matter of fact, like typewriters or B & W televisions are obsolete. They
> reached the end of their usefulness only to be replaced by newer, cheaper
> better ways of doing things. What bothers me is the wasted bandwidth of all
> the HAMS wondering "duh, Why is it dying? Why doesn't anyone care but us?" I
> just told you why, LISTEN AND LEARN.

Perhaps. But if it's dead, why does it bother you so much that you must lose control of yourself on a newsgroup?

> As for misspelling a word sorry (fucking grammar police) at least I got the
> important ones right like IDIOT, MORON and ASSHOLE. By the way I am neither
> "hyperemotional" nor am I an "adolescence" I am 34 and I will be more than
> happy to indulge your half-witted comments.

By "adolescence" I gather you meant to use the noun "adolescent." Well, yes, you do come across as an adolescent. My goodness, you seem to delight in foul language and rude behaviour as many adolescents do when they attempt to shock their betters.

> Last, I have responded to a post on rec.radio.scanner so take your hobby and
> your whining about how bad it is somewhere else you pathetic bunch of pencil
> protector, old fart, has-been losers. When the last one of you drops dead
> (we won't have to wait long) I'll piss on your grave and your bullshit HAM
> society.

Hmmm. I think someone needs a cookie!

>Now thanks to the morons who are representative of HAMS on these
> newsgroups not only do you not have a potential new member you have another
> person who is indifferent to your cause.

Whew! Lucky us!

Cheers,

---Lenny-t OFHBL (Old Fart Has-Been Loser and proud of it)

--
"A greyhound needs no fanfare." - Jean Boone 1917-1998

4234. Re: >>>>>>>>> For my good friend Doc <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514191322.02277.00002661@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 111095

LOL LOL LOL

4235. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fnbsndsr1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111096

TWatson410 <twatson410@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000514165551.09316.00002912@ng-fq1.aol.com...
> >Please take these off-topic discussions to a more appropriate venue.
Those
> >who
> >wish to preserve our hobby do thank you in advance.
>
> I agree. I'm going to filter "gun".

Hey! What have you got against microwaves?

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Public school all the way, bay-bee. So much for "socialization."

4236. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <1scuhscm69l9jipirptkhavqa818dtald1@4ax.com>
Source record: 111097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

"Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:

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>important ones right like IDIOT, MORON and ASSHOLE. By the way I am neither
>"hyperemotional" nor am I an "adolescence" I am 34 and I will be more than
>happy to indulge your half-witted comments.

You have the emotional maturity of a poorly disciplined 6-year old.

>protector, old fart, has-been losers. When the last one of you drops dead
>(we won't have to wait long) I'll piss on your grave and your bullshit HAM
>society. Now thanks to the morons who are representative of HAMS on these
>newsgroups not only do you not have a potential new member you have another
>person who is indifferent to your cause.

Our gain. We have more than enough of your sort of do-nothing whiners
already, who expect other hams to do all the work but expect all the
benefits handed to them for nothing.

You don't have what it takes to be a ham. Not even a poor one. Take
your whining and your foul mouthed attitude back to whatever sewer it
was you climbed out of, lid.

--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

4237. Re: AF2Y REFUSE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fndpq$h7j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111098

In article <20000513171209.02272.00002651@ng-fx1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> w4nti wrote>Well no I don't think a multi-lingual society will work
in this
> >country. And why? We are just too dang diverse, and then add
multiple
> >languages to the mix and we have a great country ripe for revolution
> >and take over by anyone that has their act together.
>
> Good point Dan - another reason I think it won't work is that the
country will
> go to hell before that happens.
> America has it's own tradition, history and culture. Granted it was
derived
> from a mixture of all(standing for the same principles) in the early
days and
> has made this country great. Catering to, or developing a multi-
lingual society
> here in America will only weaken this great nation.
> In two hundred years this country has risen to the top because of
it's
> principles and beliefs - we should keep it that way.
>
EXACTLY.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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Before you buy.

4238. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514193236.19280.00002321@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111099

Jeff I think that your reading comprehension
lacks. YOU *tried* to say that I said
"Guns don't kill" I never said that, and it wouldn't matter if I did. The
gentleman is right - your twitlisted - killfiled or whatever.
Jeff you are a devious LIAR. I *posted* the post, i told you that, but NOWHERE
in the post DID IT SAY what YOU claim I did. You mixing your claims. Your
spinning like Carvel. Your now killfiled twit.
Jeff spewed <SNIP>

4239. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fneibiat1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111100

In article <8fmc2tdsp1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> > Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> > "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"
>
> >>>>>First of all, let me translate your Spanish for the gringos who
might care.
> You said that DANCING IS LIVING and THERE ARE FOUR ROADS OR PATHS IN
MY
> LIFE. WHICH OF THE FOUR WILL BE THE BEST?<<<<<<<
>
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> > It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from tine
to
> > tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE
> > signal!
>
> >>>>>I've been on the air since March 1969 and I concur. These are
the worst
> conditions EVER and the most prolonged too. I used to get on 20 early
in the
> morning to whip "Queenie's" behind on DX and I can't hear around the
corner
> let alone foreign countries except for an occasional Aussie who might
pop
> in. What does upgrading or restructuring really mean when there's no
one
> around to contact?<<<<<<<<
>
1. It takes two things to communicate...an operator at BOTH ENDS.

2. I just worked Indonesia on 17 meters with 100w and a non-resonate
dipole.

3. It takes two things to communicate..an operapor at BOTH ENDS.

Dan/W4NTI

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4240. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514193941.19270.00002770@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111101

>From: kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL)

jeff spun
>Jeff makes it too easy:
>>73, Jeff KH6O (I keep my weapons in the Coast Guard armory)
KK4TL set him straight

>That's great. While the intruder is raping your wife and / or daughter, you
>can run over to the armory and get your piece.

NO NO NO Lloyd, they won't let Jeff go do that, they'll make him watch.

>Surely he'll wait around till you get back. Intruders are noble people, and
>they'd never think of fleeing the scene before getting what they deserve.

4241. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514194144.19270.00002772@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111102

they're a "splinter from 3950" They call it the garbage pickers net. If it's the same group I'm thinking of.

4242. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OXS927fv$GA.351@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
news:1scuhscm69l9jipirptkhavqa818dtald1@4ax.com...
> "Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
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That puts me about about 5 years 11 months ahead of a crying little baby like you. I have not even begun to dish it out, you want a conversation on the topic at hand fine, you want fling insults back and forth I'm ready, willing and able.

> Our gain.We have more than enough of your sort of do-nothing whiners
> already, who expect other hams to do all the work but expect all the
> benefits handed to them for nothing.

Yea great answer "who cares if we never get another member" great attitude. Thanks for making my point, AGAIN. What the hell are you talking about? I didn't ask you to do a thing for me. Originally, I replied to one of these "our hobby is in shambles how can we make it better" posts. Work? what is work about sitting your ass in front of a "radio" it's amateur radio NOT BRAIN SURGERY GUYS.

> You don't have what it takes to be a ham. Not even a poor one. Take
> your whining and your foul mouthed attitude back to whatever sewer it
> was you climbed out of, lid.

Oh my, I'll never be a HAM! Now what will I do? Hmm, get a life. What's a matter multiple syllable words confuse you maybe I should morse code the dirty words so you can have some real world use for your "wonderful skills".

Once again to another brilliant HAM operator, PISS OFF and DIE.

> --
> glenq@cyberhighway.net
> WB7DOW
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> http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

4243. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?) RESPONSE to Private email from BRIAN KELLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OHL1vKgv$GA.307@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

I am not going to TEACH you anything.

You guys want to LEARN why people could care less about HAM radio and why your ranks are almost ZERO (I guess you care because every HAM radio newsgroup is full of "WHY, WHY, WHY posts). It is because you DO NOT listen to others outside of your hobby, outside of your demographic and outside of the "good OLD BOY network you have created. As a whole you have FAILED miserably to recruit any new blood because of your stubbornness, your narrow mindedness and your reluctance to accept change. Yet you continue business as usual even as your numbers dwindle to nothing.

I Never said you insulted me personally the first MORON did by calling me and IDIOT and the other two followed suit by attacking me and my intelligence by pointing out a misspelled word.

Never met your nephew maybe he is "MATURE" for his age. How old does that make you? The Older you are the smarter and wiser you are right? WRONG!!! You gonna prove my views of the average HAM right, Brian? So far so good.

Finally, I do not know what a "scanner freak" is? I happen to own, listen to and use a scanner SO WHAT? I have a broad base of interests this which happens to be but one. I was thinking of doing something with HAM radio but after my experiences with HAM operators I guess I am proud to be called a "SCANNER FREAK" by one of you.

"Brian Kelly" <kelly@dvol.com> wrote in message
news:391ee89a.153635198@news.dvol.com...
> On Sat, 13 May 2000 02:23:26 -0400, "Sycho_Graphics"
> <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
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> >So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why
should
> >I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my
AOR
> >8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about
> >electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my
> >roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry,
guys
> >your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)
> >
> Your "analysis" is right on the money. Ham radio just isn't for you.
> Don't let the door hit you in the ass on your way back out to

> Scannerville.
> >
> w3rv.

4244. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <7jguhss8p7kflrv3pvkevtm9obaafsgu7c@4ax.com>
Source record: 111105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

"Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:

> > You have the emotional maturity of a poorly disciplined 6-year old.
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>That puts me about about 5 years 11 months ahead of a crying little baby
>like you.

I'm mature enough not to send e-mail copies of my drivel where it's not
wanted.

>I have not even begun to dish it out, you want a conversation on
>the topic at hand fine, you want fling insults back and forth I'm ready,
>willing and able.

Hardly. Send me another harassing e-mail, and you'll find out just how
ready I am to deal with people like you.

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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

4245. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fnhhtjhv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111106

You idiot. When you register and license your automobile, does the state confiscate it? Don't you understand that you have a RIGHT to bear arms and no one is going to confiscate what you own? This is no police state and if you believe that anti-government propaganda bullbleep, that makes you too stupid to own a weapon. If you believe that Hitler confiscated privately owned guns, you're a fool. NO GERMAN OWNED WEAPONS AFTER WORLD WAR ONE ENDED. Not only was it PROHIBITED by the Weimar government but by the victorious allied powers. You will find these goddamned reclusive propagandists on this board who will sell you poison while telling you it's a panacea. I never ran across such blasted liars who are like they are because they neither know the truth nor care about it. They're fed all that garbage about wicked Uncle Sam confiscating weapons, come here to spread the manure and you put it on your strawberries instead of sour cream. If the people themselves are too greedy and dumb to stop the out-of-hand proliferation of guns, then the government will step in because it MUST. Every single gun of any kind by any citizen in this country must be registered and licensed NOW. Every weapon sold at a gun show must be registered and licensed, NOW. And no one should be forced to turn over a single weapon in their possession if it's properly licensed and registered. The government has no business whatsoever in messing with the right to bear weapons however it does have the right to demand responsible ownership which is what this is all about. So to all you Chicken Littles running around squawking about the sky is falling, wise up and grow up. Our government is SOUND and if the Feds are tougher now than they've ever been, there's a need for it. A lot of screwballs are running loose in America who have to be controlled, NOW.

In article <391E9393.6A56DD7F@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

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>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
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>> I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
>> aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
>> idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
>> damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.
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> What do you think that licensing and registration will do? Be specific,
> and explain HOW they will do these things.

4246. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?) Reply to PRIVATE EMAIL FROM GLEN QUARNSTROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u2mmLfgv$GA.269@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111107
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

This guy responds to my post calling me "6-year old" a "do-nothing whiner" that " I don't have what it takes" etc... and when I forward my response to his message he gets pissed off and threatens to report me to my ISP. What's a matter not enough space with all the kiddie porn on your computer? Afraid mommy might see what little boy is up to? You are a coward, you think you can attack someone then hide in the newsgroups. I post my opinions my email address and stand by my thoughts.

If I saw you on the street you would not address me in such a matter because I disagree with your position. Would you? I think not, cause they would have to surgically remove my foot from your ass.

Say hello to my KILLFILE you arrogant, piece of crap.

Sycho_Graphics wrote:

> Once again to another brilliant HAM operator, PISS OFF and DIE.

Do NOT send me any more unsolicited e-mail, or I will notify your ISP that you are harassing me. Say whatever you wish in UseNet, but stay out of my mailbox.

I will not warn you again.
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http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message news:7jguhss8p7kflrv3pvkevtm9obaafsgu7c@4ax.com...
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> Hardly. Send me another harassing e-mail, and you'll find out just how
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4247. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fnhrt$h27$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111108

If Erwin Rommel was the North African "Desert Fox," you're the
sneaky,ignorant, backstabbing North American "Desert Rat."

In article <20000514113014.05640.00003193@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Peter, your going to drive Doc nuts quoting facts and statistics. I can see
him
> bouncing off the walls now at the statement about the NRA "tells the truth".
> Don't hurt yourself Doc, of course we could always legislate padding on the
> walls for Doc. LOL

4248. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fni3e$5n6$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111109

You know that yokel is a generic term for a dope and only a dope. All you're doing is to try to turn my intelligent insight expressed here against me. After reading your post I'm convinced you're a yokel.

In article <391E95FF.F8E58D9D@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

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> Peter Maus wrote:
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>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
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>> > one example. Are you trying to tell me that you favor guns shows all across
>> > this nation
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>> Yes.
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>> > in which some any yokel can walk in, plunk down green and walk
>> > off with a "Saturday Night Special?"
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>> Yokel is an interesting term. So is "Saturday Night Special."
>> Strip away the emotionality of those terms and you find "person,"
>> and "pistol."
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> Why strip them away? Radiosigs is proudly admitting its bigotry.
> "Yokel" means someone from a lower economic class, and "Saturday Night
> Special" comes from the prhase "Ni*rtown Saturday Night," which is a
> euphemism for ghetto drunks shooting each other between rapes and
> robberies.
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>> > Are you crazy?
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>> No. Or I wouldn't be able to own a firearm.
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> Note: In a magazine article, James Brady is described as spending hour
> after hour sitting in his wheelchair, holding a loaded .44, in the fear
> that John Hinckely, Jr, will come finish the job. Thus, we can see that
> Sarah is more willing to let a brain-damaged paranoid have a gun than
> she is to let my daughter have a gun.
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>> > Where in God's name do
>> > you think you live, Dodge City 1885?
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>> No, I live in Suburban Chicago. Today.

>
> I'd rather be in the 1880s Dodge City!

4249. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <391F22C4.442A@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111110

Robert Sherin wrote:
>
> Good for you Curt--a chemistry professor who thinks political science as
> well.
>
> Your last post came much closer in moderation to my admittedly formative
> positions. Yet, I also find your writing patronizing to the extent that
> you portray yourself as walking in rarefied air. To assume more
> knowledge or a broader position than a debating partner before
> exhausting the dialogue is a mistake akin to arrogance of power.
> Please do not consign me to a narrower picture, since you have no idea
> where I've been and what I've done.
>
> Truth is, I've been fascinated with the Cuban revolution ever since
> meeting then-Cubans Alberto Bacardi and Louis Godoy at a private high
> school. In the latter 50s I bought "18th of July victory" bonds
> supporting the popular Cuban revolution gaining steam in the Escambrey
> Mountains. I watched Castro enter Havana to cheering crowds, saw him
> at the U.N. in New York, where he was snubbed by our government as he
> sought a place to stay in Harlem, then was embraced there by Kruschev.
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> Here's an contentious opinion proffered so you will accord me a
> reasonable sense of parity: Contrary to popular belief, the U.S. caused
> the Cuban Missile Crisis. Besides B-52s and Polaris submarines, the
> U.S. had surrounded the Soviet Union with land based missiles, a
> situation which made Kruschev bristle, sparking the crisis.
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> None of us should simply go along with government policy, assuming it,
> correct, any more than, domestic policy. Proven in your chain of
> posts, you've turned from the "Clinton spin" at least 25 percent while
> claiming to be chiselled in granite.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Bob,

I'm sorry that you considered my previous posting to be patronizing - I
was simultaneously responding to another posting in which my methods of
analysis were being questioned. My meaning is that I do not subscribe
to either zealous or dogmatic positions - which I consider to be the two
camps that have been generally represented when it comes to matters
pertaining to the Cuban expats vs the Castro Regime. As I stated
earlier, I think the BTTR losses were tragic, but one has to consider
that while they may have been attacked outside of an agreed-upon

international limit line, their goal was to deliver seditious material of whatever form (leaflets...etc) that would find their way to the Cuban population. This could be viewed (in extremis) by the Cubans as an attack of some form on their State (which, in a way, it was). In my view, there is nothing wrong with VOA or Marti broadcasts, or propaganda distribution through covert operatives. The issue is whether such actions should be taken by private individuals, or should be left to US agencies better suited to the job.From your posts, it seems as if you believe that there is some sort of Cuban-US conspiracy to silence the BTTR. Could this be true? I don't know, but given the argument above, it would be reasonable to believe that there are some individuals in the government that might consider such direct actions detrimental to some larger gains to be made on the diplomatic front. I do not claim to have special knowledge of this situation, but I am stating my opinions based on the generally-available information from a variety of sources (including those cited in your post).

I have not changed my fundamental position throughout this discussion, but rather have refined my presentation of the core issues as I see them. As you know, the best way to fully examine an issue is through free debate.

I don't agree with your analysis of the Cuban Missle Crisis, but I will stipulate that there was more going on during that encounter than meets the eye.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4250. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391F73CB.A6D5ABAD@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> I've seen this trend developing at a greater rate than interest in ham
> radio. When was the last hamfest you attended which didn't include
> Internet and LAN hardware? When was the last time you went to a
> computer show that DID have ham radio gear? How many places in your
> town can you buy ham gear? I'll bet that there are at least 5 times
> that number of ISPs, and I would be surprised if the ratio isn't at
> least 20:1.

Look Keith, I understand what you're saying. You're saying that because ham radio is not as popular as the internet, the internet will kill ham radio. You're saying that the internet is growing faster than ham radio, so ham radio is dead. You're saying that because there is more interest in the internet, there is no interest in ham radio.

Again, I say that is total nonsense. The internet and ham radio are two different things, and what happens to one has no real effect on the other. And there is no evidence that one is having an affect on the other - just like television had no effect on ham radio (as was once claimed), or just like broadcast radio had no effect (as was once claimed).

Yes, many ham operators now use the internet, but there is no evidence whatsoever that they are using the radio any less (or their interest in radio is less, or anything else). Many ham operators are adding computers to their radio room, not replacing their radio rooms with computer rooms.

And there is no evidence that interest in computers by young people is reducing their potential interest in ham radio. Throughout the history of ham radio, only a small percentage of young people have developed an interest in ham radio. There is no evidence that the percentage of young people who develop an interest is declining.

And ham radio is a popular today as it has ever been. There is almost as many new people joining ham radio each year today as there were total ham operators just a few decades ago. Yes, ham radio is not growing as much as the total population is growing (and that is cause for some concern), but it is not the end of the ham radio world.

> So you say.
>
> On the net.

And again, you make the subtle suggestion that because I'm currently typing messages the internet, it proves your argument that the internet is going to be the end of ham radio.

Again, nonsense. I do a lot of things in my life. I work, drive my car, eat, watch television, listen to the radio, play music on my keyboard, spend time with my other hobbies, spend time with my wife, and a host of other things. None of those things negatively effect my interest in ham radio, or the amount of time I spend on the radio.

Radio is not the only thing I do in my life (and I dare say it is not the only thing that any other operator does in his/her life). Radio, just like any other interest, has always been balanced with the other interests (and requirements) in the ham operator's life.

But, you seem to think it is one thing or the other (the internet or ham radio). I say a person can easily have both in his/her life, just like a person can have ham radio and all those other things mentioned in the above paragraph. Its not a choice between two things, its simply two unrelated things.

Anyway, I've had enough of this argument. You seem determined not to listen to my arguments, and you're certainly not offering arguments that can be supported with even common sense. So, I'll move on and leave you to your self-imposed mission to decry the end of ham radio. Good day.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4251. ATTN: Radiosigs -- answer the question, you coward

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391F3D78.D989C63F@bctv.com>
Source record: 111112

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> You idiot. When you register and license your automobile, does the state
> confiscate it?

Just answer the question. If you dare.

What effect do you think that licensing and registration of firearms
will have? Be specific.

Don't tell me what it WON'T do, tell me what it WILL do that is worth
spending all that money on?

4252. ATTN: Radiosigs, you coward

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391F3DF3.6C180B25@bctv.com>
Source record: 111113

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> You know that yokel is a generic term for a dope and only a dope.

No, sorry.

And I notice that you don't say a thing about "Saturday Night Special."

> All you're
> doing is to try to turn my intelligent insight expressed here against me.

That would be like using a rubber knife.

> After reading your post I'm convinced you're a yokel.
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4253. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391EC61A.B9510208@bctv.com>
Source record: 111114

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
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> In article <391E9393.6A56DD7F@bctv.com>, kw@bctv.com says...
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> >> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
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> >> I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
> >> aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
> >> idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
> >> damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.
> >
> >What do you think that licensing and registration will do? Be specific,
> >and explain HOW they will do these things.
>
> I love it when people use the argument that you have to register and be
> licensed to drive a car, so why not have it for guns?

The thing is that you DON'T have to register a car or license drivers,
except when they are operating on public highways. I don't shoot on
public highways.

4254. FS:BANDPASS DUPLEXER'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9ZDZ <dbraggs@hcis.net>
Message-ID: <392091e0$0$26525@wodc7nh6.news.uu.net>
Source record: 111115

DB4075
LOOK AT THIS AT
http://www.telecom.com
They are good one's.
Please make an offer.
Thank you

4255. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fm288$vp4$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111134

I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation. Your car is licensed isn't it? Do you feel it'll be confiscated because of it? That's one example. Are you trying to tell me that you favor guns shows all across this nation in which some any yokel can walk in, plunk down green and walk off with a "Saturday Night Special?" Are you crazy? Where in God's name do you think you live, Dodge City 1885? Your thinking is NOT 2000. You will not recognize that we live in a violent society and the mass proliferation of guns is one of the reasons. Well my good man, you're going to.
AF2Y

In article
<C1A2F8D1B0F749E9.CCCFCFED81F8846B.656CEF44D98C53E7@lp.airnews.net>,
"Jarrod" <jboehme@pdq.net> wrote:

> Lets face it, you are trying to blaze a path for gun banning/confiscation.
> I grew up around guns. At an early age started with the standard BB gun. I

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4256. Re: Gordon West's extra study-guide?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carmen <CHTHOMP@spamanddie.prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8fm4nn$1cr8$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 111135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi BD,

Go to the link below, and you can buy just the study guide for $14.95 +
$4.00 S&H. Fred Maia sent me a confirmation email immediately, and sent it
by Priority Mail.

http://www.w5yi.org/ExtraCl.htm

73s,
Carmen

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:PIoT4.1053$ea2.245485@nnrp3.sbc.net...
> Where can I order/buy one? My local hamshop still carries the old version
(I
> wonder how many of 'em they're still selling..) and I can't find it on the
> net anywhere.. Amazon also has the old one, btw.
> The only website I could find of his was just an ad for the schools he
> teaches...
> Thanks!
> PS. I only *thought* I was ready for the test.. ;)

4257. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <391ea285.135691052@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111136
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On Fri, 12 May 2000 20:08:47 GMT, blackm00@cam.org (Michael Black)
wrote:
>
>once wrote an article about "How to be an Amateur" pointing out
>some of the benefits hams have to innovate for the simple reason
>that they aren't bound by corporations. I think it was published
>in an early issue of 73, and then reprinted once or twice. 1971
>comes to mind.
>
> Micahel VE2BVW
>
Nice post.
>
w3rv

4258. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <391EADDC.7FB85617@home.com>
Source record: 111137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The real question REALLY was-"how ignorant can I be and still pass?"

Carmen wrote:
>
> Hi John,
>
> Although 37 is enough to get the piece of paper, hopefully most will still
> strive to ace it. :)
> 73s,
> Carmen
>
> John Siegel <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
> news:391D7FEA.183753A4@worldnet.att.net...
> > I stand corrected. The report and order is given as 37 right - not in
> > terms of percentage.
> > John

4259. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fmbfi$61d$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111138

In article <1246-391E267F-39@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
sherinsmiami@webtv.net (Robert Sherin) wrote:
> Truth is, I've been fascinated with the Cuban revolution ever since
> meeting then-Cubans Alberto Bacardi and Louis Godoy at a private high
> school. In the latter 50s I bought "18th of July victory" bonds
> supporting the popular Cuban revolution gaining steam in the Escambrey
> Mountains. I watched Castro enter Havana to cheering crowds, saw him
> at the U.N. in New York, where he was snubbed by our government as he
> sought a place to stay in Harlem, then was embraced there by Kruschev.
>
> Here's an contentious opinion proffered so you will accord me a
> reasonable sense of parity: Contrary to popular belief, the U.S. caused
> the Cuban Missile Crisis. Besides B-52s and Polaris submarines, the
> U.S. had surrounded the Soviet Union with land based missiles, a
> situation which made Kruschev bristle, sparking the crisis.

<<<<<<Sorry but I don't buy your arguments. You're saying that we pushed Castro to Russia? No way. He was a tried and true commie during his days in the Sierra Maestrae mountains planning his takeover with commie brother Raul and really big commie Che Gueverra. And what did this so-called "Freedom loving and democratic Cuban" do, who in reality was nothing more than Moscow's prostitute, immediately after entering Havana? Started rounding up the opposition, shooting them and tossing them into mass graves. Then he nationalized our industries without a penny compensation. By then he was a 95% slave of Russia and our opposition to his heinous acts simply upped it 5%. The man was a pig as of Jan.1,1959 who became an ultra dangerous pig soon thereafter.

Regarding your thoughts on whom was responsible for the Cuban missile crisis, we were? Was it an American is 1917 who stood before all humanity to proclaim that we would force capitalism down everyone's throat or was it a Russian named Lenin who screamed about Marxist dialectical materialism-about how in the course of natural events communism MUST replace capitalism and that Russia's goal was to therefore communize the world?

Remember in 1945 as the war was coming to a close in Europe when General Patton met with the wrath of Eisenhower and Truman by advocating pushing the Russian armies back to the gates of Moscow now that the Nazis had been almost totally defeated? George knew back then what it took gazillions of dollars, heavy losses in Korea, Viet Nam and other places and events to prove correct. Our having ringed the Soviets with missiles was, to the mind of any anti-communist, no just cause to have them place nukes in Cuba. We were following a policy of containment while theirs was of blackmail and ultimate world domination and that's where Kennedy's folly came into play. Instead of cutting a deal with Khruschev whereby they'd remove their

hardware while we allowed Castro to stay in power, we should have attacked, destroyed Fidel and set up a provisional government until free elections commenced. Would the Russians have gone to war over such an aggressive but necessary move? NEVER. Logistics favored us by a million to one and Nikita knew it.

4260. Re: >>>>>>>>> For my good friend Doc <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fmbim$61d$2@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111139

Go back to Florida and thanks for your postcard that arrived on the 13th.
Doc

In article <8fkonjqrs1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rich7@my-deja.com wrote:

> Doc, the first time you get mugged, you will be calling on your
> Congressman, to make rocket launchers legal! Rich
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4261. FS: R.S. HTX-200,HTX-400,HTX-245 SMA -TO-BNC ADAPTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gulyas@netzero.net
Message-ID: <8fmd9ufso1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I manufacture sma-to-bnc adapters that will custom fit the HTX-200 (VHF),HTX-400(UHF),HTX-245(VHF/UHF) Radio Shack H.T. radios.

The low profile adapter is rubber covered for a factory antenna look.

The price is $11.95 + $1.50 S+H

If interested,email for complete information and a photo.

Thanks.

Stephen G. Gulyas KC2BHO 73's

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4262. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fmc2tdsp1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111141

> Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"

>>>>>First of all, let me translate your Spanish for the gringos who might care. You said that DANCING IS LIVING and THERE ARE FOUR ROADS OR PATHS IN MY LIFE. WHICH OF THE FOUR WILL BE THE BEST?<<<<<<<

In article <YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>, "Gil Baron W0MN" <gbaron@usa.net> wrote:

> What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so poor
> as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above 4
> Mhz is dead.
> Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
> It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from tine to
> tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE
> signal!

>>>>>I've been on the air since March 1969 and I concur. These are the worst conditions EVER and the most prolonged too. I used to get on 20 early in the morning to whip "Queenie's" behind on DX and I can't hear around the corner let alone foreign countries except for an occasional Aussie who might pop in. What does upgrading or restructuring really mean when there's no one around to contact?<<<<<<<<

4263. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: arm@helix.nih.gov
Message-ID: <8fmde9$s1b1@icet.net.nih.gov>
Source record: 111142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Dan/W4NTI (w4nti@my-deja.com) wrote:
: In article <391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca>,
: Kevin McQuiggin <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> wrote:
: > Hi Folks:
: >
: > I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate
: > school up here near Vancouver, BC.
: >
: > I'm researching amateur radio and its history. I'm specifically
: > interested in inventions, discoveries, or techniques that were
: developed
: > within amateur radio and later spread to the electronics industry.
: > Similarly, some of our operating techniques and procedures were later
: > widely adopted by other services.
: >

1) Radio astronomy
2) micro satellites

4264. fs:p200 parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithbrian@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fmfa1hmj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111143

My old handy p200 broke down on me i know whats wrong with it the controler cable inside of it broke and one of those small resistors is missing on the contoller if you have a spare controller you have a good radio 50.00 is the price I pay shipping or if you have a spare uhf controller email me @ keithbrian@email.com ps its a unf radio 438-470

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4265. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391EBFE0.BAB4FC77@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111144

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
> aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
> idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
> damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.

Yes. That's what everyone says. How can it hurt. And yet,
historically, without exception, confiscation has been the
inevitable result of registration. You may not be talking about it.
But that is the result. It happened in Australia. It happened in
England. It's happening right now in South Africa. It's happening
right now in Canada.

It's happening right now in California.

Gore has said he wants registration as a plank on his
Presidential platform...and he want's the public disarmed.

You may not be talking about it. Nobody is. But confiscation has
been the result of registration. Every time.

> Your car
> is licensed isn't it? Do you feel it'll be confiscated because of it?

Ask Gore. He wants the internal combustion engine banned. Hell,
ask me. Three times in 1994 the village I lived in tried to tow my
car to the crusher, because it was "a Clunker." Fully insured.
Fully licensed. Fully RESTORED 1962 Studebaker Hawk. Driven every
day. Quiet, clean. Immaculately maintained. And it was in my garage.
They came for it anyway. If not for the alarm in my garage, they
would have gotten it, too. Took a lawyer and a bunch of my money to
convince a judge that the village was out of line.

In Ohio they want classic cars off the road and in junk yards.
Period. Similar legislation is pending in several states.

So, yes, once again, registration leading to confiscation.

The only major reason cars haven't been confiscated en masse, is
the fear of the public uproar. Because, you see, no one has inflated
the statistics about automobile deaths, in order to terrify the
public. No President has stood on the sight of a mulitcar pileup and
said, "I feel your pain."

Prosecutions for automobile deaths are up.

Here's some scary statistics. During the Clinton administration, prosecutions for firearms violations have declined 44%. According to their own BATF analyses, in 1998, there were only 2 successful firearms prosecutions in Washington DC. DC, by the way, has more firearm related murders than any city in the nation, AND the most restrictive firearms LAWS in the Western Hemisphere. 2 prosecutions in 1998. There were only 8 successful prosecutions in San Francisco, and only 14 in New Jersey.
Here's something else. Clinton's figures have claimed 500,000 felons, fugitives and stalkers have been prevented from purchasing firearms under the Brady Act. And yet, the number of prosecutions in these cases have numbered less than 20.
Clinton said this past week that firearms accidents are among the leading killers of children in this country. In 1998, the number of home firearms accidents involving children under 15, has dropped to below 100, and fatalities are at the lowest level since the National Safety Council started keeping records in 1903. Over the last decade alone, the numbers have dropped 40%. Total fatalities from home accidents are only a handful.
The President has lied. For what reason would a President distort publicly and repeatedly distort such figures? To create fear, and panic among an uninformed public.

Handgun Control Incorporated, Sarah Brady's pet project, has again been caught, and has admitted to, DOUBLING the figures in gun death reports. Maryland Governor, Parris Glendening, had already sent the exaggerated figures to the Maryland House for support of a restrictive Gun Control measure, insisting they came from a source that, in his words, 'has been reliable.' Knowing full well that HCI is well known for this kind of tactic.

The question raised by these distortions of fact: why the need to lie? If the carnage is so great, why the need to lie?

The answer is simple. Proponents who quote statistics, inflate the numbers because their case is weak. Meaning the claims made by the President, Sarah Brady and others, are neither conclusive, nor compelling, in the need to restrict gun ownership in this country. And they know it, so they lie. The carnage is not widespread. The numbers are not huge. So they lie.

Interesting to note, however, that the New York Times, certainly no friend to NRA, has reported that while gun control advocates have frequently exaggerated, inflated or simply made up statistics to support their arguments, NRA has steadfastly, all along, told the truth, and reported accurately statistics refuting gun control advocates claims.

> one example. Are you trying to tell me that you favor guns shows all across
> this nation

Yes.

> in which some any yokel can walk in, plunk down green and walk
> off with a "Saturday Night Special?"

Yokel is an interesting term. So is "Saturday Night Special."
Strip away the emotionality of those terms and you find "person,"
and "pistol."

Now, do I favor gunshows? Still yes. They have been a part of our
culture for 350 years, even before the country was born. Do I favor
any person walking in, plunking down green, and walking off with a
pistol? No. But then that's what background checks are for.

Here's something interesting to note...I purchased a pistol at a
gun show in Louisiana 15 years ago. Filled out the yellow sheet, and
laid down my money. The dealer told me he would have it for me the
following week at his shop. Waiting period, you know. Not a
problem. He could then, as a good gunsmith, clean and inspect it,
and note what service may be required, and make sure it's in top
condition when I pick it up.

Voluntary and responsible. As were all the dealers there that day.
Gunshows are not repositories of weapons for dealers to arm
terrorists, or third world dictators...and they never have been.
Once again the proponents of gun control have exaggerated and
distorted the facts for the purposes of restricting one of our most
basic freedoms.

> Are you crazy?

No. Or I wouldn't be able to own a firearm.

> Where in God's name do
> you think you live, Dodge City 1885?

No, I live in Suburban Chicago. Today.

> Your thinking is NOT 2000.

Yes, actually it is. I think in terms of defense of home and
property and protecting my rights as an individual. That is also
meet, right and salutary thinking in the year 2000. You should know
that. As a radio operator you hold one of the most important
responsibilities in civilized society: the ability to disseminate
information.

> You will not
> recognize that we live in a violent society

Oh, but I do. That's why I practice at the range every week, and I
maintain my weapons for defense.

> and the mass proliferation of
> guns is one of the reasons.

Ah, but that's where you're wrong. Guns have always been readily
available in this hemisphere. Since the 1620s there have been

weapons in every home, and gun dealers, gunsmiths, and gun shows for the exchange, and upgrade of weaponry for defense, as well as sport. Keep in mind that the Continental Army was volunteer, and that the weapons with which we fought the Revolution were personally owned by the soldiers, not the Colonies.
Keep in mind that there have been weapons in every home throughout the history of the US, until this century when it became fashionable to disarm citizens.

Keep in mind that gunshows have been commonplace in every community in this country since before it's inception, but only recently has there been a cry of 'too much violence.' Clearly something has changed. And the proliferation of firearms hasn't been it.
Yes, you're right we live in a violent society. But the problem with violence, is that it can only be stopped by other violence. At Columbine the shooting didn't stop because someone said, "hey this is illegal, let's cut it out." In Jonesboro, the shooting didn't stop because someone said, "surrender your weapons to legal authority."
Illegal gun violence only stops when more guns, legally owned, are brought to the scene and the illegal act is terminated, by force or coercion.
Why the hell do you think they picked the schools? Or the walk into office buildings in Manhattan? Because they knew that no one on the grounds of those schools was armed. Because they knew that no one in those offices was armed.
Disarm the public, and you have a field of sheep sitting quietly waiting for every hungry wolf to stop by and feed at its discretion. Where firearms have been confiscated, crime doesn't go down, it goes up. Home invasions in Australia are up by as much as 80% depending on which source you read. PBS, no NRA supporter, btw, reports 60% increase in home invasion crimes in Australia, up 45% in Canada where confiscation is currently underway. On the other side of that coin, where concealed carry has been encacted, violent crime has gone down. Even the government's own analyses have shown that. In one rarely reported case, a student walked into a highschool and drew a weapon and while he was taking aim, was terminated by an armed teacher. Averting certain tragedy.

But you don't want to think about that.

Yes, we live in a violent society. But restricting access to defense is not the answer. Because, time and again, it has been proven by the government's own statistics, where legal access to firearms has been restricted, criminals have always found a way to arm themselves. The results have been tragic.

Read the facts, not the distortions. You may find that there's more to fear than pissing off the NRA.

4266. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <391ebb0f.141974350@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111145
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On Fri, 12 May 2000 23:46:27 GMT, "great horneytoads!"
<bluetel@aol.com> wrote:

>WE TRIED THIS ONCE ALREADY SPORT.
>
>IN 1965-67
>
>IT WAS CALLED "INCENTIVE LICENCING"
>
>IT WAS A MONMUNTAL DISASTER FROM WHICH WE
>HAVE NEVER RECOVERED.
>
Bullshit. I'd still be a General if Incentive Licensing hadn't
happened. Myself and tens of thousands of others did 20wpm in front of
FCC examiners, one minute solid copy, all just to be able to operate
in a lousy 5.7% of the HF bands. . . . never mind that the number of
hams has tripled +/- since then of course. Whatta "disaster"
>
w3rv

4267. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E8A24.F177628C@bctv.com>
Source record: 111146

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Jeff show me where I said what you claim. I think your just spin
> doctoring(lying) because you can't make your point any other way.

It's taken you this long to figure Jeff out?

> It's not
> there to make. Twisting and spin doctoring someone's words(or lying) should be
> beneath you Jeff.

Naw. Jeff has to climb a ladder to touch the bottom of a snake.

4268. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E8A72.8B8258BA@bctv.com>
Source record: 111147

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Sorry Jeff but DO NOT attribute something someone else wrote to me. Just as I
> thought. THOSE are not my words.

They may have been Jeff's words. When he kept lying to me about what I
said, I just twitlisted him.

4269. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fmgvjjen1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <8fmde9$s1b1@icet.net.nih.gov>,
arm@nih.gov wrote:
> Dan/W4NTI (w4nti@my-deja.com) wrote:
> : In article <391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca>,
> : Kevin McQuiggin <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> wrote:
> : > Hi Folks:
> : >
> : > I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in
graduate
> : > school up here near Vancouver, BC.
> : >
> : > I'm researching amateur radio and its history. I'm specifically
> : > interested in inventions, discoveries, or techniques that were
> : developed
> : > within amateur radio and later spread to the electronics industry.
> : > Similarly, some of our operating techniques and procedures were
later
> : > widely adopted by other services.
> : >
>
> 1) Radio astronomy

I would have thought that the start of Radio Astronomy came when Jansky
was working at Bell Laboratories from 1931(?) to 1935(?). To be fair,
Reber worked at home a couple of years after that and did a lot of good
work. Anyone know if Reber was a licenced Amateur or just a very good
SWL? ;-)

> 2) micro satellites

Probably one of the most significant examples (in my view anyway).

Mark.

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4270. What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000514111859.00590.00014868@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 111149

Nothing, except to enhance the growing public perception that ham radio operators are extremists, survivalists, anti-government fanatics, and kooks.

Please take these off-topic discussions to a more appropriate venue. Those who wish to preserve our hobby do thank you in advance.

4271. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514112128.05640.00003192@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111150

Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here, but you still twist and spin a person every word, you should be working for Carvel.
Now that you've had some fun, can you make a cogent point without the spin and ridiculous semantics

4272. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514113014.05640.00003193@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111151

Peter, your going to drive Doc nuts quoting facts and statistics. I can see him bouncing off the walls now at the statement about the NRA "tells the truth". Don't hurt yourself Doc, of course we could always legislate padding on the walls for Doc. LOL

4273. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391EC776.F823352F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111152

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Peter, your going to drive Doc nuts quoting facts and statistics. I can see him
> bouncing off the walls now at the statement about the NRA "tells the truth".
> Don't hurt yourself Doc, of course we could always legislate padding on the
> walls for Doc. LOL

ahhh....Doc's all right....he just doesn't know it.

4274. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: PJH <p_j_h@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <##Rvembv$GA.306@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I would love to see Step 1 and 2 with passing at 95% applied to Drivers
Licenses.
Pat

Mark Morgan <konstans@oneleven.net> wrote in message
news:391cc742.434188796@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> Better Ham radio or simply dead Ham radio
>
> On Fri, 12 May 2000 17:03:19 GMT, integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff
> Hong) wrote:
>
> >
> >Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> > pass all elements required for their license class.
>
> Not a bad idea
> >
> >Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
>
> Why?
> >
> >Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>
> I do hope you are not holding your breath on that
> >
> >Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>
> Why?
> >
> >Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
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> >wouff hong
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>

4275. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E8F25.F2DAB6D0@bctv.com>
Source record: 111154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dwight Stewart wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > Dwight Stewart wrote:
> > >
> > > Sorry, Keith, but I don't buy it. The internet has not made even a
> > > small dent in number of people watching television, renting videos, or
> > > listening to the radio.
> >
> > And you think that ham radio HAS?
>
> You know, I think you have a problem with reading comprehension. I
> never said that "ham radio has" anything.

Then your comparison is pointless.

> My point was that the
> internet has not negatively affected other technologies such as
> television, so there is no reason to believe that it will negatively
> affect ham radio either.

Your comparison just doesn't work, because there is NO comparison.
People sit and watch television, they sit and watch videos, they sit and
listen to the radio.

People only get into ham radio when they want to communicate TO others.
Which just happens to be why people get active on the internet.

> Of course, if you would have read the next sentence before spouting
> off, you would have understood that point. Those sentences were
> together in one paragraph because they were all related (one thought),
> not parts to be split up and addressed individually.

If they can't survive being addressed individually, that thought isn't
complete.

> > > If it hasn't affected those "technologies,"
> > > there is no reason to believe that it will have any more effect on ham radio.
> >
> > As I said, those are non-participatory. The net attracts those who are
> > interested in long distance communication for amusement. YOU, for
> > instance.
>
> So what has that got to do with ham radio?

Don't you think that people who would have gotten ham licenses have
detoured onto the net and never again thought about hamming?

> The internet has not
> affected my ham radio usage in any way. In fact, my radio sits right
> next to my computer and I'm listening in right now. If someone calls,
> or I hear someone that I want to call, the computer takes a backseat.
> By the way, I also sometimes watch tv, or listen to the radio, while
> typing on the computer and listening in on the ham radio.
>
> My point of all that is that you seem to think a person can only do
> one thing at a time, so if a person is roaming the internet, he has to
> be spending less time on the ham radio (your basic claim is that the
> internet is negatively affecting ham radio).
>
> And I say that is nonsense - the internet is not having that much of
> an effect on ham radio. And it is not having that much of an effect on
> those other technologies either (many people watch tv while roaming the
> internet, or listen to the stereo while roaming the internet, or listen
> in on the ham radio while roaming the internet).

None of those other activities require training and examination. What
is the motivation to get a ham license?

> Its not one technology or the other (the internet OR tv, the internet
> OR the stereo, or the internet OR ham radio). Most people will include
> them all in their lives, often side by side with the other thechnologies
> in their lives.

Oh, really? Where do you live, that most people are licensed hams? For
that matter, where are you that even most of those on the net are
licensed hams?

> Of course, I know you probably don't see it that way. You're probably
> one of those people who think that in the future everybody will be
> sitting at their computer 24 hrs a day, with absolutely nothing else
> going on in their lives (a totally wired world of internet junkies, with
> everything in the home hooked to the internet).

I've seen this trend developing at a greater rate than interest in ham
radio. When was the last hamfest you attended which didn't include
Internet and LAN hardware? When was the last time you went to a
computer show that DID have ham radio gear? How many places in your
town can you buy ham gear? I'll bet that there are at least 5 times
that number of ISPs, and I would be surprised if the ratio isn't at
least 20:1.

> Don't hold your breath. That sounds too much like the paperless
> office that computer junkies promised twenty years ago. That didn't
> happen, and neither will many of the other twisted views of the future
> that computer junkies claim.
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

So you say.

On the net.

4276. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514113648.19279.00002277@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111155

True

Check out 3950 Opinions and leave Yours !
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

4277. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514114425.19279.00002278@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 111156

Oh and Jeff, ol man, one other thing,
you said;
"KK7HO said that guns don't kill"
I never did say that.
Now your spinning doctoring in some other direction.
You interpreted that, for your own foolish needs, from what was posted. Stick facts Jeff, ol man, if you have any.
Don't misquote or mis-interpret someone.
Sheesh - what a liberal LOL

4278. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E9180.2EE124BE@bctv.com>
Source record: 111157

Robert Sherin wrote:
>

> Here's an contentious opinion proffered so you will accord me a
> reasonable sense of parity: Contrary to popular belief, the U.S. caused
> the Cuban Missile Crisis. Besides B-52s and Polaris submarines,

Both of them? ;)

> the
> U.S. had surrounded the Soviet Union with land based missiles, a
> situation which made Kruschev bristle, sparking the crisis.

Yep. No doubt, this is part of the reason that victory was declared
while the missiles were permitted to stay.

4279. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E9254.15E787A2@bctv.com>
Source record: 111158

Peter Maus wrote:
>

> Clearly, as pointed out above, the proliferation of gunshows has
> been part of the cultural landscape for 350 years, with legal
> purchase by responsible parties as common as fast food sales.

But don't expect to see Rosie O'Donnel pimping for Hamburger Control,
Inc!

4280. ATTN: Radiosigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E9393.6A56DD7F@bctv.com>
Source record: 111159

> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
> aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
> idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
> damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.

What do you think that licensing and registration will do? Be specific,
and explain HOW they will do these things.

4281. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ePm1Wybv$GA.321@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 111160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

TO: Lenny-t

Yes, I am a newbie so what? Am I not entitled to an opinion? I do know something about "it" because I actually tried to look for a reason and gave your "hobby" a chance and came to the same conclusion as many have. IT IS DEAD!

By the way idiot my ID is not misspell it is just the way I intended.

Thanks for making my point. I gave you my views of this "hobby" from my perspective as a newbie and as expected rather than give me a reason to join this hobby I get asshole comments like lenny-t's and dwight stewart with no substance or useful information. Kinda like the stuff I hear on my scanner when on HAM bands BLah, BLAH, BLAH, "I remember when, BLAH , BLAH , BLAH. If you guys can't even give me (a guy with exposure and experience looking for a reason to care) how the hell do you plan on "recruiting" newbies with no exposure or interest to HAM radio.

Oh, wait I guess you don't.

"Lenny-t" <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message news:391D6F69.6ADB@worldnet.att.net...
> Sycho_Graphics wrote:
> >
> > WOW, what an eloquent response. Is "73" your age or IQ grandpa?
> >
> ----------<remainder of rant deleted >---------------
>
> My goodness. What a boatload of inane crap from a self-proclaimed
> newbie! You should have started off your ravings with, "I don't know
> anything about it, but it seems to me....."
>
> Looks like the first part of your ID fits you quite well despite the
> misspelling.
>
> --
> "A greyhound needs no fanfare." - Jean Boone 1917-1998

4282. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E95FF.F8E58D9D@bctv.com>
Source record: 111161

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:

> > one example. Are you trying to tell me that you favor guns shows all across
> > this nation
>
> Yes.
>
> > in which some any yokel can walk in, plunk down green and walk
> > off with a "Saturday Night Special?"
>
> Yokel is an interesting term. So is "Saturday Night Special."
> Strip away the emotionality of those terms and you find "person,"
> and "pistol."

Why strip them away? Radiosigs is proudly admitting its bigotry.
"Yokel" means someone from a lower economic class, and "Saturday Night Special" comes from the prhase "Ni*rtown Saturday Night," which is a euphemism for ghetto drunks shooting each other between rapes and robberies.

> > Are you crazy?
>
> No. Or I wouldn't be able to own a firearm.

Note: In a magazine article, James Brady is described as spending hour after hour sitting in his wheelchair, holding a loaded .44, in the fear that John Hinckely, Jr, will come finish the job. Thus, we can see that Sarah is more willing to let a brain-damaged paranoid have a gun than she is to let my daughter have a gun.

> > Where in God's name do
> > you think you live, Dodge City 1885?
>
> No, I live in Suburban Chicago. Today.

I'd rather be in the 1880s Dodge City!

4283. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391E96B7.A08006DA@bctv.com>
Source record: 111162

TooManyRadios wrote:
>
> Nothing, except to enhance the growing public perception that ham radio
> operators are extremists, survivalists, anti-government fanatics, and kooks.

This is certainly better than letting the public think that we are
stupid sheeple who are paranoid about inanimate objects, believe
everything that we are told and can't do basic math.

4284. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjac302069@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000514121456.20447.00002295@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 111163

If the F.C.C. was REALLY interested in turning out KNOWING operaters, the test should be fill-in the-blanks without pre-publishing questions. If you were told "12 question on operating proceedures,15 on rules and regs.,etc. and the study text is the ARRL handbook (or whatever), we would have knowledgable operators. But it would take a little more effort,and that would scare away the give-it-to-me crowd.So it goes--I look forward to seeing the "improved,knowledgable operators that will result. So far, in this area, dumbing down has produced "shoe leather moble","destinated",and annoucents of "for I.D."@ every stating of call sign.Welcome to Y2KCB.It was nice while it lasted---oh, I'm forgot--we should all WELCOME this demise of intellect.

4285. AEA 2mtr Isopole - need assembly measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Kemp <wb4bah@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <7ukths0gm6fa296596ucd5c3fcg6vle320@4ax.com>
Source record: 111164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I sent this query to rec.radio.amateur.antenna and got no response so
I thought I'd try here too.

I have kept a disassembled Isopole behind the seat of my truck for
years, along with 3 - 5ft sections of mast and 100 ft coax. It makes
a great way to keep an emergency antenna handy for disasters. I had
the local welding shop make me a mount for the mast which fits right
into the stake holes on the bed rails.

Here's my problem. I had black "magic marker" around the mast at the
proper measured points for the cones, but over the years these marks
have worn off and I cannot find the assembly instructions.

Does anyone have the measurement chart they can scan and email me?

Thanks and 73
Tim

wb4bah@mindspring.com

4286. WAKE UP Million MAN March

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous Sender <nobody@mixmaster.shinn.net>
Message-ID: <10b7c8cb40153651e79975d74a476367@mixmaster.shinn.net>
Source record: 111165

SIGN THIS PETITON NOW
www.i-charity.net/sw.cgi/ptn/4

Heres a quote from a Californian commenting on the recent abominable interpretation of the US Constitution
But seriously, we have been presented with a situation that couldnt have been predicted to occurr this soon in anyones imagination...

Theyre losing the battle RIGHT NOW.

Socialists/Communists like AF2Y and all the other Liberal, uneducated drones are pushing for

Legislation
Registration
Confiscation
Incarceration, and possibly,
Extermination

Go here
This ones for you , Doc ...10 Jewish pistols held off Nazis for three months
www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/3956/warsaw.html

SIGN THIS PETITON NOW
www.i-charity.net/sw.cgi/ptn/4

www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/3956/index.html

www.freerepublic.com/forum/a387e7fa63d26.htm

We are at important crossroad in protecting our Constitutional Rights. With media support and exploitation of tragedy, the Million Mom March and HCI will
succeed in diminishing our absolute right to bear arms, unless a million of US say something You deserve safety in your own home and person Let lawmakers know that our 2nd Amendment Rights are NON-NEGOTIABLE, and put to rest the notion that 75% of the American people support gun control. Letting someone else do it is no longer an option.

4287. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fmpatruk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111166

How about that ham radio ops are educated, free-speaking defenders
of the Constitution?

So now, if you would like to exercise the right to self-defense and
bear arms, you are a "extremists, survivalists, anti-government
fanatics, and kooks."?

If crime came your way, you might not be talking that way!

Also, if you lose a basic Constitutional right like the Second
Amendment, how long do you think the right to communicate
freely on HAM frequencies will last?

This is a precursor to losing many rights, and many lives. Happens
EVERY time...look at history! Even RECENT history!

If you don't know history, you are condemned to repeat it!

In article <20000514111859.00590.00014868@nso-fi.aol.com>,
toomanyradios@aol.com (TooManyRadios) wrote:
> Nothing, except to enhance the growing public perception that ham
radio
> operators are extremists, survivalists, anti-government fanatics, and
kooks.
>
> Please take these off-topic discussions to a more appropriate venue.
Those who
> wish to preserve our hobby do thank you in advance.
>
>

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.\\

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4288. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter O. Brackett" <ab4bc@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <8fmqco$g0k$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Kevin:

More Re: Marconi the amateur.

I have in front of me here a hard cover book "The wireless experimenter's manual", by Elmer E. Bucher, Wireless Press, Inc. 1920, LCCN 20-5750, LC Call Number TK9946.B85. In the back of the book is a tear out page which is an application form to join "The National Amateur Wireless Association", the fee for joining is $2.50. The address for the Association is given as 326 Broadway, Room 301, New York.

The head of this Amateur Association is listed as: Gugliemo Marconi, President
There is a National Advisory Board of Vice Presidents listed, which includes: Prof. Arthur E. Kennely, Harvard, Prof. Alfred N. Goldsmith, College of the City of New York, etc...

The text on the application reads... "Join Now" You should be a member of the organization that is doing real things for the advancement of amateur radio. etc.... I could make a xerox copy of the application form and fax it to you if you wish.

In recent years we have such "amateurs" as...

Phil Karn KA9Q...

who almost single handedly introduced the Internet's TCP/IP protocol suite to the modern personal computer [IBM clones as opposed to the Unix based computers] by the release of his "KA9Q" TCP/IP "stack" as free ware. Many professional programmers had said that the base PC with the 8086 microcomputer and 640 K of memory could never support such a complicated communications stack and that only powerful Unix machines could do that! Well... Phil did it anyway and then...

This KA9Q "stack" was picked up and modified by many commercial interests and led to the exponential growth of TCP/IP on the PC platform, and made a very large contribution to the commercial growth of the Internet.

Peter K1PO

"Kevin McQuiggin" <mcquiggi@sfu.ca> wrote in message news:391C479A.ED335B9A@sfu.ca...
> Hi Folks:
>
> I've been licenced for 23 years, currently VE7ZD, and am in graduate

> school up here near Vancouver, BC.
>
> I'm researching amateur radio and its history. I'm specifically
> interested in inventions, discoveries, or techniques that were developed
> within amateur radio and later spread to the electronics industry.
> Similarly, some of our operating techniques and procedures were later
> widely adopted by other services.
>
> Hams operate outside of the structured environments within industry, and
> I think that this freedom has permitted us to invent and discover
> without being shackled by any policy issues, or possible stigmatism from
> investigating things that would be considered "too far out in left
> field" by management and non-ham co-workers.
>
> Examples would be the investigation of wavelengths below 200 meters,
> with the discovery by hams that such wavelengths were better for
> propagation than longer waves; packet radio; APRS; propagation studies
> that were undertaken in the 20s and 30s; facsimile; SSTV; and network
> operating techniques.
>
> Some of this stuff was regulated, such as the banishment of amateur
> radio to the "useless" wavelengths < 200 M, but this sort of proves my
> point. There's been lots of innovation within the hobby, and the general
> public now benefits from it.
>
> If anyone could provide me with more examples, or good books or articles
> on this topic, then that'd be great. Of course I'll give appropriate
> credit to those who assist!
>
> If you could email me as well as posting your reply, thanks. There's
> lots of traffic in these groups and I don't want to miss any replies.
>
> 73,
>
> Kevin VE7ZD
> mcquiggi@sfu.ca
>
>

4289. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fmodt02fd4@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111168

In article <20000514112128.05640.00003192@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate says...
>
>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
> Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here, but you still twist and
>spin a person every word, you should be working for Carvel.
> Now that you've had some fun, can you make a cogent point without the spin
and
>ridiculous semantics

No, he can't. He'd rather post idiotic statements about individuals owning weapons of mass destruction, which is something no sane person would ever condone.

Tom - N8ECW

4290. FS equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl & Delores Walthall <cwalthall@globesurfer.net>
Message-ID: <8fmrapebh1@newsfeed.norlight.net>
Source record: 111169

I have the following equipment for sale.

1: Astron RS 35A $100.00
2: Radio Shack Newest 10 meter HF radio $100.00
3: Hf watt meter from radio shack 20 - 2000 watts $35.00
4: FC-20 auto ant. tuner for the FT-847 earth station or FT-100
never used $180.00
5: Mobile 40/15/10/6/2 meter ant. $90.00 Comet CA-HV
6: Comet Z780 6/8 2 meters and 5/8 400 mhz mobile ant. $60.00
7: Four Magnet mobile mount $45.00

All equipment like new, mobile only a short period of time. Buyer
pays shipping.

Carl
evenings 262-736-2623
days 815-884-3629

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You cant catch the tigers cub unless you dare to step into it's cave.

4291. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jim@taborsoft.com>
Message-ID: <shtsb86fje412@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 111170

Hi,

Well that is most humbling, no? :-))

Regards,
Jim
--
http://www.taborsoft.com
Communications Analysis Prediction Wizard
CAPMan HF Propagation Prediction & System Analysis Software
Jim's page: http://www.wtrt.net/~ku5s/
Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
news:8qlT4.61982$fF5.1952926@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
> Boy am I embarrassed! I had disconnected the R7000 for a thunderstorm.
> that is why things were lousy above 40-10. :-)
>
> It is back and magically, so is the propagation.
>
> Oh well!
>
>
> "Gil Baron W0MN" <gbaron@usa.net> wrote in message
> news:YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com...
> > What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so
> poor
> > as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above 4
> > Mhz is dead.
> > Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
> > It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from tine
> to
> > tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE
> > signal!
> >
> >
> > --
> > Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> > Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> > "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"
> >
> >
>
>

4292. Re: FS equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl & Delores Walthall <cwalthall@globesurfer.net>
Message-ID: <8fmrkvecl1@newsfeed.norlight.net>
Source record: 111171

Forgot

I dont get here very often please repley to my email

cwalthall@cwalthall.com

thanks Carl

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news:8fmrapebh1@newsfeed.norlight.net...
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> Carl
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> You cant catch the tigers cub unless you dare to step into it's cave.
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4293. Re: AEA 2mtr Isopole - need assembly measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Froot Loops ARC <yicy812@arrl.org.an.ism>
Message-ID: <orCT4.61349$g4.1724451@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Tim Kemp <wb4bah@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:7ukths0gm6fa296596ucd5c3fcg6vle320@4ax.com...
> I sent this query to rec.radio.amateur.antenna and got no response so
> I thought I'd try here too.
>
> I have kept a disassembled Isopole behind the seat of my truck for
> years, along with 3 - 5ft sections of mast and 100 ft coax.
> Does anyone have the measurement chart they can scan and email me?
>
>
> Thanks and 73
> Tim

Try the AEA website, although I had an VHF Isopole for about
8 months before I took it down and sold it at a hamfest. Had to
be one of the worst performing antennas I ever used. also very
flimsy in construction. Again, try the website, but you'll do much
better with an old Cuschraft Ringo or Hustler.

4294. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fmp7j12fd4@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111173

In article <391E9393.6A56DD7F@bctv.com>, kw@bctv.com says...
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>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
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>> I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
>> aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
>> idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
>> damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.
>
>What do you think that licensing and registration will do? Be specific,
>and explain HOW they will do these things.

I love it when people use the argument that you have to register and be
licensed to drive a car, so why not have it for guns?

Last week, a local man was sentenced to 14 years in prison and had his
drivers license revoked for life for killing three girls while driving drunk.
He was doing 75 MPH in a 35MPH zone, when he ran a red light. His blood/alcohol
level was 2 1/2 times the legal limit, and he was driving on a suspended
license (no insurance) These facts didn't keep him from getting behind the
wheel of a car, and taking the lives of three teenagers.

Criminals don't obey laws. That's why registration and licensing won't work. It
only puts the burden on those of us who *are* law-abiding citizens.

BTW, firearms ownership has this little thing called the Second Amendment
protecting it, therefore it is a right, unlike driving a car, which is a
privilege.

Tom - N8ECW

4295. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <391ee89a.153635198@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 13 May 2000 02:23:26 -0400, "Sycho_Graphics"
<Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
>
>
>So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why should
>I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my AOR
>8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about
>electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my
>roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry, guys
>your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)
>
Your "analysis" is right on the money. Ham radio just isn't for you.
Don't let the door hit you in the ass on your way back out to
Scannerville.
>
w3rv.

4296. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fmsk7$9et$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111175
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Follow-ups set to just .misc...

<wd1v@amsat.org> wrote:
>The first amateur was Marconi

I'd think he fall into the "professional" catagory rather than
the "amateur" catagory. He had visions of $$$ in mind all the
while he was perfecting his apparatus. Note that his equipment
contained nothing original -- he utilized ideas and devices of
the legions of inventors who came before him. (For example, in
Blake's HISTORY OF RADIO TELEGRAPHY AND TELEPHONY, an encyclopeadia
of early wireless circuits, Marconi's apparatus isn't presented
until page 100 -- 99 pages of circuits and their descriptions
come before him.) We can thank him for putting all the pieces
together into a workable system.

73, Jeff KH6O

Follow-ups set to just .misc

4297. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fmtil$aa4$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111176

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
> Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here,

After you deny saying those remarks, after you call me a liar and demand an apology, that's all you have to say? "I'll take credit for posting it here." Sheesh.

>but you still twist and spin a person every word...

No spin or twist -- you said blaming gun deaths on guns is illogical. I interpret that to mean that you believe that "guns don't kill, people do" (a popular slogan). If you do in fact believe that, then I'd assume, to be consistent, you'd agree that ANY type of weapon should be available to the public since "weapons don't kill"; if you disagree, then your original contention was false.

73, Jeff KH6O

4298. Re: Amateur Radio Class - Lindenhurst, NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave or Debby <truth@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <391eedcf$1@news.planetc.com>
Source record: 111177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

The better question is: WHAT does this have to do with CB, unless to entice people to the 2 meter CB band? We should go on the Hambo news group & invite people to CB instead!!!!!
Dave!!!!!

BD wrote in message ...
I bet that info will be most useful to about .001% of the readers here...
Wouldn't a 'tag line' with a link to your homepage be much more appropriate?
What if everyone decides to start posting their local schedules?...

"W2GSB" <info@gsbarc.org> wrote in message
news:%9hT4.17070$X91.106014@news02...
> SUMMER Tech Class -Lindenhurst
>
> Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club Amateur Radio Classes

4299. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fmu5s$at0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
>I do know
>something about "it" because I actually tried to look for a reason and gave
>your "hobby" a chance and came to the same conclusion as many have. IT IS
>DEAD!

15 meters is jammed right now (1900Z). Far from dead.

73, Jeff KH6O

4300. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fmu0canl1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111179

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Oh and Jeff, ol man, one other thing, you said;
>"KK7HO said that guns don't kill"
> I never did say that. Now your spinning doctoring in some other direction.

Let's review your article again, focusing on just your first sentence:

Article 222141 of rec.radio.amateur.misc:
Path: news.hawaii.edu!hammer.uoregon.edu!newsfeed.direct.ca!europa.netcrusader
.net!152.163.239.131!portc03.blue.aol.com!audrey05.news.aol.com!not-for-mail
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....
Lines: 17
NNTP-Posting-Host: ladder06.news.aol.com
X-Admin: news@aol.com
Date: 12 May 2000 13:58:23 GMT
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512095823.02260.00002500@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Xref: news.hawaii.edu rec.radio.amateur.misc:222141

Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on matches.

"Blaming gun deaths on guns, is ... illogical..."

implies

"Guns don't cause gun deaths"

or

"Guns don't kill."

73, Jeff KH6O

4301. Re: >>>>>>>>> For my good friend Doc <<<<<<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fn03a$354$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111180

In article <8fmbim$61d$2@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Go back to Florida and thanks for your postcard that arrived on the
13th.
> Doc>>>>>> Not to worry, Iris will kick some ass!
>
> ----------
> In article <8fkonjqrs1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > Doc, the first time you get mugged, you will be calling on your
> > Congressman, to make rocket launchers legal! Rich
> >
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
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Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4302. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fmv1mbqd1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111181

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>kk7ho@aol.communicate says...

>>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
>> Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here, but you still twist and
>>spin a person every word, you should be working for Carvel.
>> Now that you've had some fun, can you make a cogent point without the spin
>and
>>ridiculous semantics

>No, he can't. He'd rather post idiotic statements about individuals owning
>weapons of mass destruction, which is something no sane person would ever
>condone.

Just stiring the pot, Tom. It's so easy to get you all riled up.
But you'll never find me calling you or anyone else derogatory names,
though. Gentlemen don't do that.

Devil's advocate mode on:
Again, either every possible weapon should be available to the
citizens, or none should. Why draw an artificial line allowing just
handguns and rifles? Tim implies that guns can't be blamed for gun
deaths, so surely weapons don't cause deaths; we should be able to
own anything.

73, Jeff KH6O (I keep my weapons in the Coast Guard armory)

4303. Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fmvlu$k7k$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111182

Anyone lave a link to that page ?
I heard its funny, and would like to read (judge it) it for myself.
Last nite the guys she goofs on usually 3850-3860 were talking about seeing flying saucers.
What a great nite funny time group.

4304. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fmvjgcdc1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111183

Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
>KK7HO wrote:

>> Sorry Jeff but DO NOT attribute something someone else wrote to me. Just as I
>> thought. THOSE are not my words.

>They may have been Jeff's words. When he kept lying to me about what I
>said, I just twitlisted him.

It should now be obvious that this Woods fellow lacks credibility. Since writing the above, Tim, KK7HO, has admitted that he did in fact write the comments I attributed to him, yet Woods jumps to Tim's defense without having a clue as to the real truth.

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\ /
Woods: Credibility
/ \
/ \

73, Jeff KH6O

4305. Re: Dry Transfers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: VR2RD <cbiumak@ctimail3.com>
Message-ID: <8fkpi4ble1@news.ctimail.com>
Source record: 111206
Cross-posted to: alt.sex.strip-clubs,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For your information :

Ocean State Electronics
P.O.Box 1458
Westerly, RI 02891
(401) 596-3080

VR2RD

Ron Ostman <w0nyq@minntaccdp.com> wrote in message
news:8evchaemd1@news1.spacestar.net...
> I believe that "Ocean State Electronics" still handles the full line of
> Datak dry transfer lettering products. They do have a Web site but I
don't
> have their URL handy.
>
> Ron, W&#65533;NYQ
>
>
> GC wrote in message ...
> >Back when...I sold parts at an industrial parts house in NJ. We sold
stuff
> >by a company called Datak for doing panels, letters, meter scales, etc.
> I've
> >hunted high and low, and all I can find is Datak PC board stuff, but none
> of
> >the other stuff.
> >
> >I need to re-label a panel on a radio. And make a custom meter scale. I
> seem
> >to recall Datak had all of the above.
> >
> >But beyond that, anybody have any suggestions for custom meter
face/scale?
> >
> >This all for a SWAN 240 I added an "S" meter to and in the process had to
> go
> >from the 400MA meter in it to a 1MA and a PA cathode shunt to ground.
> >
> >George W2DB
> >
> >
> >

> >--
> >George J. Csahanin
> >Director of Engineering and Operations
> >LIN Television Corp.
> >Dallas, TX
> >214-523-5957
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4306. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fktob$vv7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <391D9C5B.5787B038@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>
> Wouff Hong,
> Hows this for a suggestion? Instead of doing away
> with the CW testing, lets add testing in the other modes!
> We could have CW testing, RTTY testing, SSB testing, SSTV
> testing, PSK31 testing, FM testing, Packet testing, and???
> That should settle this whole obsolete/antique/unused
> misconception about the different 'modes'.
> 'Doc

Actually, in theory, I think this has a lot of merit. It would be akin to being licenced on different types of aircraft. The certification would apply only to what was being tested - which is what testing should be about, don't you think?

It would eliminate the absurdity of using a Morse test to grant access to every mode on HF. For example, the Morse test would grant Morse access on every band - a much more logical and sensible system.

It is the practical issues which make this purely academic. (1) The logistics of doing so - You would need an examiner who was certified in every possible mode and you would have to be certified merely to try something new; and (2) Who will do the testing for new modes?

"The devil is in the detail." as a workmate is wont to say.

Mark.

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4307. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fkubijd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <391DBB6F.741CED50@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > kw@bctv.com wrote:
> > > I guess that depends on what "is" is.
> >
> > Sorry, That one went over my head.
>
> You don't recognize Clinton's infamous statement?

Oh, I gather that it must be something to do with the Monica incident. I can't say that I took much interest in the story. Understandable, I guess, because I'm sure not too many people in this NG would be interested in what John Howard is doing - I'll let you figure that one out. ;-)

Mark.

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4308. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <8fku8t$61l$0@63.162.247.213>
Source record: 111209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:

> >I can understand retesting for say, a drivers license, as the loss
> >of those skills can kill someone. But retesting for HAM? Why?
>
> gievn the ammount of change that occours in electronics etc
> retesting in some form on our 10 year renewals would likely mean that
> the current crop of Hams for example I know several Extras who do not
> know the RF emissions rules as well as I do as a mere tech.

Again, why? The loss of the skills learned, in todays appliance
operator enviroment, will result in no degradation to the hobby,
the operator, or those around him.

> >> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
> >>
> >> Forget this one. Code will be gone as a requirement very soon. Don't get
> >> me wrong, I don't think this is necessarily a good thing.
> > >
> >Yep. Code killed this hobby. If it had been killed 20 years ago, the
> >hobby might still be viable, with the new blood it might have kept up.
>
> No code has not killed the hobby but its advocates sure seem
> to be trying to kill it. The best case for NoCode is made by simply
> looking at a creative minority of the ProCoders (creative minoroty a
> large vocal visible group)
>

Well, let me rephrase. The requirement for code into any level of
HAM radio did kill the hobby, not code itself. If there had been
a no-code class of license 20 years ago, it would have allowed a lot
of people into the hobby that would have helped to enhance and
enlarge the hobby.

Those people would have been more of a voice to the FCC, as well
as helped to bring new technology to HAM radio.

Instead, we declined.

4309. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fl045$7cr$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111210

KK4TL <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote:
>Jeff tried again after Tim wasted him ..
>Nuclear weapons? Biological weapons? Chemical weapons? How about surface-to-air
>missiles?
>
>My reply:
>Allow me to echo Tim's comments here. The discussion is about personal
>firearms to be used for sport shooting and home / self defense.

But Tim said that weapons don't kill. If (and only if) that's true,
then it shouldn't matter what weapons are available.

Either Tim is correct ("weapons don't kill") or he isn't. It seems
like the old boy wallowed into a bit of a paradox.

73, Jeff KH6O

4310. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fl0ao$7qo$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111211

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Thanks for the support Lloyd. Jeff was a tad off Target. :-) He was way left.
>At least another liberal poked his head out. LOL

If weapons don't kill, then it shouldn't matter what weapons are
available.

Let's see if you can escape from this paradox you've stumbled into.

73, Jeff KH6O (who keeps his weapons at the Coast Guard armory)

4311. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fl0lu$7ve$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111212

beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:

>>>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths
>>>on matches.

>> I assume you're all for legalizing the sale of weapons of mass
>> destruction? Atomic weapons? Biological? Chemical? How about
>> surface-to-air missiles? After all, as you say, it's not the
>> weapon that kills. Will you take a consistent stance in regard
>> to these weapons or will you be a hypocrite?

> A truly assinine statement. Most Americans, not being terrorists,
>have no interest in NUKES or SAMs. Pull your head out of your bomb
>shelter and get real !

I see that you, too, are caught in Tim's tangled paradox:

He claims that weapons don't kill. *IF* that's true, then it
shouldn't matter what weapons are available. But if you wish
to see certain weapons banned, then it must be that weapons
do kill, and thus, Tim is incorrect.

"What a tangled web we weave, when we learn to deceive."

73, Jeff KH6O (who keeps his weapons in the Coast Guard armory)

4312. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fl0pa$87p$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111213

GLC1173 <glc1173@aol.com> wrote:
> Did the legal status of sarin make any difference when a Japanese cult
>nerve-gassed the urban subway there?

But Tim says that weapons don't kill, so the legality of obtaining
such an item shouldn't matter.

Jeff

4313. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513220717.16113.00002908@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 111214

Jeff, your becoming as good a spin doctor as some on the net. Use of common sense will help you understand, i see that your having problems.
Ps. which post was it that I said weapons don't kill. i don't recall having said that. IF, I did, you know what my meaning was behind that and for you to spin doctor my words, well i guess all liberals democrats do that when they losing on an issue.

4314. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513221349.16113.00002914@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 111215

No escape necessary Jeff ol man. Your misquoting me, or perhaps lying, or maybe even trying your hand at spin doctoring. All liberals love to spin doctor facts and words.
Jeff which post did I say that weapons don't kill - I don't recall making that statement. IF I did, you know that what was meant is the object doesn't have intent - that takes a person. I don't blame you for trying to spin doctor, hell your losing on the issue and all democrats resort to that when they're losing.

4315. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fl1g3$903$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

rec.radio.amateur.space dropped from header:

great horneytoads! <bluetel@aol.com> wrote:
>Read Wayne's editorials in 73. He is right I am afraid.

Oh, Mr. Credibility! The OM claims that shock therapy cures AIDS.
Jeff

4316. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513222352.16113.00002919@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 111217

Well said Maus. I never thoght I'd be agreeing wiith you on anything. I agreed with maus, yuk, cough, <spit> LOL

4317. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000513225016.14510.00002651@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 111218

Jeff show me where I said what you claim. I think your just spin doctoring(lying) because you can't make your point any other way. It's not there to make. Twisting and spin doctoring someone's words(or lying) should be beneath you Jeff.

4318. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391E1D87.52935F26@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111219

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Well said Maus. I never thoght I'd be agreeing wiith you on anything. I agreed
> with maus, yuk, cough, <spit> LOL

LOL! Truth is, you agree with me more often than not.
Unfortunately, USENET is a wholly inadequate forum for discovering
the details in the points shared here.

4319. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigdaddyking <bigdaddyking@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fl93hbcm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <8fl1g3$903$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> rec.radio.amateur.space dropped from header:
>
> great horneytoads! <bluetel@aol.com> wrote:
> >Read Wayne's editorials in 73. He is right I am afraid.
>
> Oh, Mr. Credibility! The OM claims that shock therapy cures AIDS.
> Jeff
>
>>I think it was silver colloid too,that cured "everything",according
to Wayne.How many pages does he rant on now?I let my sub run out last
year,I got tired of the insanity.I think I figured it out one month,and
it was like 6 solid pages,if you took all the pieces he had spread over
the entire magazine!He should have taken over Art Bell's show,he would
have been perfect!
BDK

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4320. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fl8dq$g4o$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111221

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>which post was it that I said weapons don't kill. i don't recall having
>said that.

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on
>matches.
>Just as a gun will not work without a bullet, it will not work without a
>finger.

In other words, "Weapons don't kill, people do."

Jeff

4321. Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sherinsmiami@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1246-391E267F-39@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111222

Good for you Curt--a chemistry professor who thinks political science as well.

Your last post came much closer in moderation to my admittedly formative positions. Yet, I also find your writing patronizing to the extent that you portray yourself as walking in rarefied air. To assume more knowledge or a broader position than a debating partner before exhausting the dialogue is a mistake akin to arrogance of power. Please do not consign me to a narrower picture, since you have no idea where I've been and what I've done.

Truth is, I've been fascinated with the Cuban revolution ever since meeting then-Cubans Alberto Bacardi and Louis Godoy at a private high school. In the latter 50s I bought "18th of July victory" bonds supporting the popular Cuban revolution gaining steam in the Escambrey Mountains. I watched Castro enter Havana to cheering crowds, saw him at the U.N. in New York, where he was snubbed by our government as he sought a place to stay in Harlem, then was embraced there by Kruschev.

Here's an contentious opinion proffered so you will accord me a reasonable sense of parity: Contrary to popular belief, the U.S. caused the Cuban Missile Crisis. Besides B-52s and Polaris submarines, the U.S. had surrounded the Soviet Union with land based missiles, a situation which made Kruschev bristle, sparking the crisis.

None of us should simply go along with government policy, assuming it, correct, any more than, domestic policy. Proven in your chain of posts, you've turned from the "Clinton spin" at least 25 percent while claiming to be chiselled in granite.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4322. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391E28FD.21D5660C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111223

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> In New Jersey we have had gun registration and licensing since the 1960s and
> no one complains about anything. Not one nut stands on a steet corner or
> writes a letter to an editor saying that CONFISCATION is next.

Many editors do not publish all that is submitted to them. But the fact is that there ARE people protesting registration precisely because of the confiscation issue. Historically the record is clear. Without exception, registration has led to confiscation. It happened in England, and Australia. It's currently underway in South Africa, Canada and in this country, California. Gore want's it as a plank to his platform for that reason.

Home invasion crimes are up in England and Australia. Some figures I've read are as high as 80%. PBS reported over 60%. Morton Grove banned handguns in the 80's, since then burglaries are up substantially.

On the other hand, states where concealed carry has been passed into law, such as Florida, not a single OK Corral has occurred. In fact, where concealed carry has been passed, (what is it now 16 states?) violent crimes have fallen considerably.

Taken in the context of history, firearms have been a part of the culture since before the country was founded. In fact there have been gun shows on this soil since the mid 1600's, and yet, only in the last few years has there been perceived a need to ban them. Firearms have been a part of the home since the first settlers landed, and yet, not one school shooting had taken place for over 350 years. What had changed? Since the firearms hadn't, it had to be the people. The culture and the values with which the kids involved in school shootings and their copycat threats were involved. Something that has been preventing these tragedies was no longer in place. Everything else, including the presence of guns, remained for the most part, the same.

And in the case of the school shootings, Columbine the most notable, the shooting didn't stop until more guns arrived on the scene.

So the assault, the registration, and the historically proven future confiscation, are against those who would otherwise defend themselves, because in the matters of these crimes, legally owned and responsibly used firearms are for the most part not involved.

> It's ludicrous. stupid and embarrassing. The downfall of this nation will lie in
> the uncontrolled proliferation of such things as gunshows during which any
> loony can walk in, plunk down some bucks and walk offf with a deliverer of
> death.

Clearly, as pointed out above, the proliferation of gunshows has
been part of the cultural landscape for 350 years, with legal
purchase by responsible parties as common as fast food sales.
Banning gun shows, only affects the legal and responsible. As
demonstrated by the Columbine shootings, and the racial killings in
the midwest, a person determined to acquire a firearm illegally,
will do whatever it takes to do so. That's not the fault of the
responsible citizen, or the gunshow. And laws as proposed will not
affect the acquisition of illegal guns by criminals. Meaning there
will more of them armed, than there will be of us.

And that's what's silly and stupid.

> Question: why don't you rant and rave about your computers being
> registered? They most certainly are and you know it. If you screw around on
> the Internet and create a life threatening situation or try to disrupt
> commerce by means of viruses, by having registered with an ISP, the Feds
> will get you. We are all safer by knowing what exists, where and when and
> yet you "gunnets" who've sold your souls to the NRA care nothing about the
> safety and security of your fellow man. The founding fathers must be turning
> over in their graves seeing how a basic tenet of the Bill of Rights is being
> raped in this nation. Gun owners-KEEP THEM, USE THEM PROPERLY, POLISH THEM,
> DISPLAY THEM, TAKE THEM TO TARGET PRACTICE RANGES, KILL DEFENSELESS ANIMALS
> FOR SPORT SINCE THAT'S LEGAL BUT DAMMIT, you're going to have to register
> and license every weapon you own OR ELSE and if you don't like it, you're
> going to do it anyway!

You may be surprised.

4323. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514004416.26657.00002572@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 111224

Sorry Jeff but DO NOT attribute something someone else wrote to me. Just as I thought. THOSE are not my words. You seem to be confused on more than one issue. How you came to the conclusion I posted that is beyond me.
Besides the fact that "I" did not write that, you seem to spin your own interpretation of what someone says. Regardless, I did not write that and you should apologize.
Jeff mixed up as usual on this issue wrote:
>KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:(but I did not)
>>Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on
>>matches.
>>Just as a gun will not work without a bullet, it will not work without a
>>finger.
>
>In other words, "Weapons don't kill, people do."
>
>Jeff
>

4324. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000514004844.26657.00002574@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 111225

Your correct, we agree on many things, although there are a few issue where we do not, for the most part we see eye to eye.
Damn, i did it again -yuk,.....LOL

4325. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000514004914.27331.00002714@ng-fj1.aol.com>
Source record: 111226

Peter states:
>Morton Grove
>banned handguns in the 80's, since then burglaries are up
>substantially.

And that same year, Kennesaw, GA passed a city ordinance requiring EVERY household inside the city limits to possess a firearm. Result? A low crime rate became a LOT lower. They reported a 97 per cent DECREASE in burglaries and other home invasions. And there has not been a significant increase since.

Moral of the story? If the crook KNOWS there's a gun in the place, he has a good reason to take his business elsewhere.

Pray that it will rain on their parade tomorrow. Pray that it will rain HARD. So they don't even march. Just get mad and go home.

4326. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8flid3$pq1$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111227

In article <20000514004416.26657.00002572@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
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>thought. THOSE are not my words. You seem to be confused on more than one
>issue. How you came to the conclusion I posted that is beyond me.
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So you're again denying that you wrote this:

>>KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:(but I did not)
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>>>matches.
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>>>finger.

Let's again examine the complete article, including its full header:

Article 222141 of rec.radio.amateur.misc:
Path: news.hawaii.edu!hammer.uoregon.edu!newsfeed.direct.ca!europa.netcrusader
.net!152.163.239.131!portc03.blue.aol.com!audrey05.news.aol.com!not-for-mail
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....
Lines: 17
NNTP-Posting-Host: ladder06.news.aol.com
X-Admin: news@aol.com
Date: 12 May 2000 13:58:23 GMT
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
Message-ID: <20000512095823.02260.00002500@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Xref: news.hawaii.edu rec.radio.amateur.misc:222141

Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on matches.

All trigger fingers should be registered. Just as a gun will not work without
a bullet, it will not work without a finger.

If guns are so evil, why are they so often used in the name of God.

Ask not how a gun may harm you, ask instead how it may save you.

Laws waived at a criminal lack the impact of a .44 special.

Sign on the window of a burglarized house. "Hollow point test center, test
subjects needed".

Repeating firearms do wonders for repeating criminals.

Burglars hate light, especially muzzle flashes.

You wrote that article on Friday, 12 May. It's still unexpired on
the UH-Unix news reader as article 222141 in rec.radio.amateur.misc.
Really, Tim -- lying is no way to play the game. This is all supposed
to be in fun. You've given yourself a black mark for obviously lying
like this! Why on earth would you deny that you wrote that just
yesterday? Are you ashamed of your words?

Look, I'm a Republican through and through; but I realize we *do* have
an extremely severe problem in this country in regards to gun-related
deaths. You can't deny that something does need to be done.

73, Jeff KH6O

4327. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8flitqqbp1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111228

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Regardless, I did not write that and you should apologize.

Are you nuts? How can you deny that you didn't write this:

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4328. Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod <jboehme@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <C1A2F8D1B0F749E9.CCCFCFED81F8846B.656CEF44D98C53E7@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 111229

Lets face it, you are trying to blaze a path for gun banning/confiscation. I grew up around guns. At an early age started with the standard BB gun. I knew what my little BB could do. As I got older, I began hunting. I was shown how to safely use guns. I also saw their effect on the animals that I hunted. That is all called experience, it has no substitute. When I joined the military, many of my buddies had never even held a gun. They quickly came to respect its power and proper use. Now that I am out, in my late 20's, guns part of my everyday life. I don't go running around killing people. I don't stab people. I don't run over people. I realize that the gun is a tool, like many other "lethal" tools at our disposal every day. Before you preach to me what you think has to be done, maybe you should consider the underlying problem. A gun will not harm anything until one commits to pulling the trigger. That individual makes the choice, not the gun, knife, car whatever. Use the brains that are in your head. What do you really think will happen if all guns are confiscated? I'll tell you. The criminals will still have guns and no one else will. Doesn't make me feel safe. Maybe we should be pushing for a DRAMATIC change in our legal criminal system. What do criminal have to fear these days? Getting caught? Serving 25% of the time they should serve in jail. What kind of deterrent is that. What kind of incentive will it be to go on a crime spree knowing the general population is unarmed? I think the anti gunners deep down are upset at the demise of current social values and don't have the integrity to admit that the fault is in ourselves and our present culture. They are backed in a corner trying to find the fastest way to pass the blame or point a finger. We all play that game, its human nature to not believe the fault is our own but another's. In contrast to your beliefs, it is a historical fact (although I don't have the exact reference so you people can go and reanalyze the data to fit your own agenda) that countries/states with well armed citizens, have consistently had the lowest crime rates, throughout history. Now how do you people explain that? Today's values are not what my grandparents values were, or even my parents, or even my younger brother and sister's. To quote from the movie GI Jane "Lieutenant, when I want your opinion, I'll give it to you..." That is how I and the many who stand with me feel we are being dealt with. So before you antigunners feel like you need to "give" us our opinions, you need to sit down, analyze just what real goal you are trying to achieve, and contemplate if banning guns is a real solution. You also need to go and analyze the constitution for yourself, word by word, taking into consideration what exactly the forefathers were trying to convey. Read it for yourself, don't accept another's interpretation. I don't feel banning guns or registration is the answer as criminals will remain unaffected, indefinitely. I have spent my life around a gun of some sort. Whether that gun was for hunting, target shooting, personal defense, military actions, whatever, in every situation, it was only a tool of my will. I alone had the ultimate decision to fire. Just

having a gun in my hand did not make me more aggressive or lose my values. As long as I live, I will have guns. My children will be raised around them and educated as I was. Their part of our culture will remain long after you and I are gone. Focus on the people, the minds, the values. "It is the poor carpenter who blames his tools". I don't force my opinions or will on others, why is it that you antigunners consistently do exactly that. This is my opinion, even though you people don't want to hear it. At least I listened to yours and analyzed it for myself before I discounted it. I can't believe that the country founded to be free would be so split on the issue of the tools used to make it free. I love my country, but I am disappointed in the people. How do we get the dignity, honor, and wisdom my grandparents knew so well back? Can we get it back? Time will tell.

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4329. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <391E73BB.F3B8E064@sccoast.net>
Source record: 111230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Keith Wood wrote:
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> Dwight Stewart wrote:
> >
> > Sorry, Keith, but I don't buy it. The internet has not made even a
> > small dent in number of people watching television, renting videos, or
> > listening to the radio.
>
> And you think that ham radio HAS?

You know, I think you have a problem with reading comprehension. I never said that "ham radio has" anything. My point was that the internet has not negatively affected other technologies such as television, so there is no reason to believe that it will negatively affect ham radio either.

Of course, if you would have read the next sentence before spouting off, you would have understood that point. Those sentences were together in one paragraph because they were all related (one thought), not parts to be split up and addressed individually.

> > If it hasn't affected those "technologies,"
> > there is no reason to believe that it will have any more effect on ham radio.
>
> As I said, those are non-participatory. The net attracts those who are
> interested in long distance communication for amusement. YOU, for
> instance.

So what has that got to do with ham radio? The internet has not affected my ham radio usage in any way. In fact, my radio sits right next to my computer and I'm listening in right now. If someone calls, or I hear someone that I want to call, the computer takes a backseat. By the way, I also sometimes watch tv, or listen to the radio, while typing on the computer and listening in on the ham radio.

My point of all that is that you seem to think a person can only do one thing at a time, so if a person is roaming the internet, he has to be spending less time on the ham radio (your basic claim is that the internet is negatively affecting ham radio).

And I say that is nonsense - the internet is not having that much of an effect on ham radio. And it is not having that much of an effect on those other technologies either (many people watch tv while roaming the internet, or listen to the stereo while roaming the internet, or listen in on the ham radio while roaming the internet).

Its not one technology or the other (the internet OR tv, the internet OR the stereo, or the internet OR ham radio). Most people will include them all in their lives, often side by side with the other thechnologies in their lives.

Of course, I know you probably don't see it that way. You're probably one of those people who think that in the future everybody will be sitting at their computer 24 hrs a day, with absolutely nothing else going on in their lives (a totally wired world of internet junkies, with everything in the home hooked to the internet).

Don't hold your breath. That sounds too much like the paperless office that computer junkies promised twenty years ago. That didn't happen, and neither will many of the other twisted views of the future that computer junkies claim.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4330. Re: AF2Y: guns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <391E7690.803B43EE@oio.net>
Source record: 111231

Doc,
I started to write a long message explaining why I think
your stance about firearms is 'wrong'. After reading several
posts here, I decided I didn't feel like repeating what's
already been said, and some said much better than I could.
I'll just say that I think your wrong.
I've been around firearms most of my life. I know that
they are tools, and should be treated as any good craftsman
does his tools. Just because a gun can be dangerous is not
a good reason to ban or confiscate it. And don't make the
mistake that that isn't what the anti-gun people want, no
matter what they say ~now~. They ~have~ said exactly that
in the past.
I'm not paranoid, but I am realistic. Having been around
people who commit violent crimes for a lot of my professional
life, I know there are people who wouldn't think twice about
hurting you to get what they want. I also know that a majority
of them do not want to take a chance of facing one of their
victims if he/she has a gun. They may be criminals, but they
are not stupid. That's reason enough for me to own a gun.
I understand that some Australian polititon said that he didn't
think selfdefence was a good reason to own a gun. I don't
think that statement makes any sense at all! All I can say is
that people who feel that way do not have a very realistic
idea of what happens in the 'real world'.
I'm sorry Doc, but you need to walk the streets after dark
a little more often. I think you would 'convert' to my way of
thinking very quickly.
Paul

4331. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-1405000615580001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 111232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

The first amateur was Marconi in the history books but you
might want to check out Braun, Tesla, and a few others.

"Marconi shared his Nobel prize with German physicist Karl Ferdinand Braun, b. June 6,
1850, d.Apr. 20, 1918, in 1909 Nobel Prize for physics with
Guglielmo Marconi for his work in developing the radio.

Braun, who spent his career as a professor of physics at
German universities, increased the range of Marconi's
transmitter, invented the crystal rectifier (a device that
allows current to flow in only one direction, and improves
radio transmission), and later invented the oscilloscope, a
cathode-ray-tube laboratory device that was the forerunner of
today's television and radar tubes."

Source: The New Grolier Multimedia Encyclopedia

Another great innovation that hams brought to the party
was helping people in times of distress - for FREE! Ironic
that a group of people known for "intense thrift" would give away
life saving services at their own costs - sometimes putting their
own lives at great risk too - and expect nothing in return!

Good luck with your thesis - please post it when done so we
can all enjoy it.

73!

John D. Seney
http://www.qsl.net/wd1v/
Macnet, Amateur Radio FAQ, Oscilloscope FAQ

4332. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <391E81EF.5E4970D2@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 111233

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Your correct, we agree on many things, although there are a few issue where we
> do not, for the most part we see eye to eye.
> Damn, i did it again -yuk,.....LOL

Pretty scary isn't it.

A glass of Madeira will help get that taste out of your mouth.
:)

4333. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <392010a5.3490904@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 110984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 14 May 2000 23:49:48 -0400, Dwight Stewart
<stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

>Keith Wood wrote:
>> I've seen this trend developing at a greater rate than interest in ham
>> radio. When was the last hamfest you attended which didn't include
>> Internet and LAN hardware? When was the last time you went to a
>> computer show that DID have ham radio gear? How many places in your
>> town can you buy ham gear? I'll bet that there are at least 5 times
>> that number of ISPs, and I would be surprised if the ratio isn't at
>> least 20:1.
>
> Look Keith, I understand what you're saying. You're saying that
>because ham radio is not as popular as the internet, the internet will
>kill ham radio. You're saying that the internet is growing faster than
>ham radio, so ham radio is dead. You're saying that because there is
>more interest in the internet, there is no interest in ham radio.
>
> Again, I say that is total nonsense. The internet and ham radio are
>two different things, and what happens to one has no real effect on the
>other. And there is no evidence that one is having an affect on the
>other - just like television had no effect on ham radio (as was once
>claimed), or just like broadcast radio had no effect (as was once claimed).

Agree completely. Ham radio never had any universal
following of any great scope.

> Yes, many ham operators now use the internet, but there is no evidence
>whatsoever that they are using the radio any less (or their interest in
>radio is less, or anything else). Many ham operators are adding
>computers to their radio room, not replacing their radio rooms with
>computer rooms.

Well said. One misconception of some people (IMHO) is
that ham radio must compete with other interest areas.
The fact is that people often have multiple interests and
they just vary in their approach to different ones. I am
also into antique cars and model railroads...but that doesn't
stop me from being a ham on a level that I enjoy.
Just because someone has multiple interests and doesn't devote
all their free time towards being a ham doesn't mean they
are not a good ham, or should be discounted as
falling away from ham radio.

> And there is no evidence that interest in computers by young people is
>reducing their potential interest in ham radio. Throughout the history
>of ham radio, only a small percentage of young people have developed an
>interest in ham radio. There is no evidence that the percentage of
>young people who develop an interest is declining.

Agree also.

> And ham radio is a popular today as it has ever been. There is almost
>as many new people joining ham radio each year today as there were total
>ham operators just a few decades ago. Yes, ham radio is not growing as
>much as the total population is growing (and that is cause for some
>concern), but it is not the end of the ham radio world.

Actually, I wonder what the population increase is and how it
maps in growth over the last 20 years as compared to hams?
Seems to me I recall hearing that population rowth in the USA
has been almost flat for the recent past because of birthcontrol
and abortions.

> And again, you make the subtle suggestion that because I'm currently
>typing messages the internet, it proves your argument that the internet
>is going to be the end of ham radio.

Agree again. Seems that some people can't accept that.

> Again, nonsense. I do a lot of things in my life. I work, drive my
>car, eat, watch television, listen to the radio, play music on my
>keyboard, spend time with my other hobbies, spend time with my wife, and
>a host of other things. None of those things negatively effect my
>interest in ham radio, or the amount of time I spend on the radio.

Absolutely on target.

> Radio is not the only thing I do in my life (and I dare say it is not
>the only thing that any other operator does in his/her life). Radio,
>just like any other interest, has always been balanced with the other
>interests (and requirements) in the ham operator's life.
>
> But, you seem to think it is one thing or the other (the internet or
>ham radio). I say a person can easily have both in his/her life, just
>like a person can have ham radio and all those other things mentioned in
>the above paragraph. Its not a choice between two things, its simply
>two unrelated things.
>
> Anyway, I've had enough of this argument. You seem determined not to
>listen to my arguments, and you're certainly not offering arguments that
>can be supported with even common sense. So, I'll move on and leave you
>to your self-imposed mission to decry the end of ham radio. Good day.
>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

Well said Dwight!

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

4334. Re: 14.313 jamming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp5lm$d8j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110985

In article <8fn3nn$6qp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> Sounds like KC8JBO attempting to jam with his laugh--4:48 EST.

Sounds more like you have your head up your widely-received ass.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4335. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3920051F.4D5F@rpi.edu>
Source record: 110986

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> In article <1246-391E267F-39@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> sherinsmiami@webtv.net (Robert Sherin) wrote:
> > Truth is, I've been fascinated with the Cuban revolution ever since
> > meeting then-Cubans Alberto Bacardi and Louis Godoy at a private high
> > school. In the latter 50s I bought "18th of July victory" bonds
> > supporting the popular Cuban revolution gaining steam in the Escambrey
> > Mountains. I watched Castro enter Havana to cheering crowds, saw him
> > at the U.N. in New York, where he was snubbed by our government as he
> > sought a place to stay in Harlem, then was embraced there by Kruschev.
> >
> > Here's an contentious opinion proffered so you will accord me a
> > reasonable sense of parity: Contrary to popular belief, the U.S. caused
> > the Cuban Missile Crisis. Besides B-52s and Polaris submarines, the
> > U.S. had surrounded the Soviet Union with land based missiles, a
> > situation which made Kruschev bristle, sparking the crisis.
>
> <<<<<<Sorry but I don't buy your arguments. You're saying that we pushed
> Castro to Russia? No way. He was a tried and true commie during his days in
> the Sierra Maestrae mountains planning his takeover with commie brother Raul
> and really big commie Che Gueverra. And what did this so-called "Freedom
> loving and democratic Cuban" do, who in reality was nothing more than
> Moscow's prostitute, immediately after entering Havana? Started rounding up
> the opposition, shooting them and tossing them into mass graves. Then he
> nationalized our industries without a penny compensation. By then he was a
> 95% slave of Russia and our opposition to his heinous acts simply upped it
> 5%. The man was a pig as of Jan.1,1959 who became an ultra dangerous pig
> soon thereafter.
>
> Regarding your thoughts on whom was responsible for the Cuban missile
> crisis, we were? Was it an American is 1917 who stood before all humanity to
> proclaim that we would force capitalism down everyone's throat or was it a
> Russian named Lenin who screamed about Marxist dialectical materialism-about
> how in the course of natural events communism MUST replace capitalism and
> that Russia's goal was to therefore communize the world?
>
> Remember in 1945 as the war was coming to a close in Europe when General
> Patton met with the wrath of Eisenhower and Truman by advocating pushing the
> Russian armies back to the gates of Moscow now that the Nazis had been
> almost totally defeated? George knew back then what it took gazillions of
> dollars, heavy losses in Korea, Viet Nam and other places and events to
> prove correct. Our having ringed the Soviets with missiles was, to the mind
> of any anti-communist, no just cause to have them place nukes in Cuba. We

> were following a policy of containment while theirs was of blackmail and
> ultimate world domination and that's where Kennedy's folly came into play.
> Instead of cutting a deal with Khruschev whereby they'd remove their
> hardware while we allowed Castro to stay in power, we should have attacked,
> destroyed Fidel and set up a provisional government until free elections
> commenced. Would the Russians have gone to war over such an aggressive but
> necessary move? NEVER. Logistics favored us by a million to one and Nikita
> knew it.

There is one flaw in that proposal, however. Recent revelations from classified archives concerning the command and control structure of the Cuban troops at the time indicate that tactical nukes would most likely have been released by the Cubans during an invasion attempt by the US. Both US and KGB archival materials now show that contrary to US knowledge at the time, the Soviets had transferred launch authorization for battlefield tactical weapon use to Cuban officers on the scene, and they had orders to use them to prevent invasion at all costs. This was an extremely unusual move, and ran counter to the usual highly-centralized control structures of the Soviet Block military. One can bet that if even one of these weapons were to have exploded among a US invasion fleet, the next event would have been a nuclear exchange between the Superpowers, possibly leading to the use of the very missles that the effort sought to contain.

All in all, I think we're lucky to have survived the incident.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4336. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39200A63.7BA7@rpi.edu>
Source record: 110987

Keith Wood wrote:
>
> "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
>
> > As I stated
> > earlier, I think the BTTR losses were tragic, but one has to consider
> > that while they may have been attacked outside of an agreed-upon
> > international limit line, their goal was to deliver seditious material
> > of whatever form (leaflets...etc) that would find their way to the Cuban
> > population.
>
> Why do you feel that this is a capital offense?

Bob,

I don't believe that this was a capital offense, but it was considered to be one by the Cubans - and it was within the letter (if not the spirit) of international agreements on national sovereignty. Remember Gary Francis Powers? Eisenhower could hardly complain to the Soviets that they shot down a "civilian" aircraft with a "civilian" pilot for the "minor" offense of violating their airspace. Recall that the U-2 was not a "military" plane in the strictest sense - it belonged to a "civilian" branch of the CIA, and Gary Powers (and other "Overflight" pilots) had to resign from the military in order to be considered for U-2 missions. This is not new - the US has sent formerly military pilots into action with foreign military services when it suited them. One example of this was the use of "retired" US military aviators in the budding IAF in 1948. The problem is that international law is not clear on this point. A good question - When does airspace incursion legitimize anti-aircraft fire? I think the criterion is that the flight has to be considered "hostile". (To the State? To the party in power?) Does this mean armed warplanes, or are recon aircraft included as well? (U-2 incident) How about ownership? Are Air America planes exempt because of their "civilian" registry? Does the pilot have to be a member of a military or paramilitary organization to legitimize shoot-down? Were the Russians amiss to fire on that German kid who flew the Cessna to Red Square?

Lots of questions - few clear answers. Before you suggest that this is an exercise in word games, please recognize that this is the way both lawyers and diplomats go about their business.

My point is this: Other countries do not have to abide by the laws of a particular State. When their actions affect other countries, then they are encouraged to discontinue those actions. When their belligerence

reaches a certain threshold, military action takes place. This works both ways. When dealing with a country with a low threshold for military action, it makes sense to avoid provocation.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4337. Re: MMM - deception,.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp5pndbh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110988

In article <8fk8h2acc1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8fjk3lkqv1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8feq9vekc1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > >
> > >
> > > Just another example of how deeply intrenched the Demoncrats and
the
> > > Liberal mindset is in our beloved N.E. Hillary and Billery have
> done
> > > more for the cause of socialism in this country then FDR.
> > >
> > > Dan/W4NTI
> > >
> > > --
> > > "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
> >
> > Tell us how you really feel, Dan. LOL!!!!
> > Don't forget Al Gore....ROFL!
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> >
> So far that REMF (Rear Echolon MF) has not caused much damage. Other
> than scraping the bark off a few trees he hugged. On this
> subject...can you believe a draft dodger and a REMF in the White house
> at the SAME TIME? I'd love to hear their "war stories".
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
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Recently, Doc mentioned a book Gore wrote. I didn't know the man COULD
write! LOL!!!!
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4338. Pitbull.....Chihuahua

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp64c$e22$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110989

In article <8fkbpb$dn4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_____m@my-deja.com wrote:
> Don't be FOOLED by a DEFORMED "man".

Funny, coming from an OBESE felon.

>........KC8JBO has been LAUGHED &
> POINTED at his WHOLE LIFE!!!!!!!!

Proof??? Didn't think so...

> Only the 'ole GOAT would love his CIRCUS MONKEY FACE, hohohoho.

Yes, but how can you explain your history of "charity fucks?"

> Better a PITBULL than an ELEPHANT FACE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Better a so-called "elephant face" than a non-decsended testicleless
felon.

>
> 'Da BULL WITH AIDS

Too bad you turn out to be a Chihuahua, on the order of the Taco Bell
mascot.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4339. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp67d$e3a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110990

In article <8fp49kbmh1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> From the posts I have been reading, this forum is being turned into a
> gun control forum by a misquided gadfly in Clifton N. J.
>
> Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it
> should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble
> maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.
>
> W4FQF QRMING SON OF A BITCH Since 1952

Poor Polly, anything over his 5th grade comprehnsion level boggles his
brain cell.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4340. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp69e$e3v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110991

In article <8fp49kbmh1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> From the posts I have been reading, this forum is being turned into a
> gun control forum by a misquided gadfly in Clifton N. J.
>
> Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it
> should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble
> maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.
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4341. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp6t7ere1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110992

In article <8fneibiat1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8fmc2tdsp1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > > Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> > > Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> > > "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"
> >
> > >>>>>First of all, let me translate your Spanish for the gringos who
> might care.
> > You said that DANCING IS LIVING and THERE ARE FOUR ROADS OR PATHS IN
> MY
> > LIFE. WHICH OF THE FOUR WILL BE THE BEST?<<<<<<<
> >
> > In article <YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>, "Gil
> Baron
> > W0MN" <gbaron@usa.net> wrote:
> >
> > > What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so
> poor
> > > as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically
above 4
> > > Mhz is dead.
> > > Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
> > > It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from
tine
> to
> > > tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE
> > > signal!
> >
> > >>>>>I've been on the air since March 1969 and I concur. These are
> the worst
> > conditions EVER and the most prolonged too. I used to get on 20
early
> in the
> > morning to whip "Queenie's" behind on DX and I can't hear around the
> corner
> > let alone foreign countries except for an occasional Aussie who
might
> pop
> > in. What does upgrading or restructuring really mean when there's no
> one
> > around to contact?<<<<<<<<
> >

> 1. It takes two things to communicate...an operator at BOTH ENDS.
>
> 2. I just worked Indonesia on 17 meters with 100w and a non-resonate
> dipole.
>
> 3. It takes two things to communicate..an operapor at BOTH ENDS.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
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>

There have been quite a few geomagnetic disturbances lately.
A good place to check is 18 minutes after each hour on WWV @ 2.5, 5.0,
10.0, 15.0, and 20.0 MHz. for solar indicies and forecasts.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4342. U.S. Stamp Design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc A. Schneider, Psy.D." <drmarc@wwa.com>
Message-ID: <0VUT4.8965$ZE4.170396@ord-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 110993

To all Hams ! ! ! !

I have written to the U.S. Postal Service Stamp Design Committee to request a U.S. Stamp be designed to commemorate Amateur Radio for the year 2003 (100th anniversary). I also contacted the head of Public Relations for ARRL (Jen. Hagy). I then wrote on 4-25-00 to the ARRL President Jim Haynie (e-mail: w5jbp@arrl.org). It took additional days for that message to be received as the ARRL domain name had been corrupted that day. I have yet to hear from the President of the ARRL on this matter. The organization does have other things to do.

I am writing here to request that other ARRL members write to create enough grass roots presence on the issue for ARRL to be sure to address it in a timely fashion. The Stamp Committee needs three years to get a stamp out to the public. I believe that it is a good idea to have the ARRL as part of the request to the Stamp Committee and I believe that requests from various parts of the nation will also help. Since I have not gotten a reply from Jim Haynie so far I am requesting all who read this to contact Jim and to also write to the Stamp Committee as well as ask others on the air - around the nation - to also do the same.

The Stamp Committee address: - snail mail is:

Citizens' Stamp Advisory Committee
U.S. Postal Service
475 L'Enfant Plaza, SW
Room 4474EB
Washington, DC 20260-2437

I will not be monitoring this newsgroup so any questions should go to me via e-mail.

73 to all,

Marc A. Schneider
drmarc@wwa.com
call sign: W4NVY

4343. Re: U.S. Stamp Design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000515131758.08158.00015555@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 110994

In article <0VUT4.8965$ZE4.170396@ord-read.news.verio.net>, "Marc A. Schneider, Psy.D." <drmarc@wwa.com> writes:

>I have written to the U.S. Postal Service Stamp Design Committee to request
>a U.S. Stamp be designed to commemorate Amateur Radio for the year 2003
>(100th anniversary).

Will never happen. They're too busy trying to sell Kwanza stamps, Black History Month stationery, and retrofitting all their machines to accept Sacajewa dollars.

4344. Society of Amateur Radio Programmers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Johnson <kb5ylg@gte.net>
Message-ID: <fcXT4.323$xM5.115111@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 110995

...now forming

http://www.geocities.com/kb5ylg

4345. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fpckr0pdr@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110996

In article <8fnhhtjhv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com says...
>
>You idiot. When you register and license your automobile, does the state
>confiscate it? Don't you understand that you have a RIGHT to bear arms and
>no one is going to confiscate what you own? This is no police state and if

<snip>

...and you heard this on CNN from some ugly, fat-assed bitch speaking at the Million Moron March they had yesterday. So it *must* be true. Right?

Tom - N8ECW

4346. Something's terribly wrong!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: BurkSWL@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16802-392042FF-16@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110997

With the Solar Flux and the sunspot numbers in the mid 200's...our propagation ought to be kicking ass right now! The A index and K index have not been that high to disrupt the bands as severely as they're being disrupted. And no, my antennas are not disconnected...like the other fella's problem.
I'm not a conspiracy nut, but I'm beginning to think there is something to this HARP stuff regarding its use to disrupt communications. Any further details on this theory??

73's from Don B.

4347. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110998

In article <8fomamcdu1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> WISE UP FELLOW AMERICAN HAMS, HAMSTRESSES AND HAMLETS. Because of the
NRA
> and its puppets, your lives are endangered, Guns are not pea shooters.
It's
> time for RESPONSIBILITY in the business of guns. Write to your
Senators and
> Congressmen to DEMAND legislation. If it fails, then demand the end to
> bullets!

(Spoken like a true [anti] American....)

Doc, I am crying so hard, that I can hardly type. I am crying for
all the gun-related deaths in this country. I can selectively see
that the gun deaths are the evil ones, while other deaths, either
accidental or deliberate, are not worth of my tears since it is
only gun deaths that matter. The media has what told me how to think.

Go look up the FACTS on how Little League baseball is a killer of
our nation's children. The go look up the FACTS on how other items
or activities claim the lives of MORE Americans than gun ownership
causes. Yep, even kids with moms, diaper bags and all.

Doc, you're a lemming. Uneducated, and defiant in its goal.

I've said it before:
Doc, you're as thick as a f***ing brick.

Tatoo this on yer forehead, and live in front of a LARGE mirror.

"Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."

THESE are the weapons that are the problem.

Maybe 'Free Willy' should just declare one day:
"OK, all drug dealers, turn in your illegal drugs,
and oh, by the way, estimate the amount of taxes and
back taxes you owe, and mail it in to the IRS promptly,
to avoid any penalties."

"If you happen to live near an IRS office, we'll just leave out a big
bowl of money; you can just make your own change."

Yeah, sure, that's the ticket!

What are you going to do when the Klintons and Gore destroy the very
fabric of this Nation? These people will re-write the Constitution to

suit their political goals. NOW the forefathers are rolling in their graves!

AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM? I refuse to join in your Socialist, anti-American thoughts and deeds. Looks like it's time to start another "Pinko List". Congratulations, you're at the top! Wheee!

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4348. Re: >>>> Last Call - Dayton Vendors <<<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KI8IK <ki8ik@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fpj2i$t4t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Last chance to make this list.
I'll post it tomorrow afternoon.

So far I've heard from most QRP "inside vendors",
but have had only three "outside vendors" respond.

In article <8fh9as$5j6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KI8IK@arrl.net wrote:
> If you're a Hamvention vendor who plans on selling QRP equipment
please
> contact me at KI8IK@arrl.net. I'm compiling a list of QRP vendors for
> subscribers of the QRP-L reflector. This will help them easily locate
> you among the thousands of sellers in attendance.
>
> Items of interest include:
>
> Used QRP gear.
> CW keys and keyers.
> Portable HF antennas.
> QRP books.
> Gell cells/chargers/solar cells.
> Workbench supplies/soldering stations.
> Parts for homebrew (transistors, var caps, PCB stock)
> Crystals near QRP frequencies.
>
> Please pass along:
> 1. Call or Business name.
> 2. Hamvention space #.
> 3. Description of items.
>
> 73,
> Mike
>
> --
> Michael Ostrowski - KI8IK
> Saline, MI
>
> KI8IK@arrl.net
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

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Michael Ostrowski - KI8IK
Saline, MI

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4349. FS: HOKA Code 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adrian <106471.620NOSPAM@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <8fphud$n5l$1@sshuraab-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 111000

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CONTACT ADRIAN G4JBH
01935 415387 (weekends) or 01288 331113 (weekdays)
g4jbh@compuserve.com

4350. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <39204B3C.75DD@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 111001

Peter Maus wrote:
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
> > aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
> > idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
> > damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.

Doc, to invoke the name of Wyatt Earp shows a lack of the understanding
of
history and the places, people and events which shaped the era in which
Uncle W lived, worked and died as well as your own. Without a firearm
in
the Old West, a man or woman could expect to be prey, today, the
criminal still
expects easy pickings. Wyatt Earp carried a firearm not for causing
trouble,
but to prevent problems in the first place. The REAL REASON for having
firearms in
the first place.
>
> Yes. That's what everyone says. How can it hurt. And yet,
> historically, without exception, confiscation has been the
> inevitable result of registration. You may not be talking about it.
> But that is the result. It happened in Australia. It happened in
> England. It's happening right now in South Africa. It's happening
> right now in Canada.
>
Adolph Hitler thought it was a good idea also, his plans for a "safer"
Germany included getting firearms out of private hands.

> It's happening right now in California.
>
> Gore has said he wants registration as a plank on his
> Presidential platform...and he want's the public disarmed.
>
A disarmed public is criminal's dream world!!!

> You may not be talking about it. Nobody is. But confiscation has
> been the result of registration. Every time.

TRUE!!!
>
> > Your car

> > is licensed isn't it? Do you feel it'll be confiscated because of it?
>
> Ask Gore. He wants the internal combustion engine banned. Hell,
> ask me. Three times in 1994 the village I lived in tried to tow my
> car to the crusher, because it was "a Clunker." Fully insured.
> Fully licensed. Fully RESTORED 1962 Studebaker Hawk. Driven every
> day. Quiet, clean. Immaculately maintained. And it was in my garage.
> They came for it anyway. If not for the alarm in my garage, they
> would have gotten it, too. Took a lawyer and a bunch of my money to
> convince a judge that the village was out of line.
>
> In Ohio they want classic cars off the road and in junk yards.
> Period. Similar legislation is pending in several states.
>
> So, yes, once again, registration leading to confiscation.
>
> The only major reason cars haven't been confiscated en masse, is
> the fear of the public uproar. Because, you see, no one has inflated
> the statistics about automobile deaths, in order to terrify the
> public. No President has stood on the sight of a mulitcar pileup and
> said, "I feel your pain."
>
> Prosecutions for automobile deaths are up.
>
> Here's some scary statistics. During the Clinton administration,
> prosecutions for firearms violations have declined 44%. According to
> their own BATF analyses, in 1998, there were only 2 successful
> firearms prosecutions in Washington DC. DC, by the way, has more
> firearm related murders than any city in the nation, AND the most
> restrictive firearms LAWS in the Western Hemisphere. 2 prosecutions
> in 1998. There were only 8 successful prosecutions in San Francisco,
> and only 14 in New Jersey.
> Here's something else. Clinton's figures have claimed 500,000
> felons, fugitives and stalkers have been prevented from purchasing
> firearms under the Brady Act. And yet, the number of prosecutions in
> these cases have numbered less than 20.

More laws, less enforcement, remember, linear amps are illegal but do
you
see any Federal Agency enforcing the law? Laws are made for those
willing
to follow them, Criminals don't care.

> Clinton said this past week that firearms accidents are among the
> leading killers of children in this country. In 1998, the number of
> home firearms accidents involving children under 15, has dropped to
> below 100, and fatalities are at the lowest level since the National
> Safety Council started keeping records in 1903. Over the last decade
> alone, the numbers have dropped 40%. Total fatalities from home
> accidents are only a handful.
> The President has lied. For what reason would a President distort

> publicly and repeatedly distort such figures? To create fear, and
> panic among an uninformed public.
>
> Handgun Control Incorporated, Sarah Brady's pet project, has
> again been caught, and has admitted to, DOUBLING the figures in gun
> death reports. Maryland Governor, Parris Glendening, had already
> sent the exaggerated figures to the Maryland House for support of a
> restrictive Gun Control measure, insisting they came from a source
> that, in his words, 'has been reliable.' Knowing full well that HCI
> is well known for this kind of tactic.
>
> The question raised by these distortions of fact: why the need to
> lie? If the carnage is so great, why the need to lie?
>
> The answer is simple. Proponents who quote statistics, inflate
> the numbers because their case is weak. Meaning the claims made by
> the President, Sarah Brady and others, are neither conclusive, nor
> compelling, in the need to restrict gun ownership in this country.
> And they know it, so they lie. The carnage is not widespread. The
> numbers are not huge. So they lie.
>
> Interesting to note, however, that the New York Times, certainly
> no friend to NRA, has reported that while gun control advocates have
> frequently exaggerated, inflated or simply made up statistics to
> support their arguments, NRA has steadfastly, all along, told the
> truth, and reported accurately statistics refuting gun control
> advocates claims.
>
> > one example. Are you trying to tell me that you favor guns shows all across
> > this nation
>
> Yes.
>
> > in which some any yokel can walk in, plunk down green and walk
> > off with a "Saturday Night Special?"
>
> Yokel is an interesting term. So is "Saturday Night Special."
> Strip away the emotionality of those terms and you find "person,"
> and "pistol."
>
> Now, do I favor gunshows? Still yes. They have been a part of our
> culture for 350 years, even before the country was born. Do I favor
> any person walking in, plunking down green, and walking off with a
> pistol? No. But then that's what background checks are for.
>
> Here's something interesting to note...I purchased a pistol at a
> gun show in Louisiana 15 years ago. Filled out the yellow sheet, and
> laid down my money. The dealer told me he would have it for me the
> following week at his shop. Waiting period, you know. Not a
> problem. He could then, as a good gunsmith, clean and inspect it,

> and note what service may be required, and make sure it's in top
> condition when I pick it up.
>
> Voluntary and responsible. As were all the dealers there that day.
> Gunshows are not repositories of weapons for dealers to arm
> terrorists, or third world dictators...and they never have been.
> Once again the proponents of gun control have exaggerated and
> distorted the facts for the purposes of restricting one of our most
> basic freedoms.
>
> > Are you crazy?
>
> No. Or I wouldn't be able to own a firearm.
>
> > Where in God's name do
> > you think you live, Dodge City 1885?
>
In Dodge City, everybody carried a sidearm in their work as a cowboy.
Dodge
City was wild but it was 1870 and cowboys drove their longhorn steers
from Texas to the
railyards at Dodge City. Self protection was the reason for the
firearms, wild
animals and the such.

> No, I live in Suburban Chicago. Today.

Try any city or town, 2:30 in the Morning.

>
> > Your thinking is NOT 2000.
>
> Yes, actually it is. I think in terms of defense of home and
> property and protecting my rights as an individual. That is also
> meet, right and salutary thinking in the year 2000. You should know
> that. As a radio operator you hold one of the most important
> responsibilities in civilized society: the ability to disseminate
> information.

Timeless in 2000 BC or 2000 AD (CE) or whenever, Joshua was commanded to
keep armed for the defense of Isreal. Remember, SEPMER VIGILANTIS or
Always be alert (vigilant).

>
> > You will not
> > recognize that we live in a violent society
>
> Oh, but I do. That's why I practice at the range every week, and I
> maintain my weapons for defense.

Precisely the point.

> > and the mass proliferation of
> > guns is one of the reasons.
>

> Ah, but that's where you're wrong. Guns have always been readily
> available in this hemisphere. Since the 1620s there have been
> weapons in every home, and gun dealers, gunsmiths, and gun shows for
> the exchange, and upgrade of weaponry for defense, as well as sport.
> Keep in mind that the Continental Army was volunteer, and that the
> weapons with which we fought the Revolution were personally owned by
> the soldiers, not the Colonies.
> Keep in mind that there have been weapons in every home throughout
> the history of the US, until this century when it became fashionable
> to disarm citizens.
>
> Keep in mind that gunshows have been commonplace in every
> community in this country since before it's inception, but only
> recently has there been a cry of 'too much violence.' Clearly
> something has changed. And the proliferation of firearms hasn't been
> it.
> Yes, you're right we live in a violent society. But the problem
> with violence, is that it can only be stopped by other violence. At
> Columbine the shooting didn't stop because someone said, "hey this
> is illegal, let's cut it out." In Jonesboro, the shooting didn't
> stop because someone said, "surrender your weapons to legal
> authority."
> Illegal gun violence only stops when more guns, legally owned, are
> brought to the scene and the illegal act is terminated, by force or
> coercion.
> Why the hell do you think they picked the schools? Or the walk
> into office buildings in Manhattan? Because they knew that no one on
> the grounds of those schools was armed. Because they knew that no
> one in those offices was armed.
> Disarm the public, and you have a field of sheep sitting quietly
> waiting for every hungry wolf to stop by and feed at its
> discretion. Where firearms have been confiscated, crime doesn't go
> down, it goes up. Home invasions in Australia are up by as much as
> 80% depending on which source you read. PBS, no NRA supporter, btw,
> reports 60% increase in home invasion crimes in Australia, up 45% in
> Canada where confiscation is currently underway. On the other side
> of that coin, where concealed carry has been encacted, violent crime
> has gone down. Even the government's own analyses have shown that.
> In one rarely reported case, a student walked into a highschool and
> drew a weapon and while he was taking aim, was terminated by an
> armed teacher. Averting certain tragedy.
>
> But you don't want to think about that.
>
> Yes, we live in a violent society. But restricting access to
> defense is not the answer. Because, time and again, it has been
> proven by the government's own statistics, where legal access to

> firearms has been restricted, criminals have always found a way to
> arm themselves. The results have been tragic.
>
> Read the facts, not the distortions. You may find that there's
> more to fear than pissing off the NRA.

Could not have said it better. A disarmed people become SHEPOLE, to be led to slaughter by fools who tell us that "they" know best and history shows that "they" don't know anything. Case in point-Nazi Germany, lest we forget. Ant "they" said it couldn't happen here!!! Wyatt Earp's memory
has a special meaning for Jewish Freedom Fighter's everywhere, you see, Wyatt
is buried in the Jewish Cemetary in San Francisco, CA next to his beloved Josie
Marcus, My GG Aunt. Lest we forget.

4351. Code Practice Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fudge <fudge@mv.igs.net>
Message-ID: <8fpl83htf1@news.igs.net>
Source record: 111002

My wife wants to learn international morse code. Instead of frittering away her time playing computer games, I would like her to learn code on the computer. I need a free shareware, software package to do this. Please post the URL here.

John
VA3JQ

4352. Ever communicated with astronauts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbresnihan@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fpo9o$3co$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111003

To anyone who's ever communicated with the skies via Ham Radio,

We are an Internet TV channel called spacewatch.com, and are currently in the process of making a show about how astronauts often communicate with others via Ham Radio. If there is anyone out there who has any experience with this, or knows anything about it, and would be available for interview, please e-mail me at ciara@spacewatch.com. I would be delighted to talk to anyone with any knowledge of this topic. At the moment the show is merely in the research stages, so any information at all would be appreciated.

Yours,
Ciara.

Ciara@spacewatch.com or cbresnihan@pseudo.com

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4353. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dennis@wawa.juniper.net
Message-ID: <8fpmn3$250u$1@heap.juniper.net>
Source record: 111004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Peter O. Brackett <ab4bc@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>In recent years we have such "amateurs" as...
>
>Phil Karn KA9Q...
>
> who almost single handedly introduced the Internet's TCP/IP protocol suite
>to the modern personal computer [IBM clones as opposed to the Unix based
>computers] by the release of his "KA9Q" TCP/IP "stack" as free ware. Many

That might be stretching it. I think MIT's PCIP predated the KA9Q software,
and probably had a larger base of commercial derivatives before CPU speeds
outgrew them.

But look at RFC 1122 for references to the "Karn algorithm" for computing
more accurate round trip time estimates for TCP. I think there is an
ACM SIGCOMM paper referred to in there. I'm pretty sure this came out of
the work with amateur radio TCP/IP (a lot of the really good, fundamental
insights into TCP protocol dynamics in the 1980's came from the experience
of running TCP over the really crappy networks that existed then).

Dennis Ferguson

4354. Ever communicated with astronauts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbresnihan@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fpoqi$425$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111005

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Yours,
Ciara.

Ciara@spacewatch.com or cbresnihan@pseudo.com

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4355. Ever communicated with astronauts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbresnihan@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fpoth$433$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111006

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Yours,
Ciara.

Ciara@spacewatch.com or cbresnihan@pseudo.com

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4356. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fpq4n$5i8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111007

.
Doc with your mind you are wasting your talent. I fought back tears reading your commentary. You should write edatorials for the NewYork Times or speeches for Al Gore. You are truley an amazing and well read,well versed American of Jewish persuasion. Leave Ham radio behind because Hams are to dumb to appreciate a man of your caliber.
P.S I have 2 SKS rifles and both have thirty shot 7.62 x 39mm clips of ass kicking power and I was inclined to turn them in after reading your edatorial--well almost. Very good for "going to the library!!" HA! HA!

KB1EVE

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4357. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fpr4k$6q7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111008

In article <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> In article <8fomamcdu1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > WISE UP FELLOW AMERICAN HAMS, HAMSTRESSES AND HAMLETS. Because of
the
> NRA
> > and its puppets, your lives are endangered, Guns are not pea
shooters.
> It's
> > time for RESPONSIBILITY in the business of guns. Write to your
> Senators and
> > Congressmen to DEMAND legislation. If it fails, then demand the end
to
> > bullets!
>
> (Spoken like a true [anti] American....)
>
> Doc, I am crying so hard, that I can hardly type. I am crying for
> all the gun-related deaths in this country. I can selectively see
> that the gun deaths are the evil ones, while other deaths, either
> accidental or deliberate, are not worth of my tears since it is
> only gun deaths that matter. The media has what told me how to think.
>
> Go look up the FACTS on how Little League baseball is a killer of
> our nation's children. The go look up the FACTS on how other items
> or activities claim the lives of MORE Americans than gun ownership
> causes. Yep, even kids with moms, diaper bags and all.
>
> Doc, you're a lemming. Uneducated, and defiant in its goal.
>
> I've said it before:
> Doc, you're as thick as a f***ing brick.
>
> Tatoo this on yer forehead, and live in front of a LARGE mirror.
>
> "Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."
>
> THESE are the weapons that are the problem.
>
> Maybe 'Free Willy' should just declare one day:
> "OK, all drug dealers, turn in your illegal drugs,
> and oh, by the way, estimate the amount of taxes and
> back taxes you owe, and mail it in to the IRS promptly,

> to avoid any penalties."
>
> "If you happen to live near an IRS office, we'll just leave out a big
> bowl of money; you can just make your own change."
>
> Yeah, sure, that's the ticket!
>
> What are you going to do when the Klintons and Gore destroy the very
> fabric of this Nation? These people will re-write the Constitution to
> suit their political goals. NOW the forefathers are rolling in their
> graves!
>
> AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM? I refuse to join in your Socialist,
> anti-American thoughts and deeds. Looks like it's time to start
another
> "Pinko List". Congratulations, you're at the top! Wheee!
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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The Better Amatuer Radio Federation under KV4FZ had him on that list.
He is a left wing bleeding heart Clinton loving commie and McCarthy woul
have had him removed. Dont let him get you down--as long as he is here
we know where he

"Keep your friends close, keep your enemy closer"
Don Corleone

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4358. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fprdr$6tp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111009

In article <8fp49kbmh1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> From the posts I have been reading, this forum is being turned into a
> gun control forum by a misquided gadfly in Clifton N. J.
>
> Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it
> should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble
> maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>George, Doc is practicing to be an edortorial writer for the New York
Times.

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4359. AF2Y: OH MY GOD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fprr9$7hq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111010

Doc!
Look! Unconstitutionalize the evil baseball cap!

http://www.expressindia.com/ie/daily/19990120/02052065.html

Don't let this happen here! You must go be the torchbearer
and make all caps registered here in the US! It happened in Bombay!
Don't try and think that a knife was the instrument of fatality here...
it was the CAP...ask Hillary!

Our diaper-changing moms are 110% behind you! They all can't
believe that what their young children are wearing is a direct
and undeniable precursor to certain death!

The US media hasn't caught wind of this yet, but when they do,
the dreaded cap will be ostracized from our society. All films
and photos of baseball players (young/old/professional/kids)
will be retouched to eliminate all traces of this evil head garb!

We need this Federal Government Intervention into our lives to save us
from this certified evil object. Alone, we are hollow men. We need
Federal mandates and laws to show us which are the garments of all
that is Evil!

Godspeed, brother!

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4360. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005152145450.131-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 111011

On Mon, 15 May 2000 w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> From the posts I have been reading, this forum is being turned into a
> gun control forum by a misquided gadfly in Clifton N. J.
>
> Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it
> should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble
> maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952

It's clear that you don't live in California - where all repeater owners are armed! ;-)

4361. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fptmj$9i8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111012

In article
<Pine.LNX.4.10.10005152145450.131-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>,
kd6lvw@att.net wrote:

>
> It's clear that you don't live in California - where all repeater
owners are
> armed! ;-)

You forgot "registered". :)

Unless you're going the way of the infraction
or misdemeanor charges, which seem like a good
trade to me for not registering...

Vaya con Dios [y la escopeta/pistola!]

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4362. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <3920765F.202B6F33@home.com>
Source record: 111013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Still, the bottom line is that you were wanting to know just how much it would take you to "get by" and no more. Glad you learned more after the test, but that is a red herring. Don't feel badly though. You certainly aren't the only one to want things to be dumbed down.

BD wrote:
>
> Well..... I forgot to add General in there, didn't I?... Sorry 'bout that.
>
> "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> news:yaLT4.600$Ir2.23351@news.swbell.net...
> > *I* asked that question, smart-donkey...
> > If you must know, I initially passed the Tech, Tech Plus, and Advanced
> tests
> > in the same way, because I couldn't stay interested in something enough to
> > learn it without actual use.. And just a few mnths ago, just to see if I
> > could, I passed 'em all (nearly 99% on each) with actual working
> knowledge,
> > so "take that and stick it where the light don't shine," mr
> high-n-mighty...
> > Those tests are a bunch of cr*p.. 50 questions isn't enough to get a good
> > 'read out' of your general knowledge of anything, much less something as
> > broad as ham radio...
> >
> > "Gary Danaher" <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
> > news:391F5586.1A1A48F0@home.com...
> > > The question presented was 'how many questions do I have to get right in
> > > order to pass?' The guy wasn't trying to ace the test and display his
> > > electronic knowledge--he was just trying to get by. Another example of
> > > how people try to avoid work and effort, just to get by. Maybe the vec's
> > > should require 85% correct to pass?? If someone wants the ticket badly
> > > enough, they might just make the effort and study a little.

4363. Re: Something's terribly wrong!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <39227abe.10026472@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111014

I agree it's not very good for some reason ? I remember operating in
the mid / late 70's and the propagation was great. If I didn't know
better I'd suspect we were at a solar minimum right now instead of
near a peak.

On Mon, 15 May 2000 14:33:35 -0400 (EDT), BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald
Burkhart) wrote:

>With the Solar Flux and the sunspot numbers in the mid 200's...our
>propagation ought to be kicking ass right now! The A index and K index
>have not been that high to disrupt the bands as severely as they're
>being disrupted. And no, my antennas are not disconnected...like the
>other fella's problem.
>I'm not a conspiracy nut, but I'm beginning to think there is something
>to this HARP stuff regarding its use to disrupt communications. Any
>further details on this theory??
>
>73's from Don B.

4364. ATTN: Radiosigs, you absolute coward

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <392049D6.C7FE62B5@bctv.com>
Source record: 111015

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> How did my explanation brand me a coward according to you?

You dodged the question.

> Of course it did
> Noel no harm but I do think it was unncessary in my case. All I did was to
> explain why I used the term "yokel" and you retaliate in a vicious way.
> Unless I get an apolgy I shall therefore make you a special project of mine,
> knucklehead, and eat your lunch on this esteemed board of intellectuals. I
> don't want an apology by e-mail but posted right here.

You're not getting one even by email.

> Furthermore you know damn well what I meant by the generic "Saturday Night
> Special" but chose to make hay with it. I find you disgusting and revolting
> and your love for guns is probabaly predicated on the fact that you come
> from a band of lawless halfwits who've spent most of their adult lives
> behind bars and I'm not talking about "Cheers" either.

Actually, you are quite wrong (again). My dad retired after a long
career as a well-known detective with a major law enforcement agency.
My mom was a court transcriber. Her dad was a member of the famous "Hat
Squad" (the elite of the LAPD Robbery-Homicide detective bureau).

> You go ahead like a
> good little boy and post that apology now or else you'll regret having
> ticked me off.

Yeah, right.

Actually, I'm just going to put you back on ignore. I only took you off
because I wanted to see if you could face the questions that you ducked.

Have a nice day.

4365. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39204A4E.B7BEDE9D@bctv.com>
Source record: 111016

"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" wrote:
>
> Peter Maus wrote:
> >
> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> > >
> > > I am convinced that most people THINK they can read. In reality the words
> > > aren't there, just letters and this guy Jarrod is a prime example of the
> > > idicy loose in society and especially among the Wyatt Earpers. Listen up you
> > > damn dodo-I'm talking REGISTRATION AND LICENSING, not confiscation.
>
> Doc, to invoke the name of Wyatt Earp shows a lack of the understanding
> of
> history and the places, people and events which shaped the era in which
> Uncle W lived, worked and died as well as your own.

This is radiosig's specialty.

Being ignorant, I mean.

4366. Re: Roots of the Castro Regime: Cuban Missile Crisis. att KW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39204A8C.D0A6B920@bctv.com>
Source record: 111017

Bob Sherin wrote:
>
> KW, victory for whom?
>
> The agreement Kennedy struck with Kruschev allowed our missiles to stay
> intact while removing Kruschev's missiles from Cuba.

There was never actually any proof that the missiles were removed. Nor
even that they stopped coming in.

4367. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <39204BD3.B5EA0BB9@bctv.com>
Source record: 111018

"Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> Keith Wood wrote:
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> > "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> > > As I stated
> > > earlier, I think the BTTR losses were tragic, but one has to consider
> > > that while they may have been attacked outside of an agreed-upon
> > > international limit line, their goal was to deliver seditious material
> > > of whatever form (leaflets...etc) that would find their way to the Cuban
> > > population.
> >
> > Why do you feel that this is a capital offense?
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> Bob,
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> I don't believe that this was a capital offense, but it was considered
> to be one by the Cubans - and it was within the letter (if not the
> spirit) of international agreements on national sovereignty.

Actually, no. But thanks for playing.

> Remember
> Gary Francis Powers? Eisenhower could hardly complain to the Soviets
> that they shot down a "civilian" aircraft with a "civilian" pilot for
> the "minor" offense of violating their airspace.

Funny, that didn't stop him.

Try reading Powers' book on Operation Overflight before you add it to
your lecture sheet.

> Recall that the U-2
> was not a "military" plane in the strictest sense - it belonged to a
> "civilian" branch of the CIA, and Gary Powers (and other "Overflight"
> pilots) had to resign from the military in order to be considered for
> U-2 missions. This is not new - the US has sent formerly military
> pilots into action with foreign military services when it suited them.
> One example of this was the use of "retired" US military aviators in the
> budding IAF in 1948. The problem is that international law is not clear
> on this point. A good question - When does airspace incursion
> legitimize anti-aircraft fire? I think the criterion is that the flight
> has to be considered "hostile". (To the State? To the party in power?)
> Does this mean armed warplanes, or are recon aircraft included as well?
> (U-2 incident) How about ownership? Are Air America planes exempt

> because of their "civilian" registry? Does the pilot have to be a
> member of a military or paramilitary organization to legitimize
> shoot-down? Were the Russians amiss to fire on that German kid who flew
> the Cessna to Red Square?

Boy, do YOU need to reread history. Matthias Rust (pronounced "Roost")
wasn't fired on. In fact, several ranking Soviet generals lost their
lifestyles for failing to even notice his incursion until after he was
already on the ground in front of the TV cameras.

> Lots of questions - few clear answers. Before you suggest that this is
> an exercise in word games, please recognize that this is the way both
> lawyers and diplomats go about their business.
>
> My point is this: Other countries do not have to abide by the laws of a
> particular State. When their actions affect other countries, then they
> are encouraged to discontinue those actions. When their belligerence
> reaches a certain threshold, military action takes place. This works
> both ways. When dealing with a country with a low threshold for
> military action, it makes sense to avoid provocation.
>
> Curt Breneman
> KC2EBP

Why are you such an apologist for Castro?

4368. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fq60u$ag2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111019

Don't ask me questions, Nuts and Volz. You wouldn't be able to understand
logic anyway.

In article <20000515201610.20539.00003064@ng-fb1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> answer the question Charlie.
> How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime? Tell Us charlie. LOL

4369. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39207F3E.4495@rpi.edu>
Source record: 111020

Keith Wood wrote:
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> > > "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:
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> > both ways. When dealing with a country with a low threshold for
> > military action, it makes sense to avoid provocation.
> >
> > Curt Breneman
> > KC2EBP
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> Why are you such an apologist for Castro?

Keith,

I think you misunderstand my position - I am not an "apologist" for Castro - I have no love for the man, his party or his form of government. The point has to do with how best to deal with regimes of this sort, and whether individual acts of foreign policy are really a good idea or not.

Incidentally, I have read "Operation Overflight" a number of times over the years - it's a good historical account of the situation. Of course Eisenhower complained about the shoot-down, but it was clear that it was a hollow protest and he didn't have the moral or legal grounds to support it. We just got caught with our pants down on that one since there weren't supposed to be any means for shooting down planes of the U-2's capabilities. (p.s. It's in the book.)

My point about Matthias Rust wasn't whether they actually fired on him or not - it was whether they would have been likely to do so, and justified in trying to bring him down. The fact that some of the military leaders were chastised for the event is pretty good evidence of the outcome they would have preferred. (Dead kid, smoking wreckage, and

they would have been within their rights to do this). I suppose that the original sentence should be amended to state: "Would the Russians have been amiss to fire on that German kid who flew the Cessna to Red Square?". The point is the same.

As to your comment about international boundaries - you are plainly mistaken. By definition, the concept of national sovereignty means that countries are allowed (and expected) to defend their borders using up to and including deadly force. There is general agreement on this point. The US State Department, the World Court (The Hague) and the UN have made this clear in various ways. Bottom line: Unauthorized incursion across national boundaries is a dangerous business, and those who choose to do so risk their lives. Private incursions of the type we are discussing are just not the way to conduct foreign policy.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4370. Re: AF2Y: OH MY GOD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fq65c$42m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111021

Concerned Americans are deeply troubled by gun violence and this schmuck thinks it's funny. Hams must be the dopiest bastards in the world or is it confined just to the United States?
AF2Y

In article <8fprr9$7hq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> Doc!
> Look! Unconstitutionalize the evil baseball cap!
>
> http://www.expressindia.com/ie/daily/19990120/02052065.html
>
> Don't let this happen here! You must go be the torchbearer
> and make all caps registered here in the US! It happened in Bombay!
> Don't try and think that a knife was the instrument of fatality here...
> it was the CAP...ask Hillary!
>
> Our diaper-changing moms are 110% behind you! They all can't
> believe that what their young children are wearing is a direct
> and undeniable precursor to certain death!
>
> The US media hasn't caught wind of this yet, but when they do,
> the dreaded cap will be ostracized from our society. All films
> and photos of baseball players (young/old/professional/kids)
> will be retouched to eliminate all traces of this evil head garb!
>
> We need this Federal Government Intervention into our lives to save us
> from this certified evil object. Alone, we are hollow men. We need
> Federal mandates and laws to show us which are the garments of all
> that is Evil!
>
> Godspeed, brother!
>
> --
> .\\
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4371. FS: 10/6m vert. Ant., M2 SAT. Ants. & 6m beam Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howard Rudy <hrudy@lgcy.com>
Message-ID: <39209B5F.78F127E1@lgcy.com>
Source record: 111022

The SAT ANTs are M2 Enterprises 2M-CP22 & 436CP30 Ants
I Made a Big mistake on the SAT Ants, I got my first info that
they were KLM's. NOT... sorry

Howard Rudy wrote:

> For Sale
> New In Box Comet Ant CA-350DB 10/6 m dual band vert.
> 10m 2.15db gain & 6m 6.5db gain 22.6 ft long 6.4lbs.
> new price $200 asking $125.00 + shipping.
>
> KLM Sat. Ants. >They Are M2 2M-CP-22 & 436CP30<
> 2m 11 elem. vert. & 11 elem. horiz. 223" long with phasing cable
> 70cm 15 elem. vert. & 15 elem. horiz. 116" long with phasing cable
> Ant is in very good condition. asking $200 + shipping
>
> NIB Cushcraft A50-5S beam asking $50 + shipping
>
> contact <hrudy@lgcy.com>
>
> 73's KA7YWO
> Howard
> SLC, UT.

4372. Re: Eat more fiber (was: AF2Y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fq6b5hoi1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111023

"Nuts and Volz" has been watching too many cowboy flicks on the tube. He's gun crazy and ought to be locked away or maybe he can get a job as a target dummy on a rifle range?

In article <8fq4e3$qq9$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>>Jeff I think that your reading comprehension
>> lacks. YOU *tried* to say that I said
>>"Guns don't kill" I never said that,
>
>
> KK7HO forgot that he wrote:
> "Blaming gun-deaths on guns is ... illogical..."
>
>
>>and it wouldn't matter if I did. The
>>gentleman is right - your twitlisted - killfiled or whatever.
>>Jeff you are a devious LIAR.
>
>
> Gee, what a sore loser. Folks, Tim is a perfect example of what happens
> if you don't get enough fiber in your diet -- you become grouchy and
> easily prone to anger. Fiber is said to be "Nature's vacuum cleaner"
> and poor Tim is in need of cleaning -- he's all plugged up.
>
> Let's summarize what transpired:
>
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>>Sorry Jeff but DO NOT attribute something someone else wrote to me.
>>THOSE are not my words. How you came to the conclusion I posted that
>>is beyond me. Regardless, I did not write that and you should apologize.
>
>
> But a few hours later, he recanted the above with:
>
>
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
>>Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here,
>
>
> See what a fiber deficiency can do to a person? Poor Tim can't recall

> what he wrote.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

4373. Re: AF2Y: OH MY GOD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <152f1b40.495be14a@usw-ex0105-035.remarq.com>
Source record: 111024

I propose starting a fund to send this nerd, AF2Y, to the mother land. Let those guys take care of this imbecile that runs off at the keyboard. His antics are indeed deplorable. I suspect he is trying to cover up, and shut up, about his two letters from the FCC.

Listen buffoon.......no amount of running off about other topics will make anyone forget that you are a criminal on the airwaves. Cease and desist! You are an embarressment to your ancestors!

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4374. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fq8bi$o9e$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111025

Absolutely Hysterical http://www.geocities.com/swlgirl1/
who is she ?

KK7HO wrote in message <20000515212155.13560.00002046@ng-ct1.aol.com>...
>One of the funniest sites I've seen and pretty much -right on. LOL.
>Is she going to get her ticket.....??

4375. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0bcac2bc.6a73699f@usw-ex0102-014.remarq.com>
Source record: 111026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I agree with Dwight. You're either part of the problem or part
of the solution. Innovate, innovate, inovate. Change, change,
change. Help or get out if the way. In a word we need to
spearhead wireless broadband! In addition we need to stand
together in order to restructure the FCC rules for it.

In article <lmbT4.54724
$x4.1868888@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "great
horneytoads!" <bluetel@aol.com> wrote:
>
>Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote in message
>news:391D3927.B55731@sccoast.net...
>>
>>
>> "great horneytoads!" wrote:
>> >
>> > It's already gone Cecil. Ham radio is literally dying.
>> > Average age for hams is 68 Yrs old.
>> > Your correct above, and ham radio WILL be DEAD
>> > by 2015. <snip>
>>
>>
>> Myth! Ham radio has never been a young person's hobby.
Look back
>> over the magazines printed decades ago - the pictures show a
lot of
>> older faces (and very few young ones).
>
>Correct DFwight, HOWEVER where you data needs to be
>revised is found in the new licence applications. Their almost
>zero. Number of Generals and Advanced calls dropping out
>or not renewing: up 15%. Read Wayne's editorials in 73. He is
>right I am afraid. FCC official figures and trends bear out a
>stead decline in ham radio for the next 5 years, then an
exponential
>drop to 2015. (assuming historical baseline statistics and
plotted trends)
>I wish it were otherwise too, but what young person, meaning
DROVES
>of young persons want to spend ups of a thousand of dollars,
take a
>test on arcane theory, (worse yet...)-->code....just to talk
to a bunch

>of old men on HF, who double 6 times out of 10 when they
transmit
>and don't even realize it? (listen to 40 any time during the
day and see
>what I mean) We are OBSOLETE Dwight, a curisoity, perhaps a
>resource to some, but technically and operationally obsolete
nonetheless.
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4376. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3920C1FD.94A78D4A@IEEE.org>
Source record: 111027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> (Geez, I'm getting like Cecil now -- hopping back and forth over the
> fence.)

It's not that, Jeff. My legs are so long I don't even realize
that a fence exists.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca
A fool finds purpose where there is only process.

4377. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwilliams2458@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fnhad$ks6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111116

go to: http://www.geocities.com/swlgirl1/
should get page titled "CLN productions presents:"
you can take it from there!

In article <8fmvlu$k7k$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"Joe" <joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Anyone lave a link to that page ?
> I heard its funny, and would like to read (judge it) it for myself.
> Last nite the guys she goofs on usually 3850-3860 were talking about
seeing
> flying saucers.
> What a great nite funny time group.
>
>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4378. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <391F5586.1A1A48F0@home.com>
Source record: 111117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The question presented was 'how many questions do I have to get right in order to pass?' The guy wasn't trying to ace the test and display his electronic knowledge--he was just trying to get by. Another example of how people try to avoid work and effort, just to get by. Maybe the vec's should require 85% correct to pass?? If someone wants the ticket badly enough, they might just make the effort and study a little.
Gary
AB5RM

BD wrote:
>
> No... That test isn't a test of your knowledge of radio.. It's a test of
> short-term memory-skills only, for the majority of test-takers... Most of us
> just get by on the test, and some of us later learn about ham radio thru
> actual use.. Most, judging by my experience with trying to discuss anything
> technical on the local repeaters, forget most of what they learned while
> "flash card" studying for the test...
> Oh.. You weren't answering the question, were you?
>
> "Gary Danaher" <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
> news:391EADDC.7FB85617@home.com...
> > The real question REALLY was-"how ignorant can I be and still pass?"

4379. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?) RESPONSE to Private email from BRIAN KELLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <391f58a2.182319188@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 111118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 14 May 2000 20:13:47 -0400, "Sycho_Graphics"
<Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:

>I am not going to TEACH you anything.
>
>You guys want to LEARN why people could care less about HAM radio and why
>your ranks are almost ZERO (I guess you care because every HAM radio
>newsgroup is full of "WHY, WHY, WHY posts). It is because you DO NOT listen
>to others outside of your hobby, outside of your demographic and outside of
>the "good OLD BOY network you have created. As a whole you have FAILED
>miserably to recruit any new blood because of your stubbornness, your narrow
>mindedness and your reluctance to accept change. Yet you continue business
>as usual even as your numbers dwindle to nothing.
>
>I Never said you insulted me personally the first MORON did by calling me
>and IDIOT and the other two followed suit by attacking me and my
>intelligence by pointing out a misspelled word.
>
>Never met your nephew maybe he is "MATURE" for his age. How old does that
>make you? The Older you are the smarter and wiser you are right? WRONG!!!
>You gonna prove my views of the average HAM right, Brian? So far so good.
>
>Finally, I do not know what a "scanner freak" is? I happen to own, listen
>to and use a scanner SO WHAT? I have a broad base of interests this which
>happens to be but one. I was thinking of doing something with HAM radio but
>after my experiences with HAM operators I guess I am proud to be called a
>"SCANNER FREAK" by one of you.
>
. . . ummm . . . 250Mg of Prozac twice a day oughta do it . .
>
>"Brian Kelly" <kelly@dvol.com> wrote in message
>news:391ee89a.153635198@news.dvol.com...
>> On Sat, 13 May 2000 02:23:26 -0400, "Sycho_Graphics"
>> <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
>> >
>> >
>> >So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why
>should
>> >I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my
>AOR
>> >8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about
>> >electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my

>> >roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry,
>guys
>> >your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)
>> >
>> Your "analysis" is right on the money. Ham radio just isn't for you.
>> Don't let the door hit you in the ass on your way back out to
>> Scannerville.
>> >
>> w3rv.
>
>

4380. Yaesu FT51-R mod question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: beese <zbeese@home.com>
Message-ID: <ooJT4.82272$lg.385814@news1.rdc1.tx.home.com>
Source record: 111119
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I've searched for mods for the Yaesu FT-51R. I found one that is supposed to enable receive up to 999MHz. One of the steps says to remove two diodes near the ribbon cable. I can't seem to figure out where these diodes are. I'm assuming they're surface mount diodes--but there seems to be quite a few surface mount components all over the circuit board.

Can someone give me better directions on finding the two diodes I'm supposed to remove?

Thanks,

Zach Beese
zbeese@home.com
KB0PIL

4381. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fnr68$v5p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111120

In article <8fnhhtjhv1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

> Every single gun of any kind by any citizen in this country must be
> registered and licensed NOW.

Doc, you're as thick as a f***ing brick.

Tatoo this on yer forehead, and live in front of a LARGE mirror.

"Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."

THESE are the weapons that are the problem.

Maybe 'Free Willy' should just declare one day:
"OK, all drug dealers, turn in your illegal drugs,
and oh, by the way, estimate the amount of taxes and
back taxes you owe, and mail it in to the IRS promptly,
to avoid any penalties."

"If you happen to live near an IRS office, we'll just leave
out a big bowl of money; you can just make your own change."

Yeah, sure, that's the ticket!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4382. Re: Subj:Castro, Do Scholars Have a Monopoly on Wisdom? att: Curt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391F3E8F.A50BF0E9@bctv.com>
Source record: 111121

"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" wrote:

> As I stated
> earlier, I think the BTTR losses were tragic, but one has to consider
> that while they may have been attacked outside of an agreed-upon
> international limit line, their goal was to deliver seditious material
> of whatever form (leaflets...etc) that would find their way to the Cuban
> population.

Why do you feel that this is a capital offense?

4383. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com>
Message-ID: <391F3EFB.36B391BB@bctv.com>
Source record: 111122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Keith Wood wrote:
> >
> > I've seen this trend developing at a greater rate than interest in ham
> > radio. When was the last hamfest you attended which didn't include
> > Internet and LAN hardware? When was the last time you went to a
> > computer show that DID have ham radio gear? How many places in your
> > town can you buy ham gear? I'll bet that there are at least 5 times
> > that number of ISPs, and I would be surprised if the ratio isn't at
> > least 20:1.
>
> Look Keith, I understand what you're saying.

No, you don't.

> You're saying that
> because ham radio is not as popular as the internet, the internet will
> kill ham radio. You're saying that the internet is growing faster than
> ham radio, so ham radio is dead. You're saying that because there is
> more interest in the internet, there is no interest in ham radio.

I didn't say any of the above. There is that potential, but we have the
chance to pull it out.

4384. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?) RESPONSE to Private email from BRIAN KELLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom2@socket.net
Message-ID: <391f7a98.2495929@news.socket.net>
Source record: 111123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Is this guy sitting on a nail or broken glass he sure acts like it.
I bet when he looks in a mirror he gets hateful and yells terrible
things to himself.

"Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:

>I am not going to TEACH you anything.
>
>You guys want to LEARN why people could care less about HAM radio and why
>your ranks are almost ZERO (I guess you care because every HAM radio
>newsgroup is full of "WHY, WHY, WHY posts). It is because you DO NOT listen
>to others outside of your hobby, outside of your demographic and outside of
>the "good OLD BOY network you have created. As a whole you have FAILED
>miserably to recruit any new blood because of your stubbornness, your narrow
>mindedness and your reluctance to accept change. Yet you continue business
>as usual even as your numbers dwindle to nothing.
>
>I Never said you insulted me personally the first MORON did by calling me
>and IDIOT and the other two followed suit by attacking me and my
>intelligence by pointing out a misspelled word.
>
>Never met your nephew maybe he is "MATURE" for his age. How old does that
>make you? The Older you are the smarter and wiser you are right? WRONG!!!
>You gonna prove my views of the average HAM right, Brian? So far so good.
>
>Finally, I do not know what a "scanner freak" is? I happen to own, listen
>to and use a scanner SO WHAT? I have a broad base of interests this which
>happens to be but one. I was thinking of doing something with HAM radio but
>after my experiences with HAM operators I guess I am proud to be called a
>"SCANNER FREAK" by one of you.
>
>
>"Brian Kelly" <kelly@dvol.com> wrote in message
>news:391ee89a.153635198@news.dvol.com...
>> On Sat, 13 May 2000 02:23:26 -0400, "Sycho_Graphics"
>> <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
>> >
>> >
>> >So I ask you as a potential member to your beloved HAM community why
>should
>> >I care what happens to it. I have fun with my scanners, especially my
>AOR
>> >8K, my FRS radios, and my computers! I love to tinker with an learn about

>> >electronics and mechanical things but even with an outside antenna on my
>> >roof in a major city I barely scan any HAM radio transmissions. Sorry,
>guys
>> >your hobby is not dying its in full fledged cardiac arrest :)
>> >
>> Your "analysis" is right on the money. Ham radio just isn't for you.
>> Don't let the door hit you in the ass on your way back out to
>> Scannerville.
>> >
>> w3rv.
>
>

4385. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom2@socket.net
Message-ID: <391f7b9a.2754231@news.socket.net>
Source record: 111124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

sounds like he needs his dirty diaper changed. No wonder he is so
cranky

"Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:

>
>"Glen Quarnstrom" <glenq@cyberhighway.net> wrote in message
>news:1scuhscm69l9jipirptkhavqa818dtald1@4ax.com...
>> "Sycho_Graphics" <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com> wrote:
>>
> > You have the emotional maturity of a poorly disciplined 6-year old.
>
>That puts me about about 5 years 11 months ahead of a crying little baby
>like you. I have not even begun to dish it out, you want a conversation on
>the topic at hand fine, you want fling insults back and forth I'm ready,
>willing and able.
>
>> Our gain.We have more than enough of your sort of do-nothing whiners
>> already, who expect other hams to do all the work but expect all the
>> benefits handed to them for nothing.
>
>Yea great answer "who cares if we never get another member" great attitude.
>Thanks for making my point, AGAIN. What the hell are you talking about? I
>didn't ask you to do a thing for me. Originally, I replied to one of these
>"our hobby is in shambles how can we make it better" posts. Work? what is
>work about sitting your ass in front of a "radio" it's amateur radio NOT
>BRAIN SURGERY GUYS.
>
>> You don't have what it takes to be a ham. Not even a poor one. Take
>> your whining and your foul mouthed attitude back to whatever sewer it
>> was you climbed out of, lid.
>
>Oh my, I'll never be a HAM! Now what will I do? Hmm, get a life. What's a
>matter multiple syllable words confuse you maybe I should morse code the
>dirty words so you can have some real world use for your "wonderful skills".
>
>Once again to another brilliant HAM operator, PISS OFF and DIE.
>
>
>
>> --
>> glenq@cyberhighway.net
>> WB7DOW
>>

>> http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/
>
>

4386. Roots of the Castro Regime: Cuban Missile Crisis. att KW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16180-391F79FC-14@storefull-244.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111125

KW, victory for whom?

The agreement Kennedy struck with Kruschev allowed our missiles to stay intact while removing Kruschev's missiles from Cuba.

But for the United States, it didn't come free. Kennedy promised and the U.S.has complied with preventing any attack on Cuba from within our borders and from elsewhere.

In effect, the Castro regime was legitimized and protected by that crisis. A crafty dictator, Castro, with utterly no military power himself, manipulated the superpowers into doing his bidding, as the world held its breath.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4387. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: john <w9jcm@reno.quik.com>
Message-ID: <XpMT4.21113$QN6.1293332@newsfeed.intelenet.net>
Source record: 111126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

you guys can gab gab all u want but u cant change anything the FCC is the
boss..
Wouff Hong wrote in message ...
>
>Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
> pass all elements required for their license class.
>
>Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%
>
>Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>
>Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.
>
>Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
>
>
>wouff hong
>
>
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>

4388. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fof93hpj1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111127

Ohoo Ohoo,
Cant wait till she get's her ticket.....this will be a hoot for sure !
She already pulled a good on several of them guys!
Time to add some funny entertainment to the airwaves !
.....Wonder if she can build what she may transmit on without
looking like Simon Garfunkel.

wwilliams2458@my-deja.com wrote in message <8fnhad$ks6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>go to: http://www.geocities.com/swlgirl1/
>should get page titled "CLN productions presents:"
>you can take it from there!
>
>
>
>In article <8fmvlu$k7k$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "Joe" <joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> Anyone lave a link to that page ?
>> I heard its funny, and would like to read (judge it) it for myself.
>> Last nite the guys she goofs on usually 3850-3860 were talking about
>seeing
>> flying saucers.
>> What a great nite funny time group.
>>
>>
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

4389. AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fomamcdu1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111128

WISE UP FELLOW AMERICAN HAMS, HAMSTRESSES AND HAMLETS. Because of the NRA and its puppets, your lives are endangered, Guns are not pea shooters. It's time for RESPONSIBILITY in the business of guns. Write to your Senators and Congressmen to DEMAND legislation. If it fails, then demand the end to bullets!

WASHINGTON - They sang This Little Light of Mine with children's troubadour Raffi, and when a speaker asked why their plea for gun safety should be heeded, they chanted, "Because I said so."
Tens of thousands of concerned parents - 500,000, organizers claim - gathered on Mother's Day at the foot of Capitol Hill to demand that Congress pass stricter gun laws. They came with strollers and diaper bags, in baseball caps and T-shirts, for the Million Mom March, the largest rally ever for gun control.
This was no radical protest. This was mom and sometimes dad, asserting a political voice at a family rally on the National Mall that featured a "Children's Village" with clowns and jugglers and a tent for breast-feeding.
"This is mom power," said Rep. Carolyn McCarthy, D-N.Y., whose husband was killed in a shooting in 1993 that also seriously injured her son. "We are going to make a difference ... This is a first step. This is not where it ends." March organizers say they will form a grass-roots group to press for political change, especially the licensing of gun owners and the registering of every handgun.
Nationwide, thousands gathered at dozens of other rallies, including an estimated 1,500 in Los Angeles and more than 4,000 along the downtown Chicago lakefront.
The Washington event had the most celebrity sizzle. It hummed to music by Melissa Manchester, Melissa Etheridge and Emmylou Harris and heard from Susan Sarandon, Courtney Love and Reese Witherspoon.
"We are the voice of the majority of Americans. It's time we are heard," said talk show host Rosie O'Donnell, the mistress of ceremonies and mother of three. She urged fellow moms to take on the National Rifle Association.
"The NRA buys votes with blood money," she said. "They are strong, they are organized, they are scary."
A few blocks away was a rival but much smaller rally, organized by the Second Amendment Sisters.
Many Million Mom speakers were moms, dads and kids with tales of loss.
* "I have scars that will be with me forever," said Mindy Finkelstein, recalling how bullets whizzed by her and the children at the North Valley Jewish Community Center in Granada Hills, Calif., last summer. A camp counselor there, she was one of five injured.

* "There's not a day I don't cry," said Veronica McQueen, mother of Kayla Rolland, 6, who was shot dead by another first-grader in a Michigan classroom in February. "Part of my heart went with her. I can never hold and

kiss her again."

* Dawn Anna said her daughter Lauren Townsend, 18, was a "mother's dream," a class valedictorian who was just beginning to plan her future when she was murdered with 11 bullets at Columbine High School in April 1999. "She was murdered - murdered on a school day. Murdered during school time. Murdered sitting in a school library with friends studying for her next class.

"The mothers of the world are angry and you never, never tick off a mother," she said. "The hands that rock the cradle rule the world."
Many more victims stood in the crowd, some holding photos of lost or injured children. Some sobbed quietly. "I couldn't save him," said Charlotte Gray of her 29-year-old son's death last year from a random bullet. "But maybe me being here today can help save somebody else."
The participants held placards that read: "Arms Are For Hugging," "Guns - No, Life - Yes," "Enough is Enough," and "A Million Moms Can't Be Wrong."
Linda Ridall of Burtonsville, Md., held a sign that said, "When It Comes to Gun Safety, My Husband's an Idiot." One day at home, she said, she was appalled to see her son holding a gun that belonged to her husband, an NRA member. She said she and her husband have "different opinions" about gun safety, adding, "I can't change him, but I still have a voice."
Despite its non-partisan billing, the rally seemed to attract mostly Democrats, some of whom held "Gore 2000" signs. Organizers met earlier in the day at the White House with President Clinton and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton who, in taped remarks that were blasted over giant loudspeakers, urged Congress to act.
Lawmakers have been stalemated on a Senate-passed bill, opposed by the NRA, that would require all buyers at gun shows to undergo background checks and new handguns to be sold with child-safety locks. The march activists demanded those two requirements.
"This Congress won't be the same because of you," Rep. Bobby Rush, D-Ill., whose son was murdered with a gun, told the participants. He said the rally united parents, whether black or white, suburban or urban.
Rep. Patrick Kennedy, D-R.I., who heads the Democratic effort to recapture the House, said gun control could be a key Democratic weapon. The battleground in this election is the suburban vote, he said . His cousin Maryland Lt. Gov. Kathleen Kennedy Townsend, whose father Robert Kennedy was shot to death, was one of the speakers.
Rep. Connie Morella, R-Md., a gun-control advocate, said the rally's impact on the Republican Party will vary. "It's district by district," she said, noting that Democrats also have played a role in blocking gun-control legislation.
Many participants said they felt drawn to the march, even if they had never personally suffered from gun violence. Lisa Zoppetti, a psychologist from Oakton, Va., said she came because it was her first Mother's Day. Her husband, Michael, was cradling 5-week-old Grace in the shade. "I can't think of a more important place to be," she said.

4390. Re: Second Story Grounding??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0527b3c0.8bfe6178@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 111129

Dan, thanks for the info. I am not sure of the specific freq involved. As I mentioned in my initial message, I had an amp and my Kenwood 440 fold back when I tried to use them on the same PS. Although I have not gotten any RF "bites", I suspect RF in the shck caused the fold back. I have been told that AStron PS's are famous for this. The other possibility is that the PS broke down under the load of both the amp and the Txcvr. My concern is that I want to purchase an amp (811 or 811H) and I'm worried that I may not be able to use it in that environment. Oh well, such is a Hams choices!!

Thanks again for the info. I have somne rotor cable laying around and I'll try it and see what happens.

73 de Kenn W5KAP

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

4391. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs, you coward

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8foug8$5qc$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111130

How did my explanation brand me a coward according to you? Of course it did Noel no harm but I do think it was unncessary in my case. All I did was to explain why I used the term "yokel" and you retaliate in a vicious way. Unless I get an apolgy I shall therefore make you a special project of mine, knucklehead, and eat your lunch on this esteemed board of intellectuals. I don't want an apology by e-mail but posted right here.
Furthermore you know damn well what I meant by the generic "Saturday Night Special" but chose to make hay with it. I find you disgusting and revolting and your love for guns is probabaly predicated on the fact that you come from a band of lawless halfwits who've spent most of their adult lives behind bars and I'm not talking about "Cheers" either. You go ahead like a good little boy and post that apology now or else you'll regret having ticked me off.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <391F3DF3.6C180B25@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

>
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> You know that yokel is a generic term for a dope and only a dope.
>
> No, sorry.
>
> And I notice that you don't say a thing about "Saturday Night Special."
>
>> All you're
>> doing is to try to turn my intelligent insight expressed here against me.
>
> That would be like using a rubber knife.
>
>
>> After reading your post I'm convinced you're a yokel.
>>
>> ---
>> In article <391E95FF.F8E58D9D@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:
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>> >
>> > Peter Maus wrote:
>> >>
>> >> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>> >

>> >> > one example. Are you trying to tell me that you favor guns shows all
across
>> >> > this nation
>> >>
>> >> Yes.
>> >>
>> >> > in which some any yokel can walk in, plunk down green and walk
>> >> > off with a "Saturday Night Special?"
>> >>
>> >> Yokel is an interesting term. So is "Saturday Night Special."
>> >> Strip away the emotionality of those terms and you find "person,"
>> >> and "pistol."
>> >
>> > Why strip them away? Radiosigs is proudly admitting its bigotry.
>> > "Yokel" means someone from a lower economic class, and "Saturday Night
>> > Special" comes from the prhase "Ni*rtown Saturday Night," which is a
>> > euphemism for ghetto drunks shooting each other between rapes and
>> > robberies.
>> >
>> >> > Are you crazy?
>> >>
>> >> No. Or I wouldn't be able to own a firearm.
>> >
>> > Note: In a magazine article, James Brady is described as spending hour
>> > after hour sitting in his wheelchair, holding a loaded .44, in the fear
>> > that John Hinckely, Jr, will come finish the job. Thus, we can see that
>> > Sarah is more willing to let a brain-damaged paranoid have a gun than
>> > she is to let my daughter have a gun.
>> >
>> >> > Where in God's name do
>> >> > you think you live, Dodge City 1885?
>> >>
>> >> No, I live in Suburban Chicago. Today.
>> >
>> > I'd rather be in the 1880s Dodge City!

4392. Re: Second Story Grounding??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fp04q$6qr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111131

In article <0527b3c0.8bfe6178@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>,
W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid> wrote:
> Dan, thanks for the info. I am not sure of the specific freq
> involved. As I mentioned in my initial message, I had an amp
> and my Kenwood 440 fold back when I tried to use them on the
> same PS. Although I have not gotten any RF "bites", I suspect
> RF in the shck caused the fold back. I have been told that
> AStron PS's are famous for this. The other possibility is that
> the PS broke down under the load of both the amp and the Txcvr.
> My concern is that I want to purchase an amp (811 or 811H) and
> I'm worried that I may not be able to use it in that
> environment. Oh well, such is a Hams choices!!
>
> Thanks again for the info. I have somne rotor cable laying
> around and I'll try it and see what happens.
>
> 73 de Kenn W5KAP
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
>
>
If your planning on a 811 amp I highly recommend the 811H. I have had
one for years and it is a fine amp. No blower racket, easy to tune and
the tubes are cheap. 800 is all you need.

And yes indeed the ps could be the cause of this whole problem. But
since it drops out and thus does the output it will be hard to prove
until you add a amp that does not use that ps. It could also be a
combination of all of the above. Have fun !

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4393. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fp0qp011cr@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 111132

In article <8fmv1mbqd1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>kk7ho@aol.communicate says...
>
>>>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
>>> Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here, but you still twist
and
>>>spin a person every word, you should be working for Carvel.
>>> Now that you've had some fun, can you make a cogent point without the spin
>>and
>>>ridiculous semantics
>
>>No, he can't. He'd rather post idiotic statements about individuals owning
>>weapons of mass destruction, which is something no sane person would ever
>>condone.
>
>Just stiring the pot, Tom. It's so easy to get you all riled up.
>But you'll never find me calling you or anyone else derogatory names,
>though. Gentlemen don't do that.

Sorry, but I'm not a gentleman when it comes to people spouting stupid
bullshit.

>Devil's advocate mode on:
>Again, either every possible weapon should be available to the

There you go saying "should" again.

>citizens, or none should. Why draw an artificial line allowing just
>handguns and rifles? Tim implies that guns can't be blamed for gun
>deaths, so surely weapons don't cause deaths; we should be able to
>own anything.

Then let's use your twisted logic and ban everything that has the *potential*
for being used as a weapon. That would include baseball bats, glass bottles and
even playing cards. (I saw a guy throw one and stick it one inch into a
two-by-four. Imagine if that were a person!)

Tom - N8ECW

4394. Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4fqf@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fp49kbmh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111133

From the posts I have been reading, this forum is being turned into a gun control forum by a misquided gadfly in Clifton N. J.

Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.

W4FQF Since 1952

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4395. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <balbert@cnmnetwork.com>
Message-ID: <sEqU4.93752$VR.1785021@news5.giganews.com>
Source record: 110884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The simplest receiver is a diode detector. Originally known as a crystal set. Requires no batteries or transistors or tubes. Only receives AM. See any tutorial on receivers for diagrams; it's so simple it doesn't take much at all.

On the other hand, if you want control over bandwidth, or want to receive other types of modulation, better sensitivity, more audio output, and so on, you have to add cirrcuitry and the cost climbs.

73, Bob K6DDX

4396. The WISDOM of My taco bell dogpet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8frvsg$j6f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110934

In article <8frvd9igo1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_dumbo@yahoo.com wrote:
> Once AGAIN KC8JBO insults the intelligence of all who post on this
HAM
> RADIO form.........

"Forum." Showing your lack of education, huh, Dimmy?

>
> > There have been quite a few geomagnetic disturbances lately.
> > A good place to check is 18 minutes after each hour on WWV @ 2.5,
5.0,
> > 10.0, 15.0, and 20.0 MHz. for solar indicies and forecasts.
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> QRM'er [Unemployed] Fatso
> [Freak face] 'ole Goats nightmare
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
> CIRCUS BOY likes to feel smart by telling us one of the most
> RUDIMENTARY of all ham radio facts!!!!!!!!!

DaBull likes to feel brave hiding under an alias, but in reality
really, really, wants to suck on my testicles.

> Here are a few MORE things HORSEHEAD might ENLIGHTEN OUR INTELLIGENCE
> with in the next few weeks:
>
> 1. DON'T hold the HOT end of a soldering iron.

You found that out too late, didn't you, after pressing one to
_your_pockmarked "face."

> 2. Bill Clinton is the president of the USA.

You can't win them all.

> 3. Grass is green.

Pitbull has been convicted of posession of "grass."

> 4. Fish exist in water.

Pibull exists in a vacuum of ignorance.

> 5. The 'ole GOAT is on her DEATHBED.

Not hardly. But thanks for assuming and making an ass of yourself.

>
> Go check the 'ole GOATS COLOSTOMY bag now, ELEPHANT BOY hohohoho.
>
> 'Da BULL

<pressing against pitbull's obese body> Yep, it's full.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4397. Re: AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fs00c$j91$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110935

In article <8frsij$eu0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> What a great guy you are Doc. What would we ever do without you.
> You are so smart you need to get off this stupid forum and do some
> writing for the New York Times or such. You have talent Doc dont
waste
> it here.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Faglossi, why do you waste your cocksucking talent, or is that why
you're opening your faggot inn?
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4398. Re: Ever communicated with astronauts via ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fs02o$j9n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110936

In article <8frst6fgl1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> You might try The ARRL in Newington CT. They would be very willing to
> help you. Most of the hams who frequent this forum are the dregs of
> ham radio and not worth your concern. This is a childish display of a
> group of fools who cannot survive in the work force and are strung out
> here.
> Why else would say AF2Y spend morning to night here? Useless garbage
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

The question is..."Why are YOU here, then, Faglossi?"
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4399. Re: FCC Callsign Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy John <jj@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <4A8A59F2BDCDD311BFC800508BA36AC8025DC0B3@gecko.premiersi.com>
Source record: 110937

Gov'mint workers? Ooooh, cheap shot ;-)

Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com> wrote in message
news:39214C08.4C50A156@Telocity.com...
>
> According to the WM7D's report there were only THREE callsigns either
> issued or modified on May 15. How can this be correct with all the
> changes that are supposed to be in the pipeline according to the ARRL
> and W5YI??

4400. F.S. SB-220 HF Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nh7h@aol.comnojunk
Message-ID: <20000516130631.19068.00004427@nso-fg.aol.com>
Source record: 110938

F.S. *Heath kit SB-220 $700.00 + shipping
Very good condition clean, none-smoker, upgraded rectro installed new tubes,
front end setup for solid state rid input. Over $100.00 of silver mica caps.
Oahu Hawaii.
HF Linear Amplifier/With Manual
Band coverage 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter Amateur Bands
Driving power required 100 watts
Maximum power input SSB: 2000 watts P.E.P
CW: 1000 watts.
RTTY: 1000 watts.
Duty Cycle .SSB: continuous voice modulation.
CW: Continuous (maximum key-down 10 minutes).
RTTY: 50% (maximum transmit time 10 minutes).
Power Requirements 120 AC, 50/60 Hz at 20 amps.
240 AC, 50/60 Hz at 10 amps
Net Weight…50 lbs.
Email: MomaRita G@aol.com
73 NH7H

4401. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fs192$kn7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110939

In article <8fpq4n$5i8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> .
> Doc with your mind you are wasting your talent. I fought back tears
^COMMA ^COMMA

> reading your commentary. You should write edatorials

"Editorials"

for the NewYork

"New York"

> Times or speeches for Al Gore. You are truley

"Truely"

an amazing and well
> read,well versed American of Jewish persuasion. Leave Ham radio
behind
> because Hams are to

"Too"

dumb to appreciate a man of your caliber.
> P.S I have 2 SKS rifles and both have thirty shot 7.62 x 39mm clips
of

Sure you do, doper. You can barely squeeze the trigger of a .22.

> ass kicking power and I was inclined to turn them in after reading
your
> edatorial--well almost. Very good for "going to the library!!" HA!
HA!
>
> KB1EVE
> The douche bag of ham radio

Faglossi, one of the "too dumb" hams.
PKB, Soprano-wanna-be.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4402. Re: oil prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com>
Message-ID: <3921881E.7A45@mobiletel.com>
Source record: 110940

Richard McCollum wrote:
>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8frlmu$7i2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> > Anyone hear Paul Harvey today? The OPEC stranglehold is broken!
> American,
> > Russian and western European companies have just discovered a VAST amount
> of
> > oil in the province of Kazahkstan Russia. Like 480 square miles of
> billions
> > of barrels. Making nice to Putin is going to pay off. Sheikhs are going to
> > hate vodka!
>
> That field has been being discovered on and off since the 20s. Now dig out
> your atlas and draw some pipelines across places you don't want to be near
> to ports that don't exist. If you can do it for under $30 a barrel, OPEC is
> in deep doodoo. Unfortunately, not until then.
>
> Dick
BAKU-AZERBAIJAIN region is an old oil province, produced a lot under the
old Soviet Union, infastructure is just not there to move oil west.
Some Pipelines move north but very limited and hostile territory, old
equipment, very disappointing.
73 de Martin (Offshore Oil is MY GAME) N5PZJ

4403. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kim W5TIT <kw5tit@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <EDCF74A5C9FE1738.FB9F7F34538FBF94.F396EC4C6AF40973@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I particularly note (d), which implements a desire for all aspects of interest
in amateur radio, whether it be from the operating, technical or electronics
experimentation angle. The FCC not only recognizes diversity in the hobby, but
encourages it.

Kim W5TIT

Ed Hare, W1RFI <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote in article
<pPeU4.102$16.4611@news.ntplx.net>...
> Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:
>
> > We might have to go back to building our own gear again, but that in
> > no way will be detrimental; on the contrary, that will be good for the
> > hobby/service in that only folks with technical interests will be
> > licensed and on the air. (Before you criticize my last sentence, read
> > the fundamental purpose of the ARS as written by the FCC, attached below;
> > pay special attention to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d).)
>
> I don't see that the FCC paid any "special attention" to (b), (c) and (d).
> If there is any emphasis to be inferred from reading that rule, it may be
> that the value of emergency communications is listed first. Paragraphs (c)
> and (d) give equal emphasis to the operating and the technical.
>
> Most amateurs do not contribute to the Service equally in the operating and
> technical arenas, nor is it necessary that they do. Collectively, the
> Service meets its objectives, which I assume is quite acceptable to those
> who write the rules. IMHO, any change that kept "only" those with a
> technical interest in the Amateur Radio Service would be a bad thing if it
> excluded those with operating (and emergency communications) interests.
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
> > 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> > The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
> > radio service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
> > principles:
> > (a) Recognition and enhancement of the value of the amateur service to
> > the public as a voluntary noncommercial communication service,
> > particularly with respect to providing emergency communications.
> > (b) Continuation and extension of the amateur's proven ability to
> > contribute to the advancement of the radio art.
> > (c) Encouragement and improvement of the amateur service through rules
> > which provide for advancing skills in both the communications and

> > technical phases of the art.
> > (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio service
> > of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
> > (e) Continuation and extension of the amateur's unique ability to enhance
> > international goodwill.
> >
>
>
>

4404. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <213d51e2.c1d8dd1d@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 110942

Is there something in the water in your part of New Jersey?
You're madder than a hatter.

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4405. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fs8ml$ti2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110943

In article <8fs192$kn7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> > Times or speeches for Al Gore. You are truley
>
> "Truely"

"truly" =)

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4406. Re: FCC Callsign Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005161927100.181-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110944

So? That simply means that the VEC's are closed on the weekends, and that these were probably ULS-directly-submitted changes (renewals or address changes).

Remember that Friday's submissions are posted on Saturday (and available for download on Sunday), but since the VEC's are closed, there are no Sunday postings (to be downloaded on Monday).

On Tue, 16 May 2000, Jon Johnson wrote:
> According to the WM7D's report there were only THREE callsigns either
> issued or modified on May 15. How can this be correct with all the
> changes that are supposed to be in the pipeline according to the ARRL
> and W5YI??

4407. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fs9reuuu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110945

In article <8frleu$2e6$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Frisk them, seize an unregistered weapon and toss them in jail. This
will
> harass the hell out of them, right?
>

(Echos of the Third Reich)

> ----------
> In article <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login
> <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
>
> > "Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."
>

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4408. Re: Motorola RSS software needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Morten Andreassen <morten.andreassen@wmdata.no>
Message-ID: <8fs9ag$ir2$1@news.ost.eltele.no>
Source record: 110946

just wanted to thank the person who actually sent me this sw by mail. good
work lad!
(guess no name mentioned is the propper manner here, due to the nine page
license agreement motorola have on this program...)

Morten

"Morten Andreassen" <morten.andreassen@wmdata.no> wrote in message
news:8fr3da$1mf$1@news.ost.eltele.no...
> anyone got a copy of the RSS software for the Motorola GM950 radioto
spare?
>
> thanx in advance!
>
> Morten
>
>

4409. Re: Yaesu FT51-R mod question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC5SWI@home.com
Message-ID: <8fsaoevqf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110947
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
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In article ,
"beese" wrote:
> I've searched for mods for the Yaesu FT-51R. I found one that is
supposed
> to enable receive up to 999MHz. One of the steps says to remove two
diodes
> near the ribbon cable. I can't seem to figure out where these diodes
are.
> I'm assuming they're surface mount diodes--but there seems to be
quite a few
> surface mount components all over the circuit board.
>
> Can someone give me better directions on finding the two diodes I'm
supposed
> to remove?
>
I'm confused also. After taking my ft-51 apart, there are doides all
over the board. If the mod is for real
would some send out some specific info on the item to remove?
thanks
kc5swi@home.com

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4410. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <rq43is4l7c68ge9eo8i4qc0frp7i7hb622@4ax.com>
Source record: 110948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:

>Prospective Amateurs who listen to or read what Amateurs say about
>themselves have more than enough reasons to question whether it is a
>hobby to worth getting into. There was some young fellow in a recent
>post blowing off a lot of hot air about that fact that Amateurs like to
>talk, but not to listen. Although he was an angry little ant, there was
>a kernel of truth buried in the volumes of waffle. As a group, we seem
>to be more interested in making sure that everyone else is made to like
>what we like, and resisting the efforts of others to make us like what
>they like. The bands are large enough for everyone to what they want.
>Even natur recognises that survival depends on diversity, not
>mono-culture.
>
>To bastardise a quote "We have met the enemy, and they are us".

Well said.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

4411. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Quarnstrom <glenq@cyberhighway.net>
Message-ID: <0u43isggt7dnue0j51i22ro5rvqrpu1kok@4ax.com>
Source record: 110949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

Dr. Adams Apple <coontail@my-deja.com> wrote:

>Quality people haven't been interested in Amateur Radio
>for decades.

This is simply not true.

>Its mostly poor old lonely farts who have a physical disability and some
>blue moon contesters who sit and waste an entire weekend exchanging 59
>ers.

No, those are the minority that make the most noise.

What's a 59 ers?
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW

http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

4412. Re: FCC Callsign Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <3921B05F.99423F63@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110950

"D. Stussy" wrote:
>
> So?

Thanks for your response. Glad you could take a break from reading "How To Win Friends and Influence People".

4413. How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hopkins <dhopkins@echezabal.com>
Message-ID: <#N16vW3v$GA.240@cpmsnbbsa04>
Source record: 110951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello and thanks in advance from a beginner.

I wanted to know how inexpensively one could buy or build a receiver (for any frequency), even a single frequency receiver.

I have limited experience with electronics but I do okay.

Thanks again.

Dan Hopkins

4414. Re: Yaesu FT51-R mod question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ed huckins <esh@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <dgc3iscbs800vcfsrfsvt4l4fi1i6js6c0@4ax.com>
Source record: 110952
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

You can find complete instructions, including diagram, in the "Radio Mods" section at www.qrz.com. It works just as advertised.
KC5SWI@home.com wrote:

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>> to enable receive up to 999MHz. One of the steps says to remove two
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>
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esh@compuserve.com
J40 Sailor-site http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/esh
KO6CK

4415. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsg1d$5ui$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110953

Oh Thanks Roger for correcting my spelling. Your a great guy just like Doc. Again thanks and when I hear you sounding drunk and stoned on 14.313 I wont say a word. I would love to meet you sometime you sound so wonderful I could have you squealing like a pig in a few minutes you big lug

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4416. Re: Ever communicated with astronauts via ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsg5e$614$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110954

In article <8fs02o$j9n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8frst6fgl1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > You might try The ARRL in Newington CT. They would be very willing
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> > help you. Most of the hams who frequent this forum are the dregs of
> > ham radio and not worth your concern. This is a childish display of
a
> > group of fools who cannot survive in the work force and are strung
out
> > here.
> > Why else would say AF2Y spend morning to night here? Useless
garbage
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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> >
>
> The question is..."Why are YOU here, then, Faglossi?"
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> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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> Before you buy.
>

I love you Roger

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Before you buy.

4417. Re: AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsgli$6kr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110955

I would love to civil union you Roger, yes I do have great talents I could reserve us a room on our Sodom Pond retreat, you get me going when you call me those names.

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4418. Re: Something's terribly wrong!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsgt0$75r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110956

You must be very excited to see your name emblazed on this forum Doc,
for once a dream come true,your top dog, buddy.

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4419. AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsgvp$777$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110957

qwertyzxcvbn';lk[]poi

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4420. AF2Y: I love ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsh35$79b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110958

Never mind what I did to WOOQ

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4421. AF2Y: prayer leader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsh6i$7a3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110959

What about that evil prayer,Doc.

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4422. AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsh9g$7c3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110960

Because he is smarter than I

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4423. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <3921C581.2294EE92@home.com>
Source record: 110961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You STILL don't understand the point. You were not interested in doing well on the test. You were not interested in knowing as much about the material as possible. That is all I am trying to get across. I am ever so proud that after being licensed you were able to pick up a few more details. With any luck, you will continue to do so. It is just appalling that anyone would deliberately shoot for the bottom of the barrel. I'm just paraphrasing your original comments. How now can you pretend to disown your own work?

BD wrote:
>
> Whatever you say, Gary I'm-so-special Danahar..
> The driving test isn't a good analogy at all.. You have to prove you know
> how to drive.. The written test is only a small part of it.
> You've just been added to my 'waste' basket..
>
> "Gary Danaher" <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
> news:392135E3.ADCC8F0D@home.com...
> > Now you resort to name calling? Who's retarded? Me, or someone who is
> > proud of the fact that they are lazy and just want to get by? Can't get
> > past your original point, no matter what you say or who you say it to.
> > You just want to get by with the bare minimum. Next time you have to
> > take a driving test, call ahead and find out how many questions you can
> > miss and still get a license. People like you are a danger to the rest
> > of us.
> >
> > BD wrote:
> > >
> > > Why don't you go back to the funny-farm, retard?
> > >
> > > "Gary Danaher" <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
> > > news:3920765F.202B6F33@home.com...
> > > > Still, the bottom line is that you were wanting to know just how much
> it
> > > > would take you to "get by" and no more. Glad you learned more after
> the
> > > > test, but that is a red herring. Don't feel badly though. You
> certainly
> > > > aren't the only one to want things to be dumbed down.
> > >

4424. VHF Programing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <eEjU4.44707$g62.646656@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 110962

I have a few questions regarding the TK-270.
I need some definitions for the following from the programming
manuals...

1) Signaling, And/Or
-squelch opens when BOTH match
-squelch opens when EITHER match
What does this mean?

2) Digit time

3) Inter Digit time

4) First Digit time

5) Rise Time

6) Rise Time with QT

7) D Key Assignment

8) Auto Reset Time

9) Clock Freq. Shift

10) Trunking
--
EDDY

4425. Re: oil prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <kKjU4.44735$g62.647438@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 110963

I am a contractor presently building Canadian rigs for Kazakhstan.
From what I see, there will be a lot of activity in that area in the
near future.
--
EDDY

_____
Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE <mdwade@mobiletel.com> wrote in message
news:3921881E.7A45@mobiletel.com...
| Richard McCollum wrote:
| >
| > <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
| > news:8frlmu$7i2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
| > > Anyone hear Paul Harvey today? The OPEC stranglehold is
broken!
| > American,
| > > Russian and western European companies have just discovered a
VAST amount
| > of
| > > oil in the province of Kazahkstan Russia. Like 480 square miles
of
| > billions
| > > of barrels. Making nice to Putin is going to pay off. Sheikhs
are going to
| > > hate vodka!
| >
| > That field has been being discovered on and off since the 20s.
Now dig out
| > your atlas and draw some pipelines across places you don't want
to be near
| > to ports that don't exist. If you can do it for under $30 a
barrel, OPEC is
| > in deep doodoo. Unfortunately, not until then.
| >
| > Dick
| BAKU-AZERBAIJAIN region is an old oil province, produced a lot
under the
| old Soviet Union, infastructure is just not there to move oil west.
| Some Pipelines move north but very limited and hostile territory,
old
| equipment, very disappointing.
| 73 de Martin (Offshore Oil is MY GAME) N5PZJ

4426. Re: Something's terribly wrong!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsioi$96t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110964

In article <8fsgt0$75r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> You must be very excited to see your name emblazed on this forum Doc,
> for once a dream come true,your top dog, buddy.
hay doc you better watch out buddy you might turn out to be davids good
buddy.
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

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4427. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516181530.20564.00002936@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110965

The idiot (AF2Y, charlie) doesn't give a damn about the Fourth Amendment either.
Why don't you just move your ass somewhere else charlie? You don't like the way this country is...the "freedoms" it stands for....the Constitution...get out....there must be some place better you like.
charlie tuna spewed
>Frisk them, seize an unregistered weapon and toss them in jail. This will
>harass the hell out of them, right?

sounds like you want a nazi germany to me ol man.. are you crazy or what?

4428. Re: AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsj5v$9b5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110966

In article <8fsgli$6kr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> I would love to civil union you Roger, yes I do have great talents I
> could reserve us a room on our Sodom Pond retreat, you get me going
when
> you call me those names.
LOOKS LIKE ROGERPOO FOUND HIMSELF A NEW FRIEND .

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4429. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?) RESPONSE to Private email from BRIAN KELLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <069d4640.80fb2417@usw-ex0107-055.remarq.com>
Source record: 110967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

Actually, I agree that we as hams need to be more ready to
change. While he may be too harsh, I disagree on the following.
I'm a ham and want change. I don't mind if a scanner user
becomes a ham.

Beyond the bickering, there is a point. Now don't get me wrong.
Let's keep hope. Yet, everyone knows Ham radio is not as
advanced as many other technical hobbies.

Remember, to each his own. If you're happy with the status quo,
then God bless you.

So IMHO, we need innovation *AND* the rules to back it up. This
includes a revaluation of ecryption and further innovation where
two said mutually exclusive benifits can be made to work
together. For example have (at least a level of) encryption and
still keep business out.

What can we do about it??????????????????

73

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4430. Re: AF2Y: How Will Registration & Licensing Reduce Crime?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516182957.20564.00002938@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110968

Doc dipsht, i would not think most *men* would find it profane. I didn't realize that you were such a pansy candyass virgin. Excuuuse me! That must have made your eyes burn when you read that. Get off your high horse. You get on here and try to "insult" those that won't go along with your liberal whacko ideas with you.
Just answer the question.
How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime.

4431. Re: AF2Y: HOW will Licensing & Registration Reduce Crime?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516183408.20564.00002939@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110969

Doc your such a **hypocrite** here's a profane post from one of your buddies. Will you also condemn it as Profane which it seems to be. i wouldn't have pointed it out Roger except that it shows charlie as the **hypocrite** he is. Let's hear it charlie.
>From: KC8JBO

>Faglossi, why do you waste your cocksucking talent, or is that why
>you're opening your faggot inn?

4432. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516183522.20564.00002941@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110970

>Again, you can't even give a valid response!
>
>The rest of the nation that doesn't want brainless twits
>voting to remove basic Constitutional rights are asking you:
>
>How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?
>
>Let me repeat:
>HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?
>HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?
>HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?
>

4433. Re: AF2Y Just Answer the Question???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516183717.20564.00002942@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110971

How Will Registration & Licensing Reduce Crime??

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How Will Registration & Licensing Reduce Crime??

4434. F.S. HF Linear Amp SB-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nh7h@aol.comnojunk
Message-ID: <20000516184038.19068.00004463@nso-fg.aol.com>
Source record: 110972

F.S. *Heath kit SB-220 $500.00 + shipping
Oahu Hawaii.
HF Linear Amplifier/With Manual
Band coverage 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter Amateur Bands
Driving power required 100 watts
Maximum power input SSB: 2000 watts P.E.P
CW: 1000 watts.
RTTY: 1000 watts.
Duty Cycle .SSB: continuous voice modulation.
CW: Continuous (maximum key-down 10 minutes).
RTTY: 50% (maximum transmit time 10 minutes).
Power Requirements 120 AC, 50/60 Hz at 20 amps.
240 AC, 50/60 Hz at 10 amps
Net Weight…50 lbs.
Call 808 781-2622 leave a message

4435. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516185547.20555.00003349@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110973

Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive ol doc to delusional blabbering but here they are.

1. Far more kids kill themselves with bicycles than guns.

2. Only 2% of guns purchased at a gun show are used in crimes. Most of them were purchased legally at the time.

3. The majority of sales at gun shows are by commercial dealers - who follow the same check rules as in their gun shops.

4. Guns are used for self defense at least 2 million times a year. - 3 to 5 times more than for crimes.

5. The nine states with the lowest violent crime rates ALL have right to carry laws.

4436. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: LA8AK@online.no
Message-ID: <39206d6a.90491868@news.online.no>
Source record: 110974

On 14 May 2000 18:51:51 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Follow-ups set to just .misc...
>
> <wd1v@amsat.org> wrote:
>>The first amateur was Marconi
>
>I'd think he fall into the "professional" catagory rather than
>the "amateur" catagory. He had visions of $$$ in mind all the
>while he was perfecting his apparatus.

and he didn't seem to succeed in 1899, one could hardly distinguish
the scheduled morse letters from the background noise

wonder when they first succeeded in 2-way communication?

>Note that his equipment
>contained nothing original -- he utilized ideas and devices of
>the legions of inventors who came before him. (For example, in
>Blake's HISTORY OF RADIO TELEGRAPHY AND TELEPHONY, an encyclopeadia
>of early wireless circuits, Marconi's apparatus isn't presented
>until page 100 -- 99 pages of circuits and their descriptions
>come before him.) We can thank him for putting all the pieces
>together into a workable system.
>
>73, Jeff KH6O
>

73
jan-martin
LA8AK

4437. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsm1h$cl3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110975

In article <20000516185547.20555.00003349@ng-fb1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive
ol doc to
> delusional blabbering but here they are.
>
> 1. Far more kids kill themselves with bicycles than guns.
>
> 2. Only 2% of guns purchased at a gun show are used in crimes. Most
of them
> were purchased legally at the time.
>
> 3. The majority of sales at gun shows are by commercial dealers - who
follow
> the same check rules as in their gun shops.
>
> 4. Guns are used for self defense at least 2 million times a year. -
3 to 5
> times more than for crimes.
>
> 5. The nine states with the lowest violent crime rates ALL have right
to carry
> laws.
>
> >>>>>>> Also, let it be known, Doctors kill more people than
guns.<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

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4438. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsm1k$cl4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110976

In article <20000516185547.20555.00003349@ng-fb1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive
ol doc to
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guns.<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

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4439. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <si3lsbburj065@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110977

Actually, if we let the government take our guns, what's next? Ham bands? Just like New Zealand and Australia. If they take away the Constitutional right to keep and bear arms, what right is next? Maybe you do not care about that right, but what right do you care about? If they can take away one, they can take away more and something you will care about....but then it will be too late. Indeed, gun ownership and your ability to communicate with ham radio have a lot in common. You just have not seen it yet.

--

Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons

"TooManyRadios" <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000514111859.00590.00014868@nso-fi.aol.com...
> Nothing, except to enhance the growing public perception that ham radio
> operators are extremists, survivalists, anti-government fanatics, and
kooks.
>
> Please take these off-topic discussions to a more appropriate venue.
Those who
> wish to preserve our hobby do thank you in advance.
>

4440. Scanner Dweeb comic update (Episode 63)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannerdweeb@aol.comicstrip
Message-ID: <20000516193310.19987.00003591@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 110978

The 63rd episode of
The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb comic strip
titled " Scanning Dependents "
is ready for your viewing pleasure at:
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
Check out the archive too... to see the rest.
And thanks for your support of the hobby of radio !

"The Adventures of Scanner Dweeb"
http://www.ScannerDweeb.com
or
http://members.aol.com/ScannerDweeb
A comic strip about radio scanning.
Special monthly episodes can be seen
in Popular Communications magazine !

4441. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Bruhns <tom_bruhns@agilent.com>
Message-ID: <3921E058.806A8501@agilent.com>
Source record: 110979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Dan (and lurkers),

You bring back old memories. I got started in ham radio in a place where a lot of the kids had way less than I did, and I didn't have all that much. But one of the fellows who got his license when I got mine did quite well with some home-made equipment. He talked (on CW) 3000 miles across the country with a very simple transmitter and receiver. The receiver was a regenerative set with one or two tubes. We used to get parts from scrapped TV sets and radios. You can do the same sort of thing now with transistors. I'd be surprised if you couldn't get all the parts you need for free. If you were nearby, I'd gladly give you old boards with plenty of parts to do everything you need, except perhaps tuning capacitors, but hey, I'd even throw in something you could use for that if you were serious. I'll bet you can find 'lectronics 'sperimenters and the like in your area that will give you all sorts of stuff.

I've listened to broadcast stations from about 1000 miles away at night with a "crystal set." OK, I cheat: my "crystal" is a semiconductor diode, and I follow that with a simple audio amplifier. But you can learn a lot from something so simple: you can learn about tuned circuits and how to make high Q coils to keep losses low but still reject local stations.

There are web sites with all sorts of simple receiver ideas. I'm sure others will post some pointers for you, or you can just do a web search.

Cheers,
Tom

Daniel Hopkins wrote:
>
> Hello and thanks in advance from a beginner.
>
> I wanted to know how inexpensively one could buy or build a receiver (for
> any frequency), even a single frequency receiver.
>
> I have limited experience with electronics but I do okay.
>
> Thanks again.
>
> Dan Hopkins

4442. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3921E248.4598C949@oio.net>
Source record: 110980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Daniel,
That depends on what you may have in your 'junk-box'.
It's possible to build a very simple reciever for zero
dollars, and then again, it can cost a lot more than
buying a new one.
If your very close to a broadcast station, a diode
and a set of earphones will/can receive it....
'Doc

4443. Re: Ham Radio Operators Help Rescue Boat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39220DD5.EB5B041B@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110981

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Ham radio operators on the island of Hawaii and on Fanning Island in
> the Republic of Kiribati worked together last week to help the Coast
> Guard rescue a group of teachers adrift in the Pacific.

Now if we could only get those ham operators, or other ham operators
in general, to join the Coast Guard Auxiliary, they could have contacted
the Coast Guard directly using their radio (on Coast Guard frequencies).

The Coast Guard Auxiliary is actively seeking volunteer civilian radio
operators, or any other US citizen, to assist with its missions. Boat
ownership is not a requirement (there are plenty of other missions -
public education, radio watch standing, etc.). All that is required is
a willingness to help.

If you're interested, please check out the Coast Guard Auxiliary web
site at...

http://www.uscg.mil/hq/g-o/cgaux/default.htm

Click on the "Coast Guard Auxiliary" link on the right (scroll down)
to find the local Flotilla in your area. The officers in that Flotilla
can answer any questions you might have and will start your membership process.

By the way, sorry to use your post for a membership appeal, Jeffrey.
But it seemed too good of an opportunity to pass up.

Dwight Stewart, SO-CS

Division Comm. Services Officer
U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary
Division 4, District 13

4444. Re: FCC Callsign Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392210DE.ECC554C1@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110982

Jimmy John wrote:
>
> Gov'mint workers? Ooooh, cheap shot ;-)

Lol. I like that, Jimmy. Yep, there were thousands of applications turned in, but only three actually got done. The FCC employees were on break the rest of the time.

Reminded me of the last time I went to vehicle registration. I had number 234, the clerks were helping number 72, and they all went on break. It wasn't funny at the time (the gun discussions in this group comes to mind), but now I laugh at the total laziness of those people. Nothing seems to get them to move fast (including more than a hundred unhappy people standing there giving them mean looks).

Dwight Stewart

4445. Re: Want: QST Magazines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Beerman <rbeersr@ev1.net>
Message-ID: <39218078.22CED072@ev1.net>
Source record: 110983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Brian.... There are yours. I'm in Houston. Mine go back to the mid 70's.
What say? I'm looking to use the room for other things. Dick W5AK

Brian Mileshosky wrote:

> Hello Everyone,
>
> I am looking for QST magazines -- in decent shape -- from *at
> the latest* the 1970's for a collection. I'm especially interested in
> any issues prior to the 70's!
>
> If you are looking to get rid of your box of QST's, I'll be
> happy to reimburse for shipping and/or a reasonable cost for the
> magazines.
>
> Please email direct. Thanks!
>
> 73,
> Brian, N5ZGT

4446. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fq36m$fi5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111028
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <8fk8jn$c16$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> >The government auctioned off our national resources when
> >they opened up the the VHF/UHF portions of the spectrum to the
highest
> >bidder
>
> You mean the Technician license failed its intended purpose? Pity.
> What are *you* doing to protect our upper spectrum?

On the contrary, the Nocode Technician license has definately helped.
The loses of frequency we are talking about occurred before the Nocode
Technician license was instituted - and you know it.

Stewart - N0MHS

> 73, Jeff KH6O
>

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4447. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fq3j3ppi1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111029

KK4TL <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote:
>Jeff makes it too easy:
>>73, Jeff KH6O (I keep my weapons in the Coast Guard armory)

>That's great. While the intruder is raping your wife and / or daughter, you
>can run over to the armory and get your piece.
>Surely he'll wait around till you get back. Intruders are noble people, and
>they'd never think of fleeing the scene before getting what they deserve.

I think I stand a better chance of a meteorite crashing into the
condo and a green alien shooting me with his ray gun than your
scenario occurring. Home invasions don't happen here in Hawaii.

You guys live in such fear that I'm surprised if you ever leave your
dwellings. Consider moving to a safer neighborhood instead of day-
dreaming of being a Texas Ranger.

73, Jeff KH6O

4448. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs. how will registration & licensing reduce crime?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515201415.20539.00003062@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111030

AF2Y Charlie:, answer the question. "How Will Registration and Licensing reduce crime?" Tell us Charlie. LOL

It won't !

4449. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515201610.20539.00003064@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111031

answer the question Charlie.
How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime? Tell Us charlie. LOL

4450. Re: Guns and AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515201812.20539.00003065@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 111032

JUST answer the damn question ol man.
Charlie, How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime? Tell Us Charlie.
LOL

4451. Eat more fiber (was: AF2Y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fq4e3$qq9$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111033

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Jeff I think that your reading comprehension
> lacks. YOU *tried* to say that I said
>"Guns don't kill" I never said that,

KK7HO forgot that he wrote:
"Blaming gun-deaths on guns is ... illogical..."

>and it wouldn't matter if I did. The
>gentleman is right - your twitlisted - killfiled or whatever.
>Jeff you are a devious LIAR.

Gee, what a sore loser. Folks, Tim is a perfect example of what happens
if you don't get enough fiber in your diet -- you become grouchy and
easily prone to anger. Fiber is said to be "Nature's vacuum cleaner"
and poor Tim is in need of cleaning -- he's all plugged up.

Let's summarize what transpired:

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Sorry Jeff but DO NOT attribute something someone else wrote to me.
>THOSE are not my words. How you came to the conclusion I posted that
>is beyond me. Regardless, I did not write that and you should apologize.

But a few hours later, he recanted the above with:

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
>Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here,

See what a fiber deficiency can do to a person? Poor Tim can't recall
what he wrote.

73, Jeff KH6O

4452. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fq5dk$rv4$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111034

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>In article <8fmv1mbqd1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>>kk7ho@aol.communicate says...

>>>>Jeff I'll take credit for posting it here.
>>>> Regardless, and I'll take credit for placing it here, but you still twist
>>>>and spin a person every word, you should be working for Carvel.
>>>> Now that you've had some fun, can you make a cogent point without the spin
>>>>and ridiculous semantics

>>>No, he can't. He'd rather post idiotic statements about individuals owning
>>>weapons of mass destruction, which is something no sane person would ever
>>>condone.

>>Just stiring the pot, Tom. It's so easy to get you all riled up.
>>But you'll never find me calling you or anyone else derogatory names,
>>though. Gentlemen don't do that.

>Sorry, but I'm not a gentleman when it comes to people spouting stupid
>bullshit.

Easy there, buddy. This is all in fun -- don't be so grouchy. It seems
I've found a weakness in some pro-Second folks' stance.

>>Devil's advocate mode on:
>>Again, either every possible weapon should be available to the

>There you go saying "should" again.

But Tim claims that weapons can't be blamed for killing so what do you
have to fear? If all possible weapons are available to all citizens,
everyone is on equal footing. Afterall, this is the basis of you arming
yourself in the first place.

>>citizens, or none should. Why draw an artificial line allowing just
>>handguns and rifles? Tim implies that guns can't be blamed for gun
>>deaths, so surely weapons don't cause deaths; we should be able to
>>own anything.

>Then let's use your twisted logic and ban everything that has the *potential*
>for being used as a weapon. That would include baseball bats, glass bottles and
>even playing cards. (I saw a guy throw one and stick it one inch into a
>two-by-four. Imagine if that were a person!)

You could lock yourself up in your home and hide from such "weapons."
Yet a projectile would still be able to find you.

73, Jeff KH6O

4453. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fq67esmd1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

<horseshoestew@my-deja.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>>Someone wrote:

>>>The government auctioned off our national resources when
>>>they opened up the the VHF/UHF portions of the spectrum to the
>>>highest bidder

>> You mean the Technician license failed its intended purpose? Pity.

>On the contrary, the Nocode Technician license has definately helped.
>The loses of frequency we are talking about occurred before the Nocode
>Technician license was instituted - and you know it.

Oh, so now you're saying that we don't have to fear any loss of spectrum, and those worrying about auctions need not be concerned; thus, we can increase licensing standards again. Great!

(Geez, I'm getting like Cecil now -- hopping back and forth over the fence.)

Jeff

4454. Re: AF2Y: OH MY GOD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515210647.13560.00002040@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 111036

It's you that everyone thinks is "dopey" and "funny" Charlie.

4455. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fq8ed$l97$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111037

Again, you can't even give a valid response!

The rest of the nation that doesn't want brainless twits
voting to remove basic Constitutional rights are asking you:

How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?

Let me repeat:
HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?
HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?
HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?

Where's your *blinding* intellect now?

My guess is you will reply with more childish and evasive
responses.

Typical Liberal bullshit from a typical Liberal bullshitter.

In article <8fq60u$ag2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Don't ask me questions, Nuts and Volz. You wouldn't be able to
understand
> logic anyway.
>
> ----------
> In article <20000515201610.20539.00003064@ng-fb1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>
> > answer the question Charlie.
> > How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime? Tell Us charlie.
LOL
>

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4456. ** FLEA at MIT ** Sunday May 21st Cambridge MA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1gsl@mit.edu
Message-ID: <3920a0f0$0$10885@senator-bedfellow.mit.edu>
Source record: 111038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,sci.electronics.misc,ne.forsale,ne.general,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Subject: ** FLEA at MIT ** Sunday May 21st Cambridge MA
Summary: Buy Sell SWAP Ham Radio Electronics Computers 9AM - 2PM

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4457. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515212155.13560.00002046@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 111039

One of the funniest sites I've seen and pretty much -right on. LOL.
Is she going to get her ticket.....??

4458. Re: AF2Y: OH MY GOD!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fq940mbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111040

No, (you're wrong again, as usual)

I just think you are a blind lemming devoid of vision and you
posess a wholesale lack of conceptual grasp of cause and effect.

Just holding up a mirror to you, and goshgollygee Mrs. Cleaver,
Beaver doesn't like what he sees!

Answer the question:
HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?
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HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?

It's the farthest thing from "funny" that you vote to
desecrate the Constitution, but can't even answer as
to how your vote will change things for the better.

Dope? Yep, in every mirror you look in.

So, answer the audience:
HOW WILL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING REDUCE CRIME?

In article <8fq65c$42m$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Concerned Americans are deeply troubled by gun violence and this
schmuck
> thinks it's funny. Hams must be the dopiest bastards in the world or
is it
> confined just to the United States?
> AF2Y
>
> ----------

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4459. Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515213450.23654.00002867@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111041

Jews For The Preservation of Firearms Ownership, Inc.
P.O. Box 270143
Hartford, WI 53207

Phone (414) 673-9745
Fax (414) 673-9746

Gun Confiscation is NOW in the California Reich
By Richard W. Stevens, Esq.

California’s attorney general is paying gun owners $230 to sell their fundamental rights. Once a whore sells her virtue, she cannot buy it back at any price. You can’t buy back lost rights at any price.

It was right out of the pages of a police state manual. First there was mandatory registration of certain named "assault weapons." Anyone who wanted to keep one of the named firearms must have owned it prior to June 1, 1989, and had to register it by March 30, 1992. Registration gave the state a list of owners.

The Attorney General’s Gotcha!

Many owners of the named firearms did not comply with the law, so Attorney General Dan Lundgren allowed persons to register them after the deadline. Fearing criminal penalties for possessing an illegal firearm, many owners reported their firearms under Lundren’s "amnesty" program.

In August 1998, however, a California appellate court held the Attorney General could not legally allow the gun owners to register their weapons after the March 1992 deadline. That ruling came after many owners had already identified themselves by registering late. The Attorney General had led the law- fearing lambs into a trap: citizens had voluntarily informed the state that they were felons.

Meanwhile, in May 1999, California Secretary of State Bill Lockyer offered to buy the liberty of California citizens. Paying a flat rate of $230 per trick, the state would "buy back" any SKS Sporter semi-automatic rifle (with a "detachable magazine") that was purchased by its owner between 1992 and 1997. The Governor signed a bill in September 1998 which protected the owners from being prosecuted ... if they turned in the SKS weapons. Call this "confiscation light."

Then California lawmakers passed SB 23. On January 1, 2000, any Californian who possesses a magazine-fed centerfire rifle or carbine may be guilty of a felony. The 1989 law banned weapons only by their names -- the 1999 law bans all such firearms by their features (e.g. pistol grip, thumbhole stock, flash

suppressor).

Registration Begets Confiscation

The California Department of Justice has already prepared the confiscation letter. Guess who will get the letter? The form letter itself says it will go to those citizens who were listed in "the Department of Justice's assault weapon registration file." The people who registered during the previous Attorney General's "amnesty" are on the list.

The Internet news service, WorldNetDaily, obtained unreleased copies of the confiscation letter. To the registered gun owners, the letter reads: "If you possess a prohibited assault weapon ... but you did not register the weapon until after March 30, 1992, you may be subject to criminal prosecution. You are advised to relinquish the assault weapon to a police or sheriff's office..."

Compensation for owners? None. The state's plan is to give the gun owners 90 days to turn in their semiautomatic rifles -- and get nothing.

Learn the Enemy Strategy

Firearms makers and owners must learn to spot the enemy strategy instantly. Here is how it works:

(1) Identify a certain limited class of guns by name, design style or appearance. Give them a wicked name (e.g. Saturday Night Special, "assault weapon," machine gun, etc.)

(2) Register the owners of the limited class of guns.

(3) Expand the limited class of guns that must be registered.

(4) Permit current owners of newly-regulated guns to "escape" legal trouble by registering promptly.

(5) Declare some of the "limited" class of guns illegal, but offer to pay the owners to make it look "fair."

(6) Confiscate all of the "limited" class of guns, without compensation, to "close the loophole" in the gun law. Use the registration list to send letters first, and government agents next.

This procedure mimics that of the Nazi German anti-Jewish laws. First the laws were limited in scope and application. People tried to obey the laws, thinking that the laws would not get worse. Soon the laws expanded and became more severe. Still the people kept trying to adapt to avoid punishment. Eventually the laws mandated the "final solution" to "close the loopholes" through which many Jews were managing to survive despite the Nazi's legal oppression.

You just saw registration lead to confiscation this year in America's most populous state. Now will you fight back?

4460. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515213652.23654.00002870@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111042

Just answer the question. How Will Registration and Licensing reduce Crime??

Come on liberal dipshit let's here it. LOL
NO Answer - HUH

4461. af2y Charlie Just Answer the Question, if u can...LOL :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000515214002.23654.00002871@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 111043

How Will Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime??? LOL

4462. Re: Rachel (how to e-mail Rachel?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Froot Loops ARC <yicy812@arrl.org.an.ism>
Message-ID: <k02U4.1076$uS2.80404@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 111044

HEY!

How does one e-mail Rachel?

Her Tommy Toob page is hilarious!!

Nailed the "3850 smelly-cheep-garbagepickin-old-farts Net" reel good!

She has some SWL responses but no way to
post or send more! HEY RACHEL, put in a regular guestbook
and start advertising the Tommy Toob Page!

Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8fmvlu$k7k$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net...
> Anyone lave a link to that page ?
> I heard its funny, and would like to read (judge it) it for myself.
> Last nite the guys she goofs on usually 3850-3860 were talking about
seeing
> flying saucers.
> What a great nite funny time group.

4463. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <8fqd4n$531@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 111045
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 2000 - ILLINOIS
last updated March 27, 2000

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, John Wass KA9QJX, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

MAY 2000

May 6 (Sat) - Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee RC Hamfest, Circle B Recreation Center (St. Hwy 60 and Ozaukee Cty I) Admission $4. VEC Exams 9AM-Noon. Info: AA9HR (262)377-2137 (6PM-8PM), email aa9hr@execpc.com or write O.R.C. Swapfest Committee, 1702 Holly Lane, Grafton, WI 53024

May 7 (Sun) - Sandwich, IL - DeKalb Hamfest; Sandwich Fairgrounds (intersection of Suydam and Gletty roads). 8AM - 1PM, admission - $6.00, 2 indoor buildings. No VEC testing. Talk-in on 146.730/- or 146.520. Info: W9ICU at (815)895-3219, email W9ICU@tbcnet.com.
http://tbcnet.com/~jleonard/hamfest.htm

May 13 (Sat): Manitowoc, WI - Lakeshore Hamfest, Mancorad RC. Manitowoc County Expo Center, intersection of HWYS 42-15 and I-43 on County R. Starts 8AM. VEC exams at Silver Lake College, Hwy 151 West (regestration closes at 9 AM). Admission $5. Talk-in 146.61/-. Info: Red (920)684-3733 or Fred (920)682-9264. Mancorad Radio Club, P.O. Box 204, Manitowoc, WI 54221-0204.

May 19-21 (Fri-Sun): Dayton, Ohio - Dayton Hamvention; Hara Arena. Admission $22 (advance - $16) for three days; talk-in on 146.94/- , 146.91/-. Biggest hamfest in USA. Info: call (937)276-6934 or write Hamvention, Box 964, Dayton, OH 45401-0964. Email: info@hamvention.org or see web page http://www.hamvention.org

May 20 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

May 21 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm Rd. & Manchester Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Adults $6, children $2.

May 28 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JUNE 2000

Jun 4 (Sun): Princeton - IL Starved Rock RC. Bureau County Fairgrounds. Exit 56 from I-80. Admission $7 (ouch!) at gate. Talk-in 146.955, -600, PL103.5 Hz. info: AL Erbrederis, tel. 1-815-498-9675, 262 Easy St., Somanauk IL.60552. ERB.N9PIB@juno.com. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks. E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 11 (Sun): Wheaton, IL - Six Meter Club of Chicago. http://cyberconnect.com/orion/smcc.html. Info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Avenue, Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. Tel: 630-963-4922 or 708-442-4961 . Email: wa9rij@mc.net

Jun 24 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jun 25 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

JULY 2000

Jul 8 (Sat): Oak Creek, WI - South Milwaukee ARC. American Legion Post 434, 9327 South Shepard Ave. Admission $5. Talk-in 146.52 MHz. Info, call (414)762-3235.

Jul 9 (Sun): Peotone, IL - Kankakee Area Radio Society, Will County Fairgrounds. I-57 to Peotone exist 327 (East). Free parking. Talk-in 146.94 MHz. http://www.w9az.com. Admission $5. Info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. Tel: 815-939-7548. Email: k9nr@juno.com

Jul 15 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Jul 23 (Sun): Sugar Grove, IL - Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. Admission $5. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html Info: Maurice Schietecatte,

W9CEO, 813 Cindy Lane, Sandwich, IL 60548. Tel: 815-786-2860. Email: w9ceo@arrl.net (good, small to midsized ham-fest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 2000

Aug 12 (Sat): Quincy, IL - Western Illinois ARC. http://www.qsl.net/w9awe. Info: Jim Funk, N9JF, PO Box 3132, Quincy, IL 62305-3132. Tel: 217-336-4191 . Email: jfunk@adams.net

Aug 13 (Sun): Peotone, IL - 66th Annual Hamfesters Hamfest. Will County Fairgrounds. 45 mintues from Downtown Chicago, take I-57 to Peotone Exut 327 (East). 35 acres of free parking. 14,200 square feet of exhibits open at 8 AM. Flea market open at 6 AM to 3 PM. No additional charge for flea market space. Rain or shine -six covered pavilions for Flea Market. Tickets are $4.00 in advance with double stub, $5.00 at gate with single stub. Children under 12 free. Advance ticket sales and information: SASE and check by July 25th, Christine Mack, PO Box 2161, Oak Park, IL 60303. tel. 708-358-1786, email: christine1@mediaone.net. Talk in on 146.52 simplex and 146.64-(107.2) Stars Repeater

Aug 19 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Bel-videre Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Aug 27 (Sun): Danville, IL - Vermilion County ARA. Info: Gary Denison, KA9SKS, 14704 East 2750 North Road, Danville, IL 61834-5610. Tel: 217-759-7389 . Email: gdenison@danville.net

Aug 27 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

SEPTEMBER 2000

Sep 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Bel-videre Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Sep 16 & 17 (Sat & Sun): Peoria, IL - Peoria Area ARC. Info: Ron Morgan, KB9NW, or John Coker, N9FAM, both c/o: PO Box 3508, Peoria, IL 61612-3508. tel: (309)692-3378. Email kb9nw@juno.com or n9fam@juno.com. http://www.peoriasuperfest.com

Sep 23 & 24 (Sat & Sun): Grayslake, IL - Chicago FM Club Radio Expo. Lake County Fairgrounds.

http://www.chicagofmclub.org. Admission $8, good both days. Info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Avenue, Norridge, IL 60706. Tel: 708-457-0966, Email: mbrost@cin.net (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

Sep 24 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

OCTOBER 2000

Oct 14 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Oct 22 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

NOVEMBER 2000

Nov 5 (Sun): Davenport, IA - Davenport Radio Club. Iowa National Guard Hanger, Mt. Joy Airport. Talk-in 146.88 MHz repeater. http://www.gwltd.com/hamfest

Nov 18 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

Nov 18, 19 (Sat, Sun): Ft. Wayne, IN Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo. Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society. 2000 Indiana ARRL State Convention. Allen County War Memorial Coliseum Exposition Center. Hours 9 AM - 4 PM EST Sat, 9 AM - 3 PM EST Sun. Admission $5 plus $2 parking. http://www.acarts.com

Nov 26 (Sun): Glen Ellyn, IL - Computer Central Show (see below). College of Dupage. Corner of Park Blvd. & College Rd. 9:30 AM - 3 PM. Admission $6, children $2.

DECEMBER 2000

Dec 16 (Sat): Grayslake, IL - Computer Country Expo (see below). Lake County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Rt. 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Rt. 45. 4 miles west of I94. Admission $6, or $5 with discount coupon available at WebSite.

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5

admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are held by Micro Media, Inc. Shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (708)974-3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies, games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors, diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables, expansion boards, services, etc. Lake County Fairgrounds, Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet. For a show map, exhibitor info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at http://www.ccxpo.com.

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4464. Dayton Nightlife ?? Clubs etc ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3920bb7a.321843@news.usol.com>
Source record: 111046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Anyone familiar with the Dayton area know of or can recommend a _decent_ nightclub (say oldies rock and current top 40 etc) for some after the hamfest relaxing ? The evenings are kind of boring, I'm a night owl anyway and it sounds good to toss back a few Diet Cokes (I'm diabetic) and watch/meet some Dayton Dancin' girls :) .. Kindly skip the Gay/Biker/Country-Western/Dirt-Floor type establishments, just not my cup of tea.

TIA & see ya there ...

4465. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3920bec0.716339@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 111047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

On 16 May 2000 00:54:06 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

><horseshoestew@my-deja.com> wrote:
>> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>>>Someone wrote:
>
>>>>The government auctioned off our national resources when
>>>>they opened up the the VHF/UHF portions of the spectrum to the
>>>>highest bidder
>
>>> You mean the Technician license failed its intended purpose? Pity.
>
>>On the contrary, the Nocode Technician license has definately helped.
>>The loses of frequency we are talking about occurred before the Nocode
>>Technician license was instituted - and you know it.
>
>Oh, so now you're saying that we don't have to fear any loss of spectrum,
>and those worrying about auctions need not be concerned; thus, we can
>increase licensing standards again. Great!

Anyone that believes for an instant that there is ever
a guarantee that spectrum will not be coveted
by other entities is an idiot. The political winds
can change in aheartbeat and the only thing to
do is stay vigilant and do our best to show that we,
as hams, are making good use of what we have been
given. That means there is NO one answer to
offer up as a means of defending our spectrum.
There must be a cohesive and multifaceted set
of reasons to do so.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

4466. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <3920B78D.4045@some.net>
Source record: 111048

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> Don't ask me questions, Nuts and Volz. You wouldn't be able to understand
> logic anyway.

Translation: "I haven't a clue as how to answer your question."

4467. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio. (Why should I care?) RESPONSE to Private email from BRIAN KELLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <3920B90D.5769@some.net>
Source record: 111049
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Sycho_Graphics wrote:
> I was thinking of doing something with HAM radio but
> after my experiences with HAM operators I guess I am proud to be called a
> "SCANNER FREAK" by one of you.

Your making the decision to not get a license is the best thing that
could happen to ham radio.

4468. Ham Radio Operators Help Rescue Boat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fqot9$ip2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 111050

From Sunday's Honolulu-Advertiser newspaper:

HAM RADIO OPERATORS HELP RESCUE BOAT

Ham radio operators on the island of Hawaii and on Fanning Island in the Republic of Kiribati worked together last week to help the Coast Guard rescue a group of teachers adrift in the Pacific.

The five Fanning Island teachers were aboard a 36-foot outrigger canoe on a day-long fishing trip Wednesday when the canoe's engine failed, said Lt. Michael Wessel of the Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center in Hawaii.

Fanning Island is about 1,000 miles southeast of Hawaii and a few hundred miles northwest of Easter Island.

A relative reported the missing boat to a ham operator on Fanning Island who, in turn, reported it to a ham operator on the island of Hawaii. The Hawaii operator reported the missing canoe to the Coast Guard at 5 p.m. Thursday.

After coordinating with the U.S. embassy in the Republic of Kiribati to assure fuel would be available on Easter Island, the Coast Guard dispatched a C-130 from Oahu at 5 a.m. Friday. The airplane arrived in the area at 9 a.m. and found the boat at noon.

The aircraft crew dropped food and water to the teachers, as well as a radio and beacon. They then contacted the coastal freighter Matangare on Washington Island in Kiribati. The freighter rescued the crew and salvaged the boat Saturday.

Jeff KH6O

4469. Re: Something's terribly wrong!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: stan <stan2@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <7Z7U4.38162$wz3.126715@newscontent-01.sprint.ca>
Source record: 111051

Well then why will my CB radio not get further than 2 miles?
Perhaps there are not as many hams.

Just a thought with all the interest in computers why are my news
groups shrinkging I just deleted 20 more news groups where no one
posts.

"Steve" <mundyusa1@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:39227abe.10026472@news.usol.com...
>
> I agree it's not very good for some reason ? I remember operating
in
> the mid / late 70's and the propagation was great. If I didn't
know
> better I'd suspect we were at a solar minimum right now instead of
> near a peak.
>
> On Mon, 15 May 2000 14:33:35 -0400 (EDT), BurkSWL@webtv.net
(Donald
> Burkhart) wrote:
>
> >With the Solar Flux and the sunspot numbers in the mid
200's...our
> >propagation ought to be kicking ass right now! The A index and K
index
> >have not been that high to disrupt the bands as severely as
they're
> >being disrupted. And no, my antennas are not disconnected...like
the
> >other fella's problem.
> >I'm not a conspiracy nut, but I'm beginning to think there is
something
> >to this HARP stuff regarding its use to disrupt communications.
Any
> >further details on this theory??
> >
> >73's from Don B.
>

4470. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fr3f7iep1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

In article <0bcac2bc.6a73699f@usw-ex0102-014.remarq.com>,
PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid> wrote:
> You're either part of the problem or part
> of the solution. Innovate, innovate, inovate. Change, change,
> change. Help or get out if the way.

I hate those absurd and realistic "motivation" sayings.

> In a word we need to
> spearhead wireless broadband! In addition we need to stand
> together in order to restructure the FCC rules for it.

I don't agree. Putting all eggs in one basket, wireless broadband or not is not the answer. I see this sort of tunnel vision as no different from the "Morse Code or Nothing" syndrome. On the other hand, there is nothing wrong with updating the regulations and bandplans to accomodate these activities in a compatible way.

What Amateur Radio needs is an environment where Amateurs are accepted for what THEY want to do, not because it suits the fetish of one of more groups of indivisuals. The biggest problem that the hobby faces is its own members! There is one group saying that anyone who doesn't know Morse to my standard; or pass the same exam as I did, are knuckle dragging apes, now there is the "If you aren't into broadband, you are a fossil, holding it back".

Prospective Amateurs who listen to or read what Amateurs say about themselves have more than enough reasons to question whether it is a hobby to worth getting into. There was some young fellow in a recent post blowing off a lot of hot air about that fact that Amateurs like to talk, but not to listen. Although he was an angry little ant, there was a kernel of truth buried in the volumes of waffle. As a group, we seem to be more interested in making sure that everyone else is made to like what we like, and resisting the efforts of others to make us like what they like. The bands are large enough for everyone to what they want. Even natur recognises that survival depends on diversity, not mono-culture.

To bastardise a quote "We have met the enemy, and they are us".

Mark,

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4471. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark_little_aus@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fr4gp$jl8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

In article <8fr3f7iep1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
>
>
> I hate those absurd and realistic "motivation" sayings.

Oops! That should have said "unrealistic".

Mark.

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4472. Motorola RSS software needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Morten Andreassen <morten.andreassen@wmdata.no>
Message-ID: <8fr3da$1mf$1@news.ost.eltele.no>
Source record: 111054

anyone got a copy of the RSS software for the Motorola GM950 radioto spare?

thanx in advance!

Morten

4473. Sayrosa 601 synthesiser info request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis A Nicole <dan@ecs.soton.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.1000516092513.930B-100000@felinfoel>
Source record: 111055

I and a colleague have received about 2.5 of these heavy 180MHz synthesizers with AM and FM, but without, we think, the sweep option. Is there anyone who might be able to let us have a copy of the schematic/manual? I'll pay for copyinmg---the usual manual shops do not carry it.

Denis A Nicole G8CYJ WWW: http://www.hpcc.ecs.soton.ac.uk/~dan
High Performance Computing Email: dan@ecs.soton.ac.uk
Department of Electronics Phone: +44 23 8059 2703
& Computer Science Fax: +44 23 8059 3903
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SO17 1BJ
United Kingdom

4474. pls help to find 2m/220 duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Typecast@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27252-39211231-3@storefull-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 111056

hello,
does anyone know a place to get a 2 meter - 220mhz duplexer for my mobil
for around 30 to 40 dollars?

thanks,
N0JAM

4475. Re: What does all this gun stuff have to do with ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris P. Mezzolesta" <mezzolesta@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <q4b2is4vf420tl1iunq0vf12opmbrcufde@4ax.com>
Source record: 111057

On Sun, 14 May 2000 20:39:01 GMT, W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC)
wrote:

>I don't think it comes under "perception". The public only has to
>read this newsgroup to find out about ham radio....

I came to this newsgroup to read about ham radio (as I'm trying to get back into the hobby) and found a shred of real ham information buried by political posturing and personal attacks. Basically this entire newsgroup is OT. Grow the f*** up folks! I can't believe that a rec.* group, with much more stringent creation criteria than an alt.* group, is a trashheap compared to the alt.ham-radio.* groups! The climate there is civil and friendly, if more sparse than this group, but the S/N ratio is nothing there compared to here...

Rant aside, I very much enjoyed hamming in the 70s-80s and now would like to rejoin the hobby, and am learning what's new past the restructuring (which I just found out about); arrl.org has basically so much info, someone else has mentioned on-line practice testing, anyone have info where that might be; and how to incorporate my Yaesu FT-101EX into a "new millennium"-type of shack, what else I'd need to really be able to operate well, etc. (I am now in my own house rather than my parents', so I can put up whatever I damn well please :-))

So is there anyone out there who is willing to post on a mature level and perhaps help out a guy who just wants to get some real ham discourse going? I have a lot to learn (or re-learn) as all I did was HF CW under my Novice ticket, so any advice (past "piss off and die") would be appreciated.

Chris
ex-KA2DQS
future 8, I hope

4476. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris P. Mezzolesta" <mezzolesta@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <g2c2isoam149egvjhdesl2njj7hsf6ujlb@4ax.com>
Source record: 111058

On Mon, 15 May 2000 15:15:18 GMT, w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:

>Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it
>should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble
>maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.

Your own words above are in themselves inflammatory and offensive - if you want to keep this group on amateur radio, fine, then please keep your non-ham-radio opinions to yourself and be the one to stop fanning the flames, how about?

Someone in another group mentioned on-line practice tests for ham license, is there any info on this, a URL? Thanks in advance.

4477. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Swift <jswift@up.net>
Message-ID: <392130A0.BF46985@up.net>
Source record: 111059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

i passed the general, advanced, and extra tests by only studying the question pools. i was disappointed in the quality of many of the questions, and have sent comments to arrl-vec about them.

because of the freedom of information laws and the need for standard question pools, studying for the test from the pools will always happen. this is not necessarily bad, though.

the 10-1 ratio of pool questions to test questions requires an examinee to do a lot of reading and if the questions are geared toward 'learning from your mistakes' rather than a memorization of formulae we can educate while we test.

Gary Danaher wrote:
>
> Still, the bottom line is that you were wanting to know just how much it
> would take you to "get by" and no more. Glad you learned more after the
> test, but that is a red herring. Don't feel badly though. You certainly
> aren't the only one to want things to be dumbed down.
>
> BD wrote:
> >
> > Well..... I forgot to add General in there, didn't I?... Sorry 'bout that.
> >
> > "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> > news:yaLT4.600$Ir2.23351@news.swbell.net...
> > > *I* asked that question, smart-donkey...
> > > If you must know, I initially passed the Tech, Tech Plus, and Advanced
> > tests
> > > in the same way, because I couldn't stay interested in something enough to
> > > learn it without actual use.. And just a few mnths ago, just to see if I
> > > could, I passed 'em all (nearly 99% on each) with actual working
> > knowledge,
> > > so "take that and stick it where the light don't shine," mr
> > high-n-mighty...
> > > Those tests are a bunch of cr*p.. 50 questions isn't enough to get a good
> > > 'read out' of your general knowledge of anything, much less something as
> > > broad as ham radio...
> > >
> > > "Gary Danaher" <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
> > > news:391F5586.1A1A48F0@home.com...
> > > > The question presented was 'how many questions do I have to get right in
> > > > order to pass?' The guy wasn't trying to ace the test and display his
> > > > electronic knowledge--he was just trying to get by. Another example of
> > > > how people try to avoid work and effort, just to get by. Maybe the vec's

> > > > should require 85% correct to pass?? If someone wants the ticket badly
> > > > enough, they might just make the effort and study a little.

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Houghton County Amateur Radio Emergency Service Army Mars: AAR5LD
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4478. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@home.com>
Message-ID: <392135E3.ADCC8F0D@home.com>
Source record: 111060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Now you resort to name calling? Who's retarded? Me, or someone who is proud of the fact that they are lazy and just want to get by? Can't get past your original point, no matter what you say or who you say it to. You just want to get by with the bare minimum. Next time you have to take a driving test, call ahead and find out how many questions you can miss and still get a license. People like you are a danger to the rest of us.

BD wrote:
>
> Why don't you go back to the funny-farm, retard?
>
> "Gary Danaher" <gdanaher@home.com> wrote in message
> news:3920765F.202B6F33@home.com...
> > Still, the bottom line is that you were wanting to know just how much it
> > would take you to "get by" and no more. Glad you learned more after the
> > test, but that is a red herring. Don't feel badly though. You certainly
> > aren't the only one to want things to be dumbed down.

4479. 5 simple steps for better ham radio. POST HERE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@urec.net>
Message-ID: <01bfbf2f$293b8d40$78c8a8c0@CBX-NT>
Source record: 111061
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Well, Mr. Poorly Hung,

I was not aware Amateur Radio was in such a great need to become
better......

Ops, You ARE RIGHT, seeing you have not followed Vince and turned in your
Badge.

Good bye Mr. Poorly Hung.

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And if anyone is reading this, this is an attempt to divert this thread off
of newsgroups where it does not belong. ditditditdahdidah

I still think some commercial interest is creating these posts. This guy
traces back to

209.138.209.34
grid.net

UUNET - MCI WorldCom - Atlanta Operations

4480. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Adams Apple" <coontail@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8frf6vuqq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <anti.arrl@arrl.sucks.org>,
integrity@arrl.sucks.org (Wouff Hong) wrote:
>
> Step 1: No more automatic renewals. Individuals must retest and
pass all elements required for their license class.

They've been trying to do this with the geriatric crowd for driver's
licenses for years, without success.

> Step 2: The passing score for written exams should be 90% not 70%

Ah, yes, big difference.. lets lower the requirements to can you
drool your name across the signature bar code line.

>
> Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.

Never happen! If anything the 5 wpm requirement is a token that will
be easy to simply do away with in a decade or so.

> Step 4: No-code license should be one year non-renewable.

All licenses should be sign your name on dotted line.

> Step 5: Remove negative influences by disbanding the ARRL.
>
> wouff hong
>

I'm quite certain ARRL wasn't promoting a 5wpm Universal HF license,
but they simply realized the FCC was not convinced code was a viable
examination requirement for HF.
Where in commericial radio is morse required or even used, except
perhpas as a beacon?

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4481. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Adams Apple" <coontail@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8frfdpvbr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

In article <07ac6448.1465b2e1@usw-ex0105-040.remarq.com>,
PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid> wrote:
> What you fail to realize is, inteligents and technical prowess
> do not exclude abusers and criminals. Sure, crime is not
> inteligent. Yet there are a lot a inteligent criminals out
> there. Like the ones who disrupt the repeater clubs. You'll
> never see them on "worlds dummest criminals". Stupidity isn't
> the problem. Lack of character is.
>
> So, a hard test isn't the answer. What we now have are a lot of
> inteligent asses.
>
> What is the answer. Enforcement, policing our own bands *with*
> FCC support, Inovation and change so to attract quality people.
> What do you think?
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!

Very funny. Quality people haven't been interested in Amateur Radio
for decades. Hahaha..
Its mostly poor old lonely farts who have a physical disability and some
blue moon contesters who sit and waste an entire weekend exchanging 59
ers.
-

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4482. Re: Is this a gun control forum, or amateur radio/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Adams Apple" <coontail@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8frflavfc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111064

In article <8fp49kbmh1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
w4fqf@my-deja.com wrote:
> From the posts I have been reading, this forum is being turned into a
> gun control forum by a misquided gadfly in Clifton N. J.
>
> Lets at least keep it confined to amateur radio. I don't think it
> should be platform for a non hunting, bleeding heart liberal, trouble
> maker who doesn't know one end of a gun from the other.
>
> W4FQF Since 1952
>
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Haven't you heard, Amateur Radio is a synonym for a cold gun and a Ku
Klux Klan hood. A new logo should be forth coming very soon.

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4483. Re: Question: Innovation in Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert A. Poff" <wb3awj@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <3921462B.6650CB04@blazenet.net>
Source record: 111065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

As I remember Phil Karn introduced TCP/IP for amateur radio at one of
long gone Mid-Atlantic Packet Radio Council meetings.... (the one held
in Savage, MD). I can't put a year on it. But at the time the TNC-2 was
rumored but not yet a reality.

It was an amateur radio adaptation of the existing TCP/IP. Just as AX.25
was
an amateur radio utilization of the existing X.25 transfer protocol.

However, I think Phil did a lot of development for TCP/IP in his job
(memory wants to say that he worked for Bell but I may be wrong)

If I root around in the attic I might be able to find the diskette
he gave out that day.

But going on from here....
While packet radio was what we could call a "reverse" development in
amateur radio, meaning something we adapted, it sure did open the door
for commercial development of mobile data services.

Bob Poff WB3AWJ
Engineer WSBA/WARM-FM

Dennis Ferguson wrote:
>
> Peter O. Brackett <ab4bc@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >In recent years we have such "amateurs" as...
> >
> >Phil Karn KA9Q...
> >
> > who almost single handedly introduced the Internet's TCP/IP protocol suite
> >to the modern personal computer [IBM clones as opposed to the Unix based
> >computers] by the release of his "KA9Q" TCP/IP "stack" as free ware. Many
>
> That might be stretching it. I think MIT's PCIP predated the KA9Q software,
> and probably had a larger base of commercial derivatives before CPU speeds
> outgrew them.

4484. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8frh2ibfl1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111066

I received some hate mail this morning, calling it the "Rat Crap" pages.

KK7HO wrote in message <20000515212155.13560.00002046@ng-ct1.aol.com>...
>One of the funniest sites I've seen and pretty much -right on. LOL.
>Is she going to get her ticket.....??

4485. FCC Callsign Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <39214C08.4C50A156@Telocity.com>
Source record: 111067

According to the WM7D's report there were only THREE callsigns either issued or modified on May 15. How can this be correct with all the changes that are supposed to be in the pipeline according to the ARRL and W5YI??

4486. AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8frkj0jnp1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111068

There's no excuse for receiving this type of e-mail.

Return-Path: <kk7ho@aol.com>
Received: from imo15.mx.aol.com ([152.163.225.5])
by hazard.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id
si19j3.j31.37kb01i
for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>; Mon, 15 May 2000 21:37:37 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from ladder07.news.aol.com (ladder07.news.aol.com [172.31.45.165])
by imo15.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.8/AOL-5.0.0)
with ESMTP id VAA06474 for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>;
Mon, 15 May 2000 21:36:52 -0400 (EDT)
From: kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 16 May 2000 01:36:52 GMT
References: <8fq60u$ag2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
Subject: Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question
Message-ID: <20000515213652.23654.00002869@ng-ce1.aol.com>

Just answer the question. How Will Registration and Licensing reduce Crime??

Come on liberal dipshit let's here it. LOL
NO Answer - HUH

Tossing profanity at anyone on the Internet is a violation of terms of ISP
service but I'll not report it to AOL. Answering him is out and so is
locking him out of my mailbox. I'll simply make my argument public.

It's a sad state of affairs in America when a person is for better gun
control and becomes, because of it, the target of profanity but isn't that
the usual modus operandi of an NRA rightwing stooge? It simply is the
mindset of those who follow the likes of Tom DeLay, Trent Lott, Dennis
Hasert and other top Republican meatheads who'd sell their souls for a vote.
Who'd jeapordize the health and wealth and every American thanks to some
bucks slipped under the table by Heston, LaPierre and their lackeys. Hell,
even George W. is for safety measures which surprises me since I didn't
think he had any idea there was a problem. Duh.

This Tim Volz is some character. Until now, I thought he was a friend whom I
supported in many arguments on this board. For weeks I've been getting his
e-mails telling me about a nutty rightwing Jewish orgnaization in Wisconsin
that loves guns and he expected me to buy such a dopey thesis. In society
we'll always find lunatic fringe groups who speak for no one but themselves
and Tim tried to convince me that they should speak for me. It's as crazy as
a religious group in the Vatican calling themselves, "Cardinals for

Pornography."

Sorry but there's no reason to use filthy language on the Internet just because it's supposedly unguarded. A decent give and take is always welcomed by me but not the type of e-mail just received from KK7HO. It serves to prove that he's as low class as those 3.950ers he chides. What a hypocrite he is!
AF2Y,Doc

4487. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs, you absolute coward

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8frl14$eg8$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111069

Mark Furman?

In article <392049D6.C7FE62B5@bctv.com>, Keith Wood <kw@bctv.com> wrote:

> Actually, you are quite wrong (again). My dad retired after a long
> career as a well-known detective with a major law enforcement agency.
> My mom was a court transcriber. Her dad was a member of the famous "Hat
> Squad" (the elite of the LAPD Robbery-Homicide detective bureau).

4488. Re: Something's terribly wrong!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8frl4j$8ij$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111070

Blame it on Riley Hollingsworth. He did it to lighten his work load!

In article <16802-392042FF-16@storefull-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
BurkSWL@webtv.net (Donald Burkhart) wrote:

> With the Solar Flux and the sunspot numbers in the mid 200's...our
> propagation ought to be kicking ass right now! The A index and K index
> have not been that high to disrupt the bands as severely as they're
> being disrupted. And no, my antennas are not disconnected...like the
> other fella's problem.
> I'm not a conspiracy nut, but I'm beginning to think there is something
> to this HARP stuff regarding its use to disrupt communications. Any
> further details on this theory??
>
> 73's from Don B.
>

4489. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8frleu$2e6$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111071

Frisk them, seize an unregistered weapon and toss them in jail. This will harass the hell out of them, right?

In article <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> "Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."

4490. AF2Y: oil prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8frlmu$7i2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 111072

Anyone hear Paul Harvey today? The OPEC stranglehold is broken! American, Russian and western European companies have just discovered a VAST amount of oil in the province of Kazahkstan Russia. Like 480 square miles of billions of barrels. Making nice to Putin is going to pay off. Sheikhs are going to hate vodka!

4491. Re: oil prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <nfdU4.475$ub6.762@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 111073

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news:8frlmu$7i2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
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billions
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> hate vodka!

That field has been being discovered on and off since the 20s. Now dig out your atlas and draw some pipelines across places you don't want to be near to ports that don't exist. If you can do it for under $30 a barrel, OPEC is in deep doodoo. Unfortunately, not until then.

Dick

4492. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: PreCool <precoolNOprSPAM@email.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0544ae95.5f088be3@usw-ex0105-037.remarq.com>
Source record: 111074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

Do not read your own opinions into what I wrote. If someone
wants to do only CW with "a paddle boat swing" or whatever, then
more power to them. Just do not stand in the way of innovation
doing it. My point is to intergrate both. Don't be afaid of that
change.

Thank you for the compliment that we can motivate and encourage
each other.

I did not say only wireless broadband. Yet, if you've been
keeping up you would know once you have broadband a whole world
of options are opend up to us.

You say.....

>To bastardise a quote "We have met the enemy, and they are us".
>
I say lets work together as hams not afraid of change. I suggest
us older folks leave a legacy that the younger folks can be
proud of. If nothing else, we must clear the way for innovation.
Today, most of the innovators just go where they can invent
without old out dated restrictions. Saddly away from Ham Radio.

Wirless broadband is the way of the future IMHO. It would be
nice if us supposed wirless experts would take us their.

Just look at cellular. Look haw they've take our ideas, applied
them with their own rules and now beat the pants off us (mostly)
for every day communications (except for the price charged).

73

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4493. Ever communicated with astronauts via ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbresnihan@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8frr0bcrd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111075

To anyone who's ever communicated with the skies via Ham Radio,

We are an Internet TV channel called spacewatch.com, and are currently in the process of making a show about how astronauts often communicate with others via Ham Radio. If there is anyone out there who has any experience with this, or knows anything about it, and would be available for interview, please e-mail me at ciara@spacewatch.com. I would be delighted to talk to anyone with any knowledge of this topic. At the moment the show is merely in the research stages, so any information at all would be appreciated.

Yours,
Ciara.

Ciara@spacewatch.com or cbresnihan@pseudo.com

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4494. Re: AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8frsij$eu0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111076

What a great guy you are Doc. What would we ever do without you.
You are so smart you need to get off this stupid forum and do some
writing for the New York Times or such. You have talent Doc dont waste
it here.

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4495. Re: Ever communicated with astronauts via ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8frst6fgl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111077

You might try The ARRL in Newington CT. They would be very willing to help you. Most of the hams who frequent this forum are the dregs of ham radio and not worth your concern. This is a childish display of a group of fools who cannot survive in the work force and are strung out here.
Why else would say AF2Y spend morning to night here? Useless garbage

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4496. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <pPeU4.102$16.4611@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 111078
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

> We might have to go back to building our own gear again, but that in
> no way will be detrimental; on the contrary, that will be good for the
> hobby/service in that only folks with technical interests will be
> licensed and on the air. (Before you criticize my last sentence, read
> the fundamental purpose of the ARS as written by the FCC, attached below;
> pay special attention to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d).)

I don't see that the FCC paid any "special attention" to (b), (c) and (d). If there is any emphasis to be inferred from reading that rule, it may be that the value of emergency communications is listed first. Paragraphs (c) and (d) give equal emphasis to the operating and the technical.

Most amateurs do not contribute to the Service equally in the operating and technical arenas, nor is it necessary that they do. Collectively, the Service meets its objectives, which I assume is quite acceptable to those who write the rules. IMHO, any change that kept "only" those with a technical interest in the Amateur Radio Service would be a bad thing if it excluded those with operating (and emergency communications) interests.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
> radio service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
> principles:
> (a) Recognition and enhancement of the value of the amateur service to
> the public as a voluntary noncommercial communication service,
> particularly with respect to providing emergency communications.
> (b) Continuation and extension of the amateur's proven ability to
> contribute to the advancement of the radio art.
> (c) Encouragement and improvement of the amateur service through rules
> which provide for advancing skills in both the communications and
> technical phases of the art.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio service
> of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
> (e) Continuation and extension of the amateur's unique ability to enhance
> international goodwill.
>

4497. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_dumbo@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8frv7l$ie5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111079

Once AGAIN KC8JBO insults the intelligence of all who post on this HAM
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> There have been quite a few geomagnetic disturbances lately.
> A good place to check is 18 minutes after each hour on WWV @ 2.5, 5.0,
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>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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RUDIMENTARY of all ham radio facts!!!!!!!

Here are a few MORE things HORSEHEAD might ENLIGHTEN OUR INTELLIGENCE
with in the next few weeks:

1. DON'T hold the HOT end of a soldering iron.
2. Bill Clinton is the president of the USA.
3. Grass is green.
4. Fish exist in water.
5. The 'ole GOAT is on her DEATHBED.

Go check the 'ole GOATS COLOSTOMY bag now, ELEPHANT BOY hohohoho.

'Da BULL

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4498. KC8JBO...the GENIUS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_village_idiot@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8frvasifb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111080

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4499. The WISDOM of KC8JBO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo_dumbo@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8frvd9igo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111081

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4500. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8frvf5$ij0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111082

In article <8frv7l$ie5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
kc8jbo_dumbo@yahoo.com wrote:
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"Forum," DUMBASS.
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Run along, little BOY..................
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4501. Re: KC8JBO...the GENIUS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8frvhfijm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 111083

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Well, how are _YOU_?

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4502. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fus8tsat1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110834

In article <8fugri$e9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > How Would Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?
> > He doesnt care about that. This guy loves to argue. He's a nut
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> who would say the sun rose in the west if you said it rose in the
east.
> Dont let him fool you:he was kicked off ham radio because of his
> obnoxious ways and now he is here stirring up anything he can.

Odd thing is. is that he _can't_ argue.

He makes an uneducated statement that most, if not all folks disagree with, then when he gets a response, he retorts with childish insults saying something about how stupid you are. If you ask him a question on _why_ he posts the original post, or _what_ the original post actually means, he then disintegrates (or hides).

Also, like a child, he will use simple diversionary tactics. Whenever he feels he needs to respond in an intelligent manner, he will nitpick on spelling, cussing, etc. and avoid the whole issue by re-focusing attention and making a big commotion out of any irrelevant thing he can grasp for.

He ought to run for President. I don't think we'd even notice the difference! =)

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4503. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8futtruff1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110835

In article <3922B3B5.599AF4E@ahole.com>,
General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> And usually released the next day to do the same. Criminals have
> "no" fear in our "justice" system.....
>

I second that. It's a joke, really.

Also, the laws in effect aren't even used, or they are abused.
"More laws" is not the answer. Less law-abiding citizen rights
is not the answer.

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4504. Re: Ever communicated with astronauts via ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8futvf$ug7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110836

In article <8fsg5e$614$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8fs02o$j9n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > In article <8frst6fgl1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > > You might try The ARRL in Newington CT. They would be very
willing
> to
> > > help you. Most of the hams who frequent this forum are the dregs
of
> > > ham radio and not worth your concern. This is a childish display
of
> a
> > > group of fools who cannot survive in the work force and are strung
> out
> > > here.
> > > Why else would say AF2Y spend morning to night here? Useless
> garbage
> > >
> > > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > > Before you buy.
> > >
> >
> > The question is..."Why are YOU here, then, Faglossi?"
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> > EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> > Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.
> >
>
> I love you Roger
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

Love is better than hate......learn from it, Grasshole, er, hopper.

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4505. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fuu54$uj1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110837

In article <8fus8tsat1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> In article <8fugri$e9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >
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> attention and making a big commotion out of any irrelevant thing he
can
> grasp for.
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> difference! =)

It couldn't be worse than the current one, eh? lol!!!!
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4506. Re: AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fuu7oujr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110838

In article <8fsgvp$777$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> qwertyzxcvbn';lk[]poi
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

Are you in love with Doc, Faglossi?
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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4507. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fuudjunj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110839

In article <8fs8ml$ti2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> In article <8fs192$kn7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> > > Times or speeches for Al Gore. You are truley
> >
> > "Truely"
>
> "truly" =)

Point! LOL!
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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4508. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fuuprvbe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110840

In article <8fsg1d$5ui$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> Oh Thanks Roger for correcting my spelling. Your a great guy just like
> Doc.

Anytime Jammer. When are you going to play your "digital recordings" on
frequency again?

> Again thanks and when I hear you sounding drunk and stoned on
> 14.313 I wont say a word.

Well, STUPID, 1)I don't drink or do drugs. 2) I haven't been on the HF
radio since the middle of April, and can back that statement up. 3)
Prove it was me or shut up.

>I would love to meet you sometime you sound
> so wonderful I could have you squealing like a pig in a few minutes
>you big lug

I don't think so, you druggie. You haven't the nerve to meet me, even
though I have no desire to do so. I don't approve of your "lifestyle,"
but if you want to poke rumps that's your business. Are you going to
bring your "weed" on your vacation trip to NC? I hope so, maybe some
friends can alert the state police up and down the East Coast, and they
can explain why it's against the law.

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4509. Re: Have some fun Listen to MARS: Attn John

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39231625.5E6BE515@ahole.com>
Source record: 110841

So what's your problem? Do you want to be a member? Do you want to
join and change things the way you feel it should be? If it doesn't
pertain to you why don't you just leave them alone to do their own
thing and you do yours. I'm sure if I heard you on the air I can
then get on the news group here and make fun of what you say or do.

BYTE ME

John wrote:
>
> --
> NOTICE: This message may not have originated from the Sender address
> above. It was remailed automatically by anonymizing remailer software.
>
> This message sender's real identity is unknown, unlogged, and is
> probably not replyable via the Sender address above (YMMV).
>
> Please report problems or inappropriate use to the remailer
> administrator at <abuse at mixmaster dot shinn dot net>.
> --
> You want to hear something funny? Listen to the MARS group on their
> frequencies. What a bunch of old farts. They really crack me up with their
> jargon and stuff. It takes them 30 minutes to send and copy a 2 minute
> message. They need to get into the 21 century.

4510. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it? Attn TOm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392316A6.1D86502C@ahole.com>
Source record: 110842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You're such a dork.....

Tom Bruhns wrote:
>
> Bob wrote:
> >
> > The simplest receiver is a diode detector. Originally known as a crystal
> > set. Requires no batteries or transistors or tubes. Only receives AM.
>
> Oh, a challenge! I'll bet I can receive FM on one... Of course, I DO
> need to add some tuned circuits, or at least one tuned circuit. But
> for sure there's no reason I couldn't build a ratio detector with just
> diodes and tuned circuits, tuned directly to an FM station. And slope
> detection is even simpler. Stereo might be a bit tough, though. ;-)
>
> Cheers,
> Tom

4511. non-format webradio euphonic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: euphonic@mediawar.com
Message-ID: <3922fa73.26046247@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 110843

http://www.euphonicradio.com
(please forward to those interested)

*A new radiostation without boundaries is born. Dj Hector Heclectic (Gideon Hofland) presents in cooperation with mediawar.com and Tree-Top.com webradio by the name Euphonic. A non-format station with an hour of radio every week in the do-it-yourself tradition. Fresh and settled music, interviews, sound journeys, poetry and other human outings. Hopefully with help of the listeners, who are asked to send their demo's of yet to be discovered bands, MP3's of homemade work,
poems and sketches.

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*Every programme of Euphonic is different. A musical mix by a dj, the next time interviews only and a combination the following week.We have thought of the international character of the internet
also. Depending on the language of the items and the music, the presentationis in English or Dutch. When it's the newest music or a mix then it's all English.With Dutch cabaret, interviews or satire, all will be in Dutch. The text next to programme explains the content and the language used in that hour of Euphonic radio. Coming specials are about sounds and music of South Africa and Three Days of Dutch Dance, a musicfestival in Amersfoort (the Netherlands).

*With thanx to internetlabel http://www.tree-top.com , for custom made
CD's with good music.
And http://www.mediawar.com ; design, music and cartoons
Thank you for your attention!

4512. Re: Code Practice Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@iCOMS.COM>
Message-ID: <3922FDDA.30DAA7F0@iCOMS.COM>
Source record: 110844

Check out:

http://www.vmeng.com/minow/MorsePractice/MorsePractice.html

It is the only way to go.

Fudge wrote:
>
> My wife wants to learn international morse code. Instead of frittering
> away her time playing computer games, I would like her to learn code on the
> computer. I need a free shareware, software package to do this. Please post
> the URL here.
>
> John
> VA3JQ

4513. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch <w2msk@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <3923001E.7BE81499@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 110845

KK7HO wrote:

> Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive ol doc to
> delusional blabbering but here they are.
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> were purchased legally at the time.

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> 5. The nine states with the lowest violent crime rates ALL have right to carry
> laws.

WHERE IS THERE A CORRELATION BETWEEN THE RIGHT TO CARRY ARMS AND LOW CRIME RATE,
YOUR DATA PLEASE.

A Concerned Amateur
W2MSK

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4514. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fuvcbntn1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110846

I will try to "anwer" the question.
Registration and licensing guns would act as a deterrent to their ILLEGAL uses. For instance John Smith wants to do away with Bill Jones. So Smith walks into a gun show, plops down a couple of hundred dollars and walks out with a concealed weapon. If and when Smith shoots Jones, wouldn't it be easier to track down Smith if proper papers had been filled out at the time of purchase? Then again, wouldn't Smith think twice about shooting Jones thanks to registration and licensing? But you gun lovers are too damn stupid to realize that registration and licensing has nothing to do with confiscation. No one's talking about taking away your weapons. I'm against it because it violates our 2nd Amendment Right. Question: if you're so interested in preserving your rights, then why has there not been a protest march around the FCC building in D.C. dealing with the infringement of our freedom of speech right on ham radio? Huh? Just think about that one. You yell in ridiculous anticipation of Uncle Sam taking away your guns yet you sit on your wussycans while Riley Holllingsworth takes away your tongues. Now don't get me wrong; I don't necessarily agree with that argument but it seems to be a predominate one, isn't it? Why for example don't you scream bloody muder when at age 18 every male in this country must REGISTER for selective service. What about violating some right in that instance? You're all a bunch of spoiled crybabies boo hooing over us concerned Americans who want to see crime REDUCED and there comes a time when any government must step in and take over when infants refuse or are unable to understand the untoward and destructive consequences of runaway gun love. You take a very serious problem in the USA and EXACERBATE it by trying to kill any legislation that will help brake it. You must be goddamned nuts or too stupid to see how you're being used by the NRA and dangerous rightwing militia groups in this nation. And some of you say, "I don't trust the government." You don't? Then move your asses OUT OF HERE. The majority of us LOVE this country which admittedly isn't perfect but name another than's better! Think about this one: has the federal government outlawed or confiscated cigarettes. Have agents raided and closed down tobacco companies? Of course not but what it has done is to make it more difficult for them to sell to minors and kill majors. How can anyone concerned about his nation and his fellow countrymen resent and defy measures that are designed to ensure the safety and general well being of us all? The only way resentment against common sense commences is because of brainwashing which is exactly what the NRA lobbyists are paid to do. These scumbags cleverly make you believe that it is un-American to have mandatory gun registration and licensing and you fall for it. What a shame that hams are dumb and are so eager to prove it on rec.radio.
AF2Y

In article <8fugri$e9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:

> In article <20000516224247.28566.00000725@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
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4515. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <8fsqhgctt1@neptunium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 110847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Best to begin with the most simple and inexpensive arrangement
possible.

The most simple receiver is for the medium-wave AM band. All you need
is a coil wound on a toilet roll tube, a 350 pF variable capacitor, a
germanium diode and 150 feet of 20 gauge magnet wire. Half the wire
will be on the tuning coil and the other half ouside in your back
yard. Use your domestic metal cold water pipes as a ground
connection.

Because a pair of sensitive high impedance, 4000 ohms, headphones are
very expensive even if you knew where to get any (you cannot have
mine) you will need a single-chip, 200 mW, audio power amplifier and a
small, 2" 8 or 16 ohm loud speaker. Or a hearing aid insert.

Put a small soldering iron and reel of cored solder on your shopping
list.

When that job's done you will be well on the way to becoming a fully
fledged radio amateur.
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Regards, Reg.
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Have you visited my Website at: : -
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
==========
Daniel Hopkins <dhopkins@echezabal.com> wrote in message
news:#N16vW3v$GA.240@cpmsnbbsa04...
> Hello and thanks in advance from a beginner.
>
> I wanted to know how inexpensively one could buy or build a receiver
(for
> any frequency), even a single frequency receiver.
>
> I have limited experience with electronics but I do okay.
>
> Thanks again.
>
> Dan Hopkins
>
>

4516. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3923224A.5A988023@ahole.com>
Source record: 110848

Hey Mitch, don't be a bitch. Turn off the CAPS LOCK......

Mitch wrote:
>
> KK7HO wrote:
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> > Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive ol doc to
> > delusional blabbering but here they are.
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4517. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question: Attn Doc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392327F3.6279D58E@ahole.com>
Source record: 110849

Doc, you really lead a sheltered life? Registering guns will not
stop
anyone from committing a crime. People don't think of that when
they are
committing a crime. They all feel they can get away with it. Also
as a
police officer I can tell you that the majority of crimes with guns
are
not done with a registered weapon or one purchased legally. You
cannot
tell who murdered anyone without having the weapon. No weapon found
at
the scene then you have no idea who did the crime.

Doc read my lips. IF YOU OUTLAW GUNS THEN ONLY OUTLAWS WILL HAVE
GUNS.

You can try all you want to answer the question but your answer will
not be a logical one.

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> I will try to "anwer" the question.
> Registration and licensing guns would act as a deterrent to their ILLEGAL
> uses. For instance John Smith wants to do away with Bill Jones. So Smith
> walks into a gun show, plops down a couple of hundred dollars and walks out
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> >> He doesnt care about that. This guy loves to argue. He's a nut case
> > who would say the sun rose in the west if you said it rose in the east.
> > Dont let him fool you:he was kicked off ham radio because of his
> > obnoxious ways and now he is here stirring up anything he can.
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> >
> > Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> > Before you buy.

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> uses. For instance John Smith wants to do away with Bill Jones. So Smith
> walks into a gun show, plops down a couple of hundred dollars and walks out
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> stupid to realize that registration and licensing has nothing to do with
> confiscation. No one's talking about taking away your weapons. I'm against
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> interested in preserving your rights, then why has there not been a protest
> march around the FCC building in D.C. dealing with the infringement of our
> freedom of speech right on ham radio? Huh? Just think about that one. You
> yell in ridiculous anticipation of Uncle Sam taking away your guns yet you
> sit on your wussycans while Riley Holllingsworth takes away your tongues.
> Now don't get me wrong; I don't necessarily agree with that argument but it
> seems to be a predominate one, isn't it? Why for example don't you scream
> bloody muder when at age 18 every male in this country must REGISTER for
> selective service. What about violating some right in that instance? You're
> all a bunch of spoiled crybabies boo hooing over us concerned Americans who
> want to see crime REDUCED and there comes a time when any government must
> step in and take over when infants refuse or are unable to understand the
> untoward and destructive consequences of runaway gun love. You take a very
> serious problem in the USA and EXACERBATE it by trying to kill any
> legislation that will help brake it. You must be goddamned nuts or too
> stupid to see how you're being used by the NRA and dangerous rightwing
> militia groups in this nation. And some of you say, "I don't trust the
> government." You don't? Then move your asses OUT OF HERE. The majority of us
> LOVE this country which admittedly isn't perfect but name another than's
> better! Think about this one: has the federal government outlawed or
> confiscated cigarettes. Have agents raided and closed down tobacco
> companies? Of course not but what it has done is to make it more difficult
> for them to sell to minors and kill majors. How can anyone concerned about
> his nation and his fellow countrymen resent and defy measures that are
> designed to ensure the safety and general well being of us all? The only
> way resentment against common sense commences is because of brainwashing
> which is exactly what the NRA lobbyists are paid to do. These scumbags
> cleverly make you believe that it is un-American to have mandatory gun
> registration and licensing and you fall for it. What a shame that hams are
> dumb and are so eager to prove it on rec.radio.
> AF2Y
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> In article <8fugri$e9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
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> > In article <20000516224247.28566.00000725@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
> > kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> >> How Would Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?
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4518. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392315A3.B90B6FBB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110850

> OH, THAT MAKES ME FEEL REAL COMFORTABLE! WHERE DO THE CRIMINALS GET THE
> GUNS FROM
> IN THE FIRST PLACE, THE MANUFACTURERS?
>
Most of them are stolen. Many from manufacturers, others from private citizens, still others from police property rooms and large numbers are imported illegally. Cold barrels are stolen at the time of manufacture, before they are fired for ballistic records.

Prosecuting such thefts would go a long way toward curtailing the illegal flow of weapons destined for illegal use. Think about it...a criminal intent on committing a crime is rarely so stupid as to use his own weapon. And yet weapons crimes, thefts and other related weapons violations have not been proesecuted with any vigor since this administration took office. Weapons prosecutions are down 44%. Washington DC, with the most restrictive gun laws in the Nation, in 1998, only prosecuted 2 weapons violations. 2! According to BATF's own analysis.

Clinton recently said in an address, that 500,000 felons, fugitives, and stalkers have been prevented from purchasing a firearm by the Brady Bill, a law that mandates prosecution for the illegal ATTEMPT to purchase a firearm to be prosecuted as a felony. And yet, only a handful of such prosecutions. So either the President's figures were grossly exaggerated, or there simply is no interest in prosecution under the Brady Act. That's a huge loophole that could be closed immediately, with no additional legislation required.

Imagine taking half a million firearms felons off the streets at a stroke. The result in public safety would be immediate and dramatic. Now couple that with the figures showing that gun accidents, owing to improvement in education about gun safety, are down 88% over the last 20 years and you have a breathtakingly different picture of life in these United States.

The matter rests, as it has always rested, with the authorities. Not in hammering the law abiding citizen, but in doing their job against the criminal element. As the figures demonstrate.

> > 4. Guns are used for self defense at least 2 million times a year. - 3
> to 5
> > times more than for crimes.
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> WELL, DOES THAT MEAN 2 MILLION ADDITIONAL DEAD AND WOUNDED PEOPLE? NICE
> TO KNOW

> ITS OK TO KILL IF IN YOUR MIND YOU ARE JUSTIFIED.
> THE JUDGE, JURY, EXECUTIONER THING...

Now THIS is scary thinking. In the matter of self defense, the presence of a firearm is the great equalizer. Statistics from the governments own BATF studies have shown that the presence of a gun in self defense is a deterrent, in more than half of such cases the weapon need not be fired. In a portion of cases, the weapon is fired but not on target. In all but a few unfortunate cases, no one dies, and few are injured in defense of home and property.

But if you're suggesting that there is something untoward about taking up a weapon in self defense, then there is something wrong with your thinking. Laws in all 50 states, and in fact, the most restrictive of societies world wide recognize the absolute right to use deadly force in self defense, where the threat of deadly force is made. Waiting for the police is a noble concept but not only imprudent, but foolhardy and dangerous. When threatened with death, no one on the planet is required to simply accept it.

>
> > 5. The nine states with the lowest violent crime rates ALL have right to
> carry
> > laws.
>
> WHERE IS THERE A CORRELATION BETWEEN THE RIGHT TO CARRY ARMS AND LOW CRIME
> RATE,
> YOUR DATA PLEASE.

The figures are readily available from both federal and local police authorities, FBI, and BATF, and have been widely published since Florida enacted concealed carry with the HUGE angry protests that made the news. Violent crime and murder is down. Look it up. You'll be more likely to believe your own eyes, than anything printed by any one of us.
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>
> A Concerned Amateur

Concerned...but ill informed.

> W2MSK
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4519. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3923185B.E2CABAF0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110851

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
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> I will try to "anwer" the question.
> Registration and licensing guns would act as a deterrent to their ILLEGAL
> uses. For instance John Smith wants to do away with Bill Jones. So Smith
> walks into a gun show, plops down a couple of hundred dollars and walks out
> with a concealed weapon. If and when Smith shoots Jones, wouldn't it be
> easier to track down Smith if proper papers had been filled out at the time
> of purchase?

Hopelessly naive. First the presumption that owning a weapon means
that Smith will eventually shoot Jones is simply fallacious. More
than 99% of all weapons owned in this country will never be used in
a murderous assault, or fired at another human being. Secondly, if
Smith fills out registration papers, then there is virtually no
chance he's going to use his own weapon.

The government's own figures demonstrate time and again that
criminals use stolen weapons, or weapons acquired illegally to use
in the commission of a crime. In which case registration only serves
to create the necessary database of names of legal gun owners to be
contacted when their specific weapon is banned. Without exception
registration has resulted in confiscation. It happened in England
and Australia. It's happening now in South Africa, and Canada. It's
happening now in California.

And yet, criminals are creating more havoc, and committing more
crime with firearms in those places than ever. With illegally
acquired weapons.

So your premise is false, and your logic is flawed. Your
proposition will serve no purpose in the reduction of crime.

> Then again, wouldn't Smith think twice about shooting Jones
> thanks to registration and licensing? But you gun lovers are too damn
> stupid to realize that registration and licensing has nothing to do with
> confiscation. No one's talking about taking away your weapons.

Again, you say no one is talking about it. But it HAS happened.
It IS happening. Without exception. No one is talking about it. But
that's the result...everytime. You seem to wish to ignore that
salient point.

> I'm against
> it because it violates our 2nd Amendment Right. Question: if you're so
> interested in preserving your rights, then why has there not been a protest

> march around the FCC building in D.C. dealing with the infringement of our
> freedom of speech right on ham radio?
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Ham radio is a Privilege. Not a Right. That's why.

> Huh? Just think about that one.

Yes...think about it indeed.

4520. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000517182928.26665.00003496@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110852

Your answer is sooo ridiculous Doc. I will only say that if you think john smith is going to purchase a registered weapon to do away with someone your as nuts as you appear. It only hurts the "law abiding," the ones that should not have rights restricted by the actions of criminals.
JUST AS I THOUGHT - He DIDN"T ANSWER THE QUESTION.

4521. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000517183111.26665.00003498@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110853

Well stated Mr. Maus.

4522. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xnospam@oceanfree.net
Message-ID: <BfFU4.25910$sB3.8875@news.indigo.ie>
Source record: 110854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Have a look at my very simple, single transistor, regenerative RX.
It's only a single transistor RX, if you don't count the several
million transistors in my computer:-) I use my PC sound card as
the audio amp.

http://www.qsl.net/regen.html

73, Ed. EI9GQ.

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Remove 'X' to reply.

EI9GQ homebrew radio page
http://www.qsl.net/ei9gq

4523. Hollingsworth retreats on the ID thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8fv907$b0g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110855

Back to radio topics, according to the Web Extra Member's Only page of the ARRL site, Riley Hollingsworth backed off on the IDing thing.

"Riley Hollingsworth: Is my face red? FCC Special Counsel for Amateur Radio Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth says he was just trying to see if the amateur community was paying attention when he suggested on his recent Radio Amateur Information Network enforcement news report (http://www.rainreport.com) that the use of phonetics during station identification was contrary to the amateur rules. "

"As Hollingsworth has since conceded, after being challenged from several quarters, the applicable FCC station ID rule--&#65533;97.119(b)(2)--specifically encourages "use of a standard phonetic alphabet as an aid for correct station identification" [emphasis added]. "I plead temporary insanity," Hollingsworth told the ARRL. "I was working too close to my antennas the evening before.""

LRod

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4524. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fvb03hsj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110856

W2MSK, you are trying to impart wisdom to a cinder block between two shoulders. KK7HO has been brainwashed, gridlocked, manipulated, steered and convinced by that damned NRA which gets richer with every gun related death. Their intent is to foster enough murder so as to entice EVERYONE to get a gun, legally or illegally. Heston and LaPierre thrive on murder and mayhem-they're bloodthirsty rightwing s.o.b.s who deserve to be thrown in jail. The situation is out of control thanks to them and theirs and by God the time has come to take back America by imparting intelligent decisions which aid us all instead of creating a nationwide Dodge City, 1850.
AF2Y

In article <3923224A.5A988023@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Hey Mitch, don't be a bitch. Turn off the CAPS LOCK......
>
> Mitch wrote:
>>
>> KK7HO wrote:
>>
>> > Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive ol doc to
>> > delusional blabbering but here they are.
>> >
>> > 1. Far more kids kill themselves with bicycles than guns.
>>
>> ALL THIS SAYS IS THAT WE MUST LICENSE BIKES, INSPECT THEM AND INSTRUCT KIDS.
>>
>> > 2. Only 2% of guns purchased at a gun show are used in crimes. Most of them
>> > were purchased legally at the time.
>>
>> ONLY 2%?, WELL TELL THAT TO THE MOTHER OF THE KID THAT WAS KILLED BY A 2% GUN,
>> THAT SHOULD MAKE HER FEEL BETTER.
>>
>> > 3. The majority of sales at gun shows are by commercial dealers - who follow
>> > the same check rules as in their gun shops.
>>
>> OH, THAT MAKES ME FEEL REAL COMFORTABLE! WHERE DO THE CRIMINALS GET THE
> GUNS FROM
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>> W2MSK
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4525. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fvg82$k3q$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110857

Peter Mouse, it's not going to happen here but in the cases of England, Australia, South Africa and Canada, I wonder what the emigration stats are by the masses who loved their guns so much they couldn't live in a nation without their private ownsership? Any Canadians out there? Hop aboard and tell us how awful life is to the north now that you can't own a gun? Got any stats on suicides? Are the gangsters taking advantage of you more than ever? AF2Y

In article <3923185B.E2CABAF0@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

> contacted when their specific weapon is banned. Without exception
> registration has resulted in confiscation. It happened in England
> and Australia. It's happening now in South Africa, and Canada. It's
> happening now in California.

4526. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fvgdq$k3q$2@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110858

They call you Miss with your pants off!

In article <392340AB.F44982C7@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

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> KK7HO wrote:
>>
>> Well stated Mr. Maus.
>
> Nobody calls me "Mr." with my pants on.

4527. Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Stuart <fstuart1@maine.rr.com>
Message-ID: <6JHU4.10403$J81.59740@newsr1.maine.rr.com>
Source record: 110859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

Larry,
It took your VE team 5 days to get it to the ARRL!

20000415
Charleston
SC 29402-9999
20000420

20000416
Charleston
SC 29402-9999
20000421

Fred

"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:B8C8323D52E6A264.0F13FDA64CEE387D.B2E78814A4CE7301@lp.airnews.net...
> Will this be an ARRL session or one of the VECs who actually SEND the
> FCC the paperwork within a month?
>
> FCC has not received my Extra paperwork from the Apr 15th session in
> Charleston.....nada.....zilch!
>
> I'm thinking about putting it in, again, at the Wescars session this
> week....(c;
>
> Larry....I can imagine the ruckus THAT would cause....hee hee
>
>
> On Wed, 17 May 2000 06:12:45 GMT, "Innocent John!!!"
> <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote:
>
> >Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International (PARG) will be
> >holding a VE session during the Dayton Hamvention Year
> >2000 ARRL National Convention. The session will be limited
> >to paperwork upgrades ONLY (NO testing will be offered).
> >Reservations are required. Contact John Mackey KS0F
> >via e-mail at jmackey@usa.net.
> >
> >The session will be held at 6:30 PM May 19, 2000 in the
> >PARG room at the Red Roof Inn, 7370 Miller Lane, Dayton,
> >Ohio 45414. Talk in will be on the 443.575 MHz repeater
> >(100 Hz PL).
> >

> >http://www.parg.org
> >
> >
>

4528. AF2Y: what to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fvif7$sv8$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110860

This KK7HO simply refuses to stay out of my mailbox and refuses to stop cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact the AOL Gestapo which would be my last resort so if anyone can tell me how to get this brainwashed NRA puppet out of here, kindly send an e-mail and DON'T SWEAR. I mean like an occasional damn hurts no one but that's it. I don't mind some badinage with the dope on rec.radio but this getting personal is terrible. Keep in mind gentleman that e-mailing someone is like knocking on his door and when you visit someone, good manners is paramount. Or at least warner brothers.
AF2Y

Return-Path: <kk7ho@aol.com>
Received: from imo14.mx.aol.com ([152.163.225.4])
by osgood.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id si6iff.dqc.30ahi43
for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>; Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:59 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from ladder07.news.aol.com (ladder07.news.aol.com [172.31.45.165])
by imo14.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.8/AOL-5.0.0)
with ESMTP id VAA10905 for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>;
Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:55 -0400 (EDT)
From: kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 18 May 2000 01:39:55 GMT
References: <8fvb03hsj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
Subject: Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....
Message-ID: <20000517213955.02276.00003448@ng-fx1.aol.com>

Charlie, I resent some liberal SOB (you) saying because of MY views that I'm
brainwashed. You don't know me, you've never met me, but when I agreed with you
on certain things in this NG you heaped all types of praise on me. Now that we
"disagree" your calling names and losing friends. Keep your mouth off of me from now on. GOT IT?
If you can respond to my posts without your personal insults your welcome to
do so. If you cannot control yourself, then just shut up.

4529. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NA4G Boatanchor Bob <na4g@weedcon2.cropsci.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <8furr8$9n0$1@uni00nw.unity.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 110861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In rec.radio.amateur.homebrew Daniel Hopkins <dhopkins@echezabal.com> wrote:
> Hello and thanks in advance from a beginner.

> I wanted to know how inexpensively one could buy or build a receiver (for
> any frequency), even a single frequency receiver.

> I have limited experience with electronics but I do okay.

> Thanks again.

> Dan Hopkins

Well, for the fun of it I built a small 80M CW receiver, transmitter, and telegraph key for about 10 bucks in the hardware store plus some minor parts scrounging. It is crude, but it works. One can do a lot if one scrounges and thinks a little about it, and is good at adapting the flotsam and jetsam of the electronics world to make the critter.

http://www.mindspring.com/~johnmb/na4g2.htm

Not necessarily recommended for contesting, but great for a little fun on 80M, in the evenings.

Good Luck, and have fun building.... that is a lot of the fun of Amateur Radio.....

Bob/NA4G

4530. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fsof1ocb1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110885

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>California’s attorney general is paying gun owners $230 to sell their
>fundamental rights.

Devil's advocate mode on:

The "Fundamental rights" you speak of only belong to the Second
Amendment Militia.

Title 10 USC Chapter 13 Section 311 defines the Militia as being
all able-bodied males of US citizenship between the ages of 17
and 44, inclusive. The Second Amendment does not apply to those males
outside of that age range.

You can't accept one part of the US Code (Second Amendment) but ignore
another (definition of Militia). All or nothing, Boys.

Semper Paratus,
Jeff KH6O

4531. GB100 IOW Marconi Centenary, Needles Wireless Station, Alum Bay Isle of Wight UK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Needles Wireless Telegraph Station, Isle of Wight." <needlesradio@dial.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <8fsp05qcu2@lure.pipex.net>
Source record: 110886

GB100 IOW (Isle of Wight) will be on air from 21.00 UTC 26/05/00 until
17.00 UTC 28/05/00
to celebrate the closing of the station, described by Marconi as "The
world's first permanent Wireless Station" on the 27th May 1900.
This has encompassed the co-operation of the West Wight Radio Society,
Brickfields Amateur Radio Society, and the Royal Naval Amateur Radio
Society.
Please bookmark our website for updates.
Next due 18th May

Updates can be found on our website at http://needlesradio.org.uk
Hope to hear you over the weekend.
Ben Clegg G7 RER
Operations Director,
Needles Wireless Telegraph Station
Isle of Wight.
U.K.

4532. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fsollomv1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110887

Osama/bin/login wrote:
>The rest of the nation that doesn't want brainless twits
>voting to remove basic Constitutional rights are asking you:
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^

See 10 USC 13.311. That right is basic only to males between 17 and 44.

73, Jeff KH6O

4533. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: msmith5@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsr7g$i9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110888

In article <8fsof1ocb1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> >California’s attorney general is paying gun owners $230 to sell
their
> >fundamental rights.
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> Amendment Militia.

The US District Court of Texas thinks that the first clause, the
part about a 'well-regulated militia,' is a dependent clause which
is meant to show cause, not to restrict the right implicit in the
independent, second clause.

In other words, this issue is up in the air.

Mike Smith

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Email: maxomenos@SPAM=DEATH.mindspring.com

Second Amendment Sisters http://www.sas-aim.org
Because a million moms CAN be wrong!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4534. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Haydu <darla@bcinet.net>
Message-ID: <8fsqahinp0@208.133.29.52>
Source record: 110889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello Dan,
My hobby is building the one tube SW sets modeled after the 1934 Doerle Twinplex. Would be glad to sell one for under $50 shipped. Can email photos if you like. Regards,

--
Ken Haydu

4535. Making a TS50 work with alinco edx-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA2FSO <wa2fso@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <zZmU4.10423$Lp1.266174@typhoon2.ba-dsg.net>
Source record: 110890
Cross-posted to: news.admin.radio.amateur.antenna,news.admin.radio.amateur.equipment,news.admin.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Has anybody Made a TS50 work with a edx-2 auto tuner, i might put the ts-50 in the car, (no Noise) and want to use the edx-2 mobile tuner with it, any wiring data?

4536. raleigh durham hamfest?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Barillo <dbarillo@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <39222B0C.81E2CA99@earthlink.net>
Source record: 110891

is anyone familiar with this hamfest on 20 may? is it worth driving 5
hours to?
thanks

4537. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516224247.28566.00000725@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110892

How Would Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?

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4538. Re: AF2Y, just answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000516224345.28566.00000727@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110893

How would Registration and Licensing reduce Crime??

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4539. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsv7501avb@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110894

In article <8fsof1ocb1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>Devil's advocate mode on:
>
>The "Fundamental rights" you speak of only belong to the Second
>Amendment Militia.
>
>Title 10 USC Chapter 13 Section 311 defines the Militia as being
>all able-bodied males of US citizenship between the ages of 17
>and 44, inclusive. The Second Amendment does not apply to those males
>outside of that age range.
>
>You can't accept one part of the US Code (Second Amendment) but ignore
>another (definition of Militia). All or nothing, Boys.
>
>Semper Paratus,
>Jeff KH6O

What a crock!

Just what part of "right of the people" don't you understand?

Tom - N8ECW

4540. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fsvp411avb@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110895

In article <8fsollomv1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>Osama/bin/login wrote:
>>The rest of the nation that doesn't want brainless twits
>>voting to remove basic Constitutional rights are asking you:
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>
>See 10 USC 13.311. That right is basic only to males between 17 and 44.
>
>73, Jeff KH6O

If you knew anything about what the framers of the constitution meant when they wrote the Second Amendment, you'd know why this regulation is an insult to all the patriots who died to preserve our liberty.

Tom - N8ECW

4541. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392212BC.869DAE2E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110896

> Devil's advocate mode on:
>
> The "Fundamental rights" you speak of only belong to the Second
> Amendment Militia.
>
> Title 10 USC Chapter 13 Section 311 defines the Militia as being
> all able-bodied males of US citizenship between the ages of 17
> and 44, inclusive. The Second Amendment does not apply to those males
> outside of that age range.
>

Most of the respected Constitutional Scholars, and numerous court decisions disagree with you.

In the language of the period, the term militia referred to a gathering of armed citizens for the purpose of defense of life, property, country. That means everybody. The Continental Army is not the reference.

Further the term 'regulated' the language of the period, meant equipped. So the intent of the framers of the Constitution, the authors of the Second Amendment is that the Citizens of the Republic should be armed, for the purposes of defense of life, property and country.

This intent is further supported by the language, "the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed,.." with the term people not limited by age, sex or politics. Still further the right is not granted by the Second Amendment, it is protected. It shall not be infringed. That means, it is a pre existing right. Self evident, in the terms of the document, that is protected by the Second Amendment, in that it may not be challenged, limited nor amended. It shall not be in fringed.

Yes...all or nothing. It's there on the parchment. In black and a somewhat yellowed white.

> You can't accept one part of the US Code (Second Amendment) but ignore
> another (definition of Militia). All or nothing, Boys.
>

4542. Re: AF2Y, just answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ftadm$2v7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110897

In article <20000516224345.28566.00000727@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> How would Registration and Licensing reduce Crime??
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It's not a question of would but has. Licensing and registration are not new ideas, they have been tried by various cities for decades and failed. The city with the most draconian gun laws is Washington D.C. It also has the highest crime rate by far.

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Before you buy.

4543. Re: oil prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <lLpU4.376$3%6.1530@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110898

"Martin D. or Tunisia G. WADE" <mdwade@mobiletel.com> wrote in message
news:3921881E.7A45@mobiletel.com...
> Richard McCollum wrote:
> >
> > <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> > news:8frlmu$7i2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> > > Anyone hear Paul Harvey today? The OPEC stranglehold is broken!
> > American,
> > > Russian and western European companies have just discovered a VAST
amount
> > of
> > > oil in the province of Kazahkstan Russia. Like 480 square miles of
> > billions
> > > of barrels. Making nice to Putin is going to pay off. Sheikhs are
going to
> > > hate vodka!
> >
> > That field has been being discovered on and off since the 20s. Now dig
out
> > your atlas and draw some pipelines across places you don't want to be
near
> > to ports that don't exist. If you can do it for under $30 a barrel,
OPEC is
> > in deep doodoo. Unfortunately, not until then.
> >
> > Dick
> BAKU-AZERBAIJAIN region is an old oil province, produced a lot under the
> old Soviet Union, infastructure is just not there to move oil west.
> Some Pipelines move north but very limited and hostile territory, old
> equipment, very disappointing.
> 73 de Martin (Offshore Oil is MY GAME) N5PZJ

From what I can tell, this is offshore in the north end of the Caspian which
is claimed by virtually everybody that borders on the rapidly-shrinking
Caspian. Given that every hole for miles of the Caspian leaks oil it is not
a huge secret that there is oil under it.

As you point out, the old SovUn never did diddly with that area and few
pipes exist. If they did or one planned to build them West they would go
thru territory of less-than-desirable political stability to ports that I am
not sure can handle 250k deadweight ton tankers thru a Med that few want to
see become another Persian Gulf.

Maybe Iran will let us use Kargh Island :=)

Dick

4544. Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <392226c5.106838959@news.swcp.com>
Source record: 110899

Hello Everyone,

I'm looking to find out what the average age of Amateur Radio
operators in the US is -- at least the latest study.

Does anyone have any information and sources? I'd appreciate
it.

73,
Brian, N5ZGT

Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout 12/6/96 ARRL QRP: NorCal #1700 QRP-L #580 AK/QRP #125
ASM - Troop 41 Packet: N5ZGT PBBS, 145.05 MHz
OA Lodge 66 Albuquerque, New Mexico
Yah-Tah-Hey-Si-Kess <-W-W-W-< Brother, Kappa Sigma Fraternity
Please Visit my Homepage at: http://www.unm.edu/~brianm

4545. How Many US Hams Under 18/21?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <39222736.106951353@news.swcp.com>
Source record: 110900

Hello Everyone,

I'm interested in how many US Amateurs under 21 and/or 18
years of age exist. Has anybody or any group done a study to find
out? Does anyone have this information with sources, or a direction
to take to find out? I'd appreciate it!

73,
Brian, N5ZGT

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4546. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517020143.19437.00003154@ng-bg1.aol.com>
Source record: 110901
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Brian wrote:
>I'm looking to find out what the average >age of Amateur Radio
>operators in the US is -- at least the latest >study.

More meaningful would be a distribution.
An "average" age of 40 might reflect lots of old hams and lots of young hams in the military - with very little in between. A distribution would show how many hams by each age range.
Matt,
N4GSV
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
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4547. VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <xLqU4.49547$55.386132@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 110902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International (PARG) will be holding a VE session during the Dayton Hamvention Year 2000 ARRL National Convention. The session will be limited to paperwork upgrades ONLY (NO testing will be offered). Reservations are required. Contact John Mackey KS0F via e-mail at jmackey@usa.net.

The session will be held at 6:30 PM May 19, 2000 in the PARG room at the Red Roof Inn, 7370 Miller Lane, Dayton, Ohio 45414. Talk in will be on the 443.575 MHz repeater (100 Hz PL).

http://www.parg.org

4548. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8ftclrfge1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110903

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>>Devil's advocate mode on:
>>The "Fundamental rights" you speak of only belong to the Second
>>Amendment Militia.
>>Title 10 USC Chapter 13 Section 311 defines the Militia as being
>>all able-bodied males of US citizenship between the ages of 17
>>and 44, inclusive. The Second Amendment does not apply to those males
>>outside of that age range.
>>You can't accept one part of the US Code (Second Amendment) but ignore
>>another (definition of Militia). All or nothing, Boys.

>What a crock!
>Just what part of "right of the people" don't you understand?

Just what part of "militia" don't you understand? Even the writers
of the Second knew repeating the same noun in a single sentence
wasn't considered good grammar. Then, "Militia" = "the people."
Today, we define the "Militia" in more exacting terms as per
10 USC 13.

If you're over 44 years old, you're out of the Militia. Got to face
old age, Tom.

73, Jeff KH6O

4549. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <LPqU4.429$3%6.244@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110904

"Brian Mileshosky" <n5zgt@swcp.com> wrote in message
news:392226c5.106838959@news.swcp.com...
> Hello Everyone,
>
> I'm looking to find out what the average age of Amateur Radio
> operators in the US is -- at least the latest study.
>
> Does anyone have any information and sources? I'd appreciate
> it.
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> 73,
> Brian, N5ZGT

The FCC files or some derivative is probably your best source but do it quickly. Date of Birth as a secondary identifier is being replaced with SS#. Given that the active are more likely to be upgrading, it is a fair bet that DOB will rapidly become useless.

Dick N0BK

4550. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <392241c6.108636590@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 110905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 15 May 2000 15:07:00 GMT, billsohl@interactive.net (Bill Sohl)
wrote:

>On Sun, 14 May 2000 23:49:48 -0400, Dwight Stewart
><stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
>
>>Keith Wood wrote:
>>> I've seen this trend developing at a greater rate than interest in ham
>>> radio. When was the last hamfest you attended which didn't include
>>> Internet and LAN hardware? When was the last time you went to a
>>> computer show that DID have ham radio gear? How many places in your
>>> town can you buy ham gear? I'll bet that there are at least 5 times
>>> that number of ISPs, and I would be surprised if the ratio isn't at
>>> least 20:1.
>>
>> Look Keith, I understand what you're saying. You're saying that
>>because ham radio is not as popular as the internet, the internet will
>>kill ham radio. You're saying that the internet is growing faster than
>>ham radio, so ham radio is dead. You're saying that because there is
>>more interest in the internet, there is no interest in ham radio.
>>
>> Again, I say that is total nonsense. The internet and ham radio are
>>two different things, and what happens to one has no real effect on the
>>other. And there is no evidence that one is having an affect on the
>>other - just like television had no effect on ham radio (as was once
>>claimed), or just like broadcast radio had no effect (as was once claimed).
>
>Agree completely. Ham radio never had any universal
>following of any great scope.
>
>> Yes, many ham operators now use the internet, but there is no evidence
>>whatsoever that they are using the radio any less (or their interest in
>>radio is less, or anything else). Many ham operators are adding
>>computers to their radio room, not replacing their radio rooms with
>>computer rooms.
>
>Well said. One misconception of some people (IMHO) is
>that ham radio must compete with other interest areas.

It must compete to at least some extent. Ham radio for example
must compete for funding for example, we are mostly people with a
least SOME limits on resuorces

>The fact is that people often have multiple interests and
>they just vary in their approach to different ones. I am
>also into antique cars and model railroads...but that doesn't
>stop me from being a ham on a level that I enjoy.
>Just because someone has multiple interests and doesn't devote
>all their free time towards being a ham doesn't mean they
>are not a good ham, or should be discounted as
>falling away from ham radio.
>
>> And there is no evidence that interest in computers by young people is
>>reducing their potential interest in ham radio. Throughout the history
>>of ham radio, only a small percentage of young people have developed an
>>interest in ham radio. There is no evidence that the percentage of
>>young people who develop an interest is declining.
>
>Agree also.

I'll disagree with the notion that there is no evedence that
the percentage is declining, while agreeing the Internet has little of
nothing to due with that decline. Indeed I suspect the interest esp
may well be helping some what to minimize that decline. Few student
even realy know we exist, Know that you can get ANY license without
Code Testing if they have heard of us at all. etc
>
>> And ham radio is a popular today as it has ever been. There is almost
>>as many new people joining ham radio each year today as there were total
>>ham operators just a few decades ago. Yes, ham radio is not growing as
>>much as the total population is growing (and that is cause for some
>>concern), but it is not the end of the ham radio world.
>
>Actually, I wonder what the population increase is and how it
>maps in growth over the last 20 years as compared to hams?
>Seems to me I recall hearing that population rowth in the USA
>has been almost flat for the recent past because of birthcontrol
>and abortions.

Bill It is my understanding that US Population would be flat
or decling slightly due to the facts you mention if Imagration were
not taking place
>
>> And again, you make the subtle suggestion that because I'm currently
>>typing messages the internet, it proves your argument that the internet
>>is going to be the end of ham radio.
>
>Agree again. Seems that some people can't accept that.
>
>> Again, nonsense. I do a lot of things in my life. I work, drive my
>>car, eat, watch television, listen to the radio, play music on my
>>keyboard, spend time with my other hobbies, spend time with my wife, and
>>a host of other things. None of those things negatively effect my
>>interest in ham radio, or the amount of time I spend on the radio.
>

>Absolutely on target.
>
>> Radio is not the only thing I do in my life (and I dare say it is not
>>the only thing that any other operator does in his/her life). Radio,
>>just like any other interest, has always been balanced with the other
>>interests (and requirements) in the ham operator's life.
>>
>> But, you seem to think it is one thing or the other (the internet or
>>ham radio). I say a person can easily have both in his/her life, just
>>like a person can have ham radio and all those other things mentioned in
>>the above paragraph. Its not a choice between two things, its simply
>>two unrelated things.
>>
>> Anyway, I've had enough of this argument. You seem determined not to
>>listen to my arguments, and you're certainly not offering arguments that
>>can be supported with even common sense. So, I'll move on and leave you
>>to your self-imposed mission to decry the end of ham radio. Good day.
>>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
>Well said Dwight!
>
>Cheers,
>Bill K2UNK
>

4551. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <39224384.109082743@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 110906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 14 May 2000 01:07:41 GMT, Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com> wrote:

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>
>Mark Morgan wrote:
>
>> >I can understand retesting for say, a drivers license, as the loss
>> >of those skills can kill someone. But retesting for HAM? Why?
>>
>> gievn the ammount of change that occours in electronics etc
>> retesting in some form on our 10 year renewals would likely mean that
>> the current crop of Hams for example I know several Extras who do not
>> know the RF emissions rules as well as I do as a mere tech.
>
>Again, why? The loss of the skills learned, in todays appliance
>operator enviroment, will result in no degradation to the hobby,
>the operator, or those around him.

RF emissions rules to take them as an example are a matter of
Safety, not merely to Ham himself, but to memebr of the public as
large same as a major change in driving a Car. Restesting is a way of
dealoling with this. A better way still would renewals testing that
focuses on Rules related, or safety related issues, but that might be
too cumbersome to introduce.

Vital to our hobby? Not really. But not a bad one, in addtion
it would tend to give us and the FCC a real picture of our numbers, by
seeing that those whoe migh not be active but keep renewing just
incase are sweep out. Of course that sort of pruning might be bad for
us the percentage of inactive Hams is as high as some like to
speculate

>
>
>> >> > Step 3: Two code elements, 13 wpm for General and 20 wpm for Extra.
>> >>
>> >> Forget this one. Code will be gone as a requirement very soon. Don't get
>> >> me wrong, I don't think this is necessarily a good thing.
>> >
>> >Yep. Code killed this hobby. If it had been killed 20 years ago, the
>> >hobby might still be viable, with the new blood it might have kept up.
>>
>> No code has not killed the hobby but its advocates sure seem
>> to be trying to kill it. The best case for NoCode is made by simply

>> looking at a creative minority of the ProCoders (creative minoroty a
>> large vocal visible group)
>>
>
>Well, let me rephrase. The requirement for code into any level of
>HAM radio did kill the hobby, not code itself. If there had been
>a no-code class of license 20 years ago, it would have allowed a lot
>of people into the hobby that would have helped to enhance and
>enlarge the hobby.

That will get no arguement for me
>
>Those people would have been more of a voice to the FCC, as well
>as helped to bring new technology to HAM radio.
>
>Instead, we declined.

4552. Re: ATTN: Radiosigs - answer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8ftkbceau1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110907

In article <8fsollomv1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Osama/bin/login wrote:
> >The rest of the nation that doesn't want brainless twits
> >voting to remove basic Constitutional rights are asking you:
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>
> See 10 USC 13.311. That right is basic only to males between 17 and
44.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

Interesting; I'll have to research your claim.

It's odd, though, you claim that breakins don't happen in
Hawai'i. Your vote on gun control and mine can be at opposite ends
due to local conditions.

This is a case in point why the US doesn't need Federal Intervention
into private affairs. Why should a vote _against_ gun ownership coming
from Hawai'i weigh toward a completely different part of the
globe...Kansas, NY, CA, etc? Especially when the two very diverse areas
may have completely unassociated local [crime] issues?

If I live in Florida, for example, and there is a crime where I use
deadly force to preserve [law abiding] life and/or property, then any
investigation should be taking place at the local level, and if there
is a question, then a local court will pass a ruling. Otherwise, the
FEDERAL level shouldn't even be in the picture, much less a vote from
Hawai'i.

Not trying to pick a fight, just discussing a scenario that needs to
be examined.

Doc has a vote; he just can't seem to answer as to why....scary, really!

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4553. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <b.harmon@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ftqdc$59k$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110908

The Buckmaster database contains date of birth on many hams. A sample of a hundred or more randomly selected calls should give you a fair idea of the average and the distribution.

Good luck,

Bill
"Brian Mileshosky" <n5zgt@swcp.com> wrote in message
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> 73,
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> _____
>

4554. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39227153.36C6D799@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110909

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
> >>Devil's advocate mode on:
> >>The "Fundamental rights" you speak of only belong to the Second
> >>Amendment Militia.
> >>Title 10 USC Chapter 13 Section 311 defines the Militia as being
> >>all able-bodied males of US citizenship between the ages of 17
> >>and 44, inclusive. The Second Amendment does not apply to those males
> >>outside of that age range.
> >>You can't accept one part of the US Code (Second Amendment) but ignore
> >>another (definition of Militia). All or nothing, Boys.
>
> >What a crock!
> >Just what part of "right of the people" don't you understand?
>
> Just what part of "militia" don't you understand? Even the writers
> of the Second knew repeating the same noun in a single sentence
> wasn't considered good grammar. Then, "Militia" = "the people."

Uhhh...no. In matters of law, grammar is not a consideration.
Specificity is. Alternative language is specifically defined, not
implied. Where the term 'the people' is used in the document, it is
defined as the Citizens of the Republic. Reread the document, you'll
find numerous examples of repetitive usage, and defined alternative
language.

"The People" means The People. Militia in the usage of the day,
means the assembled body of the people for defense of life, property
and Country, armed and equipped for defense.

> Today, we define the "Militia" in more exacting terms as per
> 10 USC 13.

Today we define the word "bad" to mean outstandingly good, too. We
are not speaking of the vernacular, or the connotations of the
moment, but the definition of the language as written. That means
what the word mean when they were laid down on the page.

4555. Need Manual for Yaesu FT-209RH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Burke <toby@gis.net>
Message-ID: <si4v6pet8ta72@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110910
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I need a manual for the Yaesu FT-209RH.I will take a copy if you have one
you want to get rid of.

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Thank You
ICQ #423512
Tel:978-281-3359
Email:n1rsp@qsl.net

4556. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fu022$5cj$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110911

That's the beauty of it. They're frisked, found to be carrying an unlicensed weapon and toss their cans in jail. What a great way of getting the scum out of circulation.

In article <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> "Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."

4557. Prince George Hamfest 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith <ve7gdh@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <39228c23@news.compuvar.com>
Source record: 110912

Prince George Hamfest 2000
August 18 - 20, 2000. Taking place at the famous VE7ZZZ contest site near Prince George, B. C., Canada. Stay right at the Hamfest site at Lynx lake. Lots of room for tents, motor homes, 5th wheels, etc. Many demonstrations and seminars. Breakfast and dinner available. Door prizes and raffles, including 2 meter rig and GPS. Contact Brent Lyons lyonsden@saintmail.net for reservations. See http://www.pghamfest.dhs.org/ for details.

4558. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Auntie Greezeelda <grwomab@aol.com>
Message-ID: <06wU4.3697$7V2.158588@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110913

Brian Mileshosky <n5zgt@swcp.com> wrote in message
news:392226c5.106838959@news.swcp.com...
> Hello Everyone,
>
> I'm looking to find out what the average age of Amateur Radio
> operators in the US is -- at least the latest study.

64 Yrs (and growin older)

Watch the SK pages in QST.
They get longer every few months...

Hams btwn 15-27 Yrs = 1.3%

This hobby is literally dying on the vine.

4559. fs p200 parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithbrian@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fu43b$v3e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110914

My old handy p200 broke down on me i know whats wrong with it the controler cable inside of it broke and one of those small resistors is missing on the contoller if you have a spare controller you have a good radio 30.00 is the price I pay shipping or if you have a spare uhf controller email me @ keithbrian@email.com ps its a unf radio 438-470

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Before you buy.

4560. Re: oil prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8fu4e7$298$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110915

You have a gripe? Tell it to Paul Harvey.

In article <nfdU4.475$ub6.762@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "Richard McCollum"
<rmccoll@radiks.net> wrote:

>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8frlmu$7i2$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
>> Anyone hear Paul Harvey today? The OPEC stranglehold is broken!
> American,
>> Russian and western European companies have just discovered a VAST amount
> of
>> oil in the province of Kazahkstan Russia. Like 480 square miles of
> billions
>> of barrels. Making nice to Putin is going to pay off. Sheikhs are going to
>> hate vodka!
>
> That field has been being discovered on and off since the 20s. Now dig out
> your atlas and draw some pipelines across places you don't want to be near
> to ports that don't exist. If you can do it for under $30 a barrel, OPEC is
> in deep doodoo. Unfortunately, not until then.
>
> Dick
>
>

4561. Re: AF2Y - some firearm thoughts.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3922B24F.838FF41F@ahole.com>
Source record: 110916

Jeff, what you stated below is entirely true. As a police officer I have 'never' seen a gun kill anybody that did not have a person pulling the trigger. The person went to trial for murder, not the gun.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> >which post was it that I said weapons don't kill. i don't recall having
> >said that.
>
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> >Blaming gun deaths on guns, is as illogical as blaming Arson deaths on
> >matches.
> >Just as a gun will not work without a bullet, it will not work without a
> >finger.
>
> In other words, "Weapons don't kill, people do."
>
> Jeff

4562. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3922B3B5.599AF4E@ahole.com>
Source record: 110917

And usually released the next day to do the same. Criminals have
"no" fear in our "justice" system.....

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> That's the beauty of it. They're frisked, found to be carrying an unlicensed
> weapon and toss their cans in jail. What a great way of getting the scum out
> of circulation.
>
> ----------
> In article <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login
> <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
>
> > "Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."

4563. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517090820.05251.00002798@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 110918

>
>64 Yrs (and growin older)
>
>Watch the SK pages in QST.
>They get longer every few months...
>
>Hams btwn 15-27 Yrs = 1.3%

And, your source for this would be????

N9GSU

4564. F.S. SB 220 Heathkit $700 + shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nh7h@aol.comnojunk
Message-ID: <20000517091422.17424.00000026@nso-fg.aol.com>
Source record: 110919

F.S. *Heath kit SB-220 $700.00 + shipping
Very good condition clean, none-smoker, upgraded rectro installed new tubes,
front end setup for solid state rid input. Over $100.00 of silver mica caps.
Oahu Hawaii.
HF Linear Amplifier/With Manual
Band coverage 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter Amateur Bands
Driving power required 100 watts
Maximum power input SSB: 2000 watts P.E.P
CW: 1000 watts.
RTTY: 1000 watts.
Duty Cycle .SSB: continuous voice modulation.
CW: Continuous (maximum key-down 10 minutes).
RTTY: 50% (maximum transmit time 10 minutes).
Power Requirements 120 AC, 50/60 Hz at 20 amps.
240 AC, 50/60 Hz at 10 amps
Net Weight…50 lbs.
Email: MomaRita G@aol.com
73 NH7H

4565. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517091822.15507.00003355@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 110920

Someone sed:

64 Yrs (and growing older)

Watch the SK pages in QST. They get longer every few months...

Hams between 15-27 Yrs = 1.3%
==========

Butr I don't think we're "dying on the vine".

A couple of years after the famous no-code tech license came along, ARRL published the fact that there were _____ new hams. The interesting part was that the average age of new hams was 44 years!.

It should have been 14 years!

But the point is that all these "new" hams surely have a FEW gud yrs left. :-)

But, like any other hobby, there has to be an influx of new hams.

On the bright side, as we all begin to die off...less QRM!

73 de Jack, K9CUN

4566. Re: FCC Callsign Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <39229E14.AA7F434F@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110921

Dwight Stewart wrote:

> Nothing seems to get them to move fast (including more than a hundred
> unhappy people standing there giving them mean looks).

If you knew you virtually *could not* be fired, had to spend 8 hours per day doing the job and got paid the same regardless of the number of persons you helped, what's the incentive??

Same thing at the Post Office. Twenty people in line...two clerks...break time for one...goes on break...no replacement. Frustration.

4567. Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <B8C8323D52E6A264.0F13FDA64CEE387D.B2E78814A4CE7301@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

Will this be an ARRL session or one of the VECs who actually SEND the FCC the paperwork within a month?

FCC has not received my Extra paperwork from the Apr 15th session in Charleston.....nada.....zilch!

I'm thinking about putting it in, again, at the Wescars session this week....(c;

Larry....I can imagine the ruckus THAT would cause....hee hee

On Wed, 17 May 2000 06:12:45 GMT, "Innocent John!!!" <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org> wrote:

>Phantom's Amateur Radio Group, International (PARG) will be
>holding a VE session during the Dayton Hamvention Year
>2000 ARRL National Convention. The session will be limited
>to paperwork upgrades ONLY (NO testing will be offered).
>Reservations are required. Contact John Mackey KS0F
>via e-mail at jmackey@usa.net.
>
>The session will be held at 6:30 PM May 19, 2000 in the
>PARG room at the Red Roof Inn, 7370 Miller Lane, Dayton,
>Ohio 45414. Talk in will be on the 443.575 MHz repeater
>(100 Hz PL).
>
>http://www.parg.org
>
>

4568. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Price <career1@home.com>
Message-ID: <39229EE9.E789EF76@home.com>
Source record: 110923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ken:
I would like to see a picture of one.
Alan
W1HYV

Ken Haydu wrote:

> Hello Dan,
> My hobby is building the one tube SW sets modeled after the 1934 Doerle
> Twinplex. Would be glad to sell one for under $50 shipped. Can email photos
> if you like. Regards,
>
> --
> Ken Haydu

4569. Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <3922A18C.79C7039D@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> I'm thinking about putting it in, again, at the Wescars session this
> week....(c;

Great idea!!

4570. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: keltner <keltner@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <8fu8k9$im4$1@news.laserlink.net>
Source record: 110925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

John Howard rules!! world's greatest adventure racer. of course he is
probly back in his bus cleaning his window washing equipment.

dave
<mark_little_aus@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8fkubijd1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <391DBB6F.741CED50@IEEE.org>,
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
> > >
> > > kw@bctv.com wrote:
> > > > I guess that depends on what "is" is.
> > >
> > > Sorry, That one went over my head.
> >
> > You don't recognize Clinton's infamous statement?
>
> Oh, I gather that it must be something to do with the Monica incident. I
> can't say that I took much interest in the story. Understandable, I
> guess, because I'm sure not too many people in this NG would be
> interested in what John Howard is doing - I'll let you figure that one
> out. ;-)
>
>
>
> Mark.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4571. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fuaqr02ke6@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110926

In article <8ftclrfge1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>>What a crock!
>>Just what part of "right of the people" don't you understand?
>
>Just what part of "militia" don't you understand? Even the writers
>of the Second knew repeating the same noun in a single sentence

<snip>

"Among many of the basic rights of the individual, is that that of defending one's property, life, and liberty against tyranny." - John Adams

Tom - N8ECW

4572. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fugri$e9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110927

In article <20000516224247.28566.00000725@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> How Would Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?
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> How Would Registration and Licensing Reduce Crime?
> He doesnt care about that. This guy loves to argue. He's a nut case
who would say the sun rose in the west if you said it rose in the east.
Dont let him fool you:he was kicked off ham radio because of his
obnoxious ways and now he is here stirring up anything he can.

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4573. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Haub <rhaub@midwestmicro-tek.com>
Message-ID: <3922C204.40AAD9DC@midwestmicro-tek.com>
Source record: 110928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Daniel Hopkins wrote:

> Hello and thanks in advance from a beginner.
>
> I wanted to know how inexpensively one could buy or build a receiver (for
> any frequency), even a single frequency receiver.
>
> I have limited experience with electronics but I do okay.
>
> Thanks again.
>
> Dan Hopkins

I started building ham gear last year so I'm kind of where your at experience wise. However I've had some time to look and see what is out there.

I just built the Ten-Tec 1253 9 band receiver last month. It cost $59.00 (+ s.h.). Its a regeny but it works pretty well. The selectivity leaves something to be desired but..... I built it to use while I got my tube based superhet built.

The gear I build uses tubes for two reasons. One, I got a lot of them that I collected as a kid that were still in a box in my folk's basement (after 25 years). And because they're so damn neat.

If your on a limited budget like I am, tubes can be the way to go. The superhet that I'm building is costing me only a few dollars, mostly for the transformers. I got most of the parts that I needed from some old junk tube radios that I got for a buck from a second hand shop.

If your looking for something fairly easy to build without a lot of cost, look into the kits offered by Ten Tec, Ramsey, and others. Kits are a good mix of cost, perfomance, and simple construction trade offs.

If your interest, e-mail me and I'll point you in some directions to start (may not be the right direction but still..). Good luck

Rick KC0GIX

4574. Have some fun Listen to MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <nobody@see.message.headers>
Message-ID: <218a53e36de569ae4038ea98feea0095@mixmaster.shinn.net>
Source record: 110929

NOTICE: This message may not have originated from the Sender address
above. It was remailed automatically by anonymizing remailer software.

This message sender's real identity is unknown, unlogged, and is
probably not replyable via the Sender address above (YMMV).

Please report problems or inappropriate use to the remailer
administrator at <abuse at mixmaster dot shinn dot net>.

You want to hear something funny? Listen to the MARS group on their
frequencies. What a bunch of old farts. They really crack me up with their
jargon and stuff. It takes them 30 minutes to send and copy a 2 minute
message. They need to get into the 21 century.

4575. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Bruhns <tom_bruhns@agilent.com>
Message-ID: <3922DF80.F04C026@agilent.com>
Source record: 110930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob wrote:
>
> The simplest receiver is a diode detector. Originally known as a crystal
> set. Requires no batteries or transistors or tubes. Only receives AM.

Oh, a challenge! I'll bet I can receive FM on one... Of course, I DO
need to add some tuned circuits, or at least one tuned circuit. But
for sure there's no reason I couldn't build a ratio detector with just
diodes and tuned circuits, tuned directly to an FM station. And slope
detection is even simpler. Stereo might be a bit tough, though. ;-)

Cheers,
Tom

4576. FS: 10/6m vert., M2 SAT, & 6m beam Ants.(SAT Ants & 6m beam sold)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howard Rudy <hrudy@lgcy.com>
Message-ID: <3922E0F8.E8D5988A@lgcy.com>
Source record: 110931

The M2 SAT Ants & 6m beam have been sold.
Still have the

New In Box Comet Ant CA-350DB 10/6 m dual band vert.
10m 2.15db gain & 6m 6.5db gain 22.6 ft long 6.4lbs.
new price $200 asking $125.00 + shipping.

contact <hrudy@lgcy>
THANKS for the fast sales.

73's KA7YWO
Howard
SLC, UT.

4577. Re: Making a TS50 work with alinco edx-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Dewey <KA9CAR@NS.arrl.net>
Message-ID: <8ful9t$o2u$1@news.tribune.com>
Source record: 110932
Cross-posted to: news.admin.radio.amateur.antenna,news.admin.radio.amateur.equipment,news.admin.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Alinco radios come with directions for hooking to a Kenwood or Yaseu
automatic tuner. BUT the Alinco web site says the edx-2 is for use
exclusively with the Alinco 70 or 77. I have had an edx-2 on my 77 for two
years. Remember it does NOT operate like an SGC.
John
KA9CAR

WA2FSO wrote in message ...
>Has anybody Made a TS50 work with a edx-2 auto tuner, i might put the ts-50
>in the car, (no Noise) and want to use the edx-2 mobile tuner with it, any
>wiring data?
>
>

4578. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg9ns@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fuq3n$pi1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110933

Yeah, this stinks. I did my upgrade on April 15 (already had CSCE for Extra Written)...

STILL haven't gotten updated on the FCC database, and it's been over a month... I'm losing hope on getting that extra vanity call I have my eyes on. *sigh*

Gotta love beauocracy.

73 de KG9NS

In article <8AFC032CDEB0BAD1.61F5A2F92F73B503.4280D81B0D6490B9@lp.airnews.net>, W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:
> You've, obviously, gotten into the same problem I have.....
>
> ARRL, as my VE told me this morning, was SWAMPED with the nonsense of
> how this special upgrade was run. 4 to 6 WEEKS is what I'm hearing
> now. I wish I had turned my paperwork into our Wescars group. They
> already GOT their new licenses 2 weeks ago......
>
> IF we had done it right, you would simply have been sent,
> automatically with our VAST array of very expensive new computers
> dubbed ULS at FCC, not ARRL, HQ....your new license....if you had
> passed the required elements that are ALREADY in that system's
> database since January, in my case. A simple subroutine to print all
> licenses to all hams that had fulfilled the new requirement would have
> been written by some code hacker at FCC to scan the database (it's
> really NOT that big, you know) and issue new licenses.
>
> Of course, this would have BYPASSED the collection of ANOTHER $6.65 x
> THE THOUSANDS of hams who upgraded....which, I surmise, is a princely
> sum! And, more importantly in FCC bureaucracies around the country,
> this subroutine would have BYPASSED the desk of countless clerks whos
> very LIVES depend on that useless paper form crossing their desk for
> the appropriate stamp of approval......
>
> Fat Chance, suckers.
> Larry W4CSC
>
> On Mon, 08 May 2000 16:49:24 -0700, Scott
> <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid> wrote:
>
> >I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
> >work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the

> >ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
> >days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
> >Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
> >with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
> >n4zou/extra lite!

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4579. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g22ogfjb1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110734

Tim,
I am a MODERATE. I like BALANCE. I am neither on the left nor right. Please understand that. The G.O.P. has swung too far to the right-that is my chief complaint and Gore will be your next Prez.
Doc

In article <20000518191901.12363.00000074@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> No apology needed Doc, but accepted. As for the "politics" of the issue. We'll
> wait and see what the **majority** of Americans say this November. That will
> decide who was "right" or who was left. I know, do you?

4580. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g2346$2sm$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110735

Just make sure you vote for Al the Internet inventor. George W. invented nothing but his old man sure invented him.

In article <05e47cc6.dd807258@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>, Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> McCain--Yes, definitely. First piece of presidential material to
> come down the pike in many, many years.
>
> Too bad we have to choose between crap and different crap this
> November. Only reason I'll vote is to counter-vote.
>
>
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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>

4581. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g23hm$8ue$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110736

I interpret your statement as a threat which is illegal via the Internet. I demand an explanation or I most certainly will send a copy and paste to abuse@netscape.com and you can explain the threat to them. I'm not kidding. Doc

---

In article <034f8c93.5b62159d@usw-ex0101-007.remarq.com>, Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

>>Be specific if you know what that means.
> Another insult.
> I _WAS_ specific. Put _YOUR_ ass on the line to _PROVE_ _YOUR_
> theory.
> _NOT MINE_! If you need _MORE_ specificity, I'll personally make
> it
> clear to the criminals that _YOU_ are an easy and voluntary
> target.

4582. Re: Hollingsworth retreats on the ID thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William F. Hagen" <whagen@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <392491E1.CA5F8392@inreach.com>
Source record: 110737

The guy is on a witch hunt, or a snipe hunt, whatever,
be careful what you wish for,
you just might get it.

LRod wrote:
>
> Back to radio topics, according to the Web Extra Member's Only page of
> the ARRL site, Riley Hollingsworth backed off on the IDing thing.
>
> "Riley Hollingsworth: Is my face red? FCC Special Counsel for Amateur
> Radio Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth says he was just trying to see if
> the amateur community was paying attention when he suggested on his
> recent Radio Amateur Information Network enforcement news report
> (http://www.rainreport.com) that the use of phonetics during station
> identification was contrary to the amateur rules. "
>
> "As Hollingsworth has since conceded, after being challenged from
> several quarters, the applicable FCC station ID
> rule--ï¿½97.119(b)(2)--specifically encourages "use of a standard phonetic
> alphabet as an aid for correct station identification" [emphasis added].
> "I plead temporary insanity," Hollingsworth told the ARRL. "I was
> working too close to my antennas the evening before.""
>
> LRod
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4583. Re: Live voice & text chat for hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g240s$q9i$2@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110738

Hey wait a minute you fraud. I just went to your website and you say that one must have Windows as an OS. That's discriminatory. I have a MAC which doesn't need windows or shutters or blinds. What are we Applers supposed to do-buy a P.C? Ugh! Steve Jobs forever!
AF2Y

In article <Vx%U4.2631$S31.44623@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "MITBR" <mitbr@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Hello folks!!
> Just wanted to let everyone know that there has been major improvements to
> the world wide voice & Text chat system for hams!! There is now the
> provision for private chat rooms. The idea is that you wait for someone to
> arrive in the main chat then go to a private chat with them if you wish. The
> audio in the system rivals that of anything currently available and also
> supports a text chat on the same screen. Use the system to set up skeds,
> check the muf on a freq, meet new hams, have meetings or just plain ragchew.
> Go to the url here to directly enter the chat
> http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/AmateurRadioChat.htm
> If no ones there when you arrive simply hang around for awhile while you
> surf the net some one will come along!! Spread the word folks .
> Tim Breckon-- --
> Please visit my web site url below
> Tampa Bay Radio Page
> http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/Mi01000.htm
>
>

4584. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott <n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <1305c13e.65f695e7@usw-ex0105-037.remarq.com>
Source record: 110739

Thanks to all who jumped in! The upgrade showded up Monday on
the FCC ULS data base. Glad that's taken care of. Also glad it's
the last test to take. I should have upgraded years ago. Now I
am only an Extra/lite ham but that's the way it goes. I never
have even gotten on the extra parts of the band and so never
used the /AE and still have not operated in the now available
extra parts of the band. My most favorate thing to do is work CW
in the novice parts of the band. Dont care how fast or slow I
just like working hams just getting into CW. I know the first CW
contact I made was a blast and just keep on doing it. 73 all and
again Thanks!

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4585. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <27da7900.18efafa5@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>
Source record: 110740

Doc,

Your whole appearance on the Internet writing such garbage as you do, is offensive. You certainly have the right to do so, but you are abusing the privilege. Step back, take a look, I would think you would come to your senses. The man made perfect sense to your double standard and yet you want to yell "foul". Doc, most people can see right through you. You are a blithering idiot with a keyboard in front of you. Do some good.....go help some of these people that have been attacked by hoodlums. It will set your mind straight.

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4586. AF2Y: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g2721$o5n$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110741

Gentlemen:
On June 22nd of this year, we will mark the 59th anniversary of the Nazi invasion of the Soviet Union which culminated in the glorious victory of our Russian comrades in arms.
Keep in mind that eight out of every German soldier killed in W.W.II was done in by a Russian and had those lousy fascist beasts not been so beautifully slaughtered, they would have accounted for God knows how many Yanks, Brits and Canucks killed and wounded?
The Cold War is over and guaranteed the last thing Prime Minister Putin and President Clinton want is a nuclear exchange. Communism is a dead issue and even Red China will now become Red White and Blue China thanks to intelligent economic minds in D.C. which see the advantage in giving her reduced tariffs. Taiwan? I liked her better when she was known as Formosa-it's sexier sounding. And incidentally did I ever tell you about my ex-neighbor Anna Goldberg who swore one of the Chinese offshore islands was filled with oriental Jews? The islands are known as Quemoy and Matsu and she thought it was Matzoh, no kidding.
Anyway June 22nd is coming and we hams should do something to commemorate the sacrifice of the Russian people, armed forces and partisans who died not only to save their own motherland but ours too. Keep in mind that after being suddenly attacked and decimated, Soviet forces not only drove the Hun out of their nation but all across eastern Europe until the scum were holed up in Naziland in which they were themselves decimated. That's quite a feat, both of them. And inhabitants of cities like Leningrad and Stalingrad, under deadly assault for years, lived on shoe leather and dead horses and even by cannibalism to survive and urinate on the corpses of dead Germans.
Providing band conditions are good, we hams should go out of our way to contact Russia to say thanks which is SPACEEBAW phonetically. And to emphasize how grateful we are to the sacrifices they made, let's add a BIG THANK YOU which is BOLSHOYA SPACEEBAW. Tell them your name in Russian. Say MOYA EEMEYA... name. It means, MY NAME IS..... Tell them what city and state you live in. Say MOY GRAD(my city) and give it in English. After the state say 'SAWNOYNYEE SHATTEE AMERIKEE which is United States of America. And after the QSO, end with SIMDESYAT TREE which means 73.
I suggest putting on something red while you're on the air that day. Like the socks worn by the Cincinnati and Boston baseball teams. Hell, why not put up a picture of Joe Stalin? Yes he was a murderous commie s.o.b but he was OUR murderous commie s.o.b. who galvanized a nation or else. Anyone unwilling to die in warfare for him and Mother Russia would disappear another way.
Hitler had it all his way until that fateful day of 6/22/41 and then Colonel Winter set in "und die deutschen Truppen zum Tod werden gefroren(the German troops froze to death). That plus constant Russian military pressure and AMERICAN AID destroyed 80% of Nazism. Thank God.

AF2Y

4587. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <03bc0db1.1a03d11f@usw-ex0103-019.remarq.com>
Source record: 110742

Interpret as you see fit. That's _YOUR_ business.

However, I didn't threaten _YOU_. I was making a point that
the criminals are the threat, and when they are too close
for comfort, then that changes things rather rapidly.

Changes things a bit, doesnt it? NOW you feel the heat.

It's UTTERLY AMAZING how QUICKLY you JUMP in front of a
"moving car" and then [imaginarily] "get hit" so you can
cry out: "Hit and run! I'm going to sue!"

I realize you want more control over everyone _ELSE_,
and you don't want the laws you bark out to affect _YOU_,
but that's called a crying shame.

Point I was trying to make, (which you twist and turn into
making the commenter look like a bad guy---your Modus Operandi,
and a favorite among those with no substance behind their
position) was that the criminal is going to go to the path of
least resistance. If you are so nonchalant about registration
and gun control, then how about if YOU make YOUR name and or
location known as a gun-control advocate? I was just OFFERING
MY ASSISTANCE TO HELP/OBLIGE YOU IN THIS EFFORT SO AS TO PROVE A
POINT BY NOT GIVING YOU AN EXCUSE TO HIDE BEHIND AS TO WHY YOU
SHOULDN'T.

Don't EVER try and put YOUR TWISTED WORDS in my mouth, you
CRETINOUS INGRATE!

REMEMBER: YOU made this information PUBLIC, NOT ME. It is
in the "public domain".

Go look it up.

YOU have MADE PUBLIC of YOUR feelings on the issue of guns.
Doesn't take an Einstein to put two and two together, AND all
this by YOUR OWN HAND.

If I was a schoolkid in the eighth grade doing a report on gun
control, this ng is FAIR GAME for INCLUSION because it is a
PUBLIC FORUM.

Initially, I was just trying to see how you thought your own
medicine tasted (as far as making your feelings public on what
you will/will not accept in your inbox) since you felt it was
just fine to insult me in MINE.

I have NEVER posted to ANY email account of yours. EVER.

I can't say the same for you, AND I have evidence to support
that. You have crossed more questionable lines with me than I
have with you.

I will NOT be threatened in this manner. I am not kidding.

PS My apologies to this ng for the tone here, but I am afraid
"Einstein" here needs to be spoon-fed EVERYTHING.

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4588. Re: Hollingsworth retreats on the ID thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g00oh$i56$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110784

In article <8fv907$b0g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>(http://www.rainreport.com) that the use of phonetics during station
>identification was contrary to the amateur rules. "

He could have gotten himself out of that bind by saying that he
meant non-standard phonetics. E.g., using "Whole Hole Eight Ate"
for WH8A certainly could be considered contrary to IDing properly.
73, Jeff, Kerb Hour Six Oars

4589. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g01cviok1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110785

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>Mitch wrote

>>WHERE IS THERE A CORRELATION BETWEEN THE RIGHT TO CARRY ARMS AND LOW CRIME
>>RATE, YOUR DATA PLEASE.

>More Guns, Less Crime (read it Mitch)
>by John R. Lott, Jr., University of Chicago Press
>Does allowing people to own and carry concealed firearms really deter violent
>crime? Or does it simply cause more citizens to harm each other? In this
>important study, legal scholar John Lott presents the most rigorously
>comprehensive data ever compiled on crime in America. After meticulously
>analyzing the effects of gun control laws, among many other variables, on crime
>rates, Lott reaches the conclusion: Where there are more guns, there is less
>crime.

He provided a lecture here for our state legislators and was well-
received. Then our newspaper uncovered some strong financial ties
between him and pro-gun lobbyists in some southern state; that
cast some doubt on his research "results." I'll look up the
newspaper article.
73, Jeff KH6O

4590. Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <IMMU4.51008$55.402195@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 110786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

Apparently, Larry, you are not aware of the current happenings in amateur radio,
or of amateur radio regulations in general. Being you currently hold a higher class
of license (Advanced, according to the current database), more would be expected of you.

Your pathetic attempt at making a snide comment (below) is
NOT becoming or needed.

The two major VEC's in this country (ARRL & W5YI) have been overwhelmed with the sudden flood of upgrade requests starting on April 15, 2000. Try reading
this news item at: http://www.qrz.com/news/articles/000512.paperwork.html.

The VEC's have been working overtime & hired extra staff to meet the demand, but things are still slow.

Apparently you chose to uppgrade from Advanced to Extra the EASY way
& wait until the rules were changed to lessor code speed. With a little work you could have acheived the Full Extra (or Extra Plus) with 20 WPM morse code, but instead you waited for the rules to change to make it easy enough for you to get Extra with little or no effort. How long did you wait, Larry?

Years? Months? Weeks? Decades?

If you have waited this long, you can wait a few more weeks while the VEC's clear up the backlog and soon you will have your
Extra-Lite/Welfare Extra license. (regardless of your stupid-assed comments)

Remember, you & all the other Extra-lite/Welfare Extra applicants
had an alternative to get your REAL Extra BEFORE the April 15 rush,
but chose to wait. You've made your bed, now lay in it & stop whinning!

"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote
> Will this be an ARRL session or one of the VECs who actually SEND the
> FCC the paperwork within a month?
>
> FCC has not received my Extra paperwork from the Apr 15th session in
> Charleston.....nada.....zilch!

4591. Specail Event Logger - Freeware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul O'Kane EI5DI <okanep@iol.ie>
Message-ID: <3924155A.2E95@iol.ie>
Source record: 110787

17 May 2000

SDX V9.62 is a comprehensive HF DXpedition logger
which runs on a 386 or better, and has a typical
capacity of at least 10,000 QSOs.

SDX is not a contest logger - it does not track
points and multipliers. It's intended for the
majority of DXpedition and special event operations.
It supports SSB and CW operation on all 9 HF bands,
but does not support packet or computer networking.

SDX also offers real-time prefix checking, dupe
checking and beam headings. It supports Super Check
Partial, serial & parallel keying, rig control, PTT
and band outputs using standard files & interfaces.

SDX is freeware and unrestricted. SDXCHECK is the
associated post-event program to create ADIF logs
for integration with your station log.

SDX may be downloaded from www.ei5di.com, or direct
from www.ei5di.com/sd/sdx.zip (192 kb).

73,
Paul EI5DI
http://www.ei5di.com

4592. Re: Dayton Hamfest Hooters Girls

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000518062641.23189.00000001@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 110788

>From: robert3243@my-deja.com

>My name is Kelly and I work at Hooters. Welcome to the 2000 Ham Fest
>We will be having a contest this year for who has the best hat with
>your call letters on it.

How exciting! However, you may wish to resume using your original E-Mail address (kelly@hOOters.com). Otherwise, it is confusing getting mail from Robert......

QRM

4593. Re: Dayton Hamfest Hooters Girls

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8g0ibonug1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110789

In article <8fvhj8kjj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
robert3243@my-deja.com wrote:
> Hello Ham Radio People
>
> My name is Kelly and I work at Hooters. Welcome to the 2000 Ham Fest
> We will be having a contest this year for who has the best hat with
> your call letters on it. First prize is $500.00 cash. Watch for
details
> Looking forward to another good convention.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
> Do you have any activities for our Gay Hams?

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4594. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3923D4CA.A3BABEB6@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110790

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Just what part of "militia" don't you understand? Even the writers
> of the Second knew repeating the same noun in a single sentence
> wasn't considered good grammar. Then, "Militia" = "the people."
> Today, we define the "Militia" in more exacting terms as per
> 10 USC 13.

The Constitution, and Amendments, refer to "the people" many times, therefore "the people" is clearly defined by other usage in that document. In no other place is the militia linked to "the people," so it is safe to assume that the writers did not intend for them to be linked in the 2nd Amendment.

The militia, and "the people," are two separate enities, one a justification, the other defining who the right was reserved for. Of course, the writers did not mean for that to be the only justification for gun ownership. They knew fully well that "the people" used weapons to hunt food, and protect their families, since that was commonplace even back then. And, since it was comonplace, I'm sure they did not think it was necessary to include that as a specific justification for the right.

Dwight Stewart

4595. Re: Have some fun Listen to MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3923D8A2.D5F13612@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110791

John wrote:
>
> You want to hear something funny? Listen to the MARS group on their
> frequencies. What a bunch of old farts. They really crack me up with their
> jargon and stuff. It takes them 30 minutes to send and copy a 2 minute
> message. They need to get into the 21 century.

The "jargon and stuff" used during MARS activities is set by the Department of Defense, not by MARS operators. The reason it takes so long to transfer a message is because the military considers exact content transfer to be more important than speed, so there are lots of checks and rechecks for accuracy built into each exchange.

By the way, according to an article a few years ago in the Stars & Stripes, about 65 percent of MARS personnel are active-duty military personnel under the age of thirty.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4596. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3923FD38.5408EEFF@ahole.com>
Source record: 110792

Doc, your one sick puppy..............

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> W2MSK, you are trying to impart wisdom to a cinder block between two
> shoulders. KK7HO has been brainwashed, gridlocked, manipulated, steered and
> convinced by that damned NRA which gets richer with every gun related death.
> Their intent is to foster enough murder so as to entice EVERYONE to get a
> gun, legally or illegally. Heston and LaPierre thrive on murder and
> mayhem-they're bloodthirsty rightwing s.o.b.s who deserve to be thrown in
> jail. The situation is out of control thanks to them and theirs and by God
> the time has come to take back America by imparting intelligent decisions
> which aid us all instead of creating a nationwide Dodge City, 1850.
> AF2Y
>
> ----------
> In article <3923224A.5A988023@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> > Hey Mitch, don't be a bitch. Turn off the CAPS LOCK......
> >
> > Mitch wrote:
> >>
> >> KK7HO wrote:
> >>
> >> > Some gun stats you don't hear very much about. They'll probably drive ol
> doc to
> >> > delusional blabbering but here they are.
> >> >
> >> > 1. Far more kids kill themselves with bicycles than guns.
> >>
> >> ALL THIS SAYS IS THAT WE MUST LICENSE BIKES, INSPECT THEM AND INSTRUCT KIDS.
> >>
> >> > 2. Only 2% of guns purchased at a gun show are used in crimes. Most of them
> >> > were purchased legally at the time.
> >>
> >> ONLY 2%?, WELL TELL THAT TO THE MOTHER OF THE KID THAT WAS KILLED BY A 2%
> GUN,
> >> THAT SHOULD MAKE HER FEEL BETTER.
> >>
> >> > 3. The majority of sales at gun shows are by commercial dealers - who
> follow
> >> > the same check rules as in their gun shops.
> >>

> >> OH, THAT MAKES ME FEEL REAL COMFORTABLE! WHERE DO THE CRIMINALS GET THE
> > GUNS FROM
> >> IN THE FIRST PLACE, THE MANUFACTURERS?
> >>
> >> > 4. Guns are used for self defense at least 2 million times a year. - 3 to 5
> >> > times more than for crimes.
> >>
> >> WELL, DOES THAT MEAN 2 MILLION ADDITIONAL DEAD AND WOUNDED PEOPLE? NICE TO
> KNOW
> >> ITS OK TO KILL IF IN YOUR MIND YOU ARE JUSTIFIED.
> >> THE JUDGE, JURY, EXECUTIONER THING...
> >>
> >> > 5. The nine states with the lowest violent crime rates ALL have right to
> carry
> >> > laws.
> >>
> >> WHERE IS THERE A CORRELATION BETWEEN THE RIGHT TO CARRY ARMS AND LOW CRIME
> RATE,
> >> YOUR DATA PLEASE.
> >>
> >> A Concerned Amateur
> >> W2MSK
> >>
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >

4597. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3923FE79.D4BC56CF@ahole.com>
Source record: 110793

Hey Doc, if you can't take don't dish it out. Do you understand?

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> This KK7HO simply refuses to stay out of my mailbox and refuses to stop
> cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact the AOL Gestapo which would be my
> last resort so if anyone can tell me how to get this brainwashed NRA puppet
> out of here, kindly send an e-mail and DON'T SWEAR. I mean like an
> occasional damn hurts no one but that's it. I don't mind some badinage with
> the dope on rec.radio but this getting personal is terrible. Keep in mind
> gentleman that e-mailing someone is like knocking on his door and when you
> visit someone, good manners is paramount. Or at least warner brothers.
> AF2Y
>
> Return-Path: <kk7ho@aol.com>
> Received: from imo14.mx.aol.com ([152.163.225.4])
> by osgood.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id
> si6iff.dqc.30ahi43
> for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>; Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:59 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from ladder07.news.aol.com (ladder07.news.aol.com [172.31.45.165])
> by imo14.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.8/AOL-5.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA10905 for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>;
> Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:55 -0400 (EDT)
> From: kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
> To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
> Date: 18 May 2000 01:39:55 GMT
> References: <8fvb03hsj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
> Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
> Subject: Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....
> Message-ID: <20000517213955.02276.00003448@ng-fx1.aol.com>
>
> Charlie, I resent some liberal SOB (you) saying because of MY views that
> I'm
> brainwashed. You don't know me, you've never met me, but when I agreed with
> you
> on certain things in this NG you heaped all types of praise on me. Now that
> we
> "disagree" your calling names and losing friends. Keep your mouth off of me
> from now on. GOT IT?
> If you can respond to my posts without your personal insults your welcome
> to
> do so. If you cannot control yourself, then just shut up.

4598. Re: YOU first!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8g0p9t$vm4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110794

In article <8fvmon$q72$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> OK, lets cut to the chase, stop beating around the bush, stirring up a
> bunch of dust, and muddying the waters with a bunch of baffling B.S.
>
> Proposition:
> ALL people who are against gun ownership, or are pro-registration, or
> who are anti-2nd Amendment, etc., etc., etc., should do this:
>
> In extremely visible ways, have indicators such as:
> o) signs
> o) stickers
> o) notations in the phone book next to your addresses
> o) bumper stickers
> o) T-Shirts, caps, etc...
> o) spray-painted curbs
> o) Tatoos (hey, it's a free country, go ahead, express yourself!)
> o) any other undeniable markation of their lack of protection
>
> On their vehicles, homes, foreheads...whatever;
>
> That state they are plump, juicy, feeble, easy, pacifist, unprotected,
> unarmed, non-lethal, free-for-the-taking targets for any gun-toting
> criminal.
>
> We'll use _YOU_ for this experiment, _NOT ME_ to prove why _YOU_
should
> alter what protection _I ALREADY HAVE AS A RIGHT_. Put your money (and
> ass!) where your mouth is.
>
> Gamble with _YOUR_ lives, wives, children, and toiled-for property.
>
> NOT MINE!
>
> I'll start the website to compile the list. Any non-conformance will
> be handled as a criminal offense. If you vote anti-gun, you must show
> loud and clear indication that you are a willing target for crime.
>
> Doc, you first...we're waiting....
>
> --
> .\\
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/

> Before you buy.
>
Boy oh boy !! That's gonna be a short list.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4599. ICOM T8A Call Channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG4HMN <kg4hmn@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <83q7isohaf5pkq24tt7ht0hdrgp0p24goj@4ax.com>
Source record: 110795

I have an ICOM IC-T8A tribander that supports 1 call channel per band.
I am trying to find out what the call channels are for and how to use
them. The user's guide explains how to program them but not how use
them.

Another Ham told me that they were priority channels/memory locations
that were constantly scanned during memory scan mode (mem1, call
channels, mem2, call channels...) It doesn't appear to work this way.

After playing with it for a while, it looks like they are just special
memory locations for storing your favorite calling frequency. You can
activate the call channel for the current band by pressing the CALL
button while in VFO mode. But, if the radio is in memory scan mode
(which is where it is when I am not talking on it) you have to switch
to VFO mode and press the CALL button to pull up that frequency. It
would be easier to program the calling frequencies into a memory
location.

So, is it really that simple or do these call channels have a more
sophisticated function?

Thanks, and any help would be appreciated...
73 de KG4HMN

KG4HMN - Chris Heiert
KG4HMN@arrl.net

4600. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g0pfg$pk9$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110796

Morgan, you simply cannot read. I said give and take here is okay but when
one demandsthe sanctity of his mailbox, that must be acknowledged and
respected.

In article <3923FE79.D4BC56CF@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Hey Doc, if you can't take don't dish it out. Do you understand?
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> This KK7HO simply refuses to stay out of my mailbox and refuses to stop
>> cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact the AOL Gestapo which would be my
>> last resort so if anyone can tell me how to get this brainwashed NRA puppet
>> out of here, kindly send an e-mail and DON'T SWEAR. I mean like an
>> occasional damn hurts no one but that's it. I don't mind some badinage with
>> the dope on rec.radio but this getting personal is terrible. Keep in mind
>> gentleman that e-mailing someone is like knocking on his door and when you
>> visit someone, good manners is paramount. Or at least warner brothers.
>> AF2Y
>>
>> Return-Path: <kk7ho@aol.com>
>> Received: from imo14.mx.aol.com ([152.163.225.4])
>> by osgood.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id
>> si6iff.dqc.30ahi43
>> for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>; Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:59 -0400 (EDT)
>> Received: from ladder07.news.aol.com (ladder07.news.aol.com [172.31.45.165])
>> by imo14.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.8/AOL-5.0.0)
>> with ESMTP id VAA10905 for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>;
>> Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:55 -0400 (EDT)
>> From: kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
>> To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>> Date: 18 May 2000 01:39:55 GMT
>> References: <8fvb03hsj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
>> Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
>> Subject: Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....
>> Message-ID: <20000517213955.02276.00003448@ng-fx1.aol.com>
>>
>> Charlie, I resent some liberal SOB (you) saying because of MY views that
>> I'm
>> brainwashed. You don't know me, you've never met me, but when I agreed with
>> you
>> on certain things in this NG you heaped all types of praise on me. Now that

>> we
>> "disagree" your calling names and losing friends. Keep your mouth off of me
>> from now on. GOT IT?
>> If you can respond to my posts without your personal insults your welcome
>> to
>> do so. If you cannot control yourself, then just shut up.

4601. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39240844.D442DA5B@ahole.com>
Source record: 110797

Funny I read his response here on the news group not in your mail
box.....

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Morgan, you simply cannot read. I said give and take here is okay but when
> one demandsthe sanctity of his mailbox, that must be acknowledged and
> respected.
>
> ----------
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> >> cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact the AOL Gestapo which would be my
> >> last resort so if anyone can tell me how to get this brainwashed NRA puppet
> >> out of here, kindly send an e-mail and DON'T SWEAR. I mean like an
> >> occasional damn hurts no one but that's it. I don't mind some badinage with
> >> the dope on rec.radio but this getting personal is terrible. Keep in mind
> >> gentleman that e-mailing someone is like knocking on his door and when you
> >> visit someone, good manners is paramount. Or at least warner brothers.
> >> AF2Y
> >>
> >> Return-Path: <kk7ho@aol.com>
> >> Received: from imo14.mx.aol.com ([152.163.225.4])
> >> by osgood.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id
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> >> for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>; Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:59 -0400 (EDT)
> >> Received: from ladder07.news.aol.com (ladder07.news.aol.com [172.31.45.165])
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> >> with ESMTP id VAA10905 for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>;
> >> Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:55 -0400 (EDT)
> >> From: kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
> >> To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
> >> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
> >> Date: 18 May 2000 01:39:55 GMT
> >> References: <8fvb03hsj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
> >> Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
> >> Subject: Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....
> >> Message-ID: <20000517213955.02276.00003448@ng-fx1.aol.com>

> >>
> >> Charlie, I resent some liberal SOB (you) saying because of MY views that
> >> I'm
> >> brainwashed. You don't know me, you've never met me, but when I agreed with
> >> you
> >> on certain things in this NG you heaped all types of praise on me. Now that
> >> we
> >> "disagree" your calling names and losing friends. Keep your mouth off of me
> >> from now on. GOT IT?
> >> If you can respond to my posts without your personal insults your welcome
> >> to
> >> do so. If you cannot control yourself, then just shut up.

4602. Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrhuey@wizvax.wizvax.net
Message-ID: <W4+I5oJPMeaG090yn@wizvax.wizvax.net>
Source record: 110798

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Well, that's a bit of an understatement but I passed the tech
exam last weekend, am awaiting the coveted FCC sheepskin and call
to be issued, bought some more books to carry on the studying for
an upgrade in a year or so, scheduled myself to drop by the local
ham club meeting next month and done some research and comparison
shopping for a radio to get started with.

I'm leaving on vacation next week and will buy the radio and
all the necessary appurtenances and spend some quality time getting
familiar with how to use all the features and gizmos.

It seems that after all this, making that first contact is going
to be a tad anti-climactic and leaves one wondering what they
should do next?

Did anybody else have a similiar feeling of a lack of direction
at the same point in the hobby? Obviously, I have a healthy enough
interest and desire to do the studying and get a license at my age.
Even seem to have a pretty decent outlook and plan for further
study and subsequent upgrading of my privileges, but am a little
concerned about that lack of knowing what to do next.

Comments, suggestions, hints, tips, tricks? Have at it, people!

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| Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
| Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ |
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| "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average, everyday |
| guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no significant |
| use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time ... and |
| trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views" |
+---+
| To obtain my PGP Public Key: finger mrhuey@wizvax.net |
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4603. Re: AF2Y: what to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Auntie Greezeelda <grwomab@aol.com>
Message-ID: <kUSU4.216$S31.2819@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110799

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8fvif7$sv8$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
> This KK7HO simply refuses to stay
> out of my mailbox and refuses to stop
> cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact
> the AOL Gestapo which would be my
> last resort so if anyone can tell me
> how to get this brainwashed NRA puppet
> out of here

Two words----> "Cross-Pollenation"

Fight shit with more shit.

4604. Re: FCC Callsign Update Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <392403C2.5FE05A1B@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110800

The ARRL is diligently plowing through the paperwork mountain.

Their website reports they worked through April 19th receipts yesterday (5/17) and, sure enough, my update appeared on the FCC database this morning.

Thanks guys and gals in Newington.

Jon NU4JJ

4605. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <000ed800.f565d454@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 110801

First, they came for my guns. Then, they came for my mailbox.

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4606. Mt. Rainier radio frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Horne <jhorne@babu.pcisys.net>
Message-ID: <si85opq9ifb173@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner

Can anyone recommend a few useful repeaters for someone climbing the south side of Mt. Rainier? Any Park Service or other frequencies worth monitoring? Thanks for any leads,

Jonathan KB0TAX

4607. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: RonE <elbecaNOelSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <19eb4f30.0e7e4a3b@usw-ex0104-087.remarq.com>
Source record: 110803

I'm in the same boat! I just got my Tech. I passed just last
week. I think I'll go for a portable walkie talkie radio..
Radio Shack has a couple on sale at the moment. Kenwood has a
couple different dual-band models that look good also.. I don't
think there is a Kenwood dealer within 100 miles of my house
though.

Are the Radio Shack walkies any good? They sure are cheaper. I
am a believer in the "you get what you pay for" saying!
Ron

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4608. Re: Mt. Rainier radio frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: McGovern <doghostage@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <39241992.C5E06316@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 110804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.scanner

Did you catch the PBS documentary on Mt. Rainier last night? Amazing.
That's one of my next travel destinations.

Jonathan Horne wrote:
>
> Can anyone recommend a few useful repeaters for someone climbing the south
> side of Mt. Rainier? Any Park Service or other frequencies worth monitoring?
> Thanks for any leads,
>
> Jonathan KB0TAX

4609. Re: AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <17bed5ee.54361d35@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 110805

In article <8fsgli$6kr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com
wrote:
>I would love to civil union you Roger, yes I do have great
talents I
>could reserve us a room on our Sodom Pond retreat, you get me
going when
>you call me those names.

It's NEVER going to happen...I told you I don't swing that way.
Looks like you'll have to get ND8V to accomodate you.

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4610. Re: AF2Y: regarding KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <012bbcb0.54929c64@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 110806

In article <8fsj5v$9b5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, nd8vmike@my-deja.com
wrote:
>In article <8fsgli$6kr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>> I would love to civil union you Roger, yes I do have great
talents I
>> could reserve us a room on our Sodom Pond retreat, you get me
going
>when
>> you call me those names.
>LOOKS LIKE ROGERPOO FOUND HIMSELF A NEW FRIEND .

Not to worry, Mike, I won't infringe on you and Faglossi's
"friendship."

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4611. Re: AF2Y: what to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0eeb4c70.56afe178@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 110807

In article <kUSU4.216$S31.2819@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Auntie Greezeelda" <grwomab@aol.com> wrote:
>
><radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
>news:8fvif7$sv8$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
>> This KK7HO simply refuses to stay
>> out of my mailbox and refuses to stop
>> cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact
>> the AOL Gestapo which would be my
>> last resort so if anyone can tell me
>> how to get this brainwashed NRA puppet
>> out of here
>
>Two words----> "Cross-Pollenation"
>
>Fight shit with more shit.

Actually, the best way to get rid of unwanted e-mails is make a
"killfile" so you can set your mail retrieval to not download
their posts. Outlook express allows it, although I know you have
a mac, so I don't know what mail reader you use, Doc.

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4612. AF2Y has decided

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g16lh$t3a$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110808

I had to decide what to do about KK7HO's profanity entering my mailbox and I had to choose between:
1. self deletion
2. reporting it to AOL
3. answering
4. reporting it to the FBI, ATF and to Al Gore, our next president and inventor of the Internet

I have decided to put into action MindSpring's mail rules whereby he has been blocked but not in the true sense of the word. He'll think his garbage is showing up on my inbox but it won't be. As soon as it's launched and reaches me, it'll be instantly deleted and that's that. I hated to take such a drastic measure but this gun-loving NRA stooge will not leave me alone. As I wrote previously I don't object to contrary opinions either in my mailbox or on rec.radio but I do insist upon decent although not necessarily total puritan lingo. Volz's language is offensive; he's on AOL but I don't need it to fight my battles. I realize I'm controversial which may lead to an argument and once again I welcome any and all opinions be they pro or con, but there's no need to express oneself through terms relating to body parts, functions and sexually snide and revolting references.
AF2Y
cc: AGore@nextprez.org

4613. Re: AF2Y: what to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g17j5$d1c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110809

Nuts and Volz...tell us something about your measly existence out there in the dunes. What do you do for a living besides polish and stroke gun barrels and pretend to be offended by the offensive slimeballs loose on 3.950 who guard their guns in order to begin the revolution on time? Tell us about your deep reverence for Charlton Heston and Wayne LaPierre who'd rather be famous than protect the lives of kids. Tell us about your militia idols who, under the guise of patriotism, are gun nuts to kill patriots. Let's read more of your stupid postings about your idea of a "mainstream" Jewish group that loves guns. You wouldn't know the difference between the mainstream and ultra rightwing if it jumped up and bit your nose. Tell us how wrong it was to see 750,000 mothers marching in Washington to protect their kids against the ever increasing gun violence in this nation. Tell us how much safer we'd all be if each of us owned at least one gun to blast our way to fame and fortune. Tell us how ill equipped are our police forces in every city in this country to tend to public safety and how all of us, well armed, must fend for ourselves in a country we can't trust. Tell us how gun crazed vigilantism is the answer to our health and welfare. Then after you're made a complete fool answering everything, see a psychiatrist but first make sure he has a gun either in his desk drawer or under the couch you'll be lying on.
AF2Y

In article <20000517223805.26666.00003562@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> I'm not in your mailbox you idiot.I'm not sending you anything except your
> getting a copy of my posts, my replies to your idiotic diatribe, and will
> continue to do so. Oh, and I don't give a damn what you tell aol.. I'm sure
> that after looking at your posts....They'll probably send you a few letters.
> LOL
> Now just shut up and go away chuckie

4614. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: derswede@aol.comspam.com
Message-ID: <20000518132232.11202.00000056@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 110810

>'m in the same boat! I just got my Tech. I passed just last
>week. I think I'll go for a portable walkie talkie radio..
>Radio Shack has a couple on sale at the moment.

Ron:
Check to see what repeaters are in your area first. If there is a lot of SSB 2m then you may want to consider an all-mode radio. I purchased several used 2m radios to get started (even a venerable old Kenwood TH21AT thumbwheel sw select HT unit for $40!..now my hamfest radio due to size) which I used to get going. A "mobile" unit w/up to 20+ watts is good to hit that distand repeater. As I live in the county, a standard HT rarely will hit the repeaters and intermod is a bear (pager site 5 mi away...HTs rarely have enough filtering to prevent intermod). The RS unit is made by Alinco IIRC, so the performance of my cheapie DJ190 should be similar. Good quality, but TANSTAAFL applies. I've got aKenwood 25 wt mobile/station unit driving a 4 ele. WaveHunter beam (mounted in the attic) which gives me around 120 mile range. Borrow an HT first and see how it works. YMMV. Check 440 & 220 also, lower traffic and quite fun!

Andrew
KG4GSC

4615. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Clifton T. Sharp Jr." <clifto@clifto.com>
Message-ID: <392432CD.EF015BF@clifto.com>
Source record: 110811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Eamon Skelton wrote:
> Have a look at my very simple, single transistor, regenerative RX.
> It's only a single transistor RX, if you don't count the several
> million transistors in my computer:-) I use my PC sound card as
> the audio amp.
>
> http://www.qsl.net/regen.html

Or maybe <http://www.qsl.net/ei9gq/regen.html>. :-)

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| Cliff Sharp | "light jazz" is to jazz as "rubber band" is to orchestra. |
| WA9PDM | |
+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+- http://www.spamfree.org/ +-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+-+
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4616. Re: ICOM T8A Call Channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick McMillion <rick@k66.com>
Message-ID: <eO$h#SPw$GA.141@cpmsnbbsa06>
Source record: 110812

Call Channels are usually national, or even locally recognized simplex frequencies. They are channels where you would normally monitor, if you are not listening to your favorite repeater. National call channels would be 146.52, 446.000, and 52.525. You might ask around locally to see if there are any other local simplex channels used, and program those in as your calling channels. In years past, hams would use the national calling channels to find other hams when they are travelling through areas where they are unfamiliar with local repeaters. Also, hams have used the national calling channels to call for help when there is an emergency, and they are not in range of a repeater.

On the other hand, you could just program your favorite repeater into the calling channel for each band.

73, Rick, K6SIX

"KG4HMN" <kg4hmn@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:83q7isohaf5pkq24tt7ht0hdrgp0p24goj@4ax.com...
> I have an ICOM IC-T8A tribander that supports 1 call channel per band.
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>
> Another Ham told me that they were priority channels/memory locations
> that were constantly scanned during memory scan mode (mem1, call
> channels, mem2, call channels...) It doesn't appear to work this way.
>
> After playing with it for a while, it looks like they are just special
> memory locations for storing your favorite calling frequency. You can
> activate the call channel for the current band by pressing the CALL
> button while in VFO mode. But, if the radio is in memory scan mode
> (which is where it is when I am not talking on it) you have to switch
> to VFO mode and press the CALL button to pull up that frequency. It
> would be easier to program the calling frequencies into a memory
> location.
>
> So, is it really that simple or do these call channels have a more
> sophisticated function?
>
> Thanks, and any help would be appreciated...
> 73 de KG4HMN
>
>
> KG4HMN - Chris Heiert
> KG4HMN@arrl.net

4617. Cruising yachts around the world

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <bob@cruiser.co.za>
Message-ID: <958673725.626090@proxy.lia.net>
Source record: 110813

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A website called "Cruiser Log" at http://www.cruiser.co.za will be of
interest to you. It lists Cruiser homepages/narratives, yacht positions,
free crewfinder, M/M radio nets, a message board, classifieds, good marine
links, open discussion Cruising Forum and "add-your-own" cruising related
links.
Enjoy it and pass the address on to others who may wish to make use of these
resources.

Happy sailing and fair winds.
Bob

4618. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KUM/9 <d.breeden@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Message-ID: <39243AC0.8CF46AD@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Source record: 110814

Several paths you might take.

If you have a scanner, program in a couple of the local repeaters and listen in. Pick up a radio for that band, or a dual/multi band and program the repeaters you seem to listen to the most and go for it.

Find a couple of local clubs and attend a few of their meetings. Field day is coming up, help out. Many club Field Day ops have VHF/UHF station. No one will turn down a strong back and weak mind to hang antennas. Sit in on a station, do the logging! I terrible at CW and I read the scrawl someone writes upside down and keep log. I love it and frees up tried ops for coffee/food. Who knows, you might get a mic shoved in your face while someone dupes for you, it happened to me. Also, there are several VHF contest comming up, see if you can sit in on a station. I was in a deed restricted city so I ran rover for a couple of years.

Attend a RACES/FEMA meeting, sort of a club meeting. Another is SkyWarn.

As for Radio Shack, their equipment was made by ICOM and or Uniden, I don't know if it still is but it is pretty good.

Basically, find your own nitch. Ham radio is a hobby of hobbies. RC, digital, SS, contesting, homebrewing, contesting, etc. You will find and pursue what you enjoy.

73's and welcome!!

Dennis WB3KUM/9 (tech +) (LONG TIME)

4619. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlfiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <si8f3ulaius60@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Thanks for the ARRL corporate update Ed. What are the board of directors thinking of screwing up next?

w1rfi@arrl.net (Ed Hare, W1RFI) wrote in
<Dl0T4.61$16.2708@news.ntplx.net>:

>Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL <vlfiscus@mcn.net> wrote:
>
>> Looks like the ARRL's amateur radio restructuring plan CBer money
>> grab membership drive back-fired after all. HA!
>
>Yes, it did, Vince. Instead of creating classes of license, with a
>maximum 12 wpm code test, as ARRL asked for, the FCC gave 3 classes of
>license, with a 5 wpm code test.
>
>73,
>Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
>>
>> kw5tit@hotmail.com (Kim W5TIT) wrote in
>>
>> >I am one of those who doesn't believe that
>> >Restructuring will do a thing for increasing the number of hams...
>> >
>> >Kim W5TIT
>
>

4620. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <39244C6A.51B9@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 110816

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >
> > Just what part of "militia" don't you understand? Even the writers
> > of the Second knew repeating the same noun in a single sentence
> > wasn't considered good grammar. Then, "Militia" = "the people."
> > Today, we define the "Militia" in more exacting terms as per
> > 10 USC 13.
>
> The Constitution, and Amendments, refer to "the people" many times,
> therefore "the people" is clearly defined by other usage in that
> document. In no other place is the militia linked to "the people," so
> it is safe to assume that the writers did not intend for them to be
> linked in the 2nd Amendment.
>
> The militia, and "the people," are two separate enities, one a
> justification, the other defining who the right was reserved for. Of
> course, the writers did not mean for that to be the only justification
> for gun ownership. They knew fully well that "the people" used weapons
> to hunt food, and protect their families, since that was commonplace
> even back then. And, since it was comonplace, I'm sure they did not
> think it was necessary to include that as a specific justification for
> the right.
>
> Dwight Stewart

Back then, the militia WAS ALL able bodied men, regardless of military status or background. Three separate Supreme Court decisions have reaffirmed that interpretation in the constitution over the years. Clinton/Gore now hope to pack the Court with enough left-wing wackos who will be willing to reverse those three earlier opinions, and declare that militia to be only the established U.S. military services and quasi-military agencies (FBI, DEA, INS, etc.)

Rick T.

4621. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g1lp2apu1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110817

Jeez you're so melodramatic you ought be working in Hollywood. Can you cry
and post at the same time?

In article <000ed800.f565d454@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

> First, they came for my guns. Then, they came for my mailbox.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

4622. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g1ltv$n09$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110818

He sends his dumb rhetoric to both my personal mailbox and this board
simultaenously. Had he restricted his rightwing bull to HERE and only HERE,
I never would have made a stink!

In article <39240844.D442DA5B@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Funny I read his response here on the news group not in your mail
> box.....
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> Morgan, you simply cannot read. I said give and take here is okay but when
>> one demandsthe sanctity of his mailbox, that must be acknowledged and
>> respected.
>>
>> ---
>> In article <3923FE79.D4BC56CF@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
>> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>>
>> > Hey Doc, if you can't take don't dish it out. Do you understand?
>> >
>> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>> >>
>> >> This KK7HO simply refuses to stay out of my mailbox and refuses to stop
>> >> cursing me. Heck, I don't want to contact the AOL Gestapo which would be
my
>> >> last resort so if anyone can tell me how to get this brainwashed NRA
puppet
>> >> out of here, kindly send an e-mail and DON'T SWEAR. I mean like an
>> >> occasional damn hurts no one but that's it. I don't mind some badinage
with
>> >> the dope on rec.radio but this getting personal is terrible. Keep in mind
>> >> gentleman that e-mailing someone is like knocking on his door and when you
>> >> visit someone, good manners is paramount. Or at least warner brothers.
>> >> AF2Y
>> >>
>> >> Return-Path: <kk7ho@aol.com>
>> >> Received: from imo14.mx.aol.com ([152.163.225.4])
>> >> by osgood.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id
>> >> si6iff.dqc.30ahi43
>> >> for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>; Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:59 -0400 (EDT)
>> >> Received: from ladder07.news.aol.com (ladder07.news.aol.com
[172.31.45.165])

>> >> by imo14.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.8/AOL-5.0.0)
>> >> with ESMTP id VAA10905 for <radiosigs@mindspring.com>;
>> >> Wed, 17 May 2000 21:39:55 -0400 (EDT)
>> >> From: kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
>> >> To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
>> >> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>> >> Date: 18 May 2000 01:39:55 GMT
>> >> References: <8fvb03hsj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
>> >> Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
>> >> Subject: Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....
>> >> Message-ID: <20000517213955.02276.00003448@ng-fx1.aol.com>
>> >>
>> >> Charlie, I resent some liberal SOB (you) saying because of MY views that
>> >> I'm
>> >> brainwashed. You don't know me, you've never met me, but when I agreed
with
>> >> you
>> >> on certain things in this NG you heaped all types of praise on me. Now
that
>> >> we
>> >> "disagree" your calling names and losing friends. Keep your mouth off of
me
>> >> from now on. GOT IT?
>> >> If you can respond to my posts without your personal insults your
welcome
>> >> to
>> >> do so. If you cannot control yourself, then just shut up.

4623. Re: YOU first!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g1m1p$sd3$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110819

Huh?

In article <8g0p9t$vm4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> In article <8fvmon$q72$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
>> OK, lets cut to the chase, stop beating around the bush, stirring up a
>> bunch of dust, and muddying the waters with a bunch of baffling B.S.
>>
>> Proposition:
>> ALL people who are against gun ownership, or are pro-registration, or
>> who are anti-2nd Amendment, etc., etc., etc., should do this:
>>
>> In extremely visible ways, have indicators such as:
>> o) signs
>> o) stickers
>> o) notations in the phone book next to your addresses
>> o) bumper stickers
>> o) T-Shirts, caps, etc...
>> o) spray-painted curbs
>> o) Tatoos (hey, it's a free country, go ahead, express yourself!)
>> o) any other undeniable markation of their lack of protection
>>
>> On their vehicles, homes, foreheads...whatever;
>>
>> That state they are plump, juicy, feeble, easy, pacifist, unprotected,
>> unarmed, non-lethal, free-for-the-taking targets for any gun-toting
>> criminal.
>>
>> We'll use _YOU_ for this experiment, _NOT ME_ to prove why _YOU_
> should
>> alter what protection _I ALREADY HAVE AS A RIGHT_. Put your money (and
>> ass!) where your mouth is.
>>
>> Gamble with _YOUR_ lives, wives, children, and toiled-for property.
>>
>> NOT MINE!
>>
>> I'll start the website to compile the list. Any non-conformance will
>> be handled as a criminal offense. If you vote anti-gun, you must show
>> loud and clear indication that you are a willing target for crime.
>>
>> Doc, you first...we're waiting....

>>
>> --
>> .\\
>>
>> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>> Before you buy.
>>
> Boy oh boy !! That's gonna be a short list.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4624. AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <034f8c93.5b62159d@usw-ex0101-007.remarq.com>
Source record: 110820

Everyone's buddy, AF2Y makes it public when he receives an email
that he finds offensive (read: One he can't respond to
intelligently,
so he nitpicks out the cusswords, etc.)

HOWEVER, it's OK for him to insult others via private email. Take
a look here:

Date:Thu, 18 May 00 08:15AM CDT
From:"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
To:"Osama/bin/login" <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Subject:Re: YOU first!
>>From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
>>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>>Date: Wed, May 17, 2000, 11:07 PM
>>
>>Proposition:
>>ALL people who are against gun ownership, or are
pro-registration, or
>>who are anti-2nd Amendment, etc., etc., etc., should do this:

><<<<<<Once again we have the hallucinations of a self proclaimed
>"crouchling."
Count that as childish, uneducated response and hypocrite example
#1

>Look idiot,
Count that as childish, uneducated response and hypocrite example
#2

>anyone pro gun registration and licensing is not automatically
against
>the 2nd Amendment.
Actually, historically speaking, AND taking into account CURRENT
action, _YES_ THIS IS WHAT IS HAPPENING! Open your eyes.

"Automatically?" If I decide to protect my home with a gun, I am
"Automatically" classified as the problem. Ask Rosie and Gore,
the
inventor of the electron. Really, he did. Air, too. Smart guy.

>That's the problem with you stupid
Count that as childish, uneducated response and hypocrite example
#3

>rightwing reactionaries-YOU GENERALIZE which is clear cut
bigotry!

Now, if I like the idea of self-protection, I am LABELED in a
NEGATIVE
manner as a "rightwing reactionary". Also, "GENERALIZE"?
Registration
of all guns is as much of a "GENERALIZE"ation as you can get!

>Be specific if you know what that means.
Another insult.
I _WAS_ specific. Put _YOUR_ ass on the line to _PROVE_ _YOUR_
theory.
NOT MINE! If you need _MORE_ specificity, I'll personally make
it
clear to the criminals that _YOU_ are an easy and voluntary
target.

>Debating and even dissension is AMERICAN-it's what sets us aside
from
>dung countries whose secret police interpret any and all
questions about
>goverment, law, procedures as contrary to state policy and
deserving of
>punishment.
Nice speech, but you're telling me that debate, etc. is AMERICAN,
yet in
the same breath, you insult and retaliate towards anyone who
disagrees.
Moreover, NOBODY can offend you in YOUR INBOX, but what you've
wriiten
into mine is justified? Hmmm...hypocritical double-standard...

Count that as childish, uneducated response and hypocrite example
#4

>I am a person who is very much in favor of retaining, as is,
>the 2nd Amendment regarding private ownership of guns
Then WAKE UP and realize tha EVERY TIME there has been
REGISTRATION, that
WHOLESALE CONFISCATION followed EVERY TIME. You say you're "very
much in
favor of retaining", but your current mindset will NOT RETAIN.
Furthermore,
as you say "as is", this is hypocritical since you CANNOT
"retain...as is"
by CHANGING IT! Think!

Again, hypocrisy. You say one thing, and you actions create a
different situation.

Count that as an uneducated response and hypocrite example #5

>however this business about militias must change. The only
state's

>armies should be the National Guard...period.
So my (if I choose to have one) weapon creates rogue militias? That's
a far cry. I agree that an active and concentrated movement with a
self-serving agenda is a Bad Thing. But how many situations such as
the Waco incident arise out of a lack of registered guns? Ruby Ridge
was a Federally-sanctioned murder.

One of the "checks-and-balances" of this country is an armed populace.
Go study Lincoln. It's all there.

>No NRA is going to run my life and the government is going to see to that.
But it's OK if 750,000 moms led by a CBS publicist and extended family member
to Hillary's #1 ear-bender is OK to "run MY life'? You watch waaaay too much
television.

Got a tip: TV and printed media is not the truth. I used to work in professional
television. Satellite operations, too. Raw newsfeeds are only a port to reality.
Edited, and massaged programs are probably close to 30% or less actual reality
content. I've seen white men shot to death, laying on the ground...their final
seconds of life...the fear...the helplessness...close ups of their eyes...gunman
threatens cameraman, he runs, but turns back around, zooms in to catch it all,
risking his very life...and then the government/media "decides" how to tell the
story, how to create (lie) about what happened, only the "filted" footage gets
through. I see the raw footage, and I see the end story. Not much in common.

TV cameras can only catch one point of view, and generally don't lie, but they
are limited to their view. Editors and producers and advertisers create the lie.
Audiences BUY IT because "they saw it on TV". Your million mom march, while a valid
complaint, is still ONE FACET, not a panacea to solve the problem.

It is seemingly more and more fashionable for the media to sell
you one side. I
still believe they should be OBLIGATED to tell BOTH sides, but
hey, we're a nation
of no responsibility...

>Charlton Heston is an old toupee- wearing Moses who left his
brains floating in
>the Red Sea. To think that that creep once represented a man who
spoke to God is
>reprehensible.
You say this name-calling now. But wait until your home is
invaded, and your family
is sytematically raped and tortured by illiterate, uneducated,
no-remorse thugs.
Watch your family get raped hour after hour, and then murdered.
Somehow you or
another member survives. I want Rosie O'Donnell to personally be
responsible for
all in America who are the survivors and the victims. Personally.

Communication in this country can be a great thing.
Unfortunately, the only way to
communicate with many people is at gunpoint. They claim they
didn't know it was their
house. But the fact that they used a crowbar to enter, didn't
recognize any of the
items they took, didn't clue into the fact that something was
wrong when they had to
beat the Holy Shiite out of the mother and daughter just so they
would allow penetration,
shot the husband because he had the nerve to object, etc.
,etc.,.....

Time for humor:
I remember watching COPS or some show similar. These detectives
had placed a trap in a high-
crime area by leaving a car with a video camera and remote-engine
killer in it. They nabbed
a few guys, but this one gets past the lock, hotwires it, and
proceeds to drive off. A few
seconds later, they kill the motor, and the criminal tries again
and again to restrat the car.
He reaches a point where he panics, realizing he needs to bail
out, but the cops had also
rigged up the locks so when the engine was killed, all doors
would lock, and not be able
to be unlocked from inside. They approach him, all the while he's
saying out loud "damn!...
damn!...damn!...damn!...damn!...damn!...damn!...damn!...damn!...d
amn!...damn!...damn!..."
When they open the door, first thing out of his mouth is:

"I had nothin' to do with this!"

Only way to communicate with these dickheads is a loaded weapon,
cocked, finger on the trigger,
and a license to kill. Anything else, they don't take as serious.

YOU are a criminal's wet dream. Good freakin' luck!

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4625. AF2Y gets technical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g1o4c$5fv$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110821

I use a PowerPC Mac with an external Best Data 56K modem and have been noticing too many connection failures which have been unrelated to my ISP. And so I called MindSpring, talked to a tech who had me open Gearbox and go to MANAGE active set.
My modem settings were:
1. Generic 56K
2. Initialization string AT&F
3. Speed 57,600
4. Flow control CTS
He had me change the INIT. STRING to AT&F+MS=V34 and he happened to mention that BEST DATA uses a ROCKWELL chip.

This turned out to be a complete failure since the MAC rejected that initialization string altogether and it was then changed to AT&F+MS=11,0.

This time I was able to log on but everything slowed down to a crawl. In fact, the the STOCKQUOTE.COM home page didn't load which wasn't too bad since NASDAQ was down 100 points anyway and why add insult to injury?

Remembering what he said about a Rockwell chip being in a Best Data modem I decided to experiment. I went back to my modem selection and just for the hell of it opened the drop down window to show ROCKWELL and I entered it as my choice. I then clicked on DEFAULT and for that Rockwell selection, up came goofy settings such as a PORT SPEED of 115,200 kbps; an initialization string of AT&FEO&DOW2&K3&Q5 and FLOW CONTROL of CTS & RTS(DTR).

Now with all these hazerei schweinerei numbers which looked as if they came out of a George Lucas silly space flick, I tried to get online again and holy smokes.....DYNAMITE RESULTS. Faster than a speeding bullet. My MAC's speed, if compared to a PC, WAS about 100-120 mHz but these bizarre settings seemed to have doubled it.

What I'm driving at it this. A year ago I didn't know what a mouse was except for being a rodent like Tolassi. Obviously I have become a genius and anyone out there who is baffled by computers and ham radio theory-take heart. Without a doubt you're not as smart as I; that's a given, but perserverence and determination with a litle bit of luck can pay off handsomely. And if you think you're gonna get rich investing in the NASDAQ, you're nuts. I doubt if it'll reach it's high of 5,000 for five years or more, if ever, due to the interest hike yesterday and the one to come in late June. This hot economy will cool to ward off an inflationary spiral and with it, the value of tech stocks will level off,

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Take your money out of NASDAQ and put it into a portfolio of solid companies

on the NYSE, AMEX and put some into the money market as well as tax free municipal bonds. I did just that with my all of my $550 in savings. Whoopee!
AF2Y, Doc

4626. HAMSWLSCANSALE at Egroups adds Hamfest Calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <kevin@invalid>
Message-ID: <qbp8isspadf53mjgffnhn8uniupgu3tht5@4ax.com>
Source record: 110822

http://www.egroups.com/group/HAMSWLSCANSALE

The Egroup has added a Hamfest Calendar listing dozens of upcoming
events all across the USA. You can view the events by joining
and then selecting the Calendar link. You don't need to
receive daily post to the list if you select Web only access.
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Kevin
http://nworegon.htmlplanet.com/ a site covering NW Oregon,
Scanner, SWL and Ham Radio topics and links. See Reply-to
for correct address.

4627. AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g1piu$7re$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110823

Gosh I feel awful the way I've been lambasting Tim and I'm going to remove my mail block too. I've liked that guy ever since I met up with him on this board and this political stuff has created animosity. Apparently we're both pigheaded guys who see things quite the opposite on the gun issue and I asked myself why jerks like Heston and LaPierre should be allowed to create such a breach? However Tim should understand that I run with the crowd ONLY when the crowd is RIGHT and I consider it WRONG and I have a perfect right to express my opinion because I know that Republicans just plain suck. They've become a party of uncaring rightwing goofballs led around by the noses by militia screwballs, Christian Coaltion meatheads, the worst womanizing hypocrites to ever sit on Capitol Hill and gun-loving rectal orifices. No wonder a top flight jerk like Gewt Ningrich left town in a hurry never to be heard of again. And those creeps who led the impeachment proceedings against Bill Clinton were nothing but low class, scum- sucking imbeciles themselves. I can't help it Tim; it's just the way I see politics and you're backing bums but you are not one yourself-I don't think. I mean I don't know it for a fact but you've never told anyone what you did for a living or your age or if you had a family. For all I know you could be a Jersey mobster out there in a witness protection program. You're like a mystery man living in the most exciting city in the U.S.A.(and I don't mean Youngstown, Ohio and Roanoke, VA which are the worst I've ever been in). Tim's a Las Vegas guy which puts him on TOP. And so Tim, if I came on too strong and hurt your feelings, I feel terribly and here's my handshake via cyberspace. Just try to understand that I WAS a 100% Independent who became so disallusioned with the Republican Party(except for John McCain) that I wouldn't consider voting for Mr. Bush for Prez. I'm a Libran who favors balance and the Republican garbage loose in this nation has tipped the scale to the depth or height of obnoxiousness depending on how you see it.
Sincere 73,
Doc,AF2Y

4628. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <05e47cc6.dd807258@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110824

McCain--Yes, definitely. First piece of presidential material to
come down the pike in many, many years.

Too bad we have to choose between crap and different crap this
November. Only reason I'll vote is to counter-vote.

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4629. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Xnospam@oceanfree.net
Message-ID: <O9_U4.26196$sB3.8869@news.indigo.ie>
Source record: 110825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>> http://www.qsl.net/regen.html
>
>Or maybe <http://www.qsl.net/ei9gq/regen.html>. :-)

Oops! Sorry about that. Thanks Cliff.

Ed.

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Remove 'X' to reply.

EI9GQ homebrew radio page
http://www.qsl.net/ei9gq
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4630. Paperwork - was Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005182230360.135-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

On Wed, 17 May 2000, Larry W4CSC wrote:
> Will this be an ARRL session or one of the VECs who actually SEND the
> FCC the paperwork within a month?
>
> FCC has not received my Extra paperwork from the Apr 15th session in
> Charleston.....nada.....zilch!

You're not the only one with an outstanding upgrade from the 15th. The interesting thing is that other candidates from the same session I went to have already had their upgrades processed.

[I will be re-contacting the group this week....]

4631. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392473BB.6D1C74B7@oio.net>
Source record: 110827

Ramsay,
Take a 'look' around, see what's happening in your area,
(keep studying), read the magazines, 'cuz there's no real
hurry to do anything. If you find something that sparks
your interest, take a closer look at it. The only 'hard'
part is making a choice on what to do first!
'Doc

4632. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39247415.D5008492@oio.net>
Source record: 110828

Oops.. congratulations! The first step is always the
hardest. Glad you made it.
'Doc

4633. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005182308360.135-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110829

That's going to be difficult since birthday information is no longer part of the publically available database.....

However, one can go through the database and compute an average age of those who do have birthday information and simply count those who don't. However, to eliminate the silent keys, then go to the Social Security Death Index and remove those found there. It won't be perfect, but it can be done.

I've heard that the average, the last time it was computed, was in the mid 50's.

On Wed, 17 May 2000, Brian Mileshosky wrote:
> I'm looking to find out what the average age of Amateur Radio
> operators in the US is -- at least the latest study.
>
> Does anyone have any information and sources? I'd appreciate
> it.

4634. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000518191901.12363.00000074@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110830

No apology needed Doc, but accepted. As for the "politics" of the issue. We'll wait and see what the **majority** of Americans say this November. That will decide who was "right" or who was left. I know, do you?

4635. Re: AF2Y has decided

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000518192527.12363.00000076@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110831

I'll do better than that Charlie, I'll block yours and bounce it back to you.
LOL

4636. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g1uprdkj1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110832

In article <000ed800.f565d454@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
> First, they came for my guns. Then, they came for my mailbox.

Then they came for my condo. Then they took away the beach and the
ocean. Then they took away the sky. Blah blah blah blah.

73, Jeff KH6O

4637. Re: Paperwork - was Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g1vf1$e8m$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
>On Wed, 17 May 2000, Larry W4CSC wrote:

>> Will this be an ARRL session or one of the VECs who actually SEND the
>> FCC the paperwork within a month?
>> FCC has not received my Extra paperwork from the Apr 15th session in
>> Charleston.....nada.....zilch!

>You're not the only one with an outstanding upgrade from the 15th.

Back in the good/bad old days, it took up to three months from the
time one was tested at an FCC office, to the arrival of the license
in the mail. That three-month period was a good time to listen, listen,
and listen some more to learn the procedures, build some equipment,
set up the station, and read some books.
73, Jeff KH6O

4638. Re: How Many US Hams Under 18/21?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <hpGU4.18844$Ft1.737625@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110862

"Brian Mileshosky" <n5zgt@swcp.com> wrote in message > I'm interested in how many US Amateurs under 21 and/or 18
> years of age exist

Two

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@broadcast.net
http://www.geocities.com/k1oik
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/k1oik
http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
http://burt.electricport.com

4639. FS: copies of Drake 7 line manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517203156.13639.00003300@ng-bk1.aol.com>
Source record: 110863

Can provide a packet of copies for 7 line gear including TR7 service manual, R7 service manual, and copies of just about every owner's manual in the 7 line. Over $400 worth of copies from the pros, my price to Drake enthusiasts, $26 shipped priority mail from Dayton to CONUS only.

73

Evan

4640. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <6A67E17BB5633822.8DDE8BA2634E80EF.38A5B766F71EB8FD@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110864

On Wed, 17 May 2000 18:58:09 GMT, kg9ns@my-deja.com wrote:

>Yeah, this stinks. I did my upgrade on April 15 (already had CSCE for
>Extra Written)...

I called ARRL this morning. Their website was toast again, but it was
their own doing this time......

The lady in VEC told me they were working on forms received on April
18th. Charleston's forms were received on April 20th so it will be 2
to 3 MORE weeks before they even LOOK at the forms.

Sure glad I'm not a new ham waiting to get on the air! I'd go crazy
and kill someone!

Larry W4CSC....er, ah, STILL temporary AE

4641. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom D <t.defelice@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39233D07.AAA65E5B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110865

why dont you guys just meet in a parking lot and get it over with.
enough already

Peter Maus wrote:

> > OH, THAT MAKES ME FEEL REAL COMFORTABLE! WHERE DO THE CRIMINALS GET THE
> > GUNS FROM
> > IN THE FIRST PLACE, THE MANUFACTURERS?
> >
> Most of them are stolen. Many from manufacturers, others from
> private citizens, still others from police property rooms and large
> numbers are imported illegally. Cold barrels are stolen at the time
> of manufacture, before they are fired for ballistic records.
>
> Prosecuting such thefts would go a long way toward curtailing the
> illegal flow of weapons destined for illegal use. Think about it...a
> criminal intent on committing a crime is rarely so stupid as to use
> his own weapon. And yet weapons crimes, thefts and other related
> weapons violations have not been proesecuted with any vigor since
> this administration took office. Weapons prosecutions are down 44%.
> Washington DC, with the most restrictive gun laws in the Nation, in
> 1998, only prosecuted 2 weapons violations. 2! According to BATF's
> own analysis.
>
> Clinton recently said in an address, that 500,000 felons,
> fugitives, and stalkers have been prevented from purchasing a
> firearm by the Brady Bill, a law that mandates prosecution for the
> illegal ATTEMPT to purchase a firearm to be prosecuted as a felony.
> And yet, only a handful of such prosecutions. So either the
> President's figures were grossly exaggerated, or there simply is no
> interest in prosecution under the Brady Act. That's a huge loophole
> that could be closed immediately, with no additional legislation
> required.
>
> Imagine taking half a million firearms felons off the streets at
> a stroke. The result in public safety would be immediate and
> dramatic. Now couple that with the figures showing that gun
> accidents, owing to improvement in education about gun safety, are
> down 88% over the last 20 years and you have a breathtakingly
> different picture of life in these United States.
>
> The matter rests, as it has always rested, with the authorities.
> Not in hammering the law abiding citizen, but in doing their job
> against the criminal element. As the figures demonstrate.
>

> > > 4. Guns are used for self defense at least 2 million times a year. - 3
> > to 5
> > > times more than for crimes.
> >
> > WELL, DOES THAT MEAN 2 MILLION ADDITIONAL DEAD AND WOUNDED PEOPLE? NICE
> > TO KNOW
> > ITS OK TO KILL IF IN YOUR MIND YOU ARE JUSTIFIED.
> > THE JUDGE, JURY, EXECUTIONER THING...
>
> Now THIS is scary thinking. In the matter of self defense, the
> presence of a firearm is the great equalizer. Statistics from the
> governments own BATF studies have shown that the presence of a gun
> in self defense is a deterrent, in more than half of such cases the
> weapon need not be fired. In a portion of cases, the weapon is fired
> but not on target. In all but a few unfortunate cases, no one dies,
> and few are injured in defense of home and property.
>
> But if you're suggesting that there is something untoward about
> taking up a weapon in self defense, then there is something wrong
> with your thinking. Laws in all 50 states, and in fact, the most
> restrictive of societies world wide recognize the absolute right to
> use deadly force in self defense, where the threat of deadly force
> is made. Waiting for the police is a noble concept but not only
> imprudent, but foolhardy and dangerous. When threatened with death,
> no one on the planet is required to simply accept it.
>
> >
> > > 5. The nine states with the lowest violent crime rates ALL have right to
> > carry
> > > laws.
> >
> > WHERE IS THERE A CORRELATION BETWEEN THE RIGHT TO CARRY ARMS AND LOW CRIME
> > RATE,
> > YOUR DATA PLEASE.
>
> The figures are readily available from both federal and local
> police authorities, FBI, and BATF, and have been widely published
> since Florida enacted concealed carry with the HUGE angry protests
> that made the news. Violent crime and murder is down. Look it up.
> You'll be more likely to believe your own eyes, than anything
> printed by any one of us.
> >
> >
> > A Concerned Amateur
>
> Concerned...but ill informed.
>
> > W2MSK
> >
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> >

4642. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392340AB.F44982C7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110866

KK7HO wrote:
>
> Well stated Mr. Maus.

Nobody calls me "Mr." with my pants on.

4643. Re: How long should upgrade take?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdcole@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <3923455f.11278910@news.gte.net>
Source record: 110867

On Mon, 08 May 2000 16:49:24 -0700, Scott
<n4zouNOn4SPAM@netzero.net.invalid> wrote:

>I took the Extra class test before April 15 and did the paper
>work April 17. It is now May 8. Should I be worried or is the
>ULS just covered up? I know they said it would take 10 to 13
>days but it has already been 21 days. Did they mean working days?
>Did you upgrade and get your licence already? Should I reapply
>with the VE team where I had the paper work done? 73 all
>n4zou/extra lite!
>
>* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
>The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

Keep checkin ULS on the Internet it will show up some time...
My License Renew was done under ULS on a Sunday night. The License
was granted Monday and I had the Paper in my hand on Thursday.

The Upgraders are swamping the system.

Ron
N5HYH

4644. Re: How Many US Hams Under 18/21?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdcole@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <3923460a.11449942@news.gte.net>
Source record: 110868

On Wed, 17 May 2000 05:01:19 GMT, n5zgt@swcp.com (Brian Mileshosky)
wrote:

>Hello Everyone,
>
> I'm interested in how many US Amateurs under 21 and/or 18
>years of age exist. Has anybody or any group done a study to find
>out? Does anyone have this information with sources, or a direction
>to take to find out? I'd appreciate it!
>
>73,
>Brian, N5ZGT
> ____
> Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
> Eagle Scout 12/6/96 ARRL QRP: NorCal #1700 QRP-L #580 AK/QRP #125
> ASM - Troop 41 Packet: N5ZGT PBBS, 145.05 MHz
> OA Lodge 66 Albuquerque, New Mexico
> Yah-Tah-Hey-Si-Kess <-W-W-W-< Brother, Kappa Sigma Fraternity
> Please Visit my Homepage at: http://www.unm.edu/~brianm
> ____

I sure wish their were some numbers on this. We really need to
devlope interest in this age group.

Ron
N5HYH

4645. Dayton Hamfest Hooters Girls

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: robert3243@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fvhj8kjj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110869

Hello Ham Radio People

My name is Kelly and I work at Hooters. Welcome to the 2000 Ham Fest
We will be having a contest this year for who has the best hat with
your call letters on it. First prize is $500.00 cash. Watch for details
Looking forward to another good convention.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4646. Drive times to hamfests. (Was: raleigh durham hamfest?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517212016.20563.00003310@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110870

>
>is anyone familiar with this hamfest on 20 may? is it worth driving 5
>hours to?
>thanks

It's a decent hamfest, but five hours would be too much. To drive that far you need a fest like Shelby (B-I-G), or the Frost Fest in Richmond (the only game going in the dead of winter--and yes, it's held indoors).

I would drive the following times for hamfests as follows:

Charlotte 2.5 hours. (Has been declining in quality in recent years, and the $5 parking is a bummer).

Raleigh 3.5 hours. All indoors, very well managed, and usually some interesting forums. (Riley Hollingsworth this year). LOTS of dealers.

Benson. 2 hours. Small, but packed with bargins. Flea Market usually excellent. Good food, also.

Durham. 2.5 hours.

Kinston. 1.5 hours. Small, but the home folks are SO nice!

For simplicity, use this formula:
Driving time (one way) should not exceed the time necessary to see everything at the hamfest. (Yes, you can do Shelby in five hours if you keep moving.)

Applying this formula to Dayton, you will see why folks will drive for two days or more to attend.

73,

QRM

4647. Re: U.S. Stamp Design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: qrm2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517212258.20563.00003311@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110871

>Psy.D." <drmarc@wwa.com> writes:
>
>>I have written to the U.S. Postal Service Stamp Design Committee to request
>>a U.S. Stamp be designed to commemorate Amateur Radio for the year 2003
>>(100th anniversary).

toomanyradios responds:
>
>Will never happen. They're too busy trying to sell Kwanza stamps, Black
>History Month stationery, and retrofitting all their machines to accept
>Sacajewa dollars.
>

They probably will say, "You guys HAD your stamp already."

QRM <-----still has one of them

4648. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb: Attn MITCH....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000517213955.02276.00003449@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 110872

Charlie, I resent some liberal SOB (you) saying because of MY views that I'm brainwashed. You don't know me, you've never met me, but when I agreed with you on certain things in this NG you heaped all types of praise on me. Now that we "disagree" your calling names and losing friends. Keep your mouth off of me from now on. GOT IT?
If you can respond to my posts without your personal insults your welcome to do so. If you cannot control yourself, then just shut up.

4649. Re: AF2Y: I hate Herb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000517214207.02276.00003451@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 110873

Mitch wrote
>WHERE IS THERE A CORRELATION BETWEEN THE RIGHT TO CARRY ARMS AND LOW CRIME
>RATE,
>YOUR DATA PLEASE.
>
More Guns, Less Crime (read it Mitch)
by John R. Lott, Jr., University of Chicago Press
Does allowing people to own and carry concealed firearms really deter violent crime? Or does it simply cause more citizens to harm each other? In this important study, legal scholar John Lott presents the most rigorously comprehensive data ever compiled on crime in America. After meticulously analyzing the effects of gun control laws, among many other variables, on crime rates, Lott reaches the conclusion: Where there are more guns, there is less crime.

4650. Re: Hollingsworth retreats on the ID thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8fvif0$77a$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110874

In article <8fv907$b0g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
>"As Hollingsworth has since conceded, after being challenged from
>several quarters, the applicable FCC station ID
>rule--97.119(b)(2)--specifically encourages "use of a standard phonetic
>alphabet as an aid for correct station identification" [emphasis added].

That's what I woulda thought, that something that helps clarify an ID would qualify as the ID itself. Besides, ever compete in a pile-up without phonetics?

73 de whiskey alpha two india sierra echo

4651. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <39234b9a.898620@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 110875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 17 May 2000 06:58:16 GMT, konstans@oneleven.net (Mark Morgan)
wrote:

>On Mon, 15 May 2000 15:07:00 GMT, billsohl@interactive.net (Bill Sohl)
>wrote:
>
>>On Sun, 14 May 2000 23:49:48 -0400, Dwight Stewart
>><stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
>>
>>>Keith Wood wrote:
>>>> I've seen this trend developing at a greater rate than interest in ham
>>>> radio. When was the last hamfest you attended which didn't include
>>>> Internet and LAN hardware? When was the last time you went to a
>>>> computer show that DID have ham radio gear? How many places in your
>>>> town can you buy ham gear? I'll bet that there are at least 5 times
>>>> that number of ISPs, and I would be surprised if the ratio isn't at
>>>> least 20:1.
>>>
>>> Look Keith, I understand what you're saying. You're saying that
>>>because ham radio is not as popular as the internet, the internet will
>>>kill ham radio. You're saying that the internet is growing faster than
>>>ham radio, so ham radio is dead. You're saying that because there is
>>>more interest in the internet, there is no interest in ham radio.
>>>
>>> Again, I say that is total nonsense. The internet and ham radio are
>>>two different things, and what happens to one has no real effect on the
>>>other. And there is no evidence that one is having an affect on the
>>>other - just like television had no effect on ham radio (as was once
>>>claimed), or just like broadcast radio had no effect (as was once claimed).
>>
>>Agree completely. Ham radio never had any universal
>>following of any great scope.
>>
>>> Yes, many ham operators now use the internet, but there is no evidence
>>>whatsoever that they are using the radio any less (or their interest in
>>>radio is less, or anything else). Many ham operators are adding
>>>computers to their radio room, not replacing their radio rooms with
>>>computer rooms.
>>
>>Well said. One misconception of some people (IMHO) is
>>that ham radio must compete with other interest areas.
>
> It must compete to at least some extent. Ham radio for example

>must compete for funding for example, we are mostly people with a
>least SOME limits on resuorces

True to a point and it varies considerably.
Some people may only have sufficient discretionary
income to do ham purchases and nothing else
from a hobby perspective. Others have greater latitude.
The point is that ham radio does NOT need to try
and outsell itself over other interests. Yes, some
can only afford one interest, but that certainly
isn't all.

>>The fact is that people often have multiple interests and
>>they just vary in their approach to different ones. I am
>>also into antique cars and model railroads...but that doesn't
>>stop me from being a ham on a level that I enjoy.
>>Just because someone has multiple interests and doesn't devote
>>all their free time towards being a ham doesn't mean they
>>are not a good ham, or should be discounted as
>>falling away from ham radio.
>>
>>> And there is no evidence that interest in computers by young people is
>>>reducing their potential interest in ham radio. Throughout the history
>>>of ham radio, only a small percentage of young people have developed an
>>>interest in ham radio. There is no evidence that the percentage of
>>>young people who develop an interest is declining.
>>
>>Agree also.
>
> I'll disagree with the notion that there is no evedence that
>the percentage is declining, while agreeing the Internet has little of
>nothing to due with that decline. Indeed I suspect the interest esp
>may well be helping some what to minimize that decline. Few student
>even realy know we exist, Know that you can get ANY license without
>Code Testing if they have heard of us at all. etc

The problem is one of public relations. If we
do not proactively make ourselves known to
students and the community at large in a positive
way, then we are truly doomed.

>>> And ham radio is a popular today as it has ever been. There is almost
>>>as many new people joining ham radio each year today as there were total
>>>ham operators just a few decades ago. Yes, ham radio is not growing as
>>>much as the total population is growing (and that is cause for some
>>>concern), but it is not the end of the ham radio world.
>>
>>Actually, I wonder what the population increase is and how it
>>maps in growth over the last 20 years as compared to hams?
>>Seems to me I recall hearing that population rowth in the USA
>>has been almost flat for the recent past because of birthcontrol

>>and abortions.
>
> Bill It is my understanding that US Population would be flat
>or decling slightly due to the facts you mention if Imagration were
>not taking place

Anyone have the total numbers of population
on a year to year basis?

>>> And again, you make the subtle suggestion that because I'm currently
>>>typing messages the internet, it proves your argument that the internet
>>>is going to be the end of ham radio.
>>
>>Agree again. Seems that some people can't accept that.
>>
>>> Again, nonsense. I do a lot of things in my life. I work, drive my
>>>car, eat, watch television, listen to the radio, play music on my
>>>keyboard, spend time with my other hobbies, spend time with my wife, and
>>>a host of other things. None of those things negatively effect my
>>>interest in ham radio, or the amount of time I spend on the radio.
>>
>>Absolutely on target.
>>
>>> Radio is not the only thing I do in my life (and I dare say it is not
>>>the only thing that any other operator does in his/her life). Radio,
>>>just like any other interest, has always been balanced with the other
>>>interests (and requirements) in the ham operator's life.
>>>
>>> But, you seem to think it is one thing or the other (the internet or
>>>ham radio). I say a person can easily have both in his/her life, just
>>>like a person can have ham radio and all those other things mentioned in
>>>the above paragraph. Its not a choice between two things, its simply
>>>two unrelated things.
>>>
>>> Anyway, I've had enough of this argument. You seem determined not to
>>>listen to my arguments, and you're certainly not offering arguments that
>>>can be supported with even common sense. So, I'll move on and leave you
>>>to your self-imposed mission to decry the end of ham radio. Good day.
>>>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>>
>>Well said Dwight!
>>
>>Cheers,
>>Bill K2UNK
>>
>

4652. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39235504.60D5D449@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110876

> it's not going to happen here

You're not paying attention, Pal...it's HAPPENING here. Right now.
In California. Currently underway. Even as we speak.

4653. Re: AF2Y: Just anwer the question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39235537.16D46485@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110877

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> They call you Miss with your pants off!

Ummmmmm.....no...they call me "Sir." :)
>
> ----------
> In article <392340AB.F44982C7@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
> <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> > KK7HO wrote:
> >>
> >> Well stated Mr. Maus.
> >
> > Nobody calls me "Mr." with my pants on.

4654. Re: AF2Y: what to do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000517223805.26666.00003562@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110878

I'm not in your mailbox you idiot.I'm not sending you anything except your
getting a copy of my posts, my replies to your idiotic diatribe, and will
continue to do so. Oh, and I don't give a damn what you tell aol.. I'm sure
that after looking at your posts....They'll probably send you a few letters.
LOL
Now just shut up and go away chuckie

4655. YOU first!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8fvmon$q72$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110879

OK, lets cut to the chase, stop beating around the bush, stirring up a bunch of dust, and muddying the waters with a bunch of baffling B.S.

Proposition:
ALL people who are against gun ownership, or are pro-registration, or who are anti-2nd Amendment, etc., etc., etc., should do this:

In extremely visible ways, have indicators such as:
o) signs
o) stickers
o) notations in the phone book next to your addresses
o) bumper stickers
o) T-Shirts, caps, etc...
o) spray-painted curbs
o) Tatoos (hey, it's a free country, go ahead, express yourself!)
o) any other undeniable markation of their lack of protection

On their vehicles, homes, foreheads...whatever;

That state they are plump, juicy, feeble, easy, pacifist, unprotected, unarmed, non-lethal, free-for-the-taking targets for any gun-toting criminal.

We'll use _YOU_ for this experiment, _NOT ME_ to prove why _YOU_ should alter what protection _I ALREADY HAVE AS A RIGHT_. Put your money (and ass!) where your mouth is.

Gamble with _YOUR_ lives, wives, children, and toiled-for property.

NOT MINE!

I'll start the website to compile the list. Any non-conformance will be handled as a criminal offense. If you vote anti-gun, you must show loud and clear indication that you are a willing target for crime.

Doc, you first...we're waiting....

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Before you buy.

4656. Re: F.S. SB 220 Heathkit $700 + shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd8vmike@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8fvoel$s45$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110880

In article <20000517091422.17424.00000026@nso-fg.aol.com>,
nh7h@aol.comnojunk (NH7H) wrote:
> F.S. *Heath kit SB-220 $700.00 + shipping
> Very good condition clean, none-smoker, upgraded rectro installed
new tubes,
> front end setup for solid state rid input. Over $100.00 of silver
mica caps.
> Oahu Hawaii.
> HF Linear Amplifier/With Manual
> Band coverage 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter Amateur Bands
> Driving power required 100 watts
> Maximum power input SSB: 2000 watts P.E.P
> CW: 1000 watts.
> RTTY: 1000 watts.
> Duty Cycle .SSB: continuous voice modulation.
> CW: Continuous (maximum key-down 10 minutes).
> RTTY: 50% (maximum transmit time 10 minutes).
> Power Requirements 120 AC, 50/60 Hz at 20 amps.
> 240 AC, 50/60 Hz at 10 amps
> Net Weight…50 lbs.
> Email: MomaRita G@aol.com
> 73 NH7H
>
$700 YOU GOT TO BE OUT OF YOUR FRIGGEN MIND..

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4657. Re: Drive times to hamfests. (Was: raleigh durham hamfest?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000517232348.03970.00003826@ng-fg1.aol.com>
Source record: 110881
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

QRM2000 wrote:
>I would drive the following times for >hamfests as follows:
>Raleigh 3.5 hours. All indoors, very well >managed, and usually some
>interesting forums. (Riley Hollingsworth >this year). LOTS of dealers.

I'd drive 2.5 hours to it. Indoors at state fairgrounds building, BTW.
Matt,
N4GSV
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, nationwide weather
Al Gore - in his own words
ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT:
official newspaper of the Vast Right Wing Conspiracy
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

4658. Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000518003236.16095.00003485@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 110882

Oh so now the dumb sob wants to make carrying an "unlicened" weapon a crime.
Never mind the Second Amendment, never mind that you paid a hefty price for the
weapon, never mind that the founding fathers of this country fought for the
freedom he wants to restrict, never mind the fact that you purchased it
legally, all he wants (like the commies) is that every one able to get a
license do so. What about the criminals charlie - what would you have them do?
Only the law abiding would get a license, what a liberal whacko !
How about crime and criminals charlie.
How Would Licensing and Registration REDUCE Crime? Hmmm.
radiosigs puked
>Subject: Re: AF2Y:GET WITH THE PROGRAM
>Path:
>lobby!newstf02.news.aol.com!portc01.blue.aol.com!newsjunkie.ans.net!news-
was.dfn.de!news-spur1.maxwell.syr.edu!news.maxwell.syr.edu!cpk-news-hub1.b
bnplanet.com!news.gtei.net!firehose.mindspring.com!not-for-mail
>From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" radiosigs@mindspring.com
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Date: Wed, 17 May 2000 07:33:06 -0400
>Organization: MindSpring Enterprises
>Lines: 10
>Message-ID: <8fu022$5cj$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
>References: <8fomamcdu1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
> <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
>NNTP-Posting-Host: d1.8a.ab.9c
>Mime-Version: 1.0
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>X-Server-Date: 17 May 2000 11:33:22 GMT
>X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express Macintosh Edition - 4.5 (0410)
>
>
>
>That's the beauty of it. They're frisked, found to be carrying an unlicensed
>weapon and toss their cans in jail. What a great way of getting the scum out
>of circulation.
>
>----------
>In article <8fpia0sbf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login
><crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
>
>
>> "Criminals aren't going to register their illegal weapons."

4659. Re: Average Age of US Amateur Radio Ops?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8fvu16$fe2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110883

In article <06wU4.3697$7V2.158588@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
Auntie Greezeelda <grwomab@aol.com> wrote:
>Hams btwn 15-27 Yrs = 1.3%

For that item to be meaningful, you should post the percentage of
licensees in that age group decade by decade.
73, Jeff KH6O

4660. Re: 5 simple steps for better ham radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Fregeau <n5hsr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <3925FA29.5EBADFE@sprynet.com>
Source record: 110684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

You must have missed Our Fearless Leader (certainly doesn't merit title
Leader of the Free World) who made that statement during his impeachment
hearings a couple years back.

Charles R
N5HSR/9/AE
You can accuse me of being a no-class Extra, but not a No-Code extra.
<g>
Veteran of 11 years of Bill Clinton's unique governorship of Arkansas.

mark_little_aus@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <391D3583.B10812F@bctv.com>,
> kw@bctv.com wrote:
>
> > > I think that the ideas presented by a poster either have merit, or
> > > don't. A valid email address doesn't make it any more sensible if it
> is
> > > stupid or any less credible if it is well thought out.
> > >
> > > Having said that, using "Integrity" does seem a triffle pretentious
> to
> > > me. :-)
> >
> > I guess that depends on what "is" is.
>
> Sorry, That one went over my head.
>
> Mark.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4661. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronerx News <elbeca@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sic1jn6qod150@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110685

Curt said:
>
> Ramsay,
snip
> . I would recommend against
> a "low power" handheld (0.5 - 1 watt) for a first radio - they can lead
> to some frustration. Get something with 2-5 watts of output power and
> the capability for using an external mic and antenna for future
> expansion.
snip
>
> Curt Breneman
> RPI Chemistry
> KC2EBP

Bummer! I just looked at Radio Shack at a dual band Hand Held. It was $220 bucks or thereabouts. It only had an output of 700 mW when using the 3AA batteries it requires.. It did go to 1.5W when a DC 6.0V external Power Supply is used. I kinda liked the radio but now it looks like it may be too weak? I see that Kenwood has a couple dual-banders with higher output power, but they cost about twice as much. I guess you DO get what you pay for! I'll either give the cheaper RS model a try, or save for a while and go for the Kenwood. A plus with RS is they have two stores in town. There's not a Kenwood dealer within 100 miles of here.

RonE (waiting on my call)

4662. Live voice & text chat for hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: MITBR <mitbr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Vx%U4.2631$S31.44623@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110743
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

Hello folks!!
Just wanted to let everyone know that there has been major improvements to
the world wide voice & Text chat system for hams!! There is now the
provision for private chat rooms. The idea is that you wait for someone to
arrive in the main chat then go to a private chat with them if you wish. The
audio in the system rivals that of anything currently available and also
supports a text chat on the same screen. Use the system to set up skeds,
check the muf on a freq, meet new hams, have meetings or just plain ragchew.
Go to the url here to directly enter the chat
http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/AmateurRadioChat.htm
If no ones there when you arrive simply hang around for awhile while you
surf the net some one will come along!! Spread the word folks .
Tim Breckon-- --
Please visit my web site url below
Tampa Bay Radio Page
http://home.earthlink.net/~mitbr/Mi01000.htm

4663. GB100 IOW Latest Update - Marconi Centenary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Needles Wireless Telegraph Station, Isle of Wight." <needlesradio@dial.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <8g233klmr1@lure.pipex.net>
Source record: 110744

Please go to website for latest update
http://www.needlesradio.org.uk

Best Wishes

Ben Clegg G7 RER

4664. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: BNC connector <break19@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <lk0V4.2182$T41.44409@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110745

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8g1piu$7re$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...

> balance and the Republican garbage loose in this nation has tipped the
scale
> to the depth or height of obnoxiousness depending on how you see it.
> Sincere 73,
> Doc,AF2Y

Doc, there is ONLY one REAL CHOICE in the NY Senate race.....

HERE!----> www.grandpa2000.org

Grandpa Al Lewis for the US Senate ! ! !

4665. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lenny-t <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3924923B.4C2C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>
> Thanks for the ARRL corporate update Ed. What are the board of directors
> thinking of screwing up next?
>

> >Yes, it did, Vince. Instead of creating classes of license, with a
> >maximum 12 wpm code test, as ARRL asked for, the FCC gave 3 classes of
> >license, with a 5 wpm code test.

Personally I'm in favor of 12 classes of licenses with a 3 wpm code
test.

4666. want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant and Tammy Arthur <tarthur@netins.net>
Message-ID: <01bfc13b$34f584c0$ec118ea7@tarthur.netins.net>
Source record: 110747

Looking for a web site that will explain amateur radio from a to z I dont know the difference between 2meter or 2yards!

4667. Re: want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: randas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8g2eb1br1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110748

Forget the web site...you're ready to take the new extra class exam right now.

de K0FL

Grant and Tammy Arthur <tarthur@netins.net> wrote in message news:01bfc13b$34f584c0$ec118ea7@tarthur.netins.net...
> Looking for a web site that will explain amateur radio from a to z I dont
> know the difference between 2meter or 2yards!
>

4668. Re: want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3924DB64.2607BCB0@oio.net>
Source record: 110749

Grant and Tammy,
Good! I hope you get interested enough to start on
a license study. You might try looking at the ARRL, and
the W5YI web sites. They should have loads of stuff to
get you started. I don't have the URL for either of those
sites, but a search engine should get them for your. You
might also brows around in Radio Shack, they have some books
too. Hit the magazine racks in one of the bigger book
stores, look for 'CQ', '73', 'World Radio', etc. You may
not understand everything you read, but it sorta 'soaks-in'
after a while. Good luck, and hope to hear you on the air.
'Doc

4669. FS: 8068 sweeptubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ovrreactor@aol.com-nospam
Message-ID: <20000519050522.23739.00000164@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 110750

I am selling seven 8068 sweep tubes that are functional pulls from dismantled equipment. I just tested them again this evening, and they all test strong with no grid emission or shorts.

$150 including shipping to anywhere in the US.

If interested, please reply by email.

Regards,
Tom Mitchell
email - OvrReactor@aol.com

4670. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39251167.304E5225@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110751

"R.L. Tannehill, P.E." wrote:
>
> Back then, the militia WAS ALL able bodied men, regardless of military
> status or background. Three separate Supreme Court decisions have
> reaffirmed that interpretation in the constitution over the years.
> Clinton/Gore now hope to pack the Court with enough left-wing wackos who
> will be willing to reverse those three earlier opinions, and declare
> that militia to be only the established U.S. military services and
> quasi-military agencies (FBI, DEA, INS, etc.)
>
> Rick T.

Okay, Rick, I never disputed that in my message. All I said is that "militia" is just one justification for "the people" to own guns, but it is not the only reason "the people" can own a firearm.

The writers of the amendment did not feel they had to list every justification for the amendment. Since hunting, self-defense, and other uses, were commonplace at the time, there was no reason to list those things in the amendment - they were obvious uses of a gun.

Dwight Stewart

4671. Re: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <_g9V4.655$li1.2395@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110752

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8g2721$o5n$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Gentlemen:
> On June 22nd of this year, we will mark the 59th anniversary of the Nazi
> invasion of the Soviet Union which culminated in the glorious victory of
our
> Russian comrades in arms.
> Keep in mind that eight out of every German soldier killed in W.W.II was
> done in by a Russian and had those lousy fascist beasts not been so
> beautifully slaughtered, they would have accounted for God knows how many
> Yanks, Brits and Canucks killed and wounded?

Yup, Doc -- 'twas about money, power, and bodies. The commissars, in order
to keep the money and the power, threw the *unarmed* bodies at the Germans
...

'Preciate the reminder, om. As you were.

4672. Re: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g388rhhl1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110753

Thank you comrade David.

In article <_g9V4.655$li1.2395@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
<davidw@copper.net> wrote:

>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8g2721$o5n$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
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>> done in by a Russian and had those lousy fascist beasts not been so
>> beautifully slaughtered, they would have accounted for God knows how many
>> Yanks, Brits and Canucks killed and wounded?
>
>
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> to keep the money and the power, threw the *unarmed* bodies at the Germans
> ...
>
> 'Preciate the reminder, om. As you were.
>
>
>
>

4673. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO & likes Rudy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g39kf$jk0$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110754

Is that Al Lewis from "The Munsters?" All of us Giuliani lovers are heartsick over what's going on. Hillary is one obnoxious broad-a carpetbagger if there ever was one who comes to our area and knows how to "solve every problem." It's a joke and these damn naive Democrats up here buy all her bullsnot. As far as I'm concerned she's an insult to a great Party and unworthy of a Senate seat anywhere.
What kind of a woman sits idly by and grins as her husband gets "Monickered" in the Oral Office? A woman who has greedy ambitions; one without scruples and N.Y.Dems fall for it. But look at Rudy's cross to bear. He's a decent honest but philandering man who fell into disfavor because of adultery even though Donna Hanover seems like a cranky bitch. He won't definitely commit to the Senate race due to prostate cancer and as he sits and ponders medical procedures, that thing could spread and kill him. It's a mess. My hunch? He's going to undergo surgery as the right course of action-recuperate as did Joe Torre-get back in the race in the summer and send that Arkansas hillbillyess packing in November. That is, we who care about the welfare of New York, HOPE this is the scenario. If Rick Lasio or Lazio runs against Hillary, she'll win. By the way Rudy is NOT a run of the mill Republican halfwit the kind of which has been screwing up things for years. He's a tireless, compassionate, strongwilled but cooperative, no nonsense guy who's a credit to the Party and probabaly the best mayor NYC has ever had since Fiorello LaGuardia.Show me a tough intelligent Italian, Republican or Democrat, and I'll show you a great politician.
Doc,AF2Y

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> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8g1piu$7re$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
>
>> balance and the Republican garbage loose in this nation has tipped the
> scale
>> to the depth or height of obnoxiousness depending on how you see it.
>> Sincere 73,
>> Doc,AF2Y
>
> Doc, there is ONLY one REAL CHOICE in the NY Senate race.....
>
> HERE!----> www.grandpa2000.org
>
> Grandpa Al Lewis for the US Senate ! ! !
>

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>
>

4674. Quintessential Hamfest page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zincplatedrubberduc <coppers@dmae.ca>
Message-ID: <rHaV4.3774$S31.97225@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110755

Just found this page.

It probably has the best pics of the type
of people I have seen at the average Hamfest
than anyplace eles.

ENJOY!!

http://mega.swsites.net/trailer.htm

4675. Re: AF2Y: what to do? ATTN: DOC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <22d853de.0d4cfa2e@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 110756

And after they came for my condo, there was no one left to
speak for me.

P. S. sweetheart, we have open beach laws where I live. Do
you and radiosiggy live in red China?

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4676. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO & likes Rudy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <00d1cfab.0fd1de88@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>
Source record: 110757

Anybody ever tell you that you're a few french fries short
of a happy meal?

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4677. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <058e2759.e3f3ee2b@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>
Source record: 110758

No need to apologize to this ingrate! He takes that as a sign of
weakness. Your statements were right on the money. He is bathing
in his own slop!

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4678. Re: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <OVcV4.89$oO1.214@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110759

Think nothing of it, Commissar Charles. As you were.

4679. Re: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1dd5bf14.9974279f@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 110760

In article <OVcV4.89$oO1.214@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J.
Windisch" <davidw@copper.net> wrote:
>Think nothing of it, Commissar Charles. As you were.

Nyet, Comrades. The new Communist system embraces Capitalism in a
big way. We shall remove the statues of Lenin and replace them
with statues of George Washington and the dollar bill.
LOL!!!

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4680. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO & likes Rudy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <06464b56.982efee8@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>
Source record: 110761

In article <00d1cfab.0fd1de88@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Anybody ever tell you that you're a few french fries short
>of a happy meal?

Opinions vary. Doc's rather humorous replies/posts always make my
day.
It IS rather funny that Al Lewis is running for Senate, just like
when the late Sonny Bono ran for Congress. You have to consider
their past, and one thing I find funny is Cheech Marin playing a
cop on "Nash Bridges." Considering his past with Tommy Chong.
"Let's make a dope deal!" LOL!!!!

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4681. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Quux <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <000c1ec6.3f668378@usw-ex0103-024.remarq.com>
Source record: 110762

Oh, it's DEFINITELY not an apology, but more of a clarification
in order to keep things from being twisted into something that
is not.

This guy hides behind any technicality, no matter how small (as
in a cuss word, or spelling/typo), even IMAGINARY technicalities,
so he can put up a smokescreen or diversion, and turn the focus
away from himself.

If anything, I should be contacting Mindspring about his abuse
in MY inbox! But that's not my goal. Just trying to show that
there's more to this issue than the media (and the lemmings) will
want to discuss.

Thanks for your [sane!] input, Wufu. =)

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4682. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0a46aea2.0c48464c@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 110763

Awwwww. "Raincoat Charlie" has his feelings hurt. When one
of your mommies comes back from the million dyke march in
Washington AC/DC, cry on her shoulder.

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4683. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: xsylvanjunkALLx@cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <8g3r3i$p4p$2@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 110764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Bill Sohl (billsohl@interactive.net) on Tue, 16 May 2000 03:24:32 GMT wrote:
>On 16 May 2000 00:54:06 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
>wrote:

>>Oh, so now you're saying that we don't have to fear any loss of spectrum,
>>and those worrying about auctions need not be concerned; thus, we can
>>increase licensing standards again. Great!

>Anyone that believes for an instant that there is ever
>a guarantee that spectrum will not be coveted
>by other entities is an idiot. The political winds

Right.

Senator Mike Crapo (R-ID) has a bill to require the FCC to compensate
amateur radio with like frequencies for any taken. S.2183 read on
March 6, 2000, titled `Amateur Radio Spectrum Protection Act of 1999'.

Similar bill in the house, H.R. 783.

You can find them from http://www.senate.gov/

Please contact your senators and representatives and ask
for their support.

sdb

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Watch out for munged e-mail address.
User should be sylvan and host is cyberhighway.net.
Do NOT send me unsolicited commercial e-mail (UCE)!

4684. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39255D0E.2EF9@rpi.edu>
Source record: 110765

Ramsay D. Seielstad wrote:
>
> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>
> Well, that's a bit of an understatement but I passed the tech
> exam last weekend, am awaiting the coveted FCC sheepskin and call
> to be issued, bought some more books to carry on the studying for
> an upgrade in a year or so, scheduled myself to drop by the local
> ham club meeting next month and done some research and comparison
> shopping for a radio to get started with.
>
> I'm leaving on vacation next week and will buy the radio and
> all the necessary appurtenances and spend some quality time getting
> familiar with how to use all the features and gizmos.
>
> It seems that after all this, making that first contact is going
> to be a tad anti-climactic and leaves one wondering what they
> should do next?
>
> Did anybody else have a similiar feeling of a lack of direction
> at the same point in the hobby? Obviously, I have a healthy enough
> interest and desire to do the studying and get a license at my age.
> Even seem to have a pretty decent outlook and plan for further
> study and subsequent upgrading of my privileges, but am a little
> concerned about that lack of knowing what to do next.
>
> Comments, suggestions, hints, tips, tricks? Have at it, people!
>
> - --
>
> +---+
> | Ramsay D. Seielstad | mrhuey@wizvax.net; Af029@Detroit.Freenet.Org |
> | Schenectady, NY | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ |
> +-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=+=-+
> | "No fancy terminators or trailers, No opinion, Just an average, everyday |
> | guy with a bunch of unrelated hobbyist activities that have no significant |
> | use or value other than to amuse myself and occupy me free time ... and |
> | trust me, these ain't MY employer's opinions or views" |
> +---+
> | To obtain my PGP Public Key: finger mrhuey@wizvax.net |
> +---+
>
> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
> Version: 2.6.2

>
> iQCVAwUBOSO8phh6cbDiY22VAQGh4AQAjVcLNtn49pYPLlI/Ueq/PyKhLXwqDALi
> SqE4vr7coPjMPNJ68K0ecfuyVBfg4czSn2hdvehYT/cV43DdywLJ8Y99NdzY82dE
> QilODrlCjLEQ3zbhavazlGj48gHSD0bx7bUTbv4nponz9VHdY96Q63aYPw1wahFn
> 62DD2cn1lUc=
> =+tXg
> -----END PGP SIGNATURE-----

Ramsay,

Your first step would be to contact someone at one of the local clubs - for example the Schenectady Amateur Radio Assiciation (SARA - contact: Ron, KR2L), the Schenectady Museum Amateur Radio Association (SMARA - contact ?) or the Troy Amateur Radio Association (TARA - contact Bill Eddy - NY2U). You should look around for a 2m or dual-band hand-held radio so you can get on the local repeaters and check out when the club meetings are going to be held. Lots of deals are available via hamfests or flea markets at club meetings, but you might also want to look into one of the R/S HT 202's if you can find one. I would recommend against a "low power" handheld (0.5 - 1 watt) for a first radio - they can lead to some frustration. Get something with 2-5 watts of output power and the capability for using an external mic and antenna for future expansion. In the Albany-Schenectady-Troy region, you will not be very limited if you get a 2m-only rig, since most of the action is on that band. The people that you will meet are a very friendly bunch - try the SARA repeater on 147.06 or the TARA repeater on 145.17 and just ask about things. This is what I did a couple of years ago, and it's been a lot of fun since then. Pick up an ARRL Repeater Guide for more information about local machines.

Curt Breneman
RPI Chemistry
KC2EBP

4685. Re: Rachel Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gp2 <bob4cfNOboSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <23857c7c.f3b1bc09@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>
Source record: 110766

If you're talking about the "CLN" website, don't let the "Rachel" alias fool you, people. It's almost certainly a penname. Note the link to the CLN site on "The KJI Show" site. Then note the similarities of verbal and graphic style of the 2 (a same or similar picture of "KJI" appears on both). Young sociology major "Rachel," who has had almost no contact with ham radio, couldn't likely have the background or knowledge of specific details to do the CLN page. Also, all the "SWL letters" are bogus. I'll bet this is the work of a certain frustrated frequency dictator on Long Island (well known a bit up the band) taking out his feelings on those who've upstaged him!

"Rachel," by the way, was introduced to the CLN QSO by an individual identified only as "Tom" (not CLN), who was using a bootleg callsign at the time. The REAL licensee of the callsign was contacted via landline and he never heard of "Tom" or "Rachel."

---73 de gp2

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4686. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO & likes Rudy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: HT on a rope <sooperdoo@binkypics.com>
Message-ID: <mghV4.4556$S31.123760@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110767

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8g39kf$jk0$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Is that Al Lewis from "The Munsters?"

Yes it is!! The ORIGINAL Grandpa.

He was even given coverage on C-SPAN yesterday!

> > HERE!----> www.grandpa2000.org
> >
> > Grandpa Al Lewis for the US Senate ! ! !

The above is his webpage. He is for real.
the "Green Party" is better known for it's
perrenial Presidential candidate: Ralph Nader.

4687. Re: Passed exam, now what ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <39259AF1.9E9C3F01@shecora.com>
Source record: 110768

"Ramsay D. Seielstad" wrote:

>
> It seems that after all this, making that first contact is going
> to be a tad anti-climactic and leaves one wondering what they
> should do next?

Welcome to the hobby! Someone threw out field day. That is
a very good way to see a lot of different stuff. Try to find
a club that is going to have a lot of different stations.

Also unless you are wealthy you may want to think about upgrading
quickly. New hams some times sink a lot of money into VHF stuff
that doesn't get much uses after they upgrade. I know I did!
For example I have an ICOM 2800 which I use every day, but it
really isn't any better than working off of one that cost half
that. Just nice eye candy.

You may also want to check out MARS

--
Darryl Wagoner DE WA1GON
603-598-6500 x929

4688. ALINCO DJ-480 (DJ-180)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <39259b1d.28124478@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 110769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

I have bought ALINCO DJ-480T (UHF) the same is DJ-180T but works on VHF. The rig has been set to work on preselected chanels only. I'd like to change the mode to VFO. Any idea how to do it ?

Regards,

Dragan

4689. Re: Live voice & text chat for hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Cromwell <bcromwell1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <%GiV4.4748$S31.129690@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110770
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

I do that on 40.

4690. Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikebo@Mars.mcs.net
Message-ID: <8g4dka$10jo$1@Mars.mcs.net>
Source record: 110771

Contrary to what I thought I was hearing about this movie, comments
about ham radio made by the older "Chief" character in the movie
"Frequency" are anything but positive...

When he's dusting off the old man's radio in front of his son, he
says, "Noone uses these things anymore - they're obsolete."

Then, when he starts talking to someone (who turns out to be his dad),
he says, "You must be real old-timer." Then notice as he tunes around
the band and there's nothing but static.

The implications are that ham radio is dead, and you'd have to be an
old fart to enjoy something as archaic as HF radio. What a bummer of
a message to send to younger viewers.

As the film unfolds, you (should) realize what the main characters
realize... that is, the radio isn't actually being used at all...
The radio is simply a focal point through which the words flow.
It's more a magical than a technological plot device.
The son realizes that he doesn't have to press the PTT switch on
the mic (reinforced by some double takes), and later in the movie
they're both just leaning toward towards the radio, or just
shouting into the room. Anyone else notice this?

BTW, anyone recognize the antenna? A strange looking beast for sure.
- Mike, WA9CQ

4691. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <JqkV4.20934$Ft1.903727@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110772

"Michael Borowiec" <mikebo@Mars.mcs.net> wrote in message
news:8g4dka$10jo$1@Mars.mcs.net...
> The implications are that ham radio is dead, and you'd have to be an
> old fart to enjoy something as archaic as HF radio. What a bummer of
> a message to send to younger viewers.

The truth is sometimes hard to swallow.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
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http://hfradio.org/k1oik/

4692. Re: want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <8skV4.20936$Ft1.903856@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110773

"Grant and Tammy Arthur" <tarthur@netins.net> wrote in message
news:01bfc13b$34f584c0$ec118ea7@tarthur.netins.net...
> Looking for a web site that will explain amateur radio from a to z I dont
> know the difference between 2meter or 2yards!

Go here

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4693. Real ham page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <QvkV4.20939$Ft1.903854@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110774

http://mega.swsites.net/trailer.htm

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4694. Dentron MLA-2500B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Judass <skywise@forfree.at>
Message-ID: <8g4k49jpn1@battery.awod.com>
Source record: 110775

I need the Manual for the Dentron MLA-2500B amp. Can any one tell me the difference between the MAL-2500 and the MAL-2500B?
KB4QHI

4695. Re: Live voice & text chat for hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3925E057.1460DA90@datacomm.com>
Source record: 110776
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur

I have a Ham friend that can do it without even turning on his radio.
:-]

Louis

Bill Cromwell wrote:
>
> I do that on 40.

4696. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g4o6r$h4d$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110777

Mike,
I saw that awful flick several weeks ago and had the popcorn not been so good, I would have walked out. It was one of the worst movies I ever saw and I warned the guys, right on this board, about it. But most are so goddamned stupid, they wouldn't know the difference between a plot and a pot.
AF2Y

In article <8g4dka$10jo$1@Mars.mcs.net>, mikebo@Mars.mcs.net (Michael Borowiec) wrote:

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4697. Re: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g4p34srr1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110778

Hams unite. The only thing you have to lose is your freedom of speech.

In article <OVcV4.89$oO1.214@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
<davidw@copper.net> wrote:

> Think nothing of it, Commissar Charles. As you were.
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>

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g4q0q$7ia$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110779

Anyone know Russian? The word for COMRADE is TOVARICH. What would be the plural, TOVARICHEM or TOVARICHI? In undergrad school I had a professor of American lit who was a card carrying commie. His name was Willen if I remember correctly. He taught us, for example, "Sister Carrie" from the dialectic viewpoint stressing how capitalism exploited child labor. It was the first time I had been exposed to a different political and ideological philosophy which was fascinating. For anyone who thought that Russia was communist, think again. They STROVE for communism but never made it. Instead they forced their populace to live under STATE CAPITALISM which was as totalitarian as FACISM or NAZISM under Hitler. I never will understand why two similar bastards like Hitler and Stalin despised one another. Each put the state before the man and destroyed the dignity of those they ruled yet if it were not for such mutual hatred, we would be living in the revival of the Dark Ages once again. Western civilization would have been destroyed by Adolf because his ultimate goal was to usurp the power of Jesus by first destroying those who gave him to the world. I don't mean to be a pedagogue since I don't know what it means anyway.
AF2Y

In article <1dd5bf14.9974279f@usw-ex0103-023.remarq.com>, kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid> wrote:

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> LOL!!!
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4699. Re: AF2Y: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g4q4g$v2c$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110780

Well look at him. The Schnauzer has a Mauser!

In article <2709411c.8f37e287@usw-ex0102-013.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

>
> RATS! 'Was cleaning my German machine pistols and spilled
> gun oil all over the keyboard.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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>

4700. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g4q77$6ra$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110781

No one sees through me. I stand 6' tall and weigh 200 lbs.

In article <27da7900.18efafa5@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>, wufu
<wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:

> Doc,
>
> Your whole appearance on the Internet writing such garbage as you
> do, is offensive. You certainly have the right to do so, but you
> are abusing the privilege. Step back, take a look, I would think
> you would come to your senses. The man made perfect sense to your
> double standard and yet you want to yell "foul". Doc, most people
> can see right through you. You are a blithering idiot with a
> keyboard in front of you. Do some good.......go help some of
> these people that have been attacked by hoodlums. It will set
> your mind straight.
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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>

4701. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8g4qb4dig1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110782

I ACCEPT YOUR APOLOGY.

In article <03bc0db1.1a03d11f@usw-ex0103-019.remarq.com>, Quux
<crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> Interpret as you see fit. That's _YOUR_ business.
>
> However, I didn't threaten _YOU_. I was making a point that
> the criminals are the threat, and when they are too close
> for comfort, then that changes things rather rapidly.
>
> Changes things a bit, doesnt it? NOW you feel the heat.
>
> It's UTTERLY AMAZING how QUICKLY you JUMP in front of a
> "moving car" and then [imaginarily] "get hit" so you can
> cry out: "Hit and run! I'm going to sue!"
>
> I realize you want more control over everyone _ELSE_,
> and you don't want the laws you bark out to affect _YOU_,
> but that's called a crying shame.
>
> Point I was trying to make, (which you twist and turn into
> making the commenter look like a bad guy---your Modus Operandi,
> and a favorite among those with no substance behind their
> position) was that the criminal is going to go to the path of
> least resistance. If you are so nonchalant about registration
> and gun control, then how about if YOU make YOUR name and or
> location known as a gun-control advocate? I was just OFFERING
> MY ASSISTANCE TO HELP/OBLIGE YOU IN THIS EFFORT SO AS TO PROVE A
> POINT BY NOT GIVING YOU AN EXCUSE TO HIDE BEHIND AS TO WHY YOU
> SHOULDN'T.
>
> Don't EVER try and put YOUR TWISTED WORDS in my mouth, you
> CRETINOUS INGRATE!
>
> REMEMBER: YOU made this information PUBLIC, NOT ME. It is
> in the "public domain".
>
> Go look it up.
>
> YOU have MADE PUBLIC of YOUR feelings on the issue of guns.
> Doesn't take an Einstein to put two and two together, AND all
> this by YOUR OWN HAND.
>

> If I was a schoolkid in the eighth grade doing a report on gun
> control, this ng is FAIR GAME for INCLUSION because it is a
> PUBLIC FORUM.
>
> Initially, I was just trying to see how you thought your own
> medicine tasted (as far as making your feelings public on what
> you will/will not accept in your inbox) since you felt it was
> just fine to insult me in MINE.
>
> I have NEVER posted to ANY email account of yours. EVER.
>
> I can't say the same for you, AND I have evidence to support
> that. You have crossed more questionable lines with me than I
> have with you.
>
> I will NOT be threatened in this manner. I am not kidding.
>
> PS My apologies to this ng for the tone here, but I am afraid
> "Einstein" here needs to be spoon-fed EVERYTHING.
>
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>
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>

4702. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <091b92fd.e94d4571@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 110783

SCHMUCK!!!

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4703. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000519225129.27859.00000270@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110686

There's been several rulings on this fellas and in all it has been deemed an "individual" right.
Also for your enlightenment you should read the Federalist papers (contains 85 essays by the framers), and/or the Second Amendment primer(contains more). It is perfectly obvious what the framers wanted, for whom, and why.
Anyone with more than two brains cells knows it although some just won't accept it.

4704. Re: I was wrong about restructuring, I see the Light!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g4uflnig1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ed Hare, W1RFI <w1rfi@arrl.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

>> We might have to go back to building our own gear again, but that in
>> no way will be detrimental; on the contrary, that will be good for the
>> hobby/service in that only folks with technical interests will be
>> licensed and on the air. (Before you criticize my last sentence, read
>> the fundamental purpose of the ARS as written by the FCC, attached below;
>> pay special attention to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d).)

>I don't see that the FCC paid any "special attention" to (b), (c) and (d).

I don't see an "or" between any of the five principles. This isn't
Chinese take-out where we get to pick and choose which principles we
abide by. I suppose if amateur radio was a hobby, it wouldn't matter
if anyone abided by any of the five principles, but as a government
radio service, each of us needs to attempt to fully abide by the
"fundamental purpose" for our existence.

>Most amateurs do not contribute to the Service equally in the operating and
>technical arenas, nor is it necessary that they do.

In your opinion, of course. Luckily, we answer to the FCC, not any
individual licensee.

>Collectively, the
>Service meets its objectives, which I assume is quite acceptable to those
>who write the rules.

I respect your opinion on this matter, but I believe you're incorrect
in asserting that just the service as a whole needs to meets the
principles of 97.1. Taking such a stance means you're opening the
door to the (possibly remote) chance that one or more of the principles
might be ignored by all. From what you've said, you apparently would see
nothing wrong with that.

97.1 Basis and purpose.
The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
radio service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
principles:
(a) Recognition and enhancement of the value of the amateur service to
the public as a voluntary noncommercial communication service,
particularly with respect to providing emergency communications.
(b) Continuation and extension of the amateur's proven ability to
contribute to the advancement of the radio art.

(c) Encouragement and improvement of the amateur service through rules
which provide for advancing skills in both the communications and
technical phases of the art.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio service
of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
(e) Continuation and extension of the amateur's unique ability to enhance
international goodwill.

73, Jeff KH6O

4705. Re: Have some fun Listen to MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000519224529.27859.00000269@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110688

So much for his "old farts" inuendo. LOL

4706. Re: AF2Y: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.commotion
Message-ID: <20000519232112.27949.00000286@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110689

AF2Y puked:

>I suggest putting on something red while you're on the air that day......
>
>

Appreciate THIS, you socialist, commie-loving bastard.

We should have joined the Nazis in their holy and just cause of destroying
Jewish communism.

4707. Re: AF2Y: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3926053C.E7E41879@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110690

NO MONKEYS wrote:
>
> AF2Y puked:
>
> >I suggest putting on something red while you're on the air that day......
> >
> >
>
> Appreciate THIS, you socialist, commie-loving bastard.
>
> We should have joined the Nazis in their holy and just cause of destroying
> Jewish communism.
>
>

I love the spirit of Brotherhood, and camaradarie displayed by
kindreds in pursuit of common interest.

Don't you?

4708. Re: Paperwork - was Re: VE paperwork session in Dayton 5-19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005200524130.124-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.parg

On 18 May 2000, Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> D. Stussy <kd6lvw@att.net> wrote:
> >On Wed, 17 May 2000, Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> >> Will this be an ARRL session or one of the VECs who actually SEND the
> >> FCC the paperwork within a month?
> >> FCC has not received my Extra paperwork from the Apr 15th session in
> >> Charleston.....nada.....zilch!
>
> >You're not the only one with an outstanding upgrade from the 15th.
>
> Back in the good/bad old days, it took up to three months from the
> time one was tested at an FCC office, to the arrival of the license
> in the mail. That three-month period was a good time to listen, listen,
> and listen some more to learn the procedures, build some equipment,
> set up the station, and read some books.
> 73, Jeff KH6O

Or longer.... The shortest time I had to wait was 4 months, back in 1992. The other times were even longer, but that was before the FCC mandated VEC electronic filing.

4709. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005200540150.124-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110692

On Fri, 19 May 2000, Dwight Stewart wrote:
> "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." wrote:
> > Back then, the militia WAS ALL able bodied men, regardless of military
> > status or background. Three separate Supreme Court decisions have
> > reaffirmed that interpretation in the constitution over the years.
> > Clinton/Gore now hope to pack the Court with enough left-wing wackos who
> > will be willing to reverse those three earlier opinions, and declare
> > that militia to be only the established U.S. military services and
> > quasi-military agencies (FBI, DEA, INS, etc.)
> >
> > Rick T.
>
>
> Okay, Rick, I never disputed that in my message. All I said is that
> "militia" is just one justification for "the people" to own guns, but it
> is not the only reason "the people" can own a firearm.
>
> The writers of the amendment did not feel they had to list every
> justification for the amendment. Since hunting, self-defense, and other
> uses, were commonplace at the time, there was no reason to list those
> things in the amendment - they were obvious uses of a gun.

It should be obvious to anyone who's not a bleeding heart liberal that one of the purposes of the Second Amendment is so that the PEOPLE have a check (as in "check and balance") on the government - similar to how our founding fathers had their "check" towards King George back in 1776. It's to maintain and ensure that the POWER is in the people, not that the government rules over its populace.

Other than the fact that practically every Southern California repeater owner is armed, what does this have to do with amateur radio? That's not even covered under the same Amendment!

4710. IC2ST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Kruse <skruse@inlink.com>
Message-ID: <RVpV4.1085$bc4.57282@news1.primary.net>
Source record: 110693

Looking for manual for Icom IC2ST.

Thank You,

Steve

4711. Morse exercises No.23

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC - Frank Schmitte <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8g5mugkhf1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 110694
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr23_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr23_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr23_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.
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| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

4712. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39264079.62CC089D@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110695

"D. Stussy" wrote:
>
> It should be obvious to anyone who's not a bleeding heart liberal that one of
> the purposes of the Second Amendment is so that the PEOPLE have a check (as in
> "check and balance") on the government <snip>

Its obvious to most bleeding heart liberals also - they just don't
like it.

> Other than the fact that practically every Southern California repeater owner
> is armed, what does this have to do with amateur radio? That's not even
> covered under the same Amendment!

But, like many others who has read this thread, you added your two
cents worth. As ham operators, we don't live in a vacuum. These things
affect us also, so we have opinions on them. Perhaps it is not "proper"
to discuss those opinions in this newsgroup, but since when have
Americans been that proper?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

4713. ICOM M600 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Fisher <ronf@tnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <LJrV4.1$%u5.527@nsw.nnrp.telstra.net>
Source record: 110696

I would like to modify my Icom M600 to cover ham bands, can anyone help with a mod for general coverage transmit. I have the mod for LSB operation.
Thanks in advance.

Ron VK6PR.
email ronf@tnet.com.au

4714. Re: Red Appreciation Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <pkvV4.863$oO1.4029@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110697

Doc wrote:

<snip

I never will understand why
two similar bastards like Hitler and Stalin despised one another.

snip>

Fallen human nature, I think. Each coveted the other's miserable *power*,
accomplishments, money, possessions -- what ever. Those mortals who start
out wanting to 'save' the world usually end up trying to rule it.

BTW, what may have started as a troll could yet get more interesting, even
tho somewhat off-topic.

As you were.

K3BHJ

4715. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Swift <jswift@up.net>
Message-ID: <39268C14.2BDE2DE7@up.net>
Source record: 110698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

my point was that since people *will* attempt to pass the test by memorizing the answers, the questions should be ones that are 'worthwhile' and 'memorable' and 'useful'.

i don't disagree with your 'driving test' suggestion. it would take some serious work to create it because of the difficulty of having a 'standard test' to be used by 'random' testers. however, it should solve the problem we have seen with new hams (and newly-upgraded ones) not really knowing the ettiquette and operating rules - which reminds me that i have to tell a new ham (for whom i'm the default elmer) that saying "are you out there" is not really appropriate....

BD wrote:
>
> It's not geared toward memorizing?... Even the 665 (why didn't they go for
> 666?) questions on the new Extra test's not been at all difficult to
> memorize.. And as the study-guides say.. You don't even have to remember all
> 665 possible answers because almost every group of 4 are just 4 different
> rewordings of the same question.
> It should be like a driving test where you have to prove you've driven
> before (with an 'elmer' of course) and have learned how to drive.. Just
> imagine all the nuts we'd have on the road if all we had to do was pass that
> written test...
>
> "Jack Swift" <jswift@up.net> wrote in message
> news:392130A0.BF46985@up.net...
> > i passed the general, advanced, and extra tests by only studying the
> question pools. i was disappointed in the quality of many of the questions,
> and have sent comments to arrl-vec about them.
> >
> > because of the freedom of information laws and the need for standard
> question pools, studying for the test from the pools will always happen.
> this is not necessarily bad, though.
> >
> > the 10-1 ratio of pool questions to test questions requires an examinee to
> do a lot of reading and if the questions are geared toward 'learning from
> your mistakes' rather than a memorization of formulae we can educate while
> we test.

--

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906-482-0530, 0531, 7766 Alpha Phi Omega Epsilon Lambda Chapter Advisor
Houghton County Amateur Radio Emergency Service Army Mars: AAR5LD

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4716. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g71nr$60g$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110699

In article <xZwV4.537$sW1.137922@nnrp2.sbc.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>If you'll look at the original tradition of ham-radio, you'll see that
>people learned by doing..
>Except for people who're already into some other form of radio, very few are
>going to become knowledgeable enough for a particular license before getting
>it. It usually works the other way around. They get the license as an
>incentive to improve their knowledge. You're probably just jealous that the
>study guides weren't available back in the spark-gap days..
>They (I know you wont be able to comprehend this) even learned by
>experimenting.

To counter your argument, let's look at the written test of 1912;
you'll note it's more of a "graduation exam" rather than an
"entrance exam":

One had to be knowledgeable of the International Radio-telegraphic
Convention in force and Sections 3, 4, 5, and 7 of the Act of Congress
of August 13, 1912;

One also had to take a seven-question written exam covering:

1. How to make a diagram of the transmitting and receiving apparatus
2. How the transmitting apparatus is made and how it works
3. How the receiving apparatus is made and how it works
4. The International regulations for wireless communications and
the U.S. wireless laws and regulations.

(Taken from The Book Of Wireless, Frederick Collins, 1915)

That written exam was an essay-type test. As the government examiners
were fond of saying back then, "What you fail to say, you don't know."

73, Jeff KH6O

4717. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g725e$6d5$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110700

TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote:
>Say what you will about Burt, but he's dead-on with this assessment. The
>reason all these old hams are whining is because the movie portrays amateur
>radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the PAST. An accurate portrayal
>indeed,

Yet the bands are jumping with wall to wall signals. No room on 40m
at night to call CQ. 15m has a "no vacancy" sign on it at this moment.

Do you guys even have a receiver? If so, make sure an outdoor antenna
is connected to it.

73, Jeff KH6O

4718. Re: Guns: the truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g729m$6ig$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110701

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>The gun is the problem, the gun is the problem.

Ah, he finally sees the light.

4719. Re: Second or First ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8g72ru$74u$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110702

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> The paramount article of the Constitution, the one all other articles and
>the Constitution itself depends on for survival, is the Second Amendment. It
>was specifically intended to guarantee the

unorganized militia

>the right to posses

weapons.

Too bad the militia only includes males between the ages of 17 and 44
as per the US Code. I know he feels bad about being kicked out of
the militia due to old age, but pilots have to retire in their prime,
too.

73, Jeff KH6O

4720. Re: AF2Y has decided

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8g8vsc$e2k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110703

In article <8g16lh$t3a$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I had to decide what to do about KK7HO's profanity entering my
mailbox and I
> had to choose between:
> 1. self deletion
> 2. reporting it to AOL
> 3. answering
> 4. reporting it to the FBI, ATF and to Al Gore, our next president and
> inventor of the Internet
>
> I have decided to put into action MindSpring's mail rules whereby he
has
> been blocked but not in the true sense of the word. He'll think his
garbage
> is showing up on my inbox but it won't be. As soon as it's launched
and
> reaches me, it'll be instantly deleted and that's that. I hated to
take such
> a drastic measure but this gun-loving NRA stooge will not leave me
alone. As
> I wrote previously I don't object to contrary opinions either in my
mailbox
> or on rec.radio but I do insist upon decent although not necessarily
total
> puritan lingo. Volz's language is offensive; he's on AOL but I don't
need it
> to fight my battles. I realize I'm controversial which may lead to an
> argument and once again I welcome any and all opinions be they pro or
con,
> but there's no need to express oneself through terms relating to body
parts,
> functions and sexually snide and revolting references.
> AF2Y
> cc: AGore@nextprez.org
>
>
I agree Doc, you are intelligent and articulate. And we both know we
are 180 degrees out of phase on gun control and the present regime.
But we manage to have our argument and just agree to disagree. To bad
some people don't have that ability.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4721. Re: AF2Y apologizes to KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8g910tenm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110704

In article <8g1piu$7re$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Gosh I feel awful the way I've been lambasting Tim and I'm going to
remove
> my mail block too. I've liked that guy ever since I met up with him
on this
> board and this political stuff has created animosity. Apparently
we're both
> pigheaded guys who see things quite the opposite on the gun issue and
I
> asked myself why jerks like Heston and LaPierre should be allowed to
create
> such a breach? However Tim should understand that I run with the
crowd ONLY
> when the crowd is RIGHT and I consider it WRONG and I have a perfect
right
> to express my opinion because I know that Republicans just plain suck.
> They've become a party of uncaring rightwing goofballs led around by
the
> noses by militia screwballs, Christian Coaltion meatheads, the worst
> womanizing hypocrites to ever sit on Capitol Hill and gun-loving
rectal
> orifices. No wonder a top flight jerk like Gewt Ningrich left town in
a
> hurry never to be heard of again. And those creeps who led the
impeachment
> proceedings against Bill Clinton were nothing but low class, scum-
sucking
> imbeciles themselves. I can't help it Tim; it's just the way I see
politics
> and you're backing bums but you are not one yourself-I don't think. I
mean I
> don't know it for a fact but you've never told anyone what you did
for a
> living or your age or if you had a family. For all I know you could
be a
> Jersey mobster out there in a witness protection program. You're
like a
> mystery man living in the most exciting city in the U.S.A.(and I
don't mean
> Youngstown, Ohio and Roanoke, VA which are the worst I've ever been
in).
> Tim's a Las Vegas guy which puts him on TOP. And so Tim, if I came on
too

> strong and hurt your feelings, I feel terribly and here's my
handshake via
> cyberspace. Just try to understand that I WAS a 100% Independent who
became
> so disallusioned with the Republican Party(except for John McCain)
that I
> wouldn't consider voting for Mr. Bush for Prez. I'm a Libran who
favors
> balance and the Republican garbage loose in this nation has tipped
the scale
> to the depth or height of obnoxiousness depending on how you see it.
> Sincere 73,
> Doc,AF2Y
>
>
Doc has done more to assure the defeat of ALGORE than anyone in the
Republican camp. I'm beginning to think Doc is really a republican
mole.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4722. Re: Guns: the truth by AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3927CBBE.7E205BE2@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110705

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> <snip> Do you think that gun-nuts are
> in the majority? <snip> I refer to the
> paranoids who see the government as evil,
> who think we must arm to protect ourselves
> against a hostile government which is
> nonexistent, who fail to realize that
> because of being provoked, threatened and
> defied as in the cases of Waco, Randy
> Weaver, the Montana Free Loonies and
> <snip>, force MUST be employed.

Have you read the history books? Have you seen how many governments have went bad over the history of mankind? We're not talking about one or two. We're not talking about a few dozen. We're talking about hundreds (even thousands).

And, when these governments go bad, history has shown what happens to the common man - the abuse over the years has been incredible. And the abuse was not stopped until the people were able to gain enough power to finally get rid of that government.

Since it has happened to all those other governments, you're a damn fool if you think even for a moment that it cannot happen to this government. And only an armed population, fanatical about keeping government under control, can prevent it.

This country's forefathers knew that, which is why they were careful to make sure that the government of this country could not so easily disarm its citizens. But it is only the people who can keep government from changing that situation.

Sadly, too many people (such as yourself), are falling for the propaganda and are marching willingly into a world where the government has absolute power, with the citizens powerless to stop that government from doing absolutely anything it wants.

God save America (from people like you).

Dwight Stewart

4723. Re: Tandy now RadioShack (New logo ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3927D1F5.92CDF37E@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110706

John Douglas wrote:
>
> To go along with the new Logo, How about a new slogan
>
> "You have questions, we have blank stares"

Oh, come on, John. You obviously missed the meaning of that slogan ("You've got questions. We've got answers."). The products are the answers, not anything the employee might say. Why do you think that phrase is on their product catalog?

They're talking about these types of questions...

...Have you got something that can play music?
...Do you sell ham radio equipment?
...Do you have a microphone for my radio?
...Can you show me a color television?

...to which the employee would answer, "Yes, let me show you..."

They never said they could answer every technical question that came along. In fact, they never even said that their employees even knew everything about every product they carry (look at the diversity of their product line).

While I'm not a big fan of some Radio Shack products, I think attacks like yours are a little silly. You call Radio Shack to answer a question that YOU don't know the answer to, and then you make fun of their employees because THEY don't know the answer. If they're stupid for not knowing the answer, what does that make you when you also don't know the answer?

Dwight Stewart

4724. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <39286327.3131180@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 110707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 12 May 2000 13:43:59 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Well good for you Mark... I was just pointing out that your
>statement about the 2 year license is not as ancient as the one year
>non-renewable which I held in 1966, now that's ancient....

I never made a statement about Having such a license you llie
sack of shit so what the rest of it
>
>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On Tue, 09 May 2000 13:20:03 GMT, General Mark Morgan
>> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>>
>> >I guess my novice license was from a 'really' ancient era (1966),
>> >one year non-renewable.
>>
>> What are you trying to do make that I claim an anceint Novice
>> license and then "prove" I never held one. I Mark Morgan, KB9RQZ never
>> held a Novice license General Morgan
>> >
>> >"M. Schneider" wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Nah, it's long gone. All I remember is that it was expired when I got back.
>> >> The FCC office didn't give a S--T that I'd been in no position to do
>> >> anything about upgrading and the person on the phone made a snotty comment
>> >> about govt. killers not getting any special treatment. I suggested that
>> >> with an attitude like his he needed to be careful what he said to "govt
>> >> killers" and hung up. A couple of days later I got a visit from an FBI
>> >> agent concerning "threats" I'd made to a govt. employee. He was a much more
>> >> reasonable person, and after listening to my story, told me not to worry
>> >> about it, SHOOK MY HAND! and said thank you, and left. (If it sounds like
>> >> that meant alot to me, it did!) But I figured it would be a good idea if I
>> >> avoided the FCC for awhile. No matter, I'll get my upgrade now on my own
>> >> merits.
>> >> Mark
>> >>
>> >> > If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check the
>> >> > length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
>> >> > renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
>> >> >

4725. Re: Jewish/Communist Racial Program For America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392A0149.1AA86414@oio.net>
Source record: 110634

The unfortunate part of this is that there is a 'grain of
truth' in what was said. The conclusions people will reach
from reading this stuff will probably not be the 'right' ones.
I don't mean 'right' as in politically correct, I mean 'right'
as in morally right, and fair for everyone.
'Doc

4726. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <eFS8SWHx$GA.270@cpmsnbbsa06>
Source record: 110635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote
>ham radio will pack it in altogether

I doubt that the Internet (or the computer) will ever eliminate ham radio.
After all there are many other hobbies that also use old technologies and
are still very popular. But I think the ham growth rate of the past will be
hard to sustain, if it even can be sustained...

4727. Re: AF2Y gets technical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gb3od$ma0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110708

In article <8g1o4c$5fv$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I use a PowerPC Mac with an external Best Data 56K modem and have
been
> noticing too many connection failures which have been unrelated to my
ISP.
> And so I called MindSpring, talked to a tech who had me open Gearbox
and go
> to MANAGE active set.
> My modem settings were:
> 1. Generic 56K
> 2. Initialization string AT&F
> 3. Speed 57,600
> 4. Flow control CTS
> He had me change the INIT. STRING to AT&F+MS=V34 and he happened to
mention
> that BEST DATA uses a ROCKWELL chip.
>

> This turned out to be a complete failure since the MAC rejected that
> initialization string altogether and it was then changed to
AT&F+MS=11,0.
>

> This time I was able to log on but everything slowed down to a crawl.
In
> fact, the the STOCKQUOTE.COM home page didn't load which wasn't too
bad
> since NASDAQ was down 100 points anyway and why add insult to injury?
>

> Remembering what he said about a Rockwell chip being in a Best Data
modem I
> decided to experiment. I went back to my modem selection and just for
the
> hell of it opened the drop down window to show ROCKWELL and I entered
it as
> my choice. I then clicked on DEFAULT and for that Rockwell selection,
up
> came goofy settings such as a PORT SPEED of 115,200 kbps; an
initialization

> string of AT&FEO&DOW2&K3&Q5 and FLOW CONTROL of CTS &
> RTS
(DTR).____
> Now with all these hazerei schweinerei numbers which looked as if
they came
> out of a George Lucas silly space flick, I tried to get online again
and
> holy smokes.....DYNAMITE RESULTS. Faster than a
> speeding bullet. My MAC's speed, if compared to a PC, WAS about 100-
120 mHz
> but these bizarre settings seemed to have doubled it.
>

> What I'm driving at it this. A year ago I didn't know what a mouse was
> except for being a rodent like Tolassi. Obviously I have become a
genius and
> anyone out there who is baffled by computers and ham radio theory-take
> heart. Without a doubt you're not as smart as I; that's a given, but
> perserverence and determination with a litle bit of luck can pay off
> handsomely. And if you think you're gonna get rich investing in the
NASDAQ,
> you're nuts. I doubt if it'll reach it's high of 5,000 for five years
or
> more, if ever, due to the interest hike yesterday and the one to come
in
> late June. This hot economy will cool to ward off an inflationary
spiral and
> with it, the value of tech stocks will level off,
>

> Take your money out of NASDAQ and put it into a portfolio of solid
companies
> on the NYSE, AMEX and put some into the money market as well as tax
free
> municipal bonds. I did just that with my all of my $550 in savings.
Whoopee!
> AF2Y, Doc
>
You are a great guy, Doc.>

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Before you buy.

4728. Smith Chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sami Vaara <sami.vaara@nokia.com>
Message-ID: <3928E28F.64FAF378@nokia.com>
Source record: 110709

Where can I find Full Color Smith Chart in PDF-format?

4729. Standard C520 - Need manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Morten Andreassen <morten.andreassen@wmdata.no>
Message-ID: <8gauat$636$1@news.ost.eltele.no>
Source record: 110710

hello group!

I got my hands on a used Standard C520, but it did not come with the manual.
any ideas to where such things can be obtained/copied/downloaded?
I found some mods on the qrz.com site, but still would like to have the
manual.

73 to all
Morten, still in class for the license...

4730. Re: Smith Chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <G48W4.2606$oO1.11039@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110711

"Sami Vaara" <sami.vaara@nokia.com> wrote in message
news:3928E28F.64FAF378@nokia.com...
> Where can I find Full Color Smith Chart in PDF-format?
>

Go to:

http://www.google.com

Search 'smith chart'

73, Dave, K3BHJ.

4731. A ten+20dB on the ol' TROLL-O-METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <p88W4.2608$oO1.13060@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110712

"NO MONKEYS" <nomonkeys@aol.commotion> wrote in message
news:20000521192257.23196.00000547@ng-cj1.aol.com...
> The Jew Israel Cohen, a British Communist Party official, wrote
> in a booklet titled "A Racial Program For The Twentieth Century":
>
> (quote)
>
> "We must realize that our Party's most powerful weapon is racial tension.
By

A ten+20dB on the ol' TROLL-O-METER. (thanx, Hans)

Get past the fill-in-the-blank-baiting.

4732. Re: Dayton Bargains!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sii72gjlo1127@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110713

>>>Tom, if there were not people like you there would be no assholes around.
And yes,
I am one of those 60 year old sort of over weight (255 lbs. 6'2") people
there.
There were a lot of electric wheel chairs, and I thank my God every day I
don't
have to ride one of them. Why do YOU find it necessary to condemn people
with
disabilities?<<<

Is overeating now a disability?
--

_____
Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons
_____

<Pappy@sgi.net> wrote in message news:3926DE04.195727D0@sgi.net...
> Tom, if there were not people like you there would be no assholes around.
And yes,
> I am one of those 60 year old sort of over weight (255 lbs. 6'2") people
there.
> There were a lot of electric wheel chairs, and I thank my God every day I
don't
> have to ride one of them. Why do YOU find it necessary to condemn people
with
> disabilities? I have a pinched nerve in my left hip where the leg goes
numb after
> walking for about a half hour and back problems from defending OUR country
but that
> doesn't make me any different than anyone else. So just what if your
major
> problem aside from being an asshole?
>
> "T.L. Bryant" wrote:
>
> > Yep. Quite a few bargains at Dayton this year.

> >
> > By my guess, the average age of those in attendance was between sixty
and
> > death. More and more of which had to ride around in electric carts, and
take
> > the shuttle service when they're parked less than a 1/4 mile away,
because
> > they're too damn fat to walk.
> >
> > Although there were a few younger hams, they looked like total geeks
with the
> > number of radios they were carrying. The rubber-duck hard hats were
out-done by
> > the guy who had a complete mini-tower and beam mounted on his hard hat.
This
> > was as if to say, "I am king of the losers, and I'm proud of it."
> >
> > Then there was the guy that bought a piece of equipment, and began
dismantling
> > it, while his buddies congratulated him on his find. This would not have
been
> > so odd, but he was doing this in the men's restroom!
> >
> > There were a few women at Dayton this year too. One woman's ass was so
friggin'
> > big, that she had to turn sideways to fit into the porta-john at the
flea
> > market. (It would have been funny if she came out and started walking
around
> > with the porta-john stuck to her ass.)
> >
> > There were also the hagglers that would try to talk down venders even
more on
> > something that was already discounted. These types will think nothing of
> > spending $20.00 to stuff their oversized guts with junk food. Yet, they
think
> > spending $1.00 for a connector that can be bought for 50 cents is a
rip-off.
> >
> > Yes, there certainly were a lot of bargains at Dayton this year.
> >
> > Tom - N8ECW
>

4733. Re: Who is this old bastard on the Liberty Net?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Patrick <arp@inet4u.com>
Message-ID: <392920EF.4B33CF8C@inet4u.com>
Source record: 110714

OI0lO wrote:

> Some asshole wrote:
>
> >
> >Get him started talkin on
> >"racial purity" issues.
> >Jeeze, what a throwback!
> >
>
> You got it wrong, Hymie. He's a man before his time. Stay tuned.

We missed that. What time and freq? May want to listen in next time.
I'm sure whoever he was / is he appreciates all the free advertising
he's getting.

Thanks,

Al
--
"The Truth is Hate, to Those Who Hate the Truth"
Do what's right. You'll please OR AMAZE everyone!

4734. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3929419A.2234D1CB@ahole.com>
Source record: 110715

Hey Doc, didn't know they piled the shit that high in NJ.....

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> No one sees through me. I stand 6' tall and weigh 200 lbs.
>
> ----------
> In article <27da7900.18efafa5@usw-ex0104-033.remarq.com>, wufu
> <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid> wrote:
>
> > Doc,
> >
> > Your whole appearance on the Internet writing such garbage as you
> > do, is offensive. You certainly have the right to do so, but you
> > are abusing the privilege. Step back, take a look, I would think
> > you would come to your senses. The man made perfect sense to your
> > double standard and yet you want to yell "foul". Doc, most people
> > can see right through you. You are a blithering idiot with a
> > keyboard in front of you. Do some good.......go help some of
> > these people that have been attacked by hoodlums. It will set
> > your mind straight.
> >
> > * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> > The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
> >

4735. Re: High Voltage Probe Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ma_locksmith <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OraEjo#w$GA.325@cpmsnbbsa07>
Source record: 110716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

A high voltage probe is nothing more than a large value resistor that will withstand the high voltage. It is used to make a voltage divider based on the input resistance of the meter. If you use a 20 Mohm input meter, then the probe will work but read approximately twice what the value of voltage is. For a typical 100:1 divider, the meter input resistance is 10 Meg, the probe resistance is 990 Meg. This adds up to 1000 Meg to 10 Meg, or 100 to 1. The same probe in a 20 Meg meter ends up with 1010 Meg to 20 Meg or approximately 50 to 1.

The common input for multimeters is 20K ohms per volt. The only meters with higher input resistance are those that have internal amplifying electronics. If it's an analog meter, then it's probably 20 K. Look on the meter face, it is sometimes stated there.

Ed

<goldenbadger@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:3928ac05.358870784@nntp.mindspring.com...
> I have a couple questions, both related to high voltage probes -
>
> My second question is how can you determine (i.e. measure) the input
> impedance of a meter? I have a really old cheap one that might be
> 10Mohm if that is a common standard, but would like to confirm before
> I relied on it.
>
> Thanks,
> any help will be really appreciated

4736. Re: High Voltage Probe Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: glass2@glass2.lexington.ibm.com
Message-ID: <8gbi3u$go6$2@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 110717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In <OraEjo#w$GA.325@cpmsnbbsa07>, "ma_locksmith" <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com> writes:
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>withstand the high voltage. It is used to make a voltage divider based on
>the input resistance of the meter. If you use a 20 Mohm input meter, then
>the probe will work but read approximately twice what the value of voltage
>is. For a typical 100:1 divider, the meter input resistance is 10 Meg, the
>probe resistance is 990 Meg. This adds up to 1000 Meg to 10 Meg, or 100 to
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>
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>it is sometimes stated there.
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>Ed
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>> impedance of a meter? I have a really old cheap one that might be
>> 10Mohm if that is a common standard, but would like to confirm before
>> I relied on it.
>>
>> Thanks,
>> any help will be really appreciated

I feel I should comment here to inject a word of safety. While
technically correct that a high voltage probe is nothing more than a
large value resistor, there are some other design considerations
which must be considered. Firstly, the insulation on the probe must
be able to withstand the voltages being measured. It's no fun to
have a flashover occur while you're holding the probe on a 30KV
circuit. Don't forget, too, that probes may get dirty or wet, and
that this can significantly reduce their voltage handling capacity.

Nextly, the high value resistor must be able to take the voltage
applied to it. Not all resistors can withstand high voltages, and
they may flashover or breakdown. If this occurs, the minimum damage
you can expect is to fry the meter (Worst case might be frying
yourself!). The power handling capability of the resistor probably
won't be a problem, but it would be good engineering practice to

work the equations to make sure of this.

Another concern involves the switching of the meter. If you're using an older style meter with a mechanical switch, what happens when you operate the switch? Is the input disconnected from one contact before making with another contact? What will be the voltage on the switch when the contacts break? Will this cause the switch to arc over?

Finally, if you're going to be measuring AC voltages with the probe, you'll have to consider the aspect of any capacitance associated with the meter, leads, or probes. 1000M of resistance can result in a significant RC circuit.

So, before attempting to construct your own high voltage probe, please spend a few minutes considering the failure modes possible and the consequences.

Dave

P.S. Standard Disclaimer: I work for them, but I don't speak for them.

4737. Re: Dentron MLA-2500B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serial # 19781010 <KYGEL@world.net>
Message-ID: <9vniis8o41l193h7usokopsc4ditubkh3s@4ax.com>
Source record: 110718

On Fri, 19 May 2000 19:53:12 -0400, "Judass" <skywise@forfree.at>
wrote:

>I need the Manual for the Dentron MLA-2500B amp. Can any one tell me the
>difference between the MAL-2500 and the MAL-2500B?
>KB4QHI

Just a guess The B!
>

4738. Re: Jewish/Communist Racial Program For America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gbonr$j3c$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110719

This NOMONKEYS guy on AOL is a first rate nebbish and is as becockt as becockt can be. A schmendrick, a guy who leaves wind in the bathtub and bites at the bubbles. A putz and a schmuck and a shonda to the goyim. I wish on him and his, twice what he wishes on us and he should geh cockin afinyam!

In article <20000521192257.23196.00000547@ng-cj1.aol.com>, nomonkeys@aol.commotion (NO MONKEYS) wrote:

> The Jew Israel Cohen, a British Communist Party official, wrote
> in a booklet titled "A Racial Program For The Twentieth Century":
>
> (quote)
>
> "We must realize that our Party's most powerful weapon is racial tension. By
> pounding into the consciousness of the dark races that for centuries they have
> been oppressed by the Whites, we can mold them into the program of the
> Communist Party. The term colonialism and imperialism must be featured in our
> propoganda. In America, we will aim for a subtle victory. While inflaming the
> Negro minority against the Whites we will endeavor to instill in the Whites a
> guilt complex for their exploitation of the Negroes."
>
> "We will aid the Negroes to rise to prominence in every walk of life, in the
> professions and in the world of sports and entertainment. With this prestige,
> the Negroes will be able to intermarry with the Whites and begin a process
> which will deliver America to our cause."
>
> (end quote)
>
> Is this not EXACTLY what we have witnessed taking place in the United States?
> White America, PLEASE wake up and see the noose that is being placed around
> your neck before it's too late!

4739. FS Kenwood TS520& At230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: crider2 <crider2@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <a5eW4.2785$oO1.14748@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

FS Kenwood TS520 HF Tranceiver and AT230 Antenna Tuner $370
crider2@netusa1.net

4740. Blowhard Windy-Windy blowhard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gbr51kdn1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110721

I must say that this blowhard Windy or Windy blowhard tries hard to come across as a respectable writer but from what I see, he lacks verve, subtlety, humor and succinctness, so who can really take him seriously? Take for example the snippet of his in this posting. The first part beginning "Shucks,Doc" can be summed up by "Your postings are no more than the rehasing of old news/facts." It's that simple. What's with the 100 words he uses saying what I did in twelve?

If you read his drivel, all you'll see is an effort to impress by using fifty cent words when dimes will do. It's as if he wants to cover up his own inadequate and confused thought processes by confusing ours. Windy, I'm a meat and potatoes guy(notice how I spelled it compared to the great Dan Quayle) therefore I strive to impart basics without attempting to befuddle the reader, without trying to do a fancy "old soft shoe" routine and wave a magna cum laude diploma in their faces.

You fool nobody. All you are is an Al Bundy shoe salesman with probabaly a Peg bitch clawing at your shorts. And all because of my support for stricter gun laws? Damn, you are one ignorant clown, aren't you. Take for instance the news of yesterday. I think it was about two teens from Montclair, New Jersey, just 6 miles northwest of me, who got caught buying weapons over the Internet. Twenty one weapons I believe; I'll have to now read a newspaper online to get all the facts.

Do you realize what mayhem those bums could have wrought had it not been for super diligent surveillance and action by the feds? The Internet police? But no-if we had it your way along with the jerks who support you, guns on the Internet would be as readily available as innocuous collectibles on auction sites. What care you, dodo? It's HANDS OFF because guns are sacred? Oh yes, it's our sacred God given right to have as many as we want regardless of evil intentions or emotional problems that would prevent a buyer from going to a movie theater unaccompanied let alone possessing a weapon.

Jesus, Moses and all the other boys, you have to be one brainless dolt, Windbag. Can you imagine what this country would be like if we had more of you than more of me? More irresponsible crazy cowboys waving the Constitution instead of a level headed, clear thinking responsible citizens who cares both about the welfare of his fellow man and country?

To be quite frank, Windy, I've had enough of your idiocy on rec.radio and request you leave to spend more time in writing obscene sayings on mens' room walls. This is a forum for the elite, not the shleps and all you do is bring us all down to your level. Whether you like it or not, stricter gun laws will become a permanent part of this nation coupled with stricter Internet surveillance which I and millions more welcome and if you don't, then pack up and get out. It's a big world beyond the shores of the U.S.A.

AF2Y, Doc

In article <8VUV4.1814$oO1.9676@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
<davidw@copper.net> wrote:

>
> Shucks, Doc, for a brainless individual, you have made a generous
> contribution of your prose to this reflector and its archive. As for the
> putative originality of your deathless prose, it's easier for you to claim
> it, than to be acclaimed for it. Since, in your own mind, you probably
> have no equals, we can't even have a peer review, to establish the worth of
> your claim to originality. Your archive belies the claim anyway; it's
> replete with the same old threadbare threads. Badadada. Badada. Or do
> you prefer the more familiar Yadayadayada? The titanic struggle of
> originality v. banality.
>
> Re-install your brain, Doc. I miss the old Doc. He would have answered
> that old softball cogently and succinctly, even tersely:
>
> What benefits do licensing and registration of firearms have?
>
> In case your brain surgery results lag, I'll give you one answer: increased
> fee income to the government. Liberals of all stripes should appreciate
> that.
>
> Got plenty of other softballs for you, as well. Hope the surgery doesn't
> lapse into a lobotomy, but in case the scalpel slips, Doc, you can skip the
> surgical team and sue the instruments as the proximate cause. It's the
> liberal-trial-lawyer way.
>
> As you were.
>
> Windy
>
> PS: I like your quick-witted adoption of the "Windy" sobriquet, even if you
> didn't originate it.

4741. Re: Who is this old bastard on the Liberty Net?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Dayton Hamfest Codger <bluekul@dimbulb.com>
Message-ID: <79gW4.16449$S31.421380@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110722

Al Patrick <arp@inet4u.com> wrote in message

> We missed that. What time and freq? May want to listen in next time.

3950 Sat nites 9:00PM Central time.
3850-3860 (varies) any nite after 11
Central.

4742. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <39298AB4.70A1@rpi.edu>
Source record: 110723

TooManyRadios wrote:
>
> In article <JqkV4.20934$Ft1.903727@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, "Burt"
> <k1oik@yahoo.com> writes:
>
> >"Michael Borowiec" <mikebo@Mars.mcs.net> wrote in message
> >news:8g4dka$10jo$1@Mars.mcs.net...
> >> The implications are that ham radio is dead, and you'd have to be an
> >> old fart to enjoy something as archaic as HF radio. What a bummer of
> >> a message to send to younger viewers.
> >
> >
> >The truth is sometimes hard to swallow.
>
> Say what you will about Burt, but he's dead-on with this assessment. The
> reason all these old hams are whining is because the movie portrays amateur
> radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the PAST. An accurate portrayal
> indeed, since it's certainly headed in this direction.

I haven't seen the flick, but it seems like the bitter attitudes
displayed here in this discussion are part of the problem with HF
radio. Do you think that amplifying its faults and minimizing its
benefits is a good way to increase interest? Why not try to be a little
positive now and then?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4743. Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gc52g019i7@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers to ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.

The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that they're doing something "better" than someone else. It's not limited to one individual group. It's a disease that infects Christian fundamentalists, as well as teenagers who think they're "alternative". (You know the type. They walk into a CD store, sporting spiked, purple hair and facial piercings, and complain because the store doesn't have the entire discography of some obscure band from San Francisco who call themselves Blood Monster Mushrooms.)

This elitism makes the group irrational. The dangers of the elitist mindset are very real. First, it more than likely creates hypocrites out of the people involved. Second, it annihilates the appeal of the group's philosophy, as no one likes to be talked down to. Third, it turns the group into general assholes, making them snobby, confrontatinal, and unlikeable.

I've seen this attitude time and again in ham radio. It's seen in club meetings, at hamfests, on the air, and most prevalently on the internet. My idea of ham radio would be a wide range of individuals discussing many different topics, and engaging in a meaningful and intelligent exchange of information. (That certainly doesn't happen on the typical DX contact) However, that's asking for a Utopia that just isn't going to happen. Some will even say that this is against the fundamental purpose of the service as outlined in Part 97.1. These people can't even see past a rulebook to see that amateur radio has become stagnant.
But, no. The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who have nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health problems, and the weather.

Based on these facts, you can see that the new license structure isn't going to save ham radio. A lower code test requirement isn't going to save ham radio. Only a change of attitude will save ham radio. Until a redefining of the basis and purpose happens, and until the poisonous elitism is purged, the appeal of the internet for the free and open exchange of ideas will continue to grow, and interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.

Tom - N8ECW

4744. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gcc12lkf1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I had the FBI here a few years ago to ask me questions about WB9BCC's claim
of having been awarded the Medal of Honor. They should have thrown that
s.o.b. in jail for doing it. The agent visiting me was a gentleman and I
felt no intimidation whatsoever-just a cold shivering effect along my yellow
spine.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <39286327.3131180@nntp.one-eleven.net>, konstans@oneleven.net
(Mark Morgan) wrote:

>
>>> >> Nah, it's long gone. All I remember is that it was expired when I got
back.
>>> >> The FCC office didn't give a S--T that I'd been in no position to do
>>> >> anything about upgrading and the person on the phone made a snotty
comment
>>> >> about govt. killers not getting any special treatment. I suggested that
>>> >> with an attitude like his he needed to be careful what he said to "govt
>>> >> killers" and hung up. A couple of days later I got a visit from an FBI
>>> >> agent concerning "threats" I'd made to a govt. employee. He was a much
more
>>> >> reasonable person, and after listening to my story, told me not to worry
>>> >> about it, SHOOK MY HAND! and said thank you, and left. (If it sounds
like
>>> >> that meant alot to me, it did!) But I figured it would be a good idea if
I
>>> >> avoided the FCC for awhile. No matter, I'll get my upgrade now on my own
>>> >> merits.
>>> >> Mark
>>> >>

4745. Re: High Voltage Probe Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <3ECEA3B452A997AD.42A8FF1620286B9A.9544157891C4A4CD@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrewI'm,ll

Wow....EXTRA Class test question!

How many ohms do we put in parallel with the 20M ohm meter so it acts
like 10M ohms to calibrate the high voltage probe?

(Hint: Two 20M ohm resistors in PARALLEL equals 10M ohms.)

Larry - W4CSC - Slow Code Extra - 20 years in Metrology Lab,
though....(c;

On Mon, 22 May 2000 03:46:58 GMT, goldenbadger@mindspring.com wrote:

>I have a couple questions, both related to high voltage probes -
>
>I'm looking for a HV probe, and when I look at the new ones and on
>ebay, I find that most say they work with a multimeter with a 10Mohm
>input impedance. My meter has a 20Mohm input impedance.
>
>My first question is does this really matter much, and if so how can I
>get a probe for it? Ideas?
>
>It's been over 20 years since I've had to worry about such things and
>I got the 20Mohm impedance one because higher was better, but if it
>keeps me from getting a HV probe for it them I'm not so sure.
>
>My second question is how can you determine (i.e. measure) the input
>impedance of a meter? I have a really old cheap one that might be
>10Mohm if that is a common standard, but would like to confirm before
>I relied on it.
>
>Thanks,
>any help will be really appreciated

4746. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <ule80YEx$GA.186@cpmsnbbsa09>
Source record: 110727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant wrote
>"Why are there no *young* newcomers to
>ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.

I don't think so. If that were the case, they would be dropping out *after* getting the license and going on the air (to be allegedly snubbed). The real reason is that there are many more technical activities these days for teenagers that don't require any code or license. If there was an Internet and computers in 1957 when I was a teenager, I likely wouldn't be a ham today...

>The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who have
>nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
>problems, and the weather.

The elite person you complain about might think he was better than these old hams. He might write a post complaining about their physical looks, their race, and their on the air content...

4747. Re: Smith Chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <CEED1C69FA42E8A2.806FBE410267CB07.E0E91308D85F0012@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110728

On Mon, 22 May 2000 07:35:38 GMT, Sami Vaara <sami.vaara@nokia.com>
wrote:

>Where can I find Full Color Smith Chart in PDF-format?
>
Seek and ye shall find!

I did a search on +"smith chart" +PDF on www.altavista.com and
in .08ms I came up with 125. The best one seems to be on:

http://www.fars.k6ya.org/docs/smithchart.html

In PDF format, as you requested.

Everything is on the net. You just need a multiprocessor Digital
mainframe with 64G of RAM to find it....(c;

73, Larry W4CSC
click the link on the page for the pdf.

4748. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <A4224944598AC610.5164A47570D4DB0D.99CDBE346E1C0FB5@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Is this like the Clintons in the White House??

Larry.....hee hee....

On 22 May 2000 20:24:48 GMT, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L. Bryant) wrote:

>The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers to
>ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>
>The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that they're
>doing something "better" than someone else. It's not limited to one individual
>group. It's a disease that infects Christian fundamentalists, as well as
>teenagers who think they're "alternative". (You know the type. They walk into a
>CD store, sporting spiked, purple hair and facial piercings, and complain
>because the store doesn't have the entire discography of some obscure band from
>San Francisco who call themselves Blood Monster Mushrooms.)
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>very real. First, it more than likely creates hypocrites out of the people
>involved. Second, it annihilates the appeal of the group's philosophy, as no
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>assholes, making them snobby, confrontatinal, and unlikeable.
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>different topics, and engaging in a meaningful and intelligent exchange of
>information. (That certainly doesn't happen on the typical DX contact) However,
>that's asking for a Utopia that just isn't going to happen. Some will even say
>that this is against the fundamental purpose of the service as outlined in Part
>97.1. These people can't even see past a rulebook to see that amateur radio has
>become stagnant.
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>nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
>problems, and the weather.
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>interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead
>languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.

>
>Tom - N8ECW
>

4749. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gcie8hqq1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I like your post however aren't you equating elitism with that of a basic
superiority complex? If so I don't see it as the force driving youngsters
away from ham radio.
Think of it this way. If there were no Internet, what would be happening to
the personal communications industry? GROWTH on both CB and ham radio. In
other words I can try to rationalize the stagnation in ham radio by using
quite a lot of excuses but there is but one that's significant and just one
that will ultimately render this hobby spent. We're on it right now.
Who said, "There's nothing more powerful than an idea whose time has come?"
It's tough to admit but it looks as if computers are supplanting
transceivers; its time has come and it's just the beginning. Moreover once
it becomes more and more enticing to use voice communications online, then
ham radio will pack it in altogether and the FCC will be able to sell our
bands to the commercial interests they've had lined up for quite a while.
Is there a good point to all this? Most certainly. Whether one uses his
computer for just surfing the web or for that, plus reading of and posting
to newsgroups or just sending e-mail, IT BUILDS READING AND WRITING SKILLS
which is far more important to the overall health of this nation than is
yelling CQ into a mic.
Ham radio CAN BE a learning tool. A computer MUST BE. It's analogous to the
benefit of buying instead of renting a home. Renting provides receipts but
buying builds equity thanks to FORCED SAVINGS. A computer MUST make a person
more literate while ham radio might but it's highly unlikely when one takes
the BARF and Stump Jumpers into consideration. Duh.
AF2Y

In article <8gc52g019i7@enews1.newsguy.com>, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L.
Bryant) wrote:

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> languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.
>
> Tom - N8ECW
>

4750. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <>
Message-ID: <vgjjis03t19oa4v6d9sttij3mvg101b48h@4ax.com>
Source record: 110731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 22 May 2000 20:24:48 GMT, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L. Bryant) wrote:

Johnny come lately I think. Get a life T.L.

4751. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unclaimed Mysteries <k4doh@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gclob$u6d$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> took another step toward USENET history by writing in part:

> The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers to
> ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>
> The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that they're
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> group. It's a disease that infects Christian fundamentalists, as well as
> teenagers who think they're "alternative". (You know the type. They walk into a
> CD store, sporting spiked, purple hair and facial piercings, and complain
> because the store doesn't have the entire discography of some obscure band from
> San Francisco who call themselves Blood Monster Mushrooms.)

D00d, BMM sucked out loud after their first album, making your argument impotent.

> This elitism makes the group irrational. The dangers of the elitist mindset are
> very real. First, it more than likely creates hypocrites out of the people
> involved.

"I don't practice what I preach because I'm not the kind of person I'm preaching to." - J. R. "Bob" Dobbs

> Second, it annihilates the appeal of the group's philosophy, as no
> one likes to be talked down to. Third, it turns the group into general
> assholes, making them snobby, confrontatinal, and unlikeable.

Not true!

> I've seen this attitude time and again in ham radio. It's seen in club
> meetings, at hamfests, on the air, and most prevalently on the internet.

SHUT UP NAZI! Oops, sorry, reflex action.

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> idea of ham radio would be a wide range of individuals discussing many
> different topics, and engaging in a meaningful and intelligent exchange of
> information. (That certainly doesn't happen on the typical DX contact)
However,

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> that this is against the fundamental purpose of the service as outlined in
Part
> 97.1. These people can't even see past a rulebook to see that amateur
radio has
> become stagnant.

97.1 does not prohibit these discussions. But talk about something the least bit controversial, and the jammers will pile on. It's not just ham radio. Intolerance of other views is on the upswing everywhere. I dare say that if cancelling others' usenet posts was easier, most messages would never appear. It's an attitude of "you're not just wrong, but evil." After a while, fatigue sets in and people don't care. Hayul, the 3945 bunch gets jammed when they mostly talk about RADIO!

> But, no. The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who
have
> nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
> problems, and the weather.
>

Old. Obese. White. Male. Hey, where's the love?

>
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going to
> save ham radio. A lower code test requirement isn't going to save ham
radio.
> Only a change of attitude will save ham radio.

Donating an FT-1000 to Unclaimed Mysteries is good first step, IMHO.

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> and purpose happens, and until the poisonous elitism is purged, the appeal
of
> the internet for the free and open exchange of ideas will continue to
grow, and
> interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead
> languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.

There is no need for a 100% overlap between the net and amateur radio. I'm frustrated with the stagnation too. But sometimes you just gotta make your own fun. Heard 14.070 lately?

--
It came from C. L. Smith's Unclaimed Mysteries.
http://www.unclaimedmysteries.net/
Public school all the way, bay-bee. So much for "socialization."

4752. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <3929FD53.E9BB18C8@oio.net>
Source record: 110733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom,
I think your original premis is incorrect. Ham radio
has never attracted a large percentage of the general
population. Percentage wise, the figures I've seen are
about the same as they were 10, 20, and 40 years ago. I
don't think it's time to panic yet.
'Doc

4753. Re: help: fcc database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <392AE954.F39A9852@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110584

Got to this one and either search by callsign or get a list of the prior
days work.

http://www.wm7d.net/fcc_uls/ulsquery.html

Davev wrote:
>
> Is there a 'url' at the FCC that I can check dailey to see the upgrades in
> ham tix that they went thru ?
> If so where ?
> tnx de dave-n2rhl/ag

4754. Re: Jewish/Communist Racial Program For America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gesn9alh1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110585

Oddly enough, after extensively researching this post via three separate search engines, I could find no reference at all to any Israel Cohen being a British Communist Party Official but did find the names James Tierney, Evan McDougal, Douglas Royal, Louis Brecehemont and Foster Alford. Neither can be said to have Jewish names. Hmmm....commie Goyim with NOMONKEYS using the Jewish scapegoat trick again. Hell it's as old as Moses.
AF2Y

In article <20000521192257.23196.00000547@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
nomonkeys@aol.commotion (NO MONKEYS) wrote:

> The Jew Israel Cohen, a British Communist Party official, wrote
> in a booklet titled "A Racial Program For The Twentieth Century":
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> (quote)
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> "We must realize that our Party's most powerful weapon is racial tension. By
> pounding into the consciousness of the dark races that for centuries they have
> been oppressed by the Whites, we can mold them into the program of the
> Communist Party. The term colonialism and imperialism must be featured in our
> propoganda. In America, we will aim for a subtle victory. While inflaming the
> Negro minority against the Whites we will endeavor to instill in the Whites a
> guilt complex for their exploitation of the Negroes."
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> "We will aid the Negroes to rise to prominence in every walk of life, in the
> professions and in the world of sports and entertainment. With this prestige,
> the Negroes will be able to intermarry with the Whites and begin a process
> which will deliver America to our cause."
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> (end quote)
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> Is this not EXACTLY what we have witnessed taking place in the United States?
> White America, PLEASE wake up and see the noose that is being placed around
> your neck before it's too late!

4755. stock market blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ges6p$u2n$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110586

Gentlemen:
This is very bad news again as of 4:20 this afternoon. NASDAQ is where the high tech stocks are and as you see it's down by $191.45 and its standing at 3172.76 is LOWER than the low hit in mid April when the bottom nearly dropped out. Take a look at two of the biggest high tech stocks, Oracle and Cisco Systems down 5.31 and 4.69 respectively and EBAY, the king of website businesses is down TWENTY DOLLARS & SIXTEEN CENTS A SHARE. See what happens when the economy overheats and the Fed has to raise interest rates? And guess what-we ain't seen nuthin' because at the end of June it's going up another 1/2 point. As a one time major investor in both the NYSE, AMEX and especially in NASDAQ, I advise those who need money over the SHORT TERM to get out before you lose your shirts. If you're nearing retirement and are in it for the long run, stick it out but it's going to take quite a while for a rebound. Despite the protestations by my broker, I cleared out in mid April just when the drop had eaten up all my paper profits and threatened the principal. He said I was making a bad mistake by selling LOW. I told him to go to hell because it was my money and his job was to manage it, not own it, and to SELL EVERYTHING RIGHT THEN AND THERE. I then reinvested in the money market and tax free municipal bonds and I'm glad I did because I'm now earning more than the honchos still in the market. In case anyone's interested as to why the Fed raised the interest rate, it's to prevent inflation because if you'll think back to the days of the Georgia peanut farmer between 1976-1980, wow did we suffer from it PLUS a borrowing rate of 24%. If you weren't aware of it, I'm the one who tells financial analyst Stuart Varney what to say on CNN. For any financial questions, feel free to write. You'll never do better than to write me that letter. Incidentally, Youngblood is losing his SHIRT over what's happening. He complains to Queenie and that's why the McKeesport clown doesn't go "hehhhhhhh.......hehhhhhhh.....heh...heh.....heh.....any more.
AF2Y

As of: May 23 - 16:20Market
Momentum -1.33% Advances 2078 Declines 3576 Unchanged 291
Dow 30 10421.92 -120.63 -1.14%
S&P 500 1375.00 -25.72 -1.84%
Nasdaq Comp 3172.76 -191.45 -5.69%
Russell 2000 460.09 -11.58 -2.46%
S&P MidCap 456.04 -7.10 -1.53%30-Year T-Bond USM0 6.548% +0.003%
10-Year T-Note TYM0 6.583% +0.015%
5-Year T-Note FVM0 6.694% +0.027%
2-Year T-Note TUM0 6.848% +0.030%
30-Day Libor EMM0 6.740% +0.010%

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Volume Leaders

Symbol Name Exch Last Volume Change Percent
CSCO CISCO SYSTEMS NASD 50.56 65,916,797 -4.69 -8.48%
QQQ NASDAQ 100 TRUST AMEX 75.78 30,117,498 -5.85 -7.16%
ORCL ORACLE CORP NASD 62.50 28,963,301 -5.31 -7.83%
MSFT MICROSOFT CP NASD 63.19 28,555,500 -1.00 -1.56%
INTC INTEL CORP NASD 109.88 24,838,100 -8.50 -7.18%

Biggest Advances by Dollar

Symbol Name Exch Last Volume Change Percent
FRX FOREST LABS NYSE 88.44 1,058,000 +6.00 +7.27%
PGR PROGRESS CORP OH NYSE 93.56 1,035,000 +5.43 +6.16%
AGN ALLERGAN INC NYSE 67.63 1,206,600 +4.94 +7.87%
CHRB CHINA RSC DEV NASD 17.75 310,400 +4.87 +37.81%
AUDC AUDIOCODES LTD NASD 58.25 188,300 +4.56 +8.49%

Biggest Declines by Dollar

Symbol Name Exch Last Volume Change Percent
SDLI SDL INC NASD 169.88 6,126,300 -22.13 -11.52%
PMCS PMC-SIERRA INC NASD 133.44 10,311,101 -22.06 -14.19%
EBAY EBAY INC NASD 116.03 5,103,400 -20.16 -14.80%
RMBS RAMBUS INC NASD 150.94 4,294,000 -19.94 -11.67%

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4756. Re: cherche shema metrix MX453, 453b ou autre

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gescj$p64$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110587

Vous e'letait no homme qui lesurf du liberte e autre. Non plus v'sheme tu et
qualcomm ne pas?
AF2Y

In article <392c8481.1793698@news.libertysurf.fr>,
pascal.gayot@libertysurf.fr (art13) wrote:

> cherche shema metrix MX453, 453b ou autre
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> pour en rï¿½parer deux
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> :-)))
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> pascal&gayot@libertysurf.fr
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> x-x
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> pour_repondre changer "&" pour "."
> to reply swap "&" for "."
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> solum ï¿½ mio
>
> Nicolas Machiavel

4757. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdawson <jdawson@netcene.com>
Message-ID: <ssCW4.16805$5L6.218495@newscene.newscene.com>
Source record: 110588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

As both a seller and a buyer, I was pleased with the flea market. Our tables had good prices and we sold out, and we had A LOT OF ITEMS, Friday afternoon. We filled the van for the return trip with bargains.

Jim - K9DD

"Eagle One" <zbr@edmail.com> wrote in message news:K_wW4.1389$bc4.86843@news1.primary.net...
> Without a doubt the flea market at Dayton was HORRIBLE! I go to around 40
> hamfest a year... none this lousy. Prices were insane!! $695.00 Yaesu
> FT-757GX radios, $850.00 Icom IC-706 MKII radios, WHAT A LOUSY SHOW!!
> J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
> >Each year I attend Dayton and other ham radio fleamarkets, I am always
> >amazed at the prices people want for used equipment. Old rusted receivers
> >for $200 that even a collector would reject. Beat up late model equipment
> >for $100 under what it could be bought for new. In fact, I saw one beat up
> >used radio selling for $12 MORE than the price it could be bought new from
> >one of the dealers at Dayton. One guy I talked to wanted $100 for a packet
> >only TNC that was about 9 years old. He opened it, blew out all the dirt
> >and dust and said it worked well. I offered him $30 and he was upset.
> For
> >$100 I can buy something new with a warranty. Why would someone want to
> pay
> >a few buck under that for something dirty and old and really unknown as to
> >how well it works. Asking prices are just too high to even try to haggle.
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> >One flea vendor was packing up his stuff on Saturday at 2:00 saying sales
> >were terrible. No wonder given the prices being asked. Folks if you are
> >going to sell in the fleamarkets, set a reasonable fleamarket price. It's
> >no wonder no one is buying and you have to cart the stuff to fleamarkets
> >over and over again.
> >
> >Just MHO.
> >
> >Regards,
> >

> >Duffy
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> >____
> >Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
> >
> >NRA Life Member
> >"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
> >guns, are we still a free people?"
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> >Please find out about rec.guns at:
> >http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
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> >Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
> >to get the Clintons
> >____
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4758. Re: LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <05a5f7c0.e4a11328@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>
Source record: 110589

Bill, I think the short days represent Sundays. I too upgraded so have been watching QRZ and other sources to see when my upgrade gets published. Noticed that on Tuesdays, they post for Sunday and it is always a very, very short list. For what it's worth, I upgraded on the 15th (almost 6 weeks now) and have heard nada. Through another source I know the ARRL received my info on the 24th so I fear I have another couple of weeks to wait. Oh well, I'll stay put in my Advanced portion of the band or just yell temp AE and catch the wrath of the unhappy few out there.

73 de Kenn W5KAP

PS Hope your license (or upgrade) shows up soon!!

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

4759. I need help with temporary antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9yln@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523175519.12363.00000766@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110590

Hello!
I need a temporary antenna to set up when I go visit family. I was thinking of an Outbacker antenna and using it on their tripod. But I don't like the idea of having to run outside all the time in all types of weather just to change the tap and stinger every time I decide to change bands.I was also thinking of a random wire and antenna tuner but there is really no place to string one up at. Is there any other kind of antenna which would fit my needs?
Please email me with any suggestions and/or URLs for any other brand of antenna that might work. My email add. is: N9YLN@aol.com
Thanks in advance for your help in this matter!
73
Renee N9YLN

4760. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <392b0298.41828965@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 110591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

4761. Re: Second or First ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gf0k8$8nn$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110592

beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>> unorganized militia

>> Too bad the militia only includes males between the ages of 17 and 44
>> as per the US Code. I know he feels bad about being kicked out of
>> the militia due to old age, but pilots have to retire in their prime,
>> too.

> Age requirements for state militias vary from state to state. Some
>require only that you be "able bodied". At least one caps the age at
>50.

The US has two catagories of militia. The Second Amendment refers to the
"Unorganized Militia", and the US Code limits membership to age 44.

You're thinking of the "Organized Militia" which the US Code defines
as the National Guard. See USC Title 10, Chapter 13, Section 311.

Jeff

4762. Shack building tips for new house?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett - N7OLQ <brett.miller_nospam_@intel.com>
Message-ID: <8gevnn$rp7@news.or.intel.com>
Source record: 110593

I hope someone reads this, the noise floor in the newsgroup is quite high...

I'm planning to build a house and would like to plan for radios, antennas, etc. Is there a good reference for this, or do some of you have some advice to pass along?

Some of my questions:
1. what is the best way to feed coax into the house and still protect from weather, insects etc. My guess would be about 8 cables with the option for more.

2. Any special things to do to the roof to make antenna mountin easier, more secure?

3. Special power considerations for wall wiring?

4. How to pass grounding straps into the house?

Thanks

Brett - N7OLQ

4763. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gf2aaagl1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110594
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Eagle One <zbr@edmail.com> wrote:
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Did you make any counter-offers with cash in hand? Bargaining is part
of the fun.
Jeff

4764. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gf2rq$b4m$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <392A9243.EE14DE2@ahole.com>,
General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>And the FCC started the "elitism' by issuing calls specific to the
>class of privileges.

Would you believe they're now issuing three-character calls to
those who've been licensed for 25 years and have been nice, law-
abiding amateurs?

73, Jeff KH6

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4765. Re: Jewish/Communist Racial Program For America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gf3mleca1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110596

Nikita said, "We will bury you" and we buried them.
AF2Y

In article <8gep73kj1@nnrp1.deja.com>, beachmaster
<beachmaster@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <8gbonr$j3c$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> This NOMONKEYS guy on AOL is a first rate nebbish and is as becockt
> as
>> becockt can be. A schmendrick, a guy who leaves wind in the bathtub
> and
>> bites at the bubbles. A putz and a schmuck and a shonda to the goyim.
> I wish
>> on him and his, twice what he wishes on us and he should geh cockin
> afinyam!
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>> In article <20000521192257.23196.00000547@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
>> nomonkeys@aol.commotion (NO MONKEYS) wrote:
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>> > (end quote)
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> What's left of the Communist Party had better get cracking. The
> twentieth century is almost over, and we haven't been delivered to
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> United States?
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> placed around
>> > your neck before it's too late!
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4766. Re: Shack building tips for new house?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392B1707.72B9D902@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110597

Brett - N7OLQ wrote:
>
> I hope someone reads this, the noise floor in the newsgroup is quite high...
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> I'm planning to build a house and would like to plan for radios, antennas,
> etc. Is there a good reference for this, or do some of you have some advice
> to pass along?

The ARRL Handbook makes good reference to construction of a
shack. So does the Radio Handbook, by Orr. Earlier additions are
often better for this, when wiring a shack was more than plugging in
a Tempo One and running a wire out the attic.

>
> Some of my questions:
> 1. what is the best way to feed coax into the house and still protect from
> weather, insects etc. My guess would be about 8 cables with the option for
> more.
>
I ran a conduit from the radio room to the attic as one house was
being built, and as my current house was being remodelled. A 2"
conduit will accept a lot of RG/8. My current radio room has three
such conduits running within the walls of the room, from below the
beltline to the attic, where they are distributed at right angles to
the outside of the house through the gables. One carries RF, one
carries control voltage to the antenna, one is in reserve for future
growth, or changes. There is a fourth smaller conduit that carries
receiver audio to a distribution block downstairs so audio can be
sent to the studio for distribution throughout the house (do
commercial, and music recording,) and to the garage, so I can
monitor frequencies for activity while out of the radio room.

The contractors supervising the remodelling of the house wondered
about all the extra conduits, but had no problem executing my
request. If you do it during construction, you'll be assured that
the work meets local codes. And the cost will be nominal.

Running the conduits to the outside at right angles to the side
of the house, keeps weather out of the conduit if you cap it. If you
rotate the path another 90 degrees so the output is inverted you
keep the conduit dry against seepage, and a cap, sealed with
silicone around each exiting wire, will keep both humidity and
insects out of the pipe.

> 2. Any special things to do to the roof to make antenna mountin easier, more
> secure?

I didn't bolt anything to the roof, opting instead for a guyed tower, mounted on a cement pad, secured to the side of the house.

>
> 3. Special power considerations for wall wiring?

That's a good question. And it depends on local codes, and your intended applications. I use individual circuits throughout the radio room, each a minimum of 20 amp service, each socket on it's own breaker. Ultimately the radio room got it's own breaker box, with 100 amp service to the radio room alone. I did the same thing with the garage, too. But then I built my race car in there. Let your contractor know what you intend to do, and specify your needs early.
>
> 4. How to pass grounding straps into the house?

I ran mine through a gap between the clapboard cedar siding and the concrete foundation. I have several ground stakes along the back of the house, so I can tap the one that's closest to the place where I need one. The ground strap is 4" wide and sheathed to resist corrosion. The ground stakes are connected to 50' radials, (100' where room permits) every 10 degrees.

Very quiet. VERY quiet.
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> Thanks
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> Brett - N7OLQ

4767. Re: Shack building tips for new house?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392B1426.FBE5D1EC@oio.net>
Source record: 110598

Brett,
Now thats the way to do it! Planning ahead is usually a lot easier than 'doing' later. One suggestion is to take a look at your present shack and think of what you don't want to have to do again.
Your questions, not in order;
Grounds - If you know where in your house the shack will be, drive ground rods and lines before they pour the slab. Use heavy insulated cable (double whatever size you think is big enough). This is also a good time to run a large diameter PVC pipe for the coax runs. A good idea is to run a 'draw' rope/string before putting the pipe in. Cap the ends till your ready to move in. Radials might be a good idea too. Be sure to bury them, concrete and electricity do not mix.

Power (a/c) - The contractor will scream and yell, but run at least two circuits besides the normal outlet circuits. They will be only for radio stuff. Also a 240V line too. If the contractor hasen't had a fit yet, a small breaker panel would be nice. When they 'dry-in' the walls, have them leave a section between studs open. You can put the breaker box, any RF filters for the a/c circuits, etc here, then make a cover later. As long as we're dreaming, why not do a 'Farrady-cage' while your at it! Talk about RFI shielding! Mercy...

Roof/Antennas - Depends on how you plan to mount antennas on the roof. Going to use a tripod? You'll need extra bracing between rafters. How about a weather-head for coax or rotor cables? Radials under the roof?

General Stuff - As long as I'm spending 'your' money, I can think of lots of 'goodies', but before I 'break' you, here are some general do's and don'ts.
Concrete and high voltage do NOT mix well. The concrete tends to explode from trapped moisture expanding under high voltage. If you run anything electrical through concrete, use conduit, or weather insulated wireing. If you make any electrical connections under the house, make sure they are done extremely well to start with. It's always easier to 'over-do' than to re-do. Same for in the attic.
Electrical outlets are like closets, you never have enough. How many outlets do you need for your present equipment? In your new shack, double that number, or better yet, triple it. Thats how many you need, and you'll wish you had more in less than 6 months. Having a seperate breaker panel with a master

switch would be nice. Make it expandable for later use. When thinking about grounds, think welding cable, not wire, and not braid! Theres no such thing as too big. Have plenty of lights. Don't forget telephone lines. Run two or three lines, but just use one for now (might want a 'data' line later). Oh, by the way, when running phone lines into your shack do not use regular phone cable. Use RG-58 coax. Also not a bad idea for the rest of the house. 'Twin-ax' would be even better, but kinda 'pricey'. How about cable for TV? How about 'terminated-outlets' too?
You might think about insulating the common walls to your shack, you don't have to listen to 'them' and they don't have to listen to that '@#$%' radio. Not a bad idea for the whole house as far as that goes. It really makes a difference on the utility bills.

Well, I think I've spent all your money, so I'll quit. Good luck.....
'Doc

4768. Re: Second or First ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392B2BB3.AD2E76CD@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110599

beachmaster wrote:
>
> Think of yourself as a "Recycled Teenager"

Oh, I can think anything I want, its the rest of me that does not agree. No matter what I think, my legs can't run as fast anymore, my arms cannot lift as much, and my back is just a traitor to the rest.

Well, I guess things could be worse. I can still hold my own - I'll just be sore for several days afterwards. :-)

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4769. I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anon <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200005240130.VAA02449@cotse.com>
Source record: 110600

I really love you, Doc! You're my whole life! I can't live without you!

Doc...will you marry me? (In Vermont? And have EVE put us up in one of his motels??)
--
Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi

4770. Re: LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hillbillydave <davesNOdaSPAM@oztech.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <122039a0.4fc5e8a6@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110601

our club (North Ark Amateur Radio Society) sent a bunch off on
4-15-00 they showed up on the FCC data base yesterday, the
22nd. so looks like about 5 weeks

dave
KG5XR

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4771. Re: FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hillbillydave <davesNOdaSPAM@oztech.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <2174e686.4de7ea38@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

i wou8ld be interested in the AM Board and filters for the ZD

dave KG5XR

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4772. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392B40EE.429629D8@oio.net>
Source record: 110603

Just exactly which "Doc" are you talking about??
'Doc

4773. WTB 2m/220 Mhz duplexer (help)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Typecast@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3888-392B5057-41@storefull-107.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110604

does anyone have a 2m/220 mhz duplexer for sale? or happen to know where to find one for less than 70$? i would sure appreciate any info.

thanks,
shannon
n0jam

4774. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <elIHATESPAMdowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <7CIW4.42568$g41.1944100@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 110605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I didn't get to go this year! WAA! Just because my daughter was graduating from college! (I'm kidding. I wouldn't have missed that for the world) I like sticking around till Sunday. There are years you can shoot a cannon down an isle and not hit anybody. But, it's fun checking out the sundown material!

Eagle One <zbr@edmail.com> wrote in message news:K_wW4.1389$bc4.86843@news1.primary.net...
> Without a doubt the flea market at Dayton was HORRIBLE! I go to around 40
> hamfest a year... none this lousy. Prices were insane!! $695.00 Yaesu
> FT-757GX radios, $850.00 Icom IC-706 MKII radios, WHAT A LOUSY SHOW!!
> J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
> >Each year I attend Dayton and other ham radio fleamarkets, I am always
> >amazed at the prices people want for used equipment. Old rusted receivers
> >for $200 that even a collector would reject. Beat up late model equipment
> >for $100 under what it could be bought for new. In fact, I saw one beat up
> >used radio selling for $12 MORE than the price it could be bought new from
> >one of the dealers at Dayton. One guy I talked to wanted $100 for a packet
> >only TNC that was about 9 years old. He opened it, blew out all the dirt
> >and dust and said it worked well. I offered him $30 and he was upset.
> For
> >$100 I can buy something new with a warranty. Why would someone want to
> pay
> >a few buck under that for something dirty and old and really unknown as to
> >how well it works. Asking prices are just too high to even try to haggle.
> >
> >One flea vendor was packing up his stuff on Saturday at 2:00 saying sales
> >were terrible. No wonder given the prices being asked. Folks if you are
> >going to sell in the fleamarkets, set a reasonable fleamarket price. It's
> >no wonder no one is buying and you have to cart the stuff to fleamarkets
> >over and over again.
> >
> >Just MHO.
> >
> >Regards,

> >
> >Duffy
> >
> >--
> >____
> >Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
> >
> >NRA Life Member
> >"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
> >guns, are we still a free people?"
> >
> >Please find out about rec.guns at:
> >http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
> >
> >Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
> >to get the Clintons
> >____
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4775. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000522200706.21061.00000880@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 110636

>>"Why are there no *young* newcomers to
>>ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>
>I don't think so. If that were the case, they would be dropping out *after*
>getting the license and going on the air (to be allegedly snubbed).

I have to disagree. I've seen prospective ham after prospective ham snubbed
BEFORE even getting their license......on the internet, at hamfests, in
classes.
And, I'm not sure snubbed is the right word......but I can't think of a better
choice, at least right now........

N9GSU

4776. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gcjpe$6ud$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110637

SBCmusic <sbcmusic@aol.com> wrote:
>Someone wrote:
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>>>ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.

>>I don't think so. If that were the case, they would be dropping out *after*
>>getting the license and going on the air (to be allegedly snubbed).

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>BEFORE even getting their license......on the internet, at hamfests, in
>classes.
>And, I'm not sure snubbed is the right word......but I can't think of a better
>choice, at least right now........

In our one-hundred year history, only a small percentage of each
generation has shown an interest in the self-learning of electronic
theory, soldering, reading and understanding schematics, collecting
components, assembling radios, national and international radio laws,
ionospheric propagation and antenna theory, assembling antennas, and
communicating world-wide by RF emissions. It's very specialized; it
was never an everyman's hobby. That we have 670,000 licensees attempting
to abide by our fundamental purpose (Title 47 CFR 97.1) is in itself
amazing.

73, Jeff KH6O

4777. Re: Second or First ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gdhpo$45m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110638

In article <8g72ru$74u$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> > The paramount article of the Constitution, the one all other
articles and
> >the Constitution itself depends on for survival, is the Second
Amendment. It
> >was specifically intended to guarantee the
>
> unorganized militia
>
> >the right to posses
>
> weapons.
>
> Too bad the militia only includes males between the ages of 17 and 44
> as per the US Code. I know he feels bad about being kicked out of
> the militia due to old age, but pilots have to retire in their prime,
> too.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O
> Age requirements for state militias vary from state to state. Some
require only that you be "able bodied". At least one caps the age at
50.

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4778. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: zincplaterubberant <kru7dso@cir43a.org>
Message-ID: <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"T.L. Bryant" <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8gc52g019i7@enews1.newsguy.com...
> The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers
to
> ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>
> The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that
they're
> doing something "better" than someone else.

While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.

It is, of course, too late to reverse this trend. Even if code was
eliminated
tomorrow for all licence classes regardless, you would not pry the 15-22
year old (male) crowd away from technology like the Internet. I asked a
17 year old once if he knew what ham radio was? He said that "his
grandfather
had radio stuff in the basement when he was a kid" When I asked him if he
was interested in it, he said: "..nahh, that radio stuff is boring and it's
full of old
men who put you to sleep". (I conducted this interview in 1999 at a computer
show)

I rest my case. Ham Radio - R.I.P.

> Based on these facts, you can see that the new license structure isn't
going to
> save ham radio. A lower code test requirement isn't going to save ham
radio.
> Only a change of attitude will save ham radio. Until a redefining of the
basis
> and purpose happens, and until the poisonous elitism is purged, the appeal
of
> the internet for the free and open exchange of ideas will continue to
grow, and
> interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead
> languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.

>
> Tom - N8ECW

Be carefull Tom! Remember - the last guy who spoke the truth got
nailed up on a piece of wood by the "elitist" mindset of "his" day!

4779. SGC-2020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjw@NOSPAM321cue.com
Message-ID: <3929e0b1.2530440@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110640

Let me try this one more time.. Does ANYONE have an SGC 2020, that reads this Newsgroup?? I would like some personal input on this interesting little SSB/CW QRP rig.!!

Thanks.. Please post reply..... N1QQ

4780. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: zincplaterubberant <kru7dso@cir43a.org>
Message-ID: <VnlW4.21121$S31.455259@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110641

"J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote in message
news:sifq54nmo127@corp.supernews.com...
> Each year I attend Dayton and other ham radio fleamarkets, I am always
> amazed at the prices people want for used equipment. Old rusted receivers
> for $200 that even a collector would reject. Beat up late model equipment
> for $100 under what it could be bought for new. In fact, I saw one beat
up
> used radio selling for $12 MORE than the price it could be bought new from
> one of the dealers at Dayton.

Let em take this junk back home. An if were lucky, the fat-gut
hamfest-gypsie slobs may even
have a massive heart attack when he tries to pick up the stuff to load it
back into his
van. Ever look at the bloated bellies on some of these dealers who go from
hamfest
to hamfest ? What a pack of pigs! Oink! oink! oink! - stink! stink stink!

> One flea vendor was packing up his stuff on Saturday at 2:00 saying sales
> were terrible.

R.O.T.F.L.M.A.O. ! Sure he probably got there and bought the reasonable
priced stuff at 4:00 AM like they do at --------------. Let's hope it's a
growing TREND !!

> No wonder given the prices being asked. Folks if you are
> going to sell in the fleamarkets, set a reasonable fleamarket price. It's
> no wonder no one is buying and you have to cart the stuff to fleamarkets
> over and over again.

Good! Let em waste more of their time and money! These slobs who go from
hamfest to hamfest, buy up all the deals at 5:00 AM, and then re-price it
should all drop dead. Bury them and their overloaded hamfest gypsy vans full
of over-priced junk together in the nearest landfill.

4781. Re: Guns: the truth by AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gdoap$888$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110642

In article <3927CBBE.7E205BE2@sccoast.net>,
stewartx@sccoast.net wrote:
>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> >
> > <snip> Do you think that gun-nuts are
> > in the majority? <snip> I refer to the
> > paranoids who see the government as evil,
> > who think we must arm to protect ourselves
> > against a hostile government which is
> > nonexistent, who fail to realize that
> > because of being provoked, threatened and
> > defied as in the cases of Waco, Randy
> > Weaver, the Montana Free Loonies and
> > <snip>, force MUST be employed.
>
> Have you read the history books? Have you seen how many governments
> have went bad over the history of mankind? We're not talking about
one
> or two. We're not talking about a few dozen. We're talking about
> hundreds (even thousands).
>
> And, when these governments go bad, history has shown what happens
to
> the common man - the abuse over the years has been incredible. And
the
> abuse was not stopped until the people were able to gain enough power
to
> finally get rid of that government.
>
> Since it has happened to all those other governments, you're a damn
> fool if you think even for a moment that it cannot happen to this
> government. And only an armed population, fanatical about keeping
> government under control, can prevent it.
>
> This country's forefathers knew that, which is why they were careful
> to make sure that the government of this country could not so easily
> disarm its citizens. But it is only the people who can keep
government
> from changing that situation.
>
> Sadly, too many people (such as yourself), are falling for the
> propaganda and are marching willingly into a world where the
government

> has absolute power, with the citizens powerless to stop that
government
> from doing absolutely anything it wants.
>
> God save America (from people like you).
>
> Dwight Stewart
> Dont let this fool get you down. He loves to argue and will argue
over anything. He is a frustrated person who uses this as a way to
vent.All of us who know him know he is NUTS

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4782. Re: Who is this old bastard on the Liberty Net?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523005526.04072.00001571@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 110643

>Their all old whining geezers on that net. Be more specific!

"Their all........"
Nice English ASS. Try "They're all....."
or They are all......

4783. Re: Who is this old bastard on the Liberty Net?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfemitter@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523011136.04072.00001573@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 110644

>Listen in to n8wgm with his microphone gain turned up past the 5:00
>position.

I disagree with this,. His signal is excellent into Eastern New York .No distortion or splatter.

> You can
>hear the wind flowing by his nose hairs while he talks with his 5kc wide ssb
>signal from an
>inch away on his D-104 microphone.

I've scoped his signal and found it to be clean. Your reciever may be causing your problems. I've not heard any complaints about his signal except from you. I've talked to him on the phone and he does not use a D-104.

>And what a windbag of convoluted logic he
>spewes - Oy!

The convoluted logic you think is convoluted is actually a great way to lampoon the convoluted logic the left uses every day. By making his points with convoluted logic, he is in effect making fun of people who take his convoluted logic seriously. You must be taking his logic seriously otherwise you would not have made this posting. He must be having an effect on you to some degree.

>Try aa8dp, who seems to be perpetually re-loading ammo cartridges whenever
>he's on the air.
>I swear this guy must have a million rounds of .45 .357 .223 .22 .50 and
>everything else
>in his tarpaper tin-roofed shack in Ky by now!

He doe not live in a tar paper tin roofed shack. He does have a rather large home in the country. The photos I've seen are rather nice!

>On to w1wcr, the grand poobah of 3950.

>Now he's stuck with some obscure net on ham radio, with 2 or 3
>SWL's who still
>live at home and use old worn out RCA AR-88's for radios.

Seem like you know a lot about 3950. Still Living at home with mommy & daddy?

> Most of these guys are on after 10:00 Central. Guess they
>don't have day jobs.

Your guess is incorrect. WGM owns several businesses. SAG is starting to make waves in his chosen field of endeavour. WCR is a retired engineer who worked on radar systems durring the war.
Looks like these guys have more on the ball than most people. And I must say

that the things they talk about are interesting. Maybe there is a little jealousyin your mind from your comments here.

4784. Kenwood hf-1.2ghz pics !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523010716.09172.00000859@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 110645

They are back up at http:\\www.dxer.org

73's Steve

4785. Re: Guns: the truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ge6fl$im4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110646

In article <8g729m$6ig$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
> >The gun is the problem, the gun is the problem.
>
> Ah, he finally sees the light.
>
The "gun" is a non thinking inanimate object. It can not act
independent of the "user".

The person is the problem, not the gun.

And to counter the arguement of "without guns there would be no
problem". When you show me HOW you are going to get the weapons out of
the hands of the "bad guys" I'll gladly turn mine in. In the meantinme
I'm adding more and more to the stockpile.

Why is there such a problem with guns? Drugs? Why drugs? The US
Government wants it that way. That way they can convince the non
thinkers out there that we have to elliminate the guns. See...DUHHHH.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4786. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <GzsW4.453$S14.1404@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Why would any one want to join a group in which part of the membership
writes like this:

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> The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers
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>assholes, making them snobby, confrontatinal, and unlikeable.

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> group. It's a disease that infects Christian fundamentalists, as well as
> teenagers who think they're "alternative". My
> idea of ham radio would be a wide range of individuals discussing many
> different topics, and engaging in a meaningful and intelligent exchange of
> information. (That certainly doesn't happen on the typical DX contact)
> But, no. The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who
have
> nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
> problems, and the weather.
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> until the poisonous elitism is purged, the appeal of
> the internet for the free and open exchange of ideas will continue to
grow, and
> interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead
> languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.
>
> The elite person you complain about might think he was better than these
old
hams. He might write a post complaining about their physical looks, their
race, and their on the air content...

>Is this like the Clintons in the White House??

>. A computer MUST make a person
>more literate while ham radio might but it's highly unlikely when one takes
>the BARF and Stump Jumpers into consideration. Duh.

>Johnny come lately I think. Get a life T.L.

>SHUT UP NAZI! Oops, sorry, reflex action.

>Donating an FT-1000 to Unclaimed Mysteries is good first step, IMHO.

>the greater
>reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
>mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
>are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off

****

K3BHJ.

4787. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <AIsW4.454$S14.1981@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Left out some pieces. K3BHJ.

"David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net> wrote in message news:...
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> K3BHJ.
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4788. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392A9243.EE14DE2@ahole.com>
Source record: 110649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

And the FCC started the "elitism' by issuing calls specific to the
class of privileges. Sane as eliminating the call areas. No more
do you have to change your call so a W4 could be in 4 land or
anywhere else in the country. Can't tell anymore. And the vanity
calls. What a crock. That really shows 'elitism'(ex: W5TIT).

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
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> The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers to
> ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
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> The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that they're
> doing something "better" than someone else. It's not limited to one individual
> group. It's a disease that infects Christian fundamentalists, as well as
> teenagers who think they're "alternative". (You know the type. They walk into a
> CD store, sporting spiked, purple hair and facial piercings, and complain
> because the store doesn't have the entire discography of some obscure band from
> San Francisco who call themselves Blood Monster Mushrooms.)
>
> This elitism makes the group irrational. The dangers of the elitist mindset are
> very real. First, it more than likely creates hypocrites out of the people
> involved. Second, it annihilates the appeal of the group's philosophy, as no
> one likes to be talked down to. Third, it turns the group into general
> assholes, making them snobby, confrontatinal, and unlikeable.
>
> I've seen this attitude time and again in ham radio. It's seen in club
> meetings, at hamfests, on the air, and most prevalently on the internet. My
> idea of ham radio would be a wide range of individuals discussing many
> different topics, and engaging in a meaningful and intelligent exchange of
> information. (That certainly doesn't happen on the typical DX contact) However,
> that's asking for a Utopia that just isn't going to happen. Some will even say
> that this is against the fundamental purpose of the service as outlined in Part
> 97.1. These people can't even see past a rulebook to see that amateur radio has
> become stagnant.
> But, no. The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who have
> nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
> problems, and the weather.
>
> Based on these facts, you can see that the new license structure isn't going to
> save ham radio. A lower code test requirement isn't going to save ham radio.
> Only a change of attitude will save ham radio. Until a redefining of the basis
> and purpose happens, and until the poisonous elitism is purged, the appeal of
> the internet for the free and open exchange of ideas will continue to grow, and

> interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead
> languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.
>
> Tom - N8ECW

4789. Re: Blowhard Windy-Windy blowhard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <rDuW4.480$S14.1180@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110650

As usual, I have recast what ....
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gbr51kdn1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net...
... complete with ad hominem attacks and other deathless stuff:

****
> I must say that this blowhard Windy or Windy blowhard tries hard to come

I must say that this blowhard Doc or Doc blowhard tries hard to come

> across as a respectable writer but from what I see, he lacks verve,
> subtlety, humor and succinctness, so who can really take him seriously?

Doc substitutes, mainly, ad hominem attacks and braggadocio, for subtlety,
humor, seriousness and succinctness.

> Take for example the snippet of his in this posting. The first part
> beginning "Shucks,Doc" can be summed up by "Your postings are no more than
> the rehasing of old news/facts." It's that simple. What's with the 100
words
> he uses saying what I did in twelve?
>
> If you read his drivel, all you'll see is an effort to impress by using

If you read Doc's drivel here and in the archives, all you'll see is an
effort to impress
by using

> fifty cent words when dimes will do. It's as if he wants to cover up his
own
> inadequate and confused thought processes by confusing ours. Windy, I'm a
> meat and potatoes guy(notice how I spelled it compared to the great Dan
> Quayle) therefore I strive to impart basics without attempting to befuddle

Windy notices that Doc pluralized Quayle's spelling. What's the point?

> the reader, without trying to do a fancy "old soft shoe" routine and wave
a
> magna cum laude diploma in their faces.

Huh?

>
> You fool nobody. All you are is an Al Bundy shoe salesman with probabaly a

Doc's source for this deathless ad hominem attack: Right out of Milton, or
Shakespeare?
The Harvard Five Foot Bookshelf?

> Peg bitch clawing at your shorts. And all because of my support for
stricter
> gun laws? Damn, you are one ignorant clown, aren't you. Take for instance
> the news of yesterday. I think it was about two teens from Montclair, New
> Jersey, just 6 miles northwest of me, who got caught buying weapons over
the
> Internet. Twenty one weapons I believe; I'll have to now read a newspaper
> online to get all the facts.
>
> Do you realize what mayhem those bums could have wrought had it not been
for
> super diligent surveillance and action by the feds? The Internet police?
But

Good. Maybe the cops slipped and enforced some of the 23E3 gun laws we
already have on the books.

> no-if we had it your way along with the jerks who support you, guns on the
> Internet would be as readily available as innocuous collectibles on
auction
> sites. What care you, dodo? It's HANDS OFF because guns are sacred? Oh
yes,

Not sacred -- simply protected by that inconvenient 2d amendment. GET USED
TO IT.

> it's our sacred God given right to have as many as we want regardless of
> evil intentions or emotional problems that would prevent a buyer from
going

Doc's favorite: the thought police gotta monitor intentions.

> to a movie theater unaccompanied let alone possessing a weapon.
>
> Jesus, Moses and all the other boys, you have to be one brainless dolt,
> Windbag. Can you imagine what this country would be like if we had more of
> you than more of me? More irresponsible crazy cowboys waving the
> Constitution instead of a level headed, clear thinking responsible
citizens
> who cares both about the welfare of his fellow man and country?

you have to be one brainless dolt, Doc. Can you imagine what this country
would
be like if we had more of you than more of me? More irresponsible crazy
cowboys
waving the Constitution which they have *gutted of its inconvenient
provisions* instead
of level headed, clear thinking responsible citizens who care both about the
welfare
of their fellow men and country?

> To be quite frank, Windy, I've had enough of your idiocy on rec.radio and

To be quite frank, Doc, I haven't had enough of your idiocy on rec.radio;
it's such an
inviting target: GET USED TO IT, and no, I do not

> request you leave to spend more time in writing obscene sayings on mens'
> room walls. This is a forum for the elite, not the shleps and all you do
is
> bring us all down to your level.

****
There it is. Strip out Doc's name-calling and simple mean-spiritedness,
and what do you have?

Your turn, Doc.

As you were.

Dave, K3BHJ.

4790. Re: AF2Y exhibits signs of possible brain loss

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <vEuW4.481$S14.1612@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110651

Why, thank you, Doc, for another mean-spirited, un-original reply.

Dave, K3BHJ

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8g9ng5hnj1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Windy, you write like Shakespeare. Fred Shakespeare, the Clifton town
drunk,
> who's written up every week in our Dateline Journal.
> AF2Y
>
> ----------
> In article <8VUV4.1814$oO1.9676@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
> <davidw@copper.net> wrote:
>
>
> > doc wrote:
> > snip
> >>
> >>>
> >>>And so "Windy," make your point. If you can't show originality then
don't
> > knock those who can.
> > AF2Y
> >>>
> >>
> > snip
> >
> > Hi, Doc .. it's good to receive another installment of your bombast,
but,
> > ach! you included all of what I sent you. You don't have to do that;
my
> > computer system keeps copies even tho it's not a mac, so I snipped it
out.
> > Your creation is included above in its entirety.
> >
> > In order for someone with your acumen to miss the point I made, you must
> > have removed your brain, as you offered to do, at least once, in another
of
> > your posts which I read shortly ago. Unless, of course, this is
another of
> > your uniquely sharp-witted tricks; you know the one: play dumb. If it
is,
> > Doc, you can outdumb me *any* day of the week.
> >

> > I'll follow your posts and comment on them at whim. You put up the
target,
> > and I intersperse my comments. GET USED TO IT.
> >
> > Shucks, Doc, for a brainless individual, you have made a generous
> > contribution of your prose to this reflector and its archive. As for
the
> > putative originality of your deathless prose, it's easier for you to
claim
> > it, than to be acclaimed for it. Since, in your own mind, you probably
> > have no equals, we can't even have a peer review, to establish the worth
of
> > your claim to originality. Your archive belies the claim anyway; it's
> > replete with the same old threadbare threads. Badadada. Badada. Or
do
> > you prefer the more familiar Yadayadayada? The titanic struggle of
> > originality v. banality.
> >
> > Re-install your brain, Doc. I miss the old Doc. He would have
answered
> > that old softball cogently and succinctly, even tersely:
> >
> > What benefits do licensing and registration of firearms have?
> >
> > In case your brain surgery results lag, I'll give you one answer:
increased
> > fee income to the government. Liberals of all stripes should
appreciate
> > that.
> >
> > Got plenty of other softballs for you, as well. Hope the surgery
doesn't
> > lapse into a lobotomy, but in case the scalpel slips, Doc, you can skip
the
> > surgical team and sue the instruments as the proximate cause. It's the
> > liberal-trial-lawyer way.
> >
> > As you were.
> >
> > Windy
> >
> > PS: I like your quick-witted adoption of the "Windy" sobriquet, even if
you
> > didn't originate it.
> >
> >
> >

4791. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meg A Hertz <meghertzNOmeSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <01a52501.6fbb241c@usw-ex0102-016.remarq.com>
Source record: 110652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>computer ... BUILDS READING AND WRITING SKILLS which is far
>more important to the overall health of this nation than is
>yelling CQ into a mic.

Yes but while the current state of the internet is mostly type-
and-read, it is moving towards speech output, speech recognition
for control etc.

So it'll end up with the youngsters not yelling CQ into a rig's
mic but some other more modern words into the PC's mic. Wow.

"virtual ham radio" could replace ham radio OPERATING itself -
imagine a piccy of a rig on your PC screen, you'll
hear "stations" by tuning the "frequency" on the readout... let
your imagination run riot!

Ham radio will be left to those who see the magic in the real
thing, and experimenters. Maybe that's a good thing?!

MegHz

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4792. Re: Second or First ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392A7B39.69D208CF@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110653

beachmaster wrote:
>
> Age requirements for state militias
> vary from state to state. Some
> require only that you be "able bodied".
> At least one caps the age at 50.

Great, I still have a chance - for a couple more years. Now if I
could just get around that "able bodied" part. God, I'm getting old. :-)

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4793. Re: Guns: the truth by AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392A7954.CE35A1@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110654

dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Don't let this fool get you down.
> He loves to argue and will argue
> over anything. He is a frustrated
> person who uses this as a way to vent.
> All of us who know him know he is NUTS

God, I hope you're refering to "radiosigs@mindspring.com" instead of me. I wouldn't want anyone to think of me that way.

Anyway, since I don't remember ever talking to you before, I'll assume you weren't talking about me when you wrote the above.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4794. 14313 at Taco Bell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dayton Hamfest Codger <kf4jyz@dimbulbs.inc.com>
Message-ID: <J3vW4.22849$T41.563556@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110655

14.313 "fixture", Donnie kf4jyz, has landed
a new job at the Macon, Ga Taco Bell......

here--> http://www.debsfunpages.com/taco.htm

4795. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392A81B9.124EEB2A@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

General Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> And the FCC started the "elitism'
> by issuing calls specific to the
> class of privileges. Sane as
> eliminating the call areas. No more
> do you have to change your call so
> a W4 could be in 4 land or anywhere
> else in the country. Can't tell
> anymore. And the vanity calls.
> What a crock. That really shows
> 'elitism'(ex: W5TIT).

How does a vanity callsign show "elitism?" I've looked at every definition of the word and found nothing that could even remotely relate to a vanity callsign.

In my dictionary, "elitism" refers to a "practice or belief in rule by an elite." What does the choice of a callsign have to do with a "practice or belief" in rule by anybody? And I just thought I was picking a callsign that I liked.

By the way (and I may regret asking), what kind of general are you? Now, if we're talking about elitism, let me point out that the military rank system is entirely based on it. And anyone that would go around in a computer newsgroup using a dubious military title, such as yours, is obsessed with their self-proclaimed elite status, and therefore obsessed with a system of elitism.

In other words, general, don't be so quick to cast the first stone.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4796. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523090507.21562.00000795@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 110657

> I asked a
>17 year old once if he knew what ham radio was? He said that "his
>grandfather
>had radio stuff in the basement when he was a kid" When I asked him if he
>was interested in it, he said: "..nahh, that radio stuff is boring and it's
>full of old
>men who put you to sleep".

So, I assume you went ahead and did a demonstration for him, or, like most folks who don't seem to be interested in any new blood, just let it drop at that?

73,
N9GSU

4797. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0e67a7a3.1de1fd9d@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 110658

In article <018d97d3.8ebe97c1@usw-ex0106-047.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Now, now, potty-mouth. 'Send you to one of your mommies to
>have your mouth washed out with lye soap.
>
>We can all see it now in the canon of gay-lez lit.
>""Raincoat Charlie" has two mommies."

At LEAST he knows who his _are,_ Dimmy O' Brainless.

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4798. cherche shema metrix MX453, 453b ou autre

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: pascal.gayot@libertysurf.fr
Message-ID: <392c8481.1793698@news.libertysurf.fr>
Source record: 110659

cherche shema metrix MX453, 453b ou autre

pour en rï¿½parer deux

:-)))
--
pascal&gayot@libertysurf.fr

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O-O
ooOOO--( . )--OOOoo
(-)
x-x
NOSPAM
pour_repondre changer "&" pour "."
to reply swap "&" for "."
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solum ï¿½ mio

Nicolas Machiavel

4799. Re: Second or First ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gengfvhg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110660

In article <392A7B39.69D208CF@sccoast.net>,
stewartx@sccoast.net wrote:
>
>
> beachmaster wrote:
> >
> > Age requirements for state militias
> > vary from state to state. Some
> > require only that you be "able bodied".
> > At least one caps the age at 50.
>
> Great, I still have a chance - for a couple more years. Now if I
> could just get around that "able bodied" part. God, I'm getting
old. :-)
>

Think of yourself as a "Recycled Teenager"

> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
> http://www.qsl.net/w5net
>

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4800. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392AA870.73E10452@ahole.com>
Source record: 110661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

What kind of general am I, well I'm a general nuisance......

Dwight Stewart wrote:
>
> General Mark Morgan wrote:
> >
> > And the FCC started the "elitism'
> > by issuing calls specific to the
> > class of privileges. Sane as
> > eliminating the call areas. No more
> > do you have to change your call so
> > a W4 could be in 4 land or anywhere
> > else in the country. Can't tell
> > anymore. And the vanity calls.
> > What a crock. That really shows
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>
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> an elite." What does the choice of a callsign have to do with a
> "practice or belief" in rule by anybody? And I just thought I was
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>
> By the way (and I may regret asking), what kind of general are you?
> Now, if we're talking about elitism, let me point out that the military
> rank system is entirely based on it. And anyone that would go around in
> a computer newsgroup using a dubious military title, such as yours, is
> obsessed with their self-proclaimed elite status, and therefore obsessed
> with a system of elitism.
>
> In other words, general, don't be so quick to cast the first stone.
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
> http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4801. Re: Jewish/Communist Racial Program For America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gep73kj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110662

In article <8gbonr$j3c$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> This NOMONKEYS guy on AOL is a first rate nebbish and is as becockt
as
> becockt can be. A schmendrick, a guy who leaves wind in the bathtub
and
> bites at the bubbles. A putz and a schmuck and a shonda to the goyim.
I wish
> on him and his, twice what he wishes on us and he should geh cockin
afinyam!
>
> ----------
> In article <20000521192257.23196.00000547@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
> nomonkeys@aol.commotion (NO MONKEYS) wrote:
>
> > The Jew Israel Cohen, a British Communist Party official, wrote
> > in a booklet titled "A Racial Program For The Twentieth Century":
> >
> > (quote)
> >
> > "We must realize that our Party's most powerful weapon is racial
tension. By
> > pounding into the consciousness of the dark races that for
centuries they have
> > been oppressed by the Whites, we can mold them into the program of
the
> > Communist Party. The term colonialism and imperialism must be
featured in our
> > propoganda. In America, we will aim for a subtle victory. While
inflaming the
> > Negro minority against the Whites we will endeavor to instill in
the Whites a
> > guilt complex for their exploitation of the Negroes."
> >
> > "We will aid the Negroes to rise to prominence in every walk of
life, in the
> > professions and in the world of sports and entertainment. With this
prestige,
> > the Negroes will be able to intermarry with the Whites and begin a
process
> > which will deliver America to our cause."
> >
> > (end quote)
> >

What's left of the Communist Party had better get cracking. The twentieth century is almost over, and we haven't been delivered to anyone.

> > Is this not EXACTLY what we have witnessed taking place in the United States?
> > White America, PLEASE wake up and see the noose that is being placed around
> > your neck before it's too late!
>

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4802. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523101245.10818.00002360@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 110663

In article <8g725e$6d5$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>Yet the bands are jumping with wall to wall signals. No room on 40m
>at night to call CQ. 15m has a "no vacancy" sign on it at this moment.

What would you guess to be the average age of the participants in these QSOs? At least over 50, I would guess.

I didn't say amateur radio is "dead", I said that it is headed in this direction. It's simply old technology. Just as spark gap transmitters and crystal receivers of the past, analog voice transmission will soon be a relic of a bygone era. The continued insistence of Morse code knowledge for higher-class licensees only serves to accelerate the process by discouraging newcomers.

4803. Re: AF2Y: Hypocrite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <06cb3988.2df463d1@usw-ex0102-084.remarq.com>
Source record: 110664

Dang Rog, didn't know that that bad N. J. water had trickled
down to Glendale. 'Think maybe that it's got the mad cow
virus in it?

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4804. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eagle One <zbr@edmail.com>
Message-ID: <K_wW4.1389$bc4.86843@news1.primary.net>
Source record: 110665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Without a doubt the flea market at Dayton was HORRIBLE! I go to around 40
hamfest a year... none this lousy. Prices were insane!! $695.00 Yaesu
FT-757GX radios, $850.00 Icom IC-706 MKII radios, WHAT A LOUSY SHOW!!
J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
>Each year I attend Dayton and other ham radio fleamarkets, I am always
>amazed at the prices people want for used equipment. Old rusted receivers
>for $200 that even a collector would reject. Beat up late model equipment
>for $100 under what it could be bought for new. In fact, I saw one beat up
>used radio selling for $12 MORE than the price it could be bought new from
>one of the dealers at Dayton. One guy I talked to wanted $100 for a packet
>only TNC that was about 9 years old. He opened it, blew out all the dirt
>and dust and said it worked well. I offered him $30 and he was upset.
For
>$100 I can buy something new with a warranty. Why would someone want to
pay
>a few buck under that for something dirty and old and really unknown as to
>how well it works. Asking prices are just too high to even try to haggle.
>
>One flea vendor was packing up his stuff on Saturday at 2:00 saying sales
>were terrible. No wonder given the prices being asked. Folks if you are
>going to sell in the fleamarkets, set a reasonable fleamarket price. It's
>no wonder no one is buying and you have to cart the stuff to fleamarkets
>over and over again.
>
>Just MHO.
>
>Regards,
>
>Duffy
>
>--
>____
>Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>
>NRA Life Member
>"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
>guns, are we still a free people?"
>
>Please find out about rec.guns at:
>http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
>
>Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
>to get the Clintons

>_____
>
>
>

4805. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392A99B7.DCAE1E1C@oio.net>
Source record: 110666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

General Mark,
You've finally said somthing that I can agree with
whole heartedly!
'Doc

4806. Re: Akron hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam T. Cately" <atcately@bright.net>
Message-ID: <392A9E71.682574D2@bright.net>
Source record: 110667

The hamfest at the Goodyear Wingfoot Lake Park will be June 11, 2000.
Talk-in is on 146.985.

jyazel@asacomp.com wrote:
>
> Does anybody know when the Akron hamfest will be?
>
> Thanks.
>
> Jack W8RAG

4807. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ge7aq02jfh@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110668

In article <20000523090507.21562.00000795@ng-fe1.aol.com>, sbcmusic@aol.com says...
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>> I asked a
>>17 year old once if he knew what ham radio was? He said that "his
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>>had radio stuff in the basement when he was a kid" When I asked him if he
>>was interested in it, he said: "..nahh, that radio stuff is boring and it's
>>full of old
>>men who put you to sleep".
>
>So, I assume you went ahead and did a demonstration for him, or, like most
>folks who don't seem to be interested in any new blood, just let it drop at
>that?
>
>73,
>N9GSU

Why force someone who's obviously not interested?

Tom - N8ECW

4808. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David VanHorn <dvanhorn@cedar.net>
Message-ID: <XIxW4.81944$fF5.2789338@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 110669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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"Eagle One" <zbr@edmail.com> wrote in message
news:K_wW4.1389$bc4.86843@news1.primary.net...
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> around 40 hamfest a year... none this lousy. Prices were insane!!
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> WHAT A LOUSY SHOW!!

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explorer with great deals, and still came home with $$$ in pocket.
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4809. need help with ft101ex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <n1umj@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <I9yW4.52741$nl3.101466@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking for some one who will work on an ft-101ex who can be trusted and at a reasonable price. Any info would be apreciated. It just needs a little work but I don't know how to do it myself. Email me if you can help at n1umj@mediaone.net

--
John Miller, owner of seekonkspeedway formula4 #3, we need sponsors to race!
In memory of Adam Petty July 10, 1980 to May 12 2000 if you would like to chat with me, I can be found on aol instant messager under ss4mula4 3, or you can look me up on speakfreely IM me any time!

4810. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: randas <randas@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <392AB3F3.88994E5D@mindspring.com>
Source record: 110671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Can't help put my 2 cents input here. I agree that the fleamarket was a bust. This was my first trip to Dayton...and I guess i was expecting good prices in the fleamarket because of all the sellers. I believe it went the other way, the sellers were depending on the 30,000 crowd to pay the high prices. If you were looking for old test gear or "junk" there were bargains to be found. If you were looking for HF gear in good shape...you left disappointed. I did love the new equipment displays..but better deals are to be found on Ebay than at Dayton. (and that's sad)

Just another thought...de K0FL

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4811. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523131244.04058.00000795@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 110672

>Why force someone who's obviously not interested?
>
>Tom - N8ECW

Where did I say anything abour forcing anyone? If they didn't want a demo, fine. Hasn't there been anything (or anyone) in your life that you've formed a pre-conceived notion about, but once you saw it or them, you discovered it was wrong?

Until I saw a demo of ham radio 12 years ago, I too, had no interest. I would've been content with my video games and computer. But seeing a demo at a local hobby and craft show sure changed my opinion about it.

73,
Rick N9GSU

4812. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Forensic Ornithologist <dogworks@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <silflv9qo154@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110673

My neighbor went down to take the NEW Extra test, but
he came home all disappointed. He told me he's going
to have to re-take it because he missed the bottle this
time.

4813. AF2Y about WZ0T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gegk9$d8c$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110674

WZOT was a very sick man who had a life threatening heart condition and see an OSTEOPATH for it. Can you imagine that? An osteopath? They call themselves PHYSICIANS no less but in acuality are a step above chiropractors whom I consider as a nationwide menace.
I ought to know. I was educated at N.Y.U. College of Dentistry and Medicine complex in New York City. I am a retired D.D.S. who has been socially and fraternally friendly with men in my own field as well as physicians specializing in cardiology, urology, immunology and general practice. This North Jersey-N.Y.C. Metro area boasts of the best in medicine in the world and my advice to Scotty, WZ0T, was well meant and sincere. I got him out of the grip of the osteopath and into the hands of a cardiologist and heart surgeon who performed the open heart surgery that saved his life. And here are two e-mails received from WZ0T which go to prove his appreciation.
Number one

Better be that tham a foolish JEW keep off my internet connect PLEASE/
Scotty
----- Original Message -----
From: <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
To: <ke9ry@peoplepc.com.w4rcl@aol.com>; "w2csq" <dickcsq@aol.com>; "rich whiten > >>" <richwhiten@aol.com>; <jcunham@aol.com>; "graham dyer > >>" <grahmd@netrover.com>; <gpmel@snet.net>; "daniel l. jeswald > >>" <w4nti@mindspring.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 23, 2000 8:17 AM
Subject: Re: <no subject>

> > Well Doc you helped me now let me help you go see a srink, your head in a
> > mess
> >
>
> > And besides Scotty, you're the last one who should talk about a shrink.
> > Anyone who drives 1,500 miles with a dog to a Hamvention, has an argument
> > about the dog that should have been left at home and then turns around and
> > immediately drives 1,500 miles home is just about the wackiest fool I ever
> > heard of. And to think I busted my can going out of my way to direct you to
> > the proper physician instead of that ridiculous osteopath you were seeing
> > who couldn't diagnose a major heart condition from a hole in the wall,

was a
> > waste of time and trouble. You ought to be ashamed of yourself, you
> > goddamned ingrate. I should have sent you to a veterinarian.
> > AF2Y

And here's the second which says it all.

To bad Hitler is not around to deal with you, people like you I can understand why just why hitler did what he did
----- Original Message -----
From: <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
To: <ke9ry@peoplepc.com.w4rcl@aol.com>; "w2csq" <dickcsq@aol.com>; "rich whiten > >>" <richwhiten@aol.com>; <jcunham@aol.com>; "graham dyer > >>" <grahmd@netrover.com>; <gpmel@snet.net>; "daniel l. jeswald > >>" <w4nti@mindspring.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 23, 2000 8:17 AM
Subject: Re: <no subject>

Scotty, you're one of the lowest pieces of anti-Semitic dirt I've ever mistaken for being a nice guy and I look forward to sending your wife a condolence card.

AF2Y, Doc

4814. LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net>
Message-ID: <ejgliskvh367r0drmav6ab9tqtmlmulkf4@4ax.com>
Source record: 110675

I think it is understandable that there was going to be a relatively longer wait before the FCC could process the backlog of 610's, etc. that were received in the days following April 15th..

I have been monitoring the WM7D site since it is the one that I know updates their database nightly with the callsigns that were issued or upgraded the previous day. On certain days of the week I have seen that the update includes as many as 800 or more changes from the previous day. Obviously at that rate it would not take too awfully long to catchup. Fridays for some reason seems to be a day when nothing much happens.. The highest number of processed applications on a Friday I have seen is about 150...

Since I figure they might be getting close to bringing my application to the top of the pile, and I figuring that yesterday might have been a more of a "normal" processing day, I logged on to the WM7D site this morning to see if I might have been included in yesterdays action..

The FCC processed a total of 4 applications yesterday.. according to the WM7D database.. FOUR!.. This could be a long wait I think..

4815. CATTLE CAR LENNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gehmq$so3$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110676

I'm in a few loops with basically very nice guys...basically not necessarily. There are a few despicable oafs with whom I have nothing in common and yesterday I received pix of Dayton from a pleasant well-meaning guy who had likewise sent them to a few despicable oafs. All I did was to contact the pleasant guy to ask him not to include me in any communication involving the few despicable oafs. What's wrong with that? That's our right as Internet users, correct? If you have no use for someone in 'REAL LIFE," then why make exceptions on behalf of Joe Internet?

Let me take you back to the time on 14.313 when there was a religious war between and started by Herbert Schoenbohm, KV4FZ, a first rate anti-Semite and his pals versus Jews like I and Rich Whiten and many Christian gentlemen who were incensed over the hatred, viciousness and mental aberrations of KV4FZ and his goosestepping monsters. K2IVS, Lenny, is likewise Jewish who belongs to an Orthodox shul and as unbelievable as this may sound, LIKES HERBIE SCHOENBOHM AND HIS NEO-NAZI RATS! Because of it, Rich Whiten dubbed Lenny, "Cattle Car Lenny"meaning he would have been the perfect example of the turncoat Jew during the war who, in order to save his own skin, have worked for the Nazis herding his own people aboard cattle cars headed for extermination camps.

I agree with Rich and so do several other Jewish fellows I know from ham radio as well as the Internet but they prefer to remain anonymous for one reason or another. To put it bluntly, I have lost all respect for K2IVX and consider him as not one of mine but rather some flake who has no pride or respect for the suffering and sacrifices made by his own kind to keep the flame of Hatikvah(hope) always lit.

Getting back to the pix of Dayton, it turned out that Lenny had been in the same loop as I to receive them and I simply contacted the sender to tell him NOT to send me anything he was privy too. And what happened? All hell broke loose in my mailbox due to K2IVX's filth and dammit-I'm not taking it. I want YOU to read about it!

I have a son who works as an attorney in D.C. and who K2IVX dragged into the fray. Can you imagine the mental illness which is Lenny's by involving my family in radio squabbles. Furthermore on the Internet he threatened to contact every one in my family using e-mail. And THIS is what I got today from "Mr.Schaier."

Attcking children is just about your size. Even your son thinks you are a shit!

At 07:45 AM 5/23/2000 -0400, radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>Lenny, I didn't ask for your comments, you boxcar worm. Keep the hell out of
>my mailbox and Tyler is one goofy looking baby.

>Doc
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>>From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
>>To: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>, THOMAS M STECKBAUER
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>>>>Subject: DAYTON
>>>>Date: Mon, May 22, 2000, 3:15 PM

Tough to imagine that he's still bringing my son into matters even after he
told me, "The guy's unbalanced-keep away from him." And that's exactly what
I did because I consider Lenny to be a basket case. Now if you want to see
something interesting, log on to www.avotec.com which is Schaier's business
website. The guy is the farthest thing from a dope imaginable. I haven't
gone to that site in many months but from what I remember he offers a
knockout rï¿½sumï¿½. The man's very highly educated, has a list of clients
that's very impressive, is the head of a very productive company, is a
dedicated husband, father and grandfather and yet is one of the biggest
schmucks of all time. And to boot, is lower than low and commoner than
common based on this e-mail recently received from him.

Fuck you, you stupid bastard!

At 07:57 AM 5/23/2000 -0400, radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>Schaier,
>KEEP THE HELL OUT OF MY MAILBOX. To me you're nothing but a suckup to the
>worst elements in ham radio and Rich had you right-you'd be the one to push
>our kind into boxcars headed to Auschwitz. I find you absolutely revolting
>and besides Tyler is the goofiest looking kid I ever saw. Once again, you're
>offensive-I never asked you to write and I'm telling you to STOP!
>AF2Y
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There is NO EXCUSE for that kind of language on or off the Internet and if
he were on an ISP instead of running his own, he'd be censured. Think about
it people. Is there a necessary link between intelligence and manners? If
you think so, read his comments again. I don't use such obscene vulgarities

because I was raised correctly and am capable of expressing displeasure without having to resort to gutter language. And to think that he's one of my own is DISGUSTING.

There are many who correspond with me not college educated and perhaps some don't spell too well but they're decent well-meaning guys whom I truly like and enjoy their comraderie. To you I say: think about what's in this post. Do NOT be discouraged over not being as well educated as K2IVX because he is proving that education and refinement are not one and the same. I welcome your e-mails as much as I disdain his.

AF2Y, Doc

4816. Re: Jewish/Communist Racial Program For America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gek87$66c$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110677

Too bad you're one of the crazy goyim who refuse to castigate perpetrators
of hate but then again you do learn it from your pulpits.

In article <392A0149.1AA86414@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
> The unfortunate part of this is that there is a 'grain of
> truth' in what was said. The conclusions people will reach
> from reading this stuff will probably not be the 'right' ones.
> I don't mean 'right' as in politically correct, I mean 'right'
> as in morally right, and fair for everyone.
> 'Doc

4817. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8geksdcmi1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110678

Curt, it has nothing to do with attitudes here or on the air. It's because the movie is corny, ridiculous and sophomoric that it entwines amateur radio into such a mess and portrays it so badly that the public will laugh at it instead of holding it to a lofty position.

In article <39298AB4.70A1@rpi.edu>, "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:

> TooManyRadios wrote:
>>
>> In article <JqkV4.20934$Ft1.903727@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, "Burt"
>> <k1oik@yahoo.com> writes:
>>
>> >"Michael Borowiec" <mikebo@Mars.mcs.net> wrote in message
>> >news:8g4dka$10jo$1@Mars.mcs.net...
>> >> The implications are that ham radio is dead, and you'd have to be an
>> >> old fart to enjoy something as archaic as HF radio. What a bummer of
>> >> a message to send to younger viewers.
>> >
>> >
>> >The truth is sometimes hard to swallow.
>>
>> Say what you will about Burt, but he's dead-on with this assessment. The
>> reason all these old hams are whining is because the movie portrays amateur
>> radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the PAST. An accurate portrayal
>> indeed, since it's certainly headed in this direction.
>
> I haven't seen the flick, but it seems like the bitter attitudes
> displayed here in this discussion are part of the problem with HF
> radio. Do you think that amplifying its faults and minimizing its
> benefits is a good way to increase interest? Why not try to be a little
> positive now and then?
>
> Curt Breneman
> KC2EBP

4818. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjc5 <mjc5@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <392ADBAD.403F17B3@psu.edu>
Source record: 110679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Wow, glad i didn't make the 8 hour trip. Something really weird has
happened in the used market the last few years, and poeple are trying to
sell used stuff for only around 10 percent off new. Without warranty,
and you don't even know if it works, no thanks I'll buy the new one.

- mike -

randas wrote:
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> Can't help put my 2 cents input here. I agree that the fleamarket was a
> bust. This was my first trip to Dayton...and I guess i was expecting good
> prices in the fleamarket because of all the sellers. I believe it went the
> other way, the sellers were depending on the 30,000 crowd to pay the high
> prices. P

4819. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392AE198.8C7D7876@oio.net>
Source record: 110680

Forensic Ornithologist,
You've gotta tell me.... does a 'forensic ornithologist'
study dead birds??
'Doc

4820. help: fcc database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Davev <dvari@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <pGBW4.2131$D%2.50477@news1.news.adelphia.net>
Source record: 110681

Is there a 'url' at the FCC that I can check dailey to see the upgrades in
ham tix that they went thru ?
If so where ?
tnx de dave-n2rhl/ag

4821. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Randy E. Randall" <randy_randall@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <silpsuc3o1163@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Well sellers can dream on. I saw a Realistic HTX-404 in the box for
$175.00??? What a joke! It was over 5 years old and the battery pack
needed rebuilding!! He was a two-way dealer. They are USUALLY the worst
for pricing things too high. I got a NLS Miniscope 230 working in good
condition with the probes and carry case for $50.00 from a 2-way dealer.
GOOD BUY! This one is a classic. A guy was selling a folding tripod that
you would mount a Hamstick on for field day. He made them and was charging
$85.00. A few isles over someone else was selling one of his tripods for
$185.00!!! I kid you not.
73
Randy.
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4822. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Randy E. Randall" <randy_randall@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <silqa9iao1133@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Well sellers can dream on. I saw a Realistic HTX-404 in the box for
$175.00??? What a joke! It was over 5 years old and the battery pack
needed rebuilding!! He was a two-way dealer. They are USUALLY the worst
for pricing things too high. I got a NLS Miniscope 230 working in good
condition with the probes and carry case for $50.00 from a 2-way dealer.
GOOD BUY! This one is a classic. A guy was selling a folding tripod that
you would mount a Hamstick on for field day. He made them and was charging
$85.00. A few isles over someone else was selling one of his tripods for
$185.00!!! I kid you not.
73
Randy.

"Eagle One" <zbr@edmail.com> wrote in message
news:K_wW4.1389$bc4.86843@news1.primary.net...
> Without a doubt the flea market at Dayton was HORRIBLE! I go to around 40
> hamfest a year... none this lousy. Prices were insane!! $695.00 Yaesu
> FT-757GX radios, $850.00 Icom IC-706 MKII radios, WHAT A LOUSY SHOW!!
> J. Duffy Beischel wrote in message ...
> >Each year I attend Dayton and other ham radio fleamarkets, I am always
> >amazed at the prices people want for used equipment. Old rusted
receivers
> >for $200 that even a collector would reject. Beat up late model
equipment
> >for $100 under what it could be bought for new. In fact, I saw one beat
up
> >used radio selling for $12 MORE than the price it could be bought new
from
> >one of the dealers at Dayton. One guy I talked to wanted $100 for a
packet
> >only TNC that was about 9 years old. He opened it, blew out all the dirt
> >and dust and said it worked well. I offered him $30 and he was upset.
> For
> >$100 I can buy something new with a warranty. Why would someone want to
> pay
> >a few buck under that for something dirty and old and really unknown as
to
> >how well it works. Asking prices are just too high to even try to
haggle.
> >
> >One flea vendor was packing up his stuff on Saturday at 2:00 saying sales
> >were terrible. No wonder given the prices being asked. Folks if you are
> >going to sell in the fleamarkets, set a reasonable fleamarket price.
It's

> >no wonder no one is buying and you have to cart the stuff to fleamarkets
> >over and over again.
> >
> >Just MHO.
> >
> >Regards,
> >
> >Duffy
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4823. swap tubes for beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4th@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20343-392BD8A9-27@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110534

I have a unused matched pair of Svetlana 4cx800a tubes I would like to swap for a new in the box hf tri band beam antenna. I would also consider a log periodic beam.
This will have to be an even swap with each person responsible for his own shipping cost. The beam must be new and still in the unopened box or at least a guarantee that all parts are there if the box has been opened.
My tubes have never been used and are in warranty.
73
Tom
W4TH

4824. 4cx800a MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4th@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20343-392BD750-26@storefull-108.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110535

I am selling a matched pair of 4cx800a tubes. These tubes have never
been used. They are Svetlana tubes. You can bid on these tubes at ebay
the link is below.
73
Tom
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=339028545

4825. Re: AF2Y says PHOOEY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392BE86D.397437B5@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110536

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:

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> go and read his rï¿½sumï¿½ on www.avotec.com/ It's brilliant. The guy's an
> excellent engineer and can't spell "desist." I can't believe it.
> AF2Y

C'mon, guy...I was a spelling champ in school, and I misspell one
once in while...and mistype all the time.

He may simply be unaware of the spelling of the word, having heard
but not seen it, as it's not a word that shows up in engineering
texts with any regularity.

Make sure you're picking on the right thing.

Spelling is important, to be sure. But you're using spelling as an
ad hom to assault him personally instead of his point.

You're better than that.

4826. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Kasley <kasley@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <8ggpqdhec1@info3.fnal.gov>
Source record: 110537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

J. Duffy Beischel <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote in message
news:singm49po131@corp.supernews.com...
> One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty,
> abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same
radio
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from
> the bottom of their hearts!!!
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> If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be
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> what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a
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> equipment.
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I have formulated three criteria for buying at a hamfest. All three
rules are based on the assumption that, except for simple components,
all equipment at a hamfest does not work:

Rule 1-
Buy it if it's so cheap that you won't feel bad if it ends up on Monday
night on the curb with the rest of the household garbage. It's kinda
like buying a lottery ticket - you know every ticket is a loser, but the
chance that it might be a winner makes it worth throwing away a dollar.

Example: I bought a 15 inch SVGA monitor for $5 to replace a monochrome
tube on computer #4. It works fine.

Rule 2-

Buy it if the price is right and you are confident of your ability to fix it. If you are technically inept, you can't use this rule to justify a purchase.

Example: I bought three beater Tektronix oscilloscopes for a total of $65. I sold two immediately and recovered my costs plus $15. The last scope will get benched this weekend. If it lites up, I'll check it out and give it to a neighborhood high school kid with no money that has been lusting for a real lab-grade scope.

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Buy it if it has some intrinsic value other than its obvious use. Again, technical ineptitude voids this rule.

Example: I bought a stack of old laptops for prices ranging from $10 to $25 each, expecting some to fire up and others to be DOA. Sure 'nuf, half have life, half are scrap. The ones with life I'll refurbish and either give to the kids for schoolwork or resell. From the dead ones I'll easily recover the purchase price in parts, subassemblies, and batteries ($10 for a Compaq battery is a bargain compared to retail).

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The best deal of the weekend was the three Motorola 100W VHF Syntor radios I found abandoned on Sunday morning. The insides of all three drawers are clean. A little bastardization of the control board to reprogram them onto 2M and a little work to move the VCO and I'll have three fine radios to swap into existing mobile installations.

I went inside at Dayton all three days - to take a pee and to turn in my ticket stub. Why should I go to Dayton to pay full price and blOhio sales tax for the same stuff that I can get from a catalog or web-site? Where's the adventure in opening a box and plugging into the wall?

If you are an appliance op, don't bother with the flea market or any hamfest.

If you aren't willing to take a chance, stay home.

If you not interested in teaching yourself something new, buy from a catalog.

As for getting great gear at 50% off? - the only time that happens is when the seller is absolutely clueless about what he has. And that doesn't happen often. And I still assume it doesn't work.

I guess your Dayton experience really depends on your expectations and your attitude.

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From: Paul Kasley <kasley@fnal.gov>
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4828. Re: Abuse of the language

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ggmtt024aq@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110539

In article <luOW4.26198$Ft1.1181338@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, k1oik@yahoo.com says...
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>"W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:392B1426.FBE5D1EC@oio.net...
>> Brett,
>> Now thats the way to do it! Planning ahead is usually a
>'Doc
>
>Is there any such thing as planning behind?
>Like "pre recorded " or " recorded earlier."
>Is anything post recorded?

Oh, the redundancies of the English language!

"...and why do they call it a "hot water heater"? Hot water doesn't need to be heated! It should be called a "cold water heater" or a "hot water cooler""
-George Carlin

Tom - N8ECW

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4829. AF2Y says PHOOEY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ggoum$to9$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110540

Get this. Yesterday I got an obscene e-mail from K2IVX and then another in which he insults the relationship between me and my son and this jackal now send this.

<<<Do not send me any email. I am not interested in what you have to say on any
subject and find your comments about my family, my beliefs and me very disturbing.

Len Schaier>>>

And the thing is people I don't send him personal e-mails. I have nothing in common with the fool and here's one reason. Check this out because if I told you without proof, you esteemed board members wouldn't believe it.

Return-Path: <lschaier@avotec.com>
Received: from granger.mail.mindspring.net ([207.69.200.148])
by osgood.mail.mindspring.net (Mindspring Mail Service) with ESMTP id sinkhr.i03.30ahi43
Wed, 24 May 2000 08:59:39 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from schaier (user-1054gms.dsl.mindspring.com [64.82.66.220])
by granger.mail.mindspring.net (8.9.3/8.8.5) with SMTP id IAA11469;
Wed, 24 May 2000 08:59:38 -0400 (EDT)
Message-Id: <2.2.32.20000524125559.0068f944@pop.mindspring.com>
X-Sender: lschaier@pop.mindspring.com
X-Mailer: Windows Eudora Pro Version 2.2 (32)
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"
Date: Wed, 24 May 2000 08:55:59 -0400
To: radiosigs@mindspring.com
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Subject: Cease and decist
Cc: abuse@mindspring.com

Do not send me any email. I am not interested in what you have to say on any subject and find your comments about my family, my beliefs and me very disturbing.

Len Schaier

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4830. Re: AF2Y says PHOOEY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ggqt9$h5u$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110541

Thanks for the input, Mickey and give my regards to Minnie. All kidding aside Peter, he laces my inbox with trash language and then becomes indignant over a defense that turns into an offense. He calls my family members trying to turn them against me. He runs to MindSpring crying like a baby. It's like this, Pete; he runs his own ISP and ought to be thankful because if he were on an independent, he would have been censured for the garbage he's been throwing my way.
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In article <392BE86D.397437B5@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

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4831. Re: Abuse of the language

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ggr1q$9ho$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110542

Whazzta matter you? Ain'tcha ever hoid of "Back to the Future?"

In article <luOW4.26198$Ft1.1181338@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>, "Burt"
<k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

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> "W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:392B1426.FBE5D1EC@oio.net...
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> Is there any such thing as planning behind?
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> Is anything post recorded?
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> Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
> will see:
>
> 1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
> 2. Really interesting answering machine messages
> 3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
> 4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
> 5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
> 6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
> 7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
> 8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
> 9. An amazing card game that will shock others
> 10. Pictures of me and my family.
> 11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
> 12. See now the future of ham radio.
> 13. How to pass the A+ Certification
>
> Burt Fisher
> A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
> Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
> K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have
>
> http://hfradio.org/k1oik/
>
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4832. Morse exercises No.24

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC - Frank Schmitte <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8ggr2gtsa1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 110543
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr24_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr24_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr24_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.
ï¿½
--
cw is the most fundamental thing in amateur radio
!!!! so let your fingers talk !!!!

4833. Re: CATTLE CAR LENNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: leaky washer <incuntanintoya@amishonline.com>
Message-ID: <bXSW4.31402$S31.608832@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110544

Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com> wrote in message
news:392BDB02.41818185@avotec.com...
> You are terrific!

I know that I am. :)

Just take a peek at my latest patent.
Sold 120K of em so far! Thank Glub
for Prof. Carter and my BSME from
UCLA that made it all possible.

www.patents.ibm.com/details?patent_number=5501650

4834. Re: AF2Y says PHOOEY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gh665$n06$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110545

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> > You're better than that.
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> He knows, how to spell fuck!
<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4835. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <392BD213.810142D2@cats-net.com>
Source record: 110546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

zincplaterubberant wrote:
>
> "T.L. Bryant" <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote in message
> news:8gc52g019i7@enews1.newsguy.com...
> > The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers
> to
> > ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
> >
> > The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that
> they're
> > doing something "better" than someone else.
>
> While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
> reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
> mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
> are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
> to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
> this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
> numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.

There is an elite in each and every field of endeavor. There are people
who are very good at something, people are pretty average and a small
number of people who do it very poorly. The same is certainly true of
amateur radio.

You'll probably be frightened when you read the obituary column of your
local paper, Mr. Troll. People are dying at a good clip. America is
graying. Maybe you can find a way to blame the amateur radio morse exam
for that as well.

> It is, of course, too late to reverse this trend. Even if code was
> eliminated
> tomorrow for all licence classes regardless, you would not pry the 15-22
> year old (male) crowd away from technology like the Internet. I asked a
> 17 year old once if he knew what ham radio was? He said that "his
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> was interested in it, he said: "..nahh, that radio stuff is boring and it's
> full of old
> men who put you to sleep". (I conducted this interview in 1999 at a computer
> show)

I had a supermarket clerk just a little older try to pass me a store
coupon a few years back. I thanked her and said, "No, I won't be here

to use it--I live in Finland." Her response was, "Is that like a different country or something?" Your point was?

Dave Heil 5H3US, K8MN

4836. AF2Y: Get some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <392c03cc.74110077@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 110547

Get some help, Doc. You are a very very sick man.

4837. Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <06940d9d.99959823@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>
Source record: 110548

Hey good buddies, anyone know Herb's e-mail address? Sure would like to see him on this particular site. 'Far as I know, he can even use his call on the internet. Ain't too much that Hollingsworthless can do about it either. Old Herbie has got to be one of the sharpest knives in the ham radio drawer.

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4838. Re: Guns: the truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gypsy <Gypsy_cruiser@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <xSTW4.10423$LM4.734147@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 110549

Guns and ham radio are a very poor mix. I have to hide my 45 whenever I am using my Kenwood HT. There is this little voice in my head that says "shoot the damm radio, shoot the damm radio"

Larry

4839. Re: Guns: the truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <127a6879.ac537c8f@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110550

Gypsy, you are the personification of self-control. Weird,
too; lot's of people running for all kinds of public office
this year. Ask the lot of them as to which is the freest
and most prosperous country in the world; to a man, they'd
most likely answer the USA. There's the conundrum, how did
the USA get that way with all these guns floating around?

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4840. The SGC-2020 QRP RIG!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjw@NOSPAM321cue.com
Message-ID: <392c10b1.1556018@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110551

THE SGC 2020 QRP RIG......

After reading all the posts regarding the SGC-2020 on WWW.EHAM.COM, I don't think I would buy one at this time.. .A LOT of bugs that SGC must address.....(and it seems they know) Many are still present.....Including poor receive audio..CW relay noise...DRIFT.. .CHIRP....Flaky shift saves in memory...A plug that likes to fall out a lot.... Come on SGC...

4841. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392C10D2.46898396@oio.net>
Source record: 110552

wolf,
He may be one of the sharpest knives in the ham radio
drawer, to bad that 'blade' is slightly 'bent'.
And whywould Hollingsworth care if the 'Festering Zit'
was on the internet?
'Doc

4842. Re: Shack building tips for new house?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KUM/9 <d.breeden@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Message-ID: <392C1296.AD9486FA@NOSPAMwcom.com>
Source record: 110553

I will second most of the other suggestions.

Power Now is the time to put it in. I currently have 3 double pairs of duplex 15/20A outlets for a total of 6 duplex outlets, no need for a power strip. Good quality also, Hubbell, not the $.98 home superstore crap. Add more outlets as you feel are necessary, 220V 30A if you need an amp, even if it is only 15 or 20 amps are necessary, you can always derate the line with a smaller breaker and outlet, just fatter wire.

If memory serves me right, NEC limits 6 outlets to a breaker.

Also, even if you don't think you will need it, have you house serviced with as big of residential service as the local power company provides. Usually 117/234V 200A 2 phase service. Although, in Maryland, BG&E offered 117/208 225A 3 phase service to my father as an option! Surprisingly enough, GE makes a 3 phase residential service entrances (breaker) panel.

I have semi-sunken home (raised ranch or split foyer depending on where you live) and have a ground rod about 18" out from the house which I run about 24" of 10ga wire to a 3/8" x 24" water pipe on the wall for a common ground point. The wire could be better.

To get my cables outside, I have a 2" PVC pipe out the wall with a 90 degree elbow facing down and I stuff it with a piece of poly? pillow material out of an old pillow (duh) wrapped in some nylon tent material to keep critters from using it as nesting material.

I have a couple of those large ladder/bike hooks to route my cables neatly along the wall.

Other non-ham items to consider

Wire all rooms with-

25 pair cat 5, or to pinch a few pennies cat 3, cable. Multi-line telephone, LAN, intercom etc.
2, yes 2 75 ohm coaxial cables, maybe even 3. Cable TV, many are 2 cable systems, satelight, regular TV, etc.
Wiring for remote stereo speakers.

Again, while the wall are open, this is the time to do it.

Congradulations and 73's

Dennis WB3KUM/9

4843. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0e52d6f8.b20c3c4d@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110554

Thanks for the kind thoughts and info, Paul. I'd hope that
you feel better now.

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4844. FS: Mobile tube/high voltage power supplies for txer's or amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon <toomuchstuff@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <J8UW4.28395$T41.689903@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110555
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

One Swan 412 mobile transceiver power supply for unknown model Swan setup.
One homebrew but very nice, heavy duty toroidal multi-output power supply
for transmitter or tube amplifier. Detailed specs and photos at
www.hightechspecialties.com . Respond via toomuchstuff@pobox.com . thx

4845. CW -- I want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <aschlies@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <392c139f$1_2@corp.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 110556

I am taking a breather between professional examinations. I don't have the stomach to crack the books for my professional exam for a few weeks -- so I wanted to pick up CW the best I can over the next few weeks. I think that I if I can get over the hump of learning the letters and being able to copy at a reasonable rate, the rest will be down hill and speed increases will be a matter of practice.

I drive to work -- a 60 min. trip one way. I am looking for some code tapes to listen to while driving. While I understand that I'll will need to copy on paper what I hear (while not driving!) to get the full effect, I hope that while driving I can use this time productively to achieve my goal.

Question: I know there are readers who have a lot of experience at teaching someone new. I would like to receive recommendations on tapes that you feel are good for a beginner. From my reading the Farnsworth method is highly rated and would like "Farnsworth" tapes.

Also, would like to find some software (I don't mind paying for it) to run on my PC to help "spice" up the copy. I don't want to "memorize" tapes -- I want to learn -- so I would also like to hear about some titles of software (and URL's if they exist) on quality software to go along with the program.

Thank You
Tony N8XJA

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4846. Re: CW -- I want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy John <jj@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <4A8A59F2BDCDD311BFC800508BA36AC8028165BE@GECKO>
Source record: 110557

I recorded the output of a free Windows program called "MorseCat" onto some tapes and then used that. MorseCat can be found by most search engines.

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4847. Ham Radio Horizons wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jh-lewis@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <awVW4.51$Cx4.16451@nnrp3.sbc.net>
Source record: 110558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

I'm looking for copies of Ham Radio Horizons - a complete set or whatever copies you may have.

Will buy magazines and pay for shipping...

Thanks,

John

4848. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: leaky washer <incuntanintoya@amishonline.com>
Message-ID: <GxVW4.31732$S31.618797@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110559

wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote in message
news:06940d9d.99959823@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com...
> Hey good buddies, anyone know Herb's e-mail address? Sure
> would like to see him on this particular site.

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This is a recording.... Batteries not included

4849. Re: Yaesu VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <392C2931.38885E86@shecora.com>
Source record: 110560

EDMONTON wrote:
>
> Is it just me, or are the manuals for this thing the worst?
>
> When pressing [F/W] then [BAND] it takes me to the menu...
> Is this menu for the over all radio, or is it used for each memory.

Yes! Some are global and some are for the current memory channel.
Most are for the current channel and not the saved channel. If you
make any changes such as offset, you will need to save the channel
again or you will lose it when you change channels.

> Also there is no mention on how to erase a memory for one repeater.

You have to have software to erase channels.

You may want to join the VX5 list on onelist.com

It really is a great radio.

--
Darryl Wagoner DE WA1GON
603-598-6500 x929

4850. Re: help: fcc database

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005242007030.131-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110561

On Tue, 23 May 2000, Davev wrote:
> Is there a 'url' at the FCC that I can check dailey to see the upgrades in
> ham tix that they went thru ?
> If so where ?
> tnx de dave-n2rhl/ag

http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/uls - then check on either license or application search, select "general", input your callsign, then pull up "application" if the license grant doesn't already show your upgrade. If there's no application, then the VEC hasn't yet sent in the information.

4851. THANK YOU ALL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Davev <dvari@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <e1XW4.2269$D%2.54537@news1.news.adelphia.net>
Source record: 110562

tnx ! de dave-n2rhl/ag

Davev <dvari@adelphia.net> wrote in message
news:pGBW4.2131$D%2.50477@news1.news.adelphia.net...
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> ham tix that they went thru ?
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>

4852. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8ghhfb$h30$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110563

It's Herbs@VIprison.com

In article <06940d9d.99959823@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>, wolf
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4853. UO-14 satellite tracking information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael1998@webtv.net
Message-ID: <809-392C4BCC-69@storefull-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110564

Can anyone tell me of a good program on the internet to track the OSCAR 14 satellite with? I have seen other real-time programs for tracking amateur satellites, but not the UO-14 satellite. Any idea approximately how many times a day the satellite passes directly over the East coast? I understand the satellite is very easy to work with a dual band ht or mobile rig. Anybody who has worked the satellite can you help? Thanks a lot!

Mike KU4UV

4854. Re: The SGC-2020 QRP RIG!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <siolvia8o130@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110565

RJW,

Glad you read the posts on Eham. The rig is just o.k. I'm not a CW fan so the noisy relay is no big deal. My biggest disappointment is that they have not done anything to improve the shortcomings of the radio and SGC could sure learn a few things about customer relations and how to service the customer. Two years in a row I went to talk with them at Dayton and they cannot even answer relatively simple questions.

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> a lot.... Come on SGC...
>

4855. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <siomjkbho149@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

So you're the guy I saw loading up all those laptops! WI0T and I were
wondering what the hell you were going to do with those things.

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"Paul Kasley" <kasley@fnal.gov> wrote in message
news:8ggpqdhec1@info3.fnal.gov...
>
> J. Duffy Beischel <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote in message
> news:singm49po131@corp.supernews.com...
> > One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty,
> > abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same
> radio
> > new....well fleamarket vendors....the new equipment vendors thank you
> from
> > the bottom of their hearts!!!
> >
> > If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be
> half of
> > what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a
> > warranty and the equipment looks nice, just like the way I treat my
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> -----
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> night on the curb with the rest of the household garbage. It's kinda
> like buying a lottery ticket - you know every ticket is a loser, but the
> chance that it might be a winner makes it worth throwing away a dollar.
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> tube on computer #4. It works fine.
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> Buy it if the price is right and you are confident of your ability to
> fix it. If you are technically inept, you can't use this rule to justify
> a purchase.
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> Example: I bought three beater Tektronix oscilloscopes for a total of
> $65. I sold two immediately and recovered my costs plus $15. The last
> scope will get benched this weekend. If it lites up, I'll check it out
> and give it to a neighborhood high school kid with no money that has
> been lusting for a real lab-grade scope.
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> Rule 3-
> Buy it if it has some intrinsic value other than its obvious use. Again,
> technical ineptitude voids this rule.
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> Example: I bought a stack of old laptops for prices ranging from $10 to
> $25 each, expecting some to fire up and others to be DOA. Sure 'nuf,
> half have life, half are scrap. The ones with life I'll refurbish and
> either give to the kids for schoolwork or resell. From the dead ones
> I'll easily recover the purchase price in parts, subassemblies, and
> batteries ($10 for a Compaq battery is a bargain compared to retail).
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> who needed it to figure out how to reassemble a similar unit that he was
> repairing. He got both a template and a bunch o' repair parts for a very
> nominal cost.
> -----
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> The best deal of the weekend was the three Motorola 100W VHF Syntor
> radios I found abandoned on Sunday morning. The insides of all three
> drawers are clean. A little bastardization of the control board to

> reprogram them onto 2M and a little work to move the VCO and I'll have
> three fine radios to swap into existing mobile installations.
>
> I went inside at Dayton all three days - to take a pee and to turn in my
> ticket stub. Why should I go to Dayton to pay full price and blOhio
> sales tax for the same stuff that I can get from a catalog or web-site?
> Where's the adventure in opening a box and plugging into the wall?
>
> If you are an appliance op, don't bother with the flea market or any
> hamfest.
>
> If you aren't willing to take a chance, stay home.
>
> If you not interested in teaching yourself something new, buy from a
> catalog.
>
> As for getting great gear at 50% off? - the only time that happens is
> when the seller is absolutely clueless about what he has. And that
> doesn't happen often. And I still assume it doesn't work.
>
> I guess your Dayton experience really depends on your expectations and
> your attitude.
>
> --
> Paul Kasley W9TS
> kasley@fnal.gov
> Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Batavia, IL
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4856. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <i7_W4.52484$g41.2230923@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 110567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Very well put Paul!

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> reprogram them onto 2M and a little work to move the VCO and I'll have
> three fine radios to swap into existing mobile installations.
>
> I went inside at Dayton all three days - to take a pee and to turn in my
> ticket stub. Why should I go to Dayton to pay full price and blOhio
> sales tax for the same stuff that I can get from a catalog or web-site?
> Where's the adventure in opening a box and plugging into the wall?
>
> If you are an appliance op, don't bother with the flea market or any
> hamfest.
>
> If you aren't willing to take a chance, stay home.
>
> If you not interested in teaching yourself something new, buy from a

> catalog.
>
> As for getting great gear at 50% off? - the only time that happens is
> when the seller is absolutely clueless about what he has. And that
> doesn't happen often. And I still assume it doesn't work.
>
> I guess your Dayton experience really depends on your expectations and
> your attitude.
>
> ---
> Paul Kasley W9TS
> kasley@fnal.gov
> Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Batavia, IL
>
>
>

4857. Heros Web Page?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <siovlpjio1178@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110568

Anyone attend the Heros get together in Dayton? Do they have a web page?

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess
guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
to get the Clintons

4858. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392C8B96.8864E613@oio.net>
Source record: 110569

wolf,
Oh, I do. What you need to remember is that any more
that common courtesy has to be earned. A lack of common
courtesy is usually earned too.
'Doc / Paul

4859. Re: LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <edgar.nospam@penn.com>
Message-ID: <MR0X4.570$Vj5.1925@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110570

The ARRL VEC just added an additional 8 people to help process VE test session paperwork.
They are currently processing test paperwork received by the ARRL VEC on April 24th.

A web site has been established for people to check when their test paperwork was received by the ARRL VEC and you can go to it at:
http://www.arrl.org/arrlvec/status.html

- Bill

Larry W4CSC <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message news:6D90BDE8FD386816.090EA598E7C0EA3D.C1AAA558DB8548A1@lp.airnews.net...
> The Charleston SC ARRL test session of 4/15/2K also showed up on the
> FCC database on the 22nd.
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> Yesterday I couldn't even SPELL E-x-t-r-a! Now I are one!
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> Larry....
>
>
> On Tue, 23 May 2000 19:02:37 -0700, hillbillydave
> <davesNOdaSPAM@oztech.com.invalid> wrote:
>
> >our club (North Ark Amateur Radio Society) sent a bunch off on
> >4-15-00 they showed up on the FCC data base yesterday, the
> >22nd. so looks like about 5 weeks
> >
> >dave
> >KG5XR
> >
> >* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> >The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
> >
>

4860. Re: UO-14 satellite tracking information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Grey <cdma77@aol.com>
Message-ID: <392CA50F.6AC9@aol.com>
Source record: 110571

Michael Brown wrote:
>
> Can anyone tell me of a good program on the internet to track the OSCAR
> 14 satellite with? I have seen other real-time programs for tracking
> amateur satellites, but not the UO-14 satellite. Any idea approximately
> how many times a day the satellite passes directly over the East coast?
> I understand the satellite is very easy to work with a dual band ht or
> mobile rig. Anybody who has worked the satellite can you help? Thanks
> a lot!
>
> Mike KU4UV

Mike,

I use a program called Winorbit. It is free and it works pretty good.
Make sure you get a fresh set of Keps. Check Amsat.org to get the link
to download this program. Let me know if you have any other questions
about uo-14.

jeff
n8eip

4861. Re: AF2Y about WZ0T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gfi8khfe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110606

In article <8gegk9$d8c$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> WZOT was a very sick man who had a life threatening heart condition and see
> an OSTEOPATH for it. Can you imagine that? An osteopath? They call
> themselves PHYSICIANS no less but in acuality are a step above chiropractors
> whom I consider as a nationwide menace.
> I ought to know. I was educated at N.Y.U. College of Dentistry and Medicine
> complex in New York City. I am a retired D.D.S. who has been socially and
> fraternally friendly with men in my own field as well as physicians
> specializing in cardiology, urology, immunology and general practice. This
> North Jersey-N.Y.C. Metro area boasts of the best in medicine in the world
> and my advice to Scotty, WZ0T, was well meant and sincere. I got him out of
> the grip of the osteopath and into the hands of a cardiologist and heart
> surgeon who performed the open heart surgery that saved his life. And here
> are two e-mails received from WZ0T which go to prove his appreciation.
> Number one
> _____
> Better be that tham a foolish JEW keep off my internet connect PLEASE/
> Scotty
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
> To: <ke9ry@peoplepc.com.w4rcl@aol.com>; "w2csq" <dickcsq@aol.com>; "rich
> whiten > >>" <richwhiten@aol.com>; <jcunham@aol.com>; "graham dyer > >>"
> <grahmd@netrover.com>; <gpmel@snet.net>; "daniel l. jeswald > >>"
> <w4nti@mindspring.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>; "calvin scott"
> <wz0t@mo-net.com>
> Sent: Tuesday, May 23, 2000 8:17 AM
> Subject: Re: <no subject>
>
> > > Well Doc you helped me now let me help you go see a srink, your head in
> a
> > > mess
> > >
> >
> > > And besides Scotty, you're the last one who should talk about a shrink.
> > > Anyone who drives 1,500 miles with a dog to a Hamvention, has an
> argument
> > > about the dog that should have been left at home and then turns around
> and
> > > immediately drives 1,500 miles home is just about the wackiest fool I
> ever
> > > heard of. And to think I busted my can going out of my way to direct you
> to
> > > the proper physician instead of that ridiculous osteopath you were

> seeing
> > > who couldn't diagnose a major heart condition from a hole in the wall,
> was a
> > > waste of time and trouble. You ought to be ashamed of yourself, you
> > > goddamned ingrate. I should have sent you to a veterinarian.
> > > AF2Y
> ----------
> And here's the second which says it all.
> ----------
>
> To bad Hitler is not around to deal with you, people like you I can
> understand why just why hitler did what he did
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
> To: <ke9ry@peoplepc.com.w4rcl@aol.com>; "w2csq" <dickcsq@aol.com>; "rich
> whiten > >>" <richwhiten@aol.com>; <jcunham@aol.com>; "graham dyer > >>"
> <grahmd@netrover.com>; <gpmel@snet.net>; "daniel l. jeswald > >>"
> <w4nti@mindspring.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>; "calvin scott"
> <wz0t@mo-net.com>
> Sent: Tuesday, May 23, 2000 8:17 AM
> Subject: Re: <no subject>
> ----------
> Scotty, you're one of the lowest pieces of anti-Semitic dirt I've ever
> mistaken for being a nice guy and I look forward to sending your wife a
> condolence card.
>
> AF2Y, Doc
>

Charles is a little confused, I remember the time when he told everyone
that he had graduated from Columbia Universiry, and now he claims to be a
graduate of NYU. this idiot is confused, I also remember when he told
everyone that his buddy WB9BCC was a Medal OF Honor recipient, Mr. Cottone
from the FBI set him straight. Now he engages in sending people unsolicited
e-mail, Big MISTAKE !!! Get a grip Charlie, the walls are closing in.

>

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4862. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <392b1ebb.85575684@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 110607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 22 May 2000 15:48:23 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>T.L. Bryant wrote
>>"Why are there no *young* newcomers to
>>ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>
>I don't think so. If that were the case, they would be dropping out *after*
>getting the license and going on the air (to be allegedly snubbed). The real
>reason is that there are many more technical activities these days for
>teenagers that don't require any code or license. If there was an Internet
>and computers in 1957 when I was a teenager, I likely wouldn't be a ham
>today...

You logic has the flaw that most hams seem first to find (or
at least seek) help form say local clubs and encounter it there before
license. As far I can tell I am relitvely rare in getting my license
before any contact with local hams

>
>>The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who have
>>nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
>>problems, and the weather.
>
>The elite person you complain about might think he was better than these old
>hams. He might write a post complaining about their physical looks, their
>race, and their on the air content...
>
>
>
>

4863. Re: Guns: the truth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000523204007.06023.00000734@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 110608

Dan I hope you realize that the author of that post snipped out the portion that those statements, "the gun is the problem" refered to. Trying to make it LOOK as though * I * said such a thing as "my" opinion. It actually was refering to himself (Jeff & Doc). LOL. More Spin and twisting peoples words is all it is Dan. >

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.communicate> wrote:
>> >The gun is the problem, the gun is the problem.
>>
>> Ah, he finally sees the light.
>>
>The "gun" is a non thinking inanimate object. It can not act
>independent of the "user".
>
>The person is the problem, not the gun.
>
>And to counter the arguement of "without guns there would be no
>problem". When you show me HOW you are going to get the weapons out of
>the hands of the "bad guys" I'll gladly turn mine in. In the meantinme
>I'm adding more and more to the stockpile.
>
>Why is there such a problem with guns? Drugs? Why drugs? The US
>Government wants it that way. That way they can convince the non
>thinkers out there that we have to elliminate the guns. See...DUHHHH.
>
>
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

4864. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@oneleven.net
Message-ID: <392b1f63.85743059@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 110609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 23 May 2000 13:48:09 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>What kind of general am I, well I'm a general nuisance......
>
Ok I buy that a general nuisance but of course by admiting that sooner
you could have saved a lot of troublem but I guess that would be too
much to ask

4865. Re: Who is this old bastard on the Liberty Net?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000523204219.06023.00000736@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 110610

Sheesh and out comes all of the aol aliases that haven't been "used" in awhile.
We know who they are. LOL

4866. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000523205422.10818.00002688@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 110611

In article <8gf2aaagl1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>Did you make any counter-offers with cash in hand? Bargaining is part
>of the fun.

Absolutely. Cash talks. Especially towards the end of the 'fest.

4867. Re: AF2Y about WZ0T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gfnhi$39q$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110612

hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:
> Charles is a little confused, I remember the time when he told everyone
>that he had graduated from Columbia Universiry, and now he claims to be a
>graduate of NYU.

You should understand that rarely does one receive their undergraduate
and graduate degrees from the same institution. Doc apparently earned
his BA from Columbia and his doctorate from NYU.
73, Jeff

4868. Re: Extra test...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <0F19DD19AC7F98C2.9E25740EDBBA75DE.F008A41D30F1EA0D@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110613

On Tue, 23 May 2000 14:52:56 -0500, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>
>
>Forensic Ornithologist,
> You've gotta tell me.... does a 'forensic ornithologist'
>study dead birds??
> 'Doc

Yes, a forensic ornithologist at Clemson University identified a bird
that had died in my petshop with Clamydia....a very dangerous disease.
Luckily, none of my other birds contracted it because of our
quarantine procedures.

Larry
W4CSC

4869. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gfopm$4fr$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110614

TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:
>>TooManyRadios wrote:

>>>Say what you will about Burt, but he's dead-on with this
>>>assessment. The reason all these old hams are whining is because the
>>>movie portrays amateur radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the
>>>PAST. An accurate portrayal indeed,

>>Yet the bands are jumping with wall to wall signals. No room on 40m
>>at night to call CQ. 15m has a "no vacancy" sign on it at this moment.

>What would you guess to be the average age of the participants in these QSOs?
>At least over 50, I would guess.

Ham radio never was a young man's game. Yet, 50+ is not old! I'm 46
and have three state records in swimming. I'm certain I could out-
swim anyone on this NG in any distance now and when I turn 50; I
continue to train daily.

>I didn't say amateur radio is "dead", I said that it is headed in this
>direction.

Re-read what you wrote in the top paragraph:

>>>radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the PAST. An accurate
>>>portrayal indeed,

You called it a deceased hobby. Now you say you didn't state that.

>analog voice transmission will soon be a relic of a bygone era.

Mental telepathy has been perfected?

>The
>continued insistence of Morse code knowledge for
>higher-class licensees only serves to accelerate the process by discouraging
>newcomers.

With as crowded as the bands are, we could use a moratorium on new
licensees. But I fail to see why you're interested in attracting new-
comers; you have nothing good to say about ham radio:

>>>radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the PAST. An accurate
>>>portrayal indeed,

73, Jeff KH6O

4870. Re: LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <6D90BDE8FD386816.090EA598E7C0EA3D.C1AAA558DB8548A1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110615

The Charleston SC ARRL test session of 4/15/2K also showed up on the
FCC database on the 22nd.

Yesterday I couldn't even SPELL E-x-t-r-a! Now I are one!

Larry....

On Tue, 23 May 2000 19:02:37 -0700, hillbillydave
<davesNOdaSPAM@oztech.com.invalid> wrote:

>our club (North Ark Amateur Radio Society) sent a bunch off on
>4-15-00 they showed up on the FCC data base yesterday, the
>22nd. so looks like about 5 weeks
>
>dave
>KG5XR
>
>* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
>The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

4871. Re: How cheaply can I build/buy it? Attn TOm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jean-Fran&#65533;ois FOURCADIER <jf.fourcadier@wanadoo.fr_NOSPAM>
Message-ID: <8gfqhu$l91$1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 110616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sure !

Look at :

http://hem.passagen.se/sm0vpo/use/cavity.htm

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73 de F4DAY

Jean-Fran&#65533;ois FOURCADIER

General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> a &#65533;crit dans le message : 392316A6.1D86502C@ahole.com...
You're such a dork.....

Tom Bruhns wrote:
>
> Bob wrote:
> >
> > The simplest receiver is a diode detector. Originally known as a
crystal
> > set. Requires no batteries or transistors or tubes. Only receives AM.
>
> Oh, a challenge! I'll bet I can receive FM on one... Of course, I DO
> need to add some tuned circuits, or at least one tuned circuit. But
> for sure there's no reason I couldn't build a ratio detector with just
> diodes and tuned circuits, tuned directly to an FM station. And slope
> detection is even simpler. Stereo might be a bit tough, though. ;-)
>
> Cheers,
> Tom

4872. Re: AF2Y about WZ0T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8ggchj$3e0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110617

In article <8gfnhi$39q$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > Charles is a little confused, I remember the time when he told
everyone
> >that he had graduated from Columbia Universiry, and now he claims to
be a
> >graduate of NYU.
>
> You should understand that rarely does one receive their undergraduate
> and graduate degrees from the same institution. Doc apparently earned
> his BA from Columbia and his doctorate from NYU.
> 73, Jeff
> Where did he get his BIG MOUTH?

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4873. Abuse of the language

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <luOW4.26198$Ft1.1181338@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110618

"W5LZ" <w5lz@oio.net> wrote in message news:392B1426.FBE5D1EC@oio.net...
> Brett,
> Now thats the way to do it! Planning ahead is usually a
'Doc

Is there any such thing as planning behind?
Like "pre recorded " or " recorded earlier."
Is anything post recorded?

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

1. Access to oldies mp3 (albeit on an irregular basis)
2. Really interesting answering machine messages
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. A guide to the best ham pages ever.
5. Hear Ted Kennedy really screw up in front of Clinton
6. Actually sounds of Bill Clinton "after the lov'in".
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. An amazing card game that will shock others
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.
13. How to pass the A+ Certification

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

http://hfradio.org/k1oik/

4874. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <5sOW4.26195$Ft1.1181529@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110619

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8gfopm$4fr$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Ham radio never was a young man's game. Yet, 50+ is not old! I'm 46
> and have three state records in swimming. I'm certain I could out-
> swim anyone on this NG in any distance now and when I turn 50; I
> continue to train daily.

The average age of hams when I came in in 1959 was 27, now it is 55.
Hams are old white fat white men for the most part.
Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

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4875. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4ATS <grassa@mpinet.net>
Message-ID: <392BB06E.C1F3030E@mpinet.net>
Source record: 110620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

DITTO.....And you are quite right , I bought 3 Hand Held DMM's out in the back for $10.00 each. They were new but of course they were "off brand" and she had about 500 of them. But OK for the Car , Boat , whatever. The thing that got me was all the "Flea Market" people who ran over and bought them by the stacks and then put them with their "junk" on their tables and tried to pawn them off for $20.00 and up!!! Whats the deal here? I walked around out back for about 1/2 a day but found it much more appealing to be inside with the vendors. I think the sum up of this chat is that the "Flea Market" people just like carting their junk around from fest to fest.In all honesty , I did see some "junk" that was in Orlando at it's ham fest last year. Used radios were only a few percent lower than the cost of new ones and were in the sun all day as well as filthy. I would like to say that the hot dogs were good at the barbeque place though....

N4ATS

4876. Society of Amateur Radio Programmers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Johnson <kb5ylg@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <392bc3ca_1@news1.prserv.net>
Source record: 110621

Now forming...

http://www.geocities.com/kb5ylg

4877. Re: I need help with temporary antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8ggptn$d6b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110622

In article <20000523175519.12363.00000766@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
n9yln@aol.com (N9YLN) wrote:
> Hello!
> I need a temporary antenna to set up when I go visit family. I was
thinking of
> an Outbacker antenna and using it on their tripod. But I don't like
the idea of
> having to run outside all the time in all types of weather just to
change the
> tap and stinger every time I decide to change bands.I was also
thinking of a
> random wire and antenna tuner but there is really no place to string
one up at.
> Is there any other kind of antenna which would fit my needs?
> Please email me with any suggestions and/or URLs for any other brand
of antenna
> that might work. My email add. is: N9YLN@aol.com
> Thanks in advance for your help in this matter!
> 73
> Renee N9YLN
>
Whats a "stinger"?.

If you have access to a window here is a simple little toy that works
well.

Get a old fishing pole. Get some small insulated wire. Wrap about 1
wave of wire on the fishing pole. Hook it to a tuner and adjust for
resonance. You should also hang a 1/4 wave wire on the ground of the
coax (at the antenna base) to act as the counterpoise.

You want to wrap the wire tight. How do you stick it out the window?
I used a paper holder from a clip board. Use your imagination.

Remember; Anything will radiate, its the degree of efficiency thereof.

You can use that phrase, just give me credit..hi.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4878. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <singm49po131@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty, abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same radio new....well fleamarket vendors....the new equipment vendors thank you from the bottom of their hearts!!!

If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be half of what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a warranty and the equipment looks nice, just like the way I treat my equipment.

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4879. Re: CATTLE CAR LENNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: leaky washer <incuntanintoya@amishonline.com>
Message-ID: <GUPW4.31096$S31.597135@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110624

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gehmq$so3$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...

> Getting back to the pix of Dayton, it turned
> out that Lenny had been in the
> same loop as I to receive them and
> I simply contacted the sender to tell him
> NOT to send me anything he was privy too.
> And what happened? All hell broke
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Doc: There was once was another screwball interloper
who was in desperate need of a regimine of Lithium
KHD and a rubber room. His call was "wb4gdp". I understand
that "Boxcar Billy" one day entertained some Gentlemen
and then the next day all of his talk about "walk-in microwave
ovens" with Herbie and company on 14.313 suddenly disappeared
from the airwaves. Just a thought. ;)

4880. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000524091110.15975.00002611@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 110625

In article <8gfopm$4fr$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>With as crowded as the bands are, we could use a moratorium on new
>licensees. But I fail to see why you're interested in attracting new-
>comers; you have nothing good to say about ham radio:

Given your continual nit-picking and rants in this newsgroup, you aren't exactly a great public relations poster boy for the hobby yourself.

4881. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000524091111.15975.00002612@nso-cg.aol.com>
Source record: 110626

Regarding the high prices being charged at swap tables: I'd say the proliferation of eBay has a lot to do with this. As more and more hams become "net literate", they realize their used gear will fetch substantially higher prices if they auction it online. It then becomes a matter of simple economics and common sense. Why would someone sell, for example, a cellular-capable scanner for $75 at the hamfest when it will fetch $175 on eBay?

4882. Re: Propagation Worst in History?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gp2 <bob4cfNOboSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <20732b8c.6781756e@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>
Source record: 110627

In article <YBhT4.61777$fF5.1940979@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>, "Gil Baron W0MN" <gbaron@usa.net> wrote:
> What is going on? I have never in my 47 years seen propagation so
> poor
> as it has been for the last week. It is still bad. Basically above
> 4
> Mhz is dead.
> Is it that or has everyone junked their radios?
> It is not my radio as nearly as I can tell as some things from
> tine to
> tine do come through well. I just scanned 20 Mtrs and heard ONE
> signal!
> --
> Gil Baron W0MN http://members.home.net/gbaron/
> Bailar es vivir" 44:04.925 N 92:30.758 W 1055'
> "Cuatro caminos hay en mi vida. Cual de los cuatro sera el mejor"

Have been involved in SWLing for 45 years and hamming for 11. This solar cycle so far is one of the most disappointing. The 1958 peak, by contrast, was hotter than a firecracker. I think it was that season which confirmed me as a lifelong radio addict.
---gp2

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4883. Re: Shack building tips for new house?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5KAP <w5kapNOw5SPAM@qsl.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <29b1e7fe.6637daf5@usw-ex0105-036.remarq.com>
Source record: 110628

Brett, I just finished doing what you'rte thinking of and I have
a few suggestions from what Id di right and what I didn't do
right! I have a serious grounding problem because I am on the
second floor. Please take that into consideration if a 2 story
is in the plans. I had the electrician isolate that room and
put it on a separate breaker. I should have included a 220
outlet for later use of an amp but I didn't. Couldn't hurt to
have it. I also had my builder install a 1 1/2 inch PVC pipe
through the wall (with a slight downward angle to the outside)
to allow cable runs into the room. I use common sponges to plug
the inside and outside of the pipe once the cables were run. It
sould not cost too much more to have the room isolated
electrically. Also make sure you put plenty (and I mean plenty)
of outlets on the wall. It is amazing how many wall warts are
required by todays ancillary equipment. I had plenty put in and
I still have a bunch of terminal strips hanging on them!

By the way, if possible, in the room you choose as your shack,
have them build a false wall. Access to behind this wall will
allow you to hide all the cables. Wives like this feature I
have found!! If you have basement (not down here in Texas) it
gets even simpler. Makes sure the ground rods are driven when
the foundation is poured. Connect them to a central grounding
point. Utilize the ceiling for cable runs etc. Many
possibilites!

Hope this helps a little. Best of luck with the new house.

73 de Kenn W5KAP

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4884. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Randy E. Randall" <randy_randall@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sinlddbao1154@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110629
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

If I was selling something for that much I would at least clean it up!
Randy.
p.s. Makes you wonder what their QTH looks like!

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4885. Re: CATTLE CAR LENNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Message-ID: <392BDB02.41818185@avotec.com>
Source record: 110630

You are terrific!

leaky washer wrote:

> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8gehmq$so3$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
>
> > Getting back to the pix of Dayton, it turned
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> from the airwaves. Just a thought. ;)

4886. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392BF50A.DF6C42F@ahole.com>
Source record: 110631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Awe go on Jeff, you're just pulling my leg RIGHT.....:)

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <392A9243.EE14DE2@ahole.com>,
> General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >And the FCC started the "elitism' by issuing calls specific to the
> >class of privileges.
>
> Would you believe they're now issuing three-character calls to
> those who've been licensed for 25 years and have been nice, law-
> abiding amateurs?
>
> 73, Jeff KH6
>
> =:o

4887. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Pierce <piercej@preferred.com>
Message-ID: <392BDB05.B4FAB0BE@preferred.com>
Source record: 110632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I personally believe that Tom's view is only true to a small point.
The real culprit is technical evolution. Back in the pre personal
computer days Ham Radio was the real ticket for technical hobbies. Now,
video games, i.e. Playstations, etc, computer and internet have
supplanted it. I was one of the first in NE Tenn to use packet (before
TNC2s, used Xerox 820s with Phil Karn's TNC program and home made
modems). It was really neat, sending E-mail and downloading programs via
ham radio. Now lets face it, it is in most cases impractical if the
Internet is available.

Personal com on the roads? Cell phones replaced that. I had intended for
my daughters to get no-code tech licenses as a part of their getting
drivers licenses. But, now why, unless they really want to? Cell phones
are given away along with low cost plans. Cheaper in the long run than
buying a couple of handhelds. Plus, really more practical as you aren't
limited to "ham only" com.

Ham Radio isn't the only activity effected by the the times. I Clifford
Stoll's book, "High Tech Heretic", he quotes a baseball scout as saying
that the reason that major league pitching is so scarce today is because
boys are in front of Playstations and computers instead of having a
"catch". I see it. In my preteen and teen years we always played a lot
of ball. Non-orginized. If the fields weren't being used by leagues,
kids were having "pick-up" games. In the summer fields were always in
use. Not any more. I drive by our local Ruritan fields all the time.
Very seldom is anybody on them. I helped coach. Most kids really didn't
get any better during the season. They rarely touch a ball except during
practice and games.

No, ham radio is just suffering the same as other activities in this new
"World Wide Web" times.

P.S. Get Stoll's two books, "Silicon Valley Snake Oil" and "High Tech
Heretic" from the library. Two excellent books that give food for
thought about computers in our society today. Stoll was the
astronomer/sys-op who caught the German hackers getting into military
systems about 15 years ago. Wrote "The Cuckoo's Egg", another good book,
about it. Plus a PBS Nova segment.

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
>
> The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers to
> ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>>
> Tom - N8ECW

--
Jeff Pierce, wd4nmq
piercej@preferred.com
http://pages.preferred.com/~piercej

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4888. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <m7RW4.38$c5.23712@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 110633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

> Would you believe they're now issuing three-character calls to
> those who've been licensed for 25 years and have been nice, law-
> abiding amateurs?

Not only that, a brand new ham, of any license class, can apply for and be
granted the use of one of those really elite 1X1 call signs.

Hmmm.... if is it available to everybody, is it still elite? :-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

4889. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gk8vjebo1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110434

TooManyRadios <toomanyradios@aol.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>>But I fail to see why you're interested in attracting new-
>>comers; you have nothing good to say about ham radio:

>Given your continual nit-picking

Just trying to keep you honest. You wrote:

>movie portrays amateur radio as an ANCIENT and DECEASED hobby of the
>PAST. An accurate portrayal indeed,

then you denied that you said that:

>I didn't say amateur radio is "dead",

If that's "nit-picking," then so be it.

>and rants

Nothing I've ever written matches the definition of "rant."

>you aren't
>exactly a great public relations poster boy for the hobby yourself.

Either someone is or isn't interested in the self-learning of:
Electronic theory, soldering, reading and understanding schematics,
collecting components, assembling radios, national and international radio
laws, ionospheric propagation and antenna theory, assembling antennas,
communicating world-wide by RF emissions, and providing emergency
communications. If my remarks sours someone's interest of the above, then
I have to question their original sincerity in ham radio.

73, Jeff KH6O

4890. Re: Did the Dayton swap suck this year or was it just me?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sira8pgoo175@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110435
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You're right, it sucked.

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"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:b6gX4.1357$Cx4.196992@nnrp3.sbc.net...
> Are the swap-meets actually the reason most attend those things?
> I've never seen anything but trash and over-priced everything-else. I
still
> enjoy the heck out of milling around with other like-interest people while
> browsing, even tho I usually don't plan to buy anything, but the other
> stuff's what I've always attended the things for.. Speakers (the human
> kind), a peak at what the local clubs are doing, new technology, $2
hotdogs,
> etc..
>
> "Btvamp" <btvamp@pacbell.net> wrote in message
> news:zIfX4.323$yf2.149047@news.pacbell.net...
> > Everyone had ebay prices on mind this year and looking for a
fish.....
> >
> > No from what I heard this year dayton sucked big time.....
> >
> > Normaly very good and good prices.....
>
>
>

4891. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gk9lm$ev3$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110436

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

>>>The average age of hams when I came in in 1959 was 27, now it is 55.

>>Cite your reference, OM.

>The trip I made to Dayton last Saturday is a good enough reference for me.

Last Saturday was not 1959.

I'm asking Burt to cite a reference which states that the mean age of licensees in 1959 was 27.

Jeff

4892. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000525184205.21197.00000060@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110437

Yeah Right. What newspaper? Hmmm, I'll bet that there's a connection with all three.

4893. Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gkccd$256$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110438

Those who desire to give up freedom in order to gain security,
will not have, nor do they deserve, either one.

-- Thomas Jefferson

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4894. Yaesu FT 2600 mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Richards <jrichard@tucker-usa.com>
Message-ID: <0diX4.358$4X5.1608@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110439

I recently purchased a Yaesu FT 2600 and I would like to operate on the MARS frequencies. I picked up some info on the TX mods. but it is incomplete. I would like to get valid mod info if anyone could help. Thanks in advance.

KB8JR

4895. FS/FT yaezu ft-101ex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <n1umj@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <y2jX4.53282$nl3.115904@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have a yaezu ft-101ex that I would like to sell or trade. Radio recieves well, transmit is low, could be tubes could be something else. I just want a backup radio and I don't want to put money in to it. MMake me an offer, I will considder trade with cash if you would like, just something for a backup radio, a ts130 or something, even a 2950 if the deal is right. Email n1umj@mediaone if you might be interested. The radio is a backup and I don't want to put any money in to a backup radio especially where my main radio is so reliable, I just want a backup just incase. thanks,

4896. FS: Yaesu FT-50RD Dual Band HT w/Acc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7rcm@pobox.com
Message-ID: <392db321.28386720@news1.coam.net>
Source record: 110441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio

Prices I give along with the discription of the item will be what AES
is selling it for rounded to the nearest $1, then at the end, what
I'm asking for the whole lot.

Yaesu FT-50RD Dual Band HandHeld radio $240

2 Maha MH-FNB-41 9.6v 900mah NiMH batteries $55ea $110
These batteries will give a full 5w out all across the band.

Maha universal drop in rapid chgr/conditioner does nicads and nimh
batteries $60

CT62 Cat Interface cable $30

FTT12 16# kepad Enc/Dec DCS & CTCSS $20

ADMS-1E Windows Programming Software $40

All this as you can see retails for $500 +/- a few dollars.
I'm asking $325 shipped prepay or COD.

4897. JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gkg10$mg5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110442

You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake. I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that trade go to France, England and others. Let's hurt ourselves to appease Helmsmanese creeps.
Now get this: Helms doesn't want to do business with China because of their human rights violations. Ha! He's one to talk. The man has suppressed every progressive bill to ever go before the Senate. He was and still is an avowed segregationist. He's an embarassment to the fine people of North Carolina who are overwhelmed by rednecks. And that's exactly what Helms is-a redneck worse than a John Rocker could ever be. How amazing a guy like that has so much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.
AF2Y

4898. Re: KV4FZ's Endgame: Vindication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gkh10kto1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110443

Now hear this "Cattle Car." You can't shine Bob's shoes because he's a mensch who understands and appreciates my point of view on the Schoenbohm case. His problem is NAIVETï¿½. Furthermore he's a superb journalist who puts words together beautifully. You, on the other hand, are a collaborator because you're weak. You call me the "protector of our people." Just thank God a person like you doesn't try to be because if so, everything we hold to be dear and inviolable would be destroyed. However you are improving intellectually because no where did I read your customary use of S--T and F---.

Attcking children is just about your size. Even your son thinks you are a shit!

From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Subject: Re: DAYTON

Fuck you, you stupid bastard!

At 07:45 AM 5/23/2000 -0400, radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
>Lenny, I didn't ask for your comments, you boxcar worm. Keep the hell out of
>my mailbox and Tyler is one goofy looking baby.
>Doc

In article <392D9F26.276E020F@avotec.com>, Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
wrote:

> Bob,
>
> You are VERY lucky. You defend Herb and all you get is a mild reprimand from
> the protector of our people; my g-d he understands you and approves of what
> you do. Thanks goodness; I'm sure it helps you sleep at night.
>
> I talk to Herb and treat him as I want to be treated, do not wish any bad
> things for him and his family and I get accused of being like those that
> led our people to the chambers.
>
> Some guys just have all the luck
>
> Len

>

4899. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392DCACD.774642F2@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110444

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> If that fan letter was intended for me <snip>

Not intended for anyone specific, AF2Y. Just trying to add a
humorious note to a really silly thread.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4900. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392DCD9E.1F0B3F16@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A 'n' A wrote:
>
> Hello!
>
> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58ï¿½N), and the winds can be pretty
> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome

Well Andrew, antennas designed for a specific band almost always perform better than one designed for several. However, there are other considerations. How much room do you have for multiple antennas (some antennas will have to be placed on a separate mast because the others will interfere with it)? Do you want to run all that coax for multiple antennas? Will the separate antennas cost more than one? What about the multiple masts, guy wire, and ground rods, if separate masts are required? For many people, these other considerations lend weight to the multi-band antenna.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4901. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gkm6lkjp1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110446

I love it, Pete. Thanks.
Doc

In article <392DCEF7.AD73E1F3@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
> There is a tale Diane Fosse brought back from one of her visits
> with the great apes. She was distraught to learn that two SilverBack
> Gorillas committed suicide when they realized they may be related to
> Jesse Helms.

4902. Announcing a novel about Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: marti613 <martitalbott3NOmaSPAM@aol.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <21c2ba6a.b640be72@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>
Source record: 110447

It's SHATTERED CITY - an earthquake in Seattle

And it's a novel about the roll Hams play after a disaster. For more information, visit:

http://sites.netscape.net/shatteredcity/homepage

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4903. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@dialpoint.net>
Message-ID: <392DD65A.43C58A13@dialpoint.net>
Source record: 110448

Being from NC, Jesse is usually my kind of man. Look at what the trade bill with Mexico did to the jobs in the US. Being in the South, most of the jobs here are in the textile industry. We have already lost too many jobs to the countries that pay only a few dollars a day. I don't know what kind of job you have or what you make, but just think what would happen to your job if they could put it a country where the wages for the same job is only a few dollars a day or if you lost your job due to this.

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake.
> I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the
> normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
> ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic
> power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that
> trade go to France, England and others. Let's hurt ourselves to appease
> Helmsmanese creeps.
> Now get this: Helms doesn't want to do business with China because of their
> human rights violations. Ha! He's one to talk. The man has suppressed every
> progressive bill to ever go before the Senate. He was and still is an avowed
> segregationist. He's an embarassment to the fine people of North Carolina
> who are overwhelmed by rednecks. And that's exactly what Helms is-a redneck
> worse than a John Rocker could ever be. How amazing a guy like that has so
> much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.
> AF2Y

4904. Need Help PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: PepperUW <shpepperNOshSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <019bf6ce.90fb537f@usw-ex0107-050.remarq.com>
Source record: 110449

I have a Konel model KR-160 radio. I know nothing about it. I am
trying to find any information I can about this unit. Any help would
be greatly appreciated.

Thanks

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4905. Re: stock market blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gj15alhs1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110484

They'll do fine because they've never been overvalued. You're talking real blue chip which have created earnings for themselves and their shareholders for eons and will continue.However these NASDAQ phenomenons will probabaly never see their worth as high as they were bewtween Nov.'99 and March 2000. If I decide to transfer funds from the money market into the stock market, I will go for stuff like Hewlett Packard and IBM. And you'll never lose money investing in the pharaceutical industries if Bush gets elected. He and his cronies care nothing about how they're ripping off the elderly therefore they'll continue. If Gore wins, if I had dough in pharmaceuticals, I'd sell because he's going to do to them what Clinton did to tobacco.
Remember-Democats are for the PEOPLE-Republicans are for RIPOFF COMPANIES.
Doc

In article <uT1X4.1622$Q46.24872@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Hey Doc, any predictions on the tech stocks in NYSE such as IBM and HP?
> KR4AJ

4906. Re: cherche shema metrix MX453, 453b ou autre

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gj1d0$f16$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110485

What makes this Maurice Chevalier think we Yanks know French? Or care about it. It's an awful lingo with words coming out of one's nose, ears and behinds instead of over the tongue and between the lips. Down with "Frogspeech."

In article <392c8481.1793698@news.libertysurf.fr>,
pascal.gayot@libertysurf.fr (art13) wrote:

> cherche shema metrix MX453, 453b ou autre
>
> pour en rï¿½parer deux
>
>
> :-)))
> --
> pascal&gayot@libertysurf.fr
>
> ```
> O-O
> ooOOO--( . )--OOOoo
> (-)
> x-x
> NOSPAM
> pour_repondre changer "&" pour "."
> to reply swap "&" for "."
>
> solum ï¿½ mio
>
> Nicolas Machiavel

4907. Need help with reverse repeat feature for IC-2700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Lynch <jwl@sgi.com>
Message-ID: <392D1400.D098A41A@sgi.com>
Source record: 110486

I know that it will do it, 'cause I know a ham that did it, but he's forgotten how he got it working. Apparently it is one of those multi-button presses that actuates it. The manual doesn't mention it so I assume that it is an undocumented feature.

So does anyone have any information on making my IC-2700 into a repeater repeater? That is, letting me us a 440 handheld to transmit to the IC-2700, which in turn sends out a 144 mhz signal to the repeater and then in turn sends the signal from the repeater back out on 440.

Thanks
Jim de K4GVO

4908. Re: CW -- I want to learn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <b.harmon@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gj5hl$g0$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110487

Hi Tony,

I've had a lot of experience with tapes, and little real success at developing real CW skills. CW was the nemesis of my ham radio ambitions for nearly 50 years.

Recently found a program on the internet called "Ham University" (HAMU) that has helped a lot. Has games, lessons, and drills. You could make tapes if they prove useful to you.

Best advice I have heard lately is to start learning the code at the speed you waht to achieve, i.e 15 wpm or whatever, learn one character first, then two, and keep adding characters at that speed until you copy all of the characters at your desired speed.

Hope these thoughts are useful.

Bill

"Paul" <aschlies@citynet.net> wrote in message news:392c139f$1_2@corp.newsfeeds.com...
> I am taking a breather between professional examinations. I don't have the
> stomach to crack the books for my professional exam for a few weeks -- so I
> wanted to pick up CW the best I can over the next few weeks. I think that I
> if I can get over the hump of learning the letters and being able to copy at
> a reasonable rate, the rest will be down hill and speed increases will be a
> matter of practice.
>
> I drive to work -- a 60 min. trip one way. I am looking for some code tapes
> to listen to while driving. While I understand that I'll will need to copy
> on paper what I hear (while not driving!) to get the full effect, I hope
> that while driving I can use this time productively to achieve my goal.
>
> Question: I know there are readers who have a lot of experience at teaching
> someone new. I would like to receive recommendations on tapes that you feel
> are good for a beginner. From my reading the Farnsworth method is highly
> rated and would like "Farnsworth" tapes.

>
> Also, would like to find some software (I don't mind paying for it) to run
> on my PC to help "spice" up the copy. I don't want to "memorize" tapes --
I
> want to learn -- so I would also like to hear about some titles of
software
> (and URL's if they exist) on quality software to go along with the
program.
>
> Thank You
> Tony N8XJA
>
>
>
>
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> http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
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4909. Re: Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gj8tp$67m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110488

In article <20000525043202.09178.00000148@ng-fv1.aol.com>,
stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:
> I have heard there were some interesting sightings walking around at
the Dayton
> Hamfest.What were the wildest sightings that you have seen there
Someone said
> someone was walking around with an antenna on his head is this true
What other
> kind of interesting things were there
> Bye
> >>>>>>>>>>>> Another fellow had a 7/8 2m vertical sticking out his
ass!!!!!!!!!!<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4910. Re: stock market blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392D3DC2.96465CF7@ahole.com>
Source record: 110489

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> They'll do fine because they've never been overvalued. You're talking real
> blue chip which have created earnings for themselves and their shareholders
> for eons and will continue.However these NASDAQ phenomenons will probabaly
> never see their worth as high as they were bewtween Nov.'99 and March 2000.
> If I decide to transfer funds from the money market into the stock market, I
> will go for stuff like Hewlett Packard and IBM. And you'll never lose money
> investing in the pharaceutical industries if Bush gets elected. He and his
> cronies care nothing about how they're ripping off the elderly therefore
> they'll continue. If Gore wins, if I had dough in pharmaceuticals, I'd sell
> because he's going to do to them what Clinton did to tobacco.

Next line That DOC wrote is total bullshit. The Democrats are out
for themselves and what they can get out of it. The Republicans are
out for themselves and what they can get out of it. The only
difference I see is how Republican and Democrat is spelled.

> Remember-Democats are for the PEOPLE-Republicans are for RIPOFF COMPANIES.
> Doc
>
> ----------
> In article <uT1X4.1622$Q46.24872@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan
> Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
> > Hey Doc, any predictions on the tech stocks in NYSE such as IBM and HP?
> > KR4AJ

4911. Re: Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000525090645.05836.00003458@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 110490

In article <20000525043202.09178.00000148@ng-fv1.aol.com>, stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) writes:

>I have heard there were some interesting sightings walking around at the >Dayton Hamfest.What were the wildest sightings that you have seen there Someone said someone was walking around with an antenna on his head is this true What other kind of interesting things were there

I could actually see one guy's belt buckle. Definitely a rare sight at a hamfest.

4912. Re: 14313 at Taco Bell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000525090645.05836.00003457@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 110491

Actually, I find the Taco Bell drive-thru conversations more profound than anything on 14.313.

4913. Re: KV4FZ's Endgame: Vindication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gj8jv$6g5$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110492

Question: how does your appraisal of the "rooking" Herbie got from the government line up with the fact that his hatred of Intercon was predicated on anti-Semitism which you cannot dispel as hearsay? When someone gets on the air to announce that Intercon was controlled by Jews in order to steal money from phone companies, it seems strange that a Jew would run to his aid despite, as you say, some government hanky panky? I admit, by no stretch of the imagination, to having knowledge of the various intracacies of the trial i.e the government's case against KV4FZ therefore my intense dislike of the man is predicated on the human interest side of the story which itself is predicated on Jew hating and baiting by him and disseminated in such ways to create the same anti-Jewish feeling by sympathizers which every anti-Semite can arouse. The incessant pounding I've been giving him for more than a decade is my way of expressing "Never forgive-never forget" which is as valid and deserving as both can be and to be told, as I have been, that this is not the Christian thing to do is beyond hypocritical because if there is one thing Christianity has been noted for negatively has been WAR. To turn the other cheek is just about the most stupid naive philosophy possible because it's applicable only to biblical nonsense rather than every day living and as examples, if America's supposed to be a "Christian country," why then did we not turn our cheek instead of going to war with Spain in 1898, with the Central Powers in 1917; with the Axis in 1941; with the N.Koreans and Chinese in 1950; with" Charlie" and the Chinese from 1964-1975; with the Cubanos in Grenada; with the pro-Noriega elements in Panama and Sadaam Hussein plus all our "minor" policing actions for heaven knows how long? I simply cited such instances to prove that when your enemy challenges the principles for which you stand, you kick butt rather than turning a cheek which explains Doc v. FZ.
Yes I can understand Herb's dilemma. Had he come clean with Judge Luton he would have jeapodized his defense against the government and I myself would never have wanted to be put in his position but keep in mind that it was HE HIMSELF, with his arrogance, defiance of government and cockiness who created all the personal chaos. Bob, I admire your staunchness in trying to correct what you personally perceive to be a government wrong against Herbie but what you fail to realize is that while you were busting your hump to help him, he was calling you a kike behind your back because to him you were no better than the "Jews who stole money from phone companies on behalf of Intercon."
Doc,AF2Y

In article <14890-392CBD11-129@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Trebb@webtv.net (Bob Sherin) wrote:

> Whenever I see the KV4FZ, Herb Schoenbohm, story, I feel compelled to
> respond. I was present during Herb's 1992 criminal trial, later

> discovering fabricated evidence resulting in the overturn of two of
> criminal convictions.
>
> I know: You want me to give it up, go away. Our Constitutional law,
> though, is made of sterner stuff. Let me take you on a walk through the
> formative events, the criminal case, the FCC Licensing Hearing, the
> pending criminal appeals process-- truth and falsehood. Stay
> open-minded.
>
> First hypocrisy! In the late eighties I interviewed Herb for an article
> I was dong for Florida Skip Magazine. Meeting him for the first time, I
> sensed a guy driven to prevent illegal bypass on ham radio of telephone
> tolls. Follow-up interviews found him supported by no less an entity
> than the Amateur Auxilary in central Florida. ("He knows what he's
> talking about," said Swede Hockberg.) A part of his repertoire was
> Intercon and the late Jim Jones, who are alleged to have joined in
> "bypass" activity.
>
> Naturally when he was charged with doing the very thing he decried,
> credibility came to the fore with me. But never one to turn down anyone
> asking for help, I flew to St. Croix.
>
> When the federal government pours a million dollars into getting a
> conviction, defendants need all the help they can get.
> Arriving on that tranquil island, I was instantly thrust in the midst of
> FBI and Secret Service tailing and bugging us. I realized, this was
> going to be some case.
>
> However, the lengths to which the government went to get a conviction
> astonished me. While there is no question Herb tinkered with Calls
> (Caribbean Long Lines Service), he didn't commit the felonies of which
> he stood accused. Misdemeanors, yes; felonies, no.
>
> The pieces were falling into place. Herb's enemies had been jelling
> (thousands of complaints went to the FCC and Congress). Dogged by
> credit card fraud, the federal government had enacted new statutes.
> Having led with his chin, Herb became the exemplary case.
>
> How could he appear before the FCC? With Herb still trying to extricate
> himself in the criminal process, he shouldn't be forced to testify
> against himself. Even admitting tinkering with Calls to the FCC, while
> likely saving his license, would doom his efforts in the judiciary.
> Legally however, the fact that Herb failed to object at the FCC hearing
> may very well be deemed as waiver.
>
> Telling the FCC tribunal the truth to the point where he would not be
> required to testify against himself apparently wasn't part of the game
> plan. Had he done so, he could have respectfully insisted upon
> preservation of his right against self incrimination pending completion
> of the judicial process. Simply by raising those rights, the FCC would

> have been required to protect them. His testimony would have been
> totally candid, forthright up to the point of reserving his rights, and,
> most importantly, quite clear.
>
> Thrust into this position by his own conduct, Herb is now working on
> behalf of all citizens in exonerating himself on the remaining criminal
> count. With the printout discarded as fabricated and with no one number
> imputed to Herb's brain, he should triumph on lack of specificity or
> vagueness.
>
> His conviction reads: "Possession of a counterfeit access device with
> intent to defraud." However, no such conviction should stand when the
> device remains some number in his mind and not a definable definite
> number.
>
> His Constitutional cause is everyone's.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida
>

4914. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gj61r05nq@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110493

In article <8gi2f7$d52$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
>>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>
>>> Ham radio never was a young man's game. Yet, 50+ is not old! I'm 46
>>> and have three state records in swimming. I'm certain I could out-
>>> swim anyone on this NG in any distance now and when I turn 50; I
>>> continue to train daily.
>
>>The average age of hams when I came in in 1959 was 27, now it is 55.
>
>Site your reference, OM.
>
>Jeff

The trip I made to Dayton last Saturday is a good enough reference for me.

Tom - N8ECW

4915. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <392D29CA.CAFCA0D@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

zincplaterubberant wrote to Dave Heil:
>
> Dave, I suggest you stick with marketing cheap tinny microphones and
> "audio equalizers" to the same knucklheads who bought
> into Tiny-Tennas and "cure-all" magnetic matress pads.

You need to check prior posts on this NG. You've slammed the wrong
Heil.

4916. Castle in even MORE hot water!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anon <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200005251349.JAA18599@cotse.com>
Source record: 110495

Castle-sucks@hotmail.com

It seems David Castle, WA9KJI, just can't seem to keep is big mouth shut! Not only has a sworn affifavit and recordings been sent by another ham's attorney to the FCC regarding a Mar. 18th incident involving jamming by Castle...and not only has the FCC told Castle to stop the slandering their monitoring stations have recorded...now it seems the editor of a newspaper has filed a complaint with Hollingsworth about Castle and his slandering and defamation of their newspaper!!

Stay tuned! This is getting interesting!!

4917. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Kasley <kasley@fnal.gov>
Message-ID: <8gjbfm$351$1@info3.fnal.gov>
Source record: 110496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

J. Duffy Beischel <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote in message
news:siomjkbho149@corp.supernews.com...
> So you're the guy I saw loading up all those laptops! WI0T and I were
> wondering what the hell you were going to do with those things.
>

Probably wasn't just me - there were several vendors with piles of decrepit laptops, each supporting their own feeding frenzy. For my purchases, I stuck to a few flavors of Compaq so that I can swap subassemblies and leverage my prior knowledge of Compaq laptops. I picked and chose from each vendor those units that I thought had the best chances for new life.

Hey, a lot of people think they're selling gold. But it's a market - I can walk until I find what I want at the price I want.

Hamfesting is an art. It really takes a while to learn the game and you will get burned - education is never free. I won't buy a $10 CDROM from someone with a small table loaded with beanie babies and pencil sharpeners - that thing is broken; that's why it's on the table and not in his computer. I will buy the $10 CDROM from the commercial guy who pulled a skid of them out of a yellow Ryder truck. Most likely he bought a pile of unwanted computers from a corporation for cents on the pound and is selling off perfectly useable pieces and making good money doing it. But I won't touch anything in his box of assorted $20 motherboards. Those customer returns were returned for a reason. But I may take a chance on Mr. Beanie Baby. He probably bought a new Pentathalon 10,000 Terahertz with integral toaster-oven motherboard and he can't bear to toss that old Pentium 166 board that he paid so much for into the garbage.

The 3-day Dayton fleamarket is always an adventure.

Paul Kasley
kasley@fnal.gov
Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Batavia, IL

4918. Swan Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CMySig <tzr-v@DELETECAPSFIRSTprodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8gjc5u$4n9q$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 110497

Hi,

Can anyone direct me to some sites with any infoo for Swan gear
(capabilities info, mods, manuals, accessories, etc...) Thanks..

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(C)-(U)-\... Later ...

Greg V

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PRIOR Written Consent!!!

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*********=--> Note Changes To Make!!! <--=*********
************** To Send Return E-Mail **************

datzr@DELETECAPSFIRSTyahoo.com

*** Don't Just Click!!! ***

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4919. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water! HEY ANON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <392D5183.1F02878@ahole.com>
Source record: 110498

Why don't you learn to post using carriage returns. It is difficult
to read you posts when all your data is on one line.. Or maybe your
post isn't worth reading?

Anon wrote:
>
> Castle-sucks@hotmail.com
>
> It seems David Castle, WA9KJI, just can't seem to keep is big mouth shut! Not only has a sworn affifavit and recordings been sent by another ham's attorney to the FCC regarding a Mar. 18th incident involving jamming by Castle...and not only has the FCC told Castle to stop the slandering their monitoring stations have recorded...now it seems the editor of a newspaper has filed a complaint with Hollingsworth about Castle and his slandering and defamation of their newspaper!!
>
> Stay tuned! This is getting interesting!!

4920. Warning to HTX-200 and HTX-400 owners - fatal design flaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ist@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8gjf2cdij1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110499
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have just spent some time repairing some of Radio Shack HTX-200 and HTX-400 radios. All of them suffered from the same promlem - transmits fine, no receive audio but the s-meter reacts properly and the squelch seems to work fine.

This radio uses a push/pull audio stage; both sides of the external speaker jack are driven (probably to get more volume from the 3V batteries). The manual warns you not to short either side to ground. It claims that if you do so (plugging it into a TNC or using certain speaker mikes), the display will indicate 'S-SHORT' and the audio amp will be turned off.

In reality (confirmed by reading the schematic and looking in the radio), this protection circuit was never implemented - the components in the schematic are labeled 'nu' (not used) and are not installed. If you short either speaker lead to ground, the switching transistor used to mute the amp when the squelch is open will burn out. On the 2M unit, it is Q607.

This is a SOT-23 surface mount part. The service manual lists it as a 'KTA2015' labeled 'ZO'. I replaced it with a 2N3906 (same pinout) labeled '2A'. It is on the rear of the audio/RF board right where the audio board connects in, and is connected to pin 1 (switched B+) of the amp. Not too hard to change if you are used to surface mount work.

So what does this mean?

- DO NOT use the HTX-200 or HTX-400 with anything plugged in to the headphone jack other than a headphone or speaker.

- Make sure speaker mikes keep both sides of the speaker plug (3.5mm) isolated from the mike plug (2.5 mm). Not all of them are.

- DO NOT use this radio with a TNC or powered speaker sharing the same power supply (unless you wire up an isolation transformer for the audio...)

/mike
n1ist@arrl.net

--
\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@arrl.net \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to majordomo@qth.net /|\

4921. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water! HEY ANON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gji5ddog1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110500

In article <392D5183.1F02878@ahole.com>,
General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> Why don't you learn to post using carriage returns. It is difficult
> to read you posts when all your data is on one line.. Or maybe your
> post isn't worth reading?
>
> Anon wrote:
> >
> > Castle-sucks@hotmail.com
> >
> > It seems David Castle, WA9KJI, just can't seem to keep is big mouth
shut! Not only has a sworn affifavit and recordings been sent by
another ham's attorney to the FCC regarding a Mar. 18th incident
involving jamming by Castle...and not only has the FCC told Castle to
stop the slandering their monitoring stations have recorded...now it
seems the editor of a newspaper has filed a complaint with
Hollingsworth about Castle and his slandering and defamation of their
newspaper!!
> >
> > Stay tuned! This is getting interesting!!
>

Yawn..yeah, really.
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4922. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gji9g$dq1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110501

In article <8ghhfb$h30$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> It's Herbs@VIprison.com

Hmmm....I thought it might be herbs@singsing.org
or herbs@leavenworth.org

> ----------
> In article <06940d9d.99959823@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>, wolf
> <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>
> > Hey good buddies, anyone know Herb's e-mail address? Sure
> > would like to see him on this particular site. 'Far as I
> > know, he can even use his call on the internet. Ain't too
> > much that Hollingsworthless can do about it either. Old
> > Herbie has got to be one of the sharpest knives in the ham
> > radio drawer.
> >
> > * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion
Network *
> > The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet -
Free!
> >
>

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
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4923. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjidldss1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110502

In article <8gj11umm1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
dtolassi@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <200005240130.VAA02449@cotse.com>,
> "Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote:
> >
> > I really love you, Doc! You're my whole life! I can't live without
> you!
> >
> > Doc...will you marry me? (In Vermont? And have EVE put us up in one
> of his motels??)
> > --
> > Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
> > http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
> >
> > What a wonderful gesture, but I am afraid that would be impossible
> due to the mental condition of Doc. He is not able to travel and has
> bouts of paranoia. You will have to love him in your dreams.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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>

Speaking from experience?
--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4924. Re: AF2Y: Get some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjig7$e4l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110503

In article <392c03cc.74110077@news.mindspring.com>,
(John) wrote:
> Get some help, Doc. You are a very very sick man.
>

And your credentials in Psychology are.....????

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4925. Re: AF2Y says PHOOEY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjilr$e69$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110504

In article <8gh665$n06$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-deja.com wrote:
> In article <8ggqt9$h5u$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > Thanks for the input, Mickey and give my regards to Minnie. All
> kidding
> > aside Peter, he laces my inbox with trash language and then becomes
> > indignant over a defense that turns into an offense. He calls my
> family
> > members trying to turn them against me. He runs to MindSpring crying
> like a
> > baby. It's like this, Pete; he runs his own ISP and ought to be
> thankful
> > because if he were on an independent, he would have been censured
for
> the
> > garbage he's been throwing my way.
> > AF2Y
> >
> > ----------
> > In article <392BE86D.397437B5@worldnet.att.net>, Peter Maus
> > <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >
> > >
> > >
> > > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
> > >
> > >> HE CAN'T SPELL "DESIST." He wrote "DECIST." Can you believe it?
As
> I wrote,
> > >> go and read his r&#65533;sum&#65533; on www.avotec.com/ It's brilliant. The
> guy's an
> > >> excellent engineer and can't spell "desist." I can't believe it.
> > >> AF2Y
> > >
> > > C'mon, guy...I was a spelling champ in school, and I misspell one
> > > once in while...and mistype all the time.
> > >
> > > He may simply be unaware of the spelling of the word, having
heard
> > > but not seen it, as it's not a word that shows up in engineering
> > > texts with any regularity.
> > >

> > > Make sure you're picking on the right thing.
> > >
> > > Spelling is important, to be sure. But you're using spelling as
an
> > > ad hom to assault him personally instead of his point.
> > >
> > > You're better than that.
> >> He knows, how to spell fuck!
>
<<

4926. Re: AF2Y about WZ0T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjiv9$ea7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110505

In article <8gfi8khfe1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <8gegk9$d8c$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > WZ0T was a very sick man who had a life threatening heart condition
and see
> > an OSTEOPATH for it. Can you imagine that? An osteopath? They call
> > themselves PHYSICIANS no less but in acuality are a step above
chiropractors
> > whom I consider as a nationwide menace.
> > I ought to know. I was educated at N.Y.U. College of Dentistry and
Medicine
> > complex in New York City. I am a retired D.D.S. who has been
socially and
> > fraternally friendly with men in my own field as well as physicians
> > specializing in cardiology, urology, immunology and general
practice. This
> > North Jersey-N.Y.C. Metro area boasts of the best in medicine in
the world
> > and my advice to Scotty, WZ0T, was well meant and sincere. I got
him out of
> > the grip of the osteopath and into the hands of a cardiologist and
heart
> > surgeon who performed the open heart surgery that saved his life.
And here
> > are two e-mails received from WZ0T which go to prove his
appreciation.
> > Number one
> >

> > Better be that tham a foolish JEW keep off my internet connect
PLEASE/
> > Scotty
> > ----- Original Message -----
> > From: <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
> > To: <ke9ry@peoplepc.com.w4rcl@aol.com>; "w2csq" <dickcsq@aol.com>;
"rich
> > whiten > >>" <richwhiten@aol.com>; <jcunham@aol.com>; "graham dyer
> >>"
> > <grahmd@netrover.com>; <gpmel@snet.net>; "daniel l. jeswald > >>"
> > <w4nti@mindspring.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>; "calvin
scott"
> > <wz0t@mo-net.com>

> > Sent: Tuesday, May 23, 2000 8:17 AM
> > Subject: Re: <no subject>
> >
> > > > Well Doc you helped me now let me help you go see a srink, your
head in
> > a
> > > > mess
> > > > >
> > >
> > > > And besides Scotty, you're the last one who should talk about a
shrink.
> > > > Anyone who drives 1,500 miles with a dog to a Hamvention, has an
> > argument
> > > > about the dog that should have been left at home and then turns
around
> > and
> > > > immediately drives 1,500 miles home is just about the wackiest
fool I
> > ever
> > > > heard of. And to think I busted my can going out of my way to
direct you
> > to
> > > > the proper physician instead of that ridiculous osteopath you
were
> > seeing
> > > > who couldn't diagnose a major heart condition from a hole in
the wall,
> > was a
> > > > waste of time and trouble. You ought to be ashamed of yourself,
you
> > > > goddamned ingrate. I should have sent you to a veterinarian.
> > > > AF2Y
> > >

> > And here's the second which says it all.
> >

> >
> > To bad Hitler is not around to deal with you, people like you I can
> > understand why just why hitler did what he did
> > ----- Original Message -----
> > From: <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
> > To: <ke9ry@peoplepc.com.w4rcl@aol.com>; "w2csq" <dickcsq@aol.com>;
"rich
> > whiten > >>" <richwhiten@aol.com>; <jcunham@aol.com>; "graham dyer
> >>"
> > <grahmd@netrover.com>; <gpmel@snet.net>; "daniel l. jeswald > >>"
> > <w4nti@mindspring.com>; "calvin scott" <wz0t@mo-net.com>; "calvin

scott"
> > <wz0t@mo-net.com>
> > Sent: Tuesday, May 23, 2000 8:17 AM
> > Subject: Re: <no subject>
> >

> > Scotty, you're one of the lowest pieces of anti-Semitic dirt I've
ever
> > mistaken for being a nice guy and I look forward to sending your
wife a
> > condolence card.
> >
> > AF2Y, Doc
> >
>
> Charles is a little confused, I remember the time when he told
everyone
> that he had graduated from Columbia Universiry, and now he claims to
be a
> graduate of NYU. this idiot is confused, I also remember when he told
> everyone that his buddy WB9BCC was a Medal OF Honor recipient, Mr.
Cottone
> from the FBI set him straight. Now he engages in sending people
unsolicited
> e-mail, Big MISTAKE !!! Get a grip Charlie, the walls are closing in.
>
> >
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.
>

Hey Youngblood, tell us why your wife made you do all your ham radio
"fun" out in the orange grove. Was she as tired of your crap as the
rest of us are?

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4927. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water! HEY ANON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boogie--Shoes@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14767-392D429B-25@storefull-135.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110506

Hey General! Carraige returns are for typewriters. Why haven't you
learned to set-up your newsreader properly?

My post came out just fine...

4928. Re: Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com>
Message-ID: <h5kqissf8pbjl1o9n7pbq9rac1upfjhfon@4ax.com>
Source record: 110507

On 25 May 2000 08:32:02 GMT, stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:

>I have heard there were some interesting sightings walking around at the Dayton
>Hamfest.What were the wildest sightings that you have seen there Someone said
>someone was walking around with an antenna on his head is this true What other
>kind of interesting things were there

Antennas on hard hats? Shucks, that's nothing new. I've seen such
things at other hamfests. Now what makes Dayton unique are the guys
who carefully solder miniature towers to their hard-hats. One guy I
saw even included blinking lights!

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4929. Re: LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjnc7hru1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110508

In article <ejgliskvh367r0drmav6ab9tqtmlmulkf4@4ax.com>,
Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net> wrote:
> I think it is understandable that there was going to be a relatively
> longer wait before the FCC could process the backlog of 610's, etc.
> that were received in the days following April 15th..
>
> I have been monitoring the WM7D site since it is the one that I know
> updates their database nightly with the callsigns that were issued or
> upgraded the previous day. On certain days of the week I have seen
> that the update includes as many as 800 or more changes from the
> previous day. Obviously at that rate it would not take too awfully
> long to catchup. Fridays for some reason seems to be a day when
> nothing much happens.. The highest number of processed applications on
> a Friday I have seen is about 150...
>
> Since I figure they might be getting close to bringing my application
> to the top of the pile, and I figuring that yesterday might have been
> a more of a "normal" processing day, I logged on to the WM7D site
> this morning to see if I might have been included in yesterdays
> action..
>
> The FCC processed a total of 4 applications yesterday.. according to
> the WM7D database.. FOUR!.. This could be a long wait I think..
>
Why are you all so impatient to drop /AE or /AG from your calls? Are
you ashamed or intimidated by those idiots that call you "welfare" hams?
Get on the air and show them you have a set of them.

The only ones that need be impatient are those that are awaiting their
first license/callsign. What difference does it make how long it
takes? Just get on the air and enjoy your new privlidges.

It took at least 6 weeks, and normally 8 when I tested...and that was
to just find out if you passed the test ! There were no "instant
upgrades" either.

Dan/W4NTI Thats right...Im and extra heavy....gotta loose that
weight..hi hi.

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4930. Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: A 'n' A <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca>
Message-ID: <392D5A44.978D04F5@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca>
Source record: 110509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello!

I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58ï¿½N), and the winds can be pretty cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)

Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!

73, Andrew
VE6SCK

4931. Re: Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjnk2hvg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110510

In article <8gimp3$1tu$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"Joe" <joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Hi I like to listen to SW between 3.5-7Mhz will building a Beverage
Antenna
> help rid the nasty noise ?
> I currently use a long wire about 60 feet
> Top top funny stuff is at
> 3850 ****
> 3950 **
> 6890 ***
> After 11PM EST
>
>
Probably not. A beverage work best at lower frequencies such as 160m
ham band and below.

I don't know what kind of noise you are getting, but try a loop antenna
and possibly a pre-amp. Without more info on the noise I can't be more
specific.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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4932. Re: Swan Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6v <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <392D5EE0.7BD4E20A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 110511

CMySig wrote:

> Hi,
>
> Can anyone direct me to some sites with any infoo for Swan gear
> (capabilities info, mods, manuals, accessories, etc...) Thanks..

Several Swan Links at URL:
http://ac6v.com/pageu.html

Mod links at URL:
http://ac6v.com/pageA.html#MODS

--
73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca
==========
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 100+ PAGES, 700 INDEXED TOPICS, AND 3000 LINKS
Over 632,000 Visits On The Counter
http://www.ac6v.com - General Ham Pages
http://www.ac6v.com/pagedx.html - DX Reference Pages

4933. Doc, Do You Own the Name

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AllAmericn@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8226-392D58E9-8@storefull-247.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110512

Here on Internet, we can be whomever we'd like: Doc, General, etc.
Right?

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4934. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <05861280.2891ac63@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110513

Lordy, lordy. It's easy to see who came out on the short
end of Herbie's sparkling repartee. Some guys, like "Raincoat
Charlie", became so frustrated as to resort to extremely
crude epithets. While I'm killing some time here Roger,
why don't you try to get off AF2Y's rear end and try to
exert your own personality, anemic as it may be.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

4935. Re: Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Biggus Dickus <biggusd@romanempire.com>
Message-ID: <FldX4.5$oD.478@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110514

Stoli126 <stoli126@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000525043202.09178.00000148@ng-fv1.aol.com...
> I have heard there were some
> interesting sightings walking around
> at the Dayton Hamfest.

Yes, their was! It was almost as much fun as going to
a cross between a traveling carnival, WCW Wrestling
show and a pig & fried chicken barbeque at a NASCAR
event. I have never seen more overweight, waddling
examples of white trailer trash in any one place.
(not everyone mind you, but a fair percentage!)

> What were the wildest sightings that
> you have seen there Someone said
> someone was walking around with an
> antenna on his head is this true What other
> kind of interesting things were there

The usual folks with multiple rubber duckies cliped
to ball caps were in attendance. I did not see the more
classic guy with the hardhat ball-mounted 6 foot whip
and PRC-25 on his back as I have in past years.
Perhaps this ham finally went "apeshit" at his
Post Office job like the late N5PS?

We can only hope - grin

Another classic are those who must have 3-4-5 (or more)
HT's on their belt, which is already straining to hold
back their spare-tire, McDonalds burger eating GUT in
it's place. Give em another 10 points if they smoke
also. One high point of amusement was the 300 pound
guy in the black shirt who had 3 HT's on the back end
of his belt, pullin his pants down so all could see his
Classic American "Plumber's Butt". Oh, how I WISH that I
brought my Digital camera I forgot on the top of the china
closet at home! What a classic "Dayton Hamfest Kodachrome
Moment" that .jpeg would have made!

One good thing, the Hamvention people took a dim view of
anyone selling porno tapes in the flea market this Year.
Good for them! Bad enough are the scumbags that sell this
trash, worse when you have to pay an admission charge
expecting to see ham gear and then you see imported
Asian porno tapes for sale on some jerkoffs table.

(pun intended)

Prices? Way too high on alot of stuff. Some dealers actually
expected to sell 3-Year-old used and nicotene stained HF rigs
for $200 less than what you'd pay for new. Try to dicker them
down on the price and they get insulted. Screw them. Let them
cart their "bargans" to hamfests for the rest of the Year and
not sell a thing - assholes.

Another fun sight was the foreigeners (Central or South Americans?) pulling
out *thick wads* of US Greenbacks for new HT's
and HF rigs. Buying them in bulk, 20 to 30 at a time!
Guess these radios will end up being used for tactical communications
by "Revolutionary Elements" or Taxicabs, Boaters etc....??
That's what I love about America! With Cash Dineros you can buy
easily-modified state of the art communications one week, then
hang around for the gun show next week. "Hola! I pay cash!"
"..sheeip it Fed-Ex to Geeinral Jose Enricho Gonzales in
The Republica of Sylvania, Here $10,000! Thank-you seniore Gringo! "

I just freakin love it. What a Country!

4936. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Olson <kolson@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8gjnvm$4p4$1@bob.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 110515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty, abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same radio new....well fleamarket vendors....the new equipment vendors thank you from the bottom of their hearts!!!

If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be half of what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a warranty and the equipment looks nice, just like the way I treat my equipment.

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_____
Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy to get the Clintons
_____

And while were at it (since you brought it up) I am proud to be a non gun-nut who doesn't understand why anyone would be out to "get the Clintons". I mean, if we can rename an airport in Washington after Ronnie Regan (kind of an insult) we should be able to show some tolerance to ANYONE.

4937. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Smith <w9wi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <392D56B1.385A55CE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 110516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A 'n' A wrote:
> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58ï¿½N), and the winds can be pretty
> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)

I would tend to suggest against an antenna that handles 6m/2m and HF all
in one piece.

A lot depends on how much room you have for your antenna and how
portable you expect it to be. Are you talking about something you
expect to use mobile, or are you establishing a base station?
--
Doug Smith W9WI
Pleasant View (Nashville), TN EM66
http://personal.bellsouth.net/~w9wi
zzn.com has been killfiled for excessive spam.
If you're on zzn, change ISPs if you want to send me email.

4938. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392D681D.11C6CC5F@oio.net>
Source record: 110517

Sorta makes me nervous... someone proposing marrage,
and I don't even know him! ...not sure I wanna either!
'Doc

4939. Re: Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392D66A1.4D9126E3@oio.net>
Source record: 110518

Joe,
A Beverage antenna may work out better than the random
wire your using now. I think there are other antennas that
would work 'better' than a Beverage, though. While a Beverage
is a 'nice' antenna, it is a bit directional, so in some cases
it would be worse than what your using now, may be.
(Looks like you've found a few of the 'brown spots' on your
HF radio dial!).
'Doc

4940. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <392D68F1.E4D718F3@netdoor.com>
Source record: 110519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Amen!

Kevin Olson wrote:

> One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty,
> abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same radio
> new....well fleamarket vendors....the new equipment vendors thank you from
> the bottom of their hearts!!!
>
> If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be half of
> what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a
> warranty and the equipment looks nice, just like the way I treat my
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>
> Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
> to get the Clintons
> ____
>
> And while were at it (since you brought it up) I am proud to be a non
> gun-nut who doesn't understand why anyone would be out to "get the
> Clintons". I mean, if we can rename an airport in Washington after Ronnie
> Regan (kind of an insult) we should be able to show some tolerance to
> ANYONE.

4941. Re: Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gjpeq$f0n$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110520

I should have made it clear, I have a hospital 1/2 mile to my south east, I
just need to receive southwest and northeast at 3.5-8 MHz.
I need to build some kind of wire antenna with a very high side rejection.
Town ordnance and environmental *mental* people forbids just about anything
including killing West Nile mosquitoes.
So I need to build it low profile out of thin wire spring's and trees.
Thanks !

Dan/W4NTI wrote in message <8gjnk2hvg1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>In article <8gimp3$1tu$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "Joe" <joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> Hi I like to listen to SW between 3.5-7Mhz will building a Beverage
>Antenna
>> help rid the nasty noise ?
>> I currently use a long wire about 60 feet
>> Top top funny stuff is at
>> 3850 ****
>> 3950 **
>> 6890 ***
>> After 11PM EST
>>
>>
>Probably not. A beverage work best at lower frequencies such as 160m
>ham band and below.
>
>I don't know what kind of noise you are getting, but try a loop antenna
>and possibly a pre-amp. Without more info on the noise I can't be more
>specific.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>
>--
>"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

4942. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392D6741.23E3442D@oio.net>
Source record: 110521

"radiosigs@mindspring.com",
It's part of a nick name from work.
'Lt.Doc'

4943. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000525140309.29232.00000061@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 110522

>The trip I made to Dayton last Saturday is a good enough reference for me.

Now that's what I like, a good, concrete sampling leading to concrete evidence.
:)))

4944. Re: Doc, Do You Own the Name

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392D6784.472139F0@oio.net>
Source record: 110523

Robert Morris wrote:
>
> Here on Internet, we can be whomever we'd like: Doc, General, etc.
> Right?
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

Sure can. People usually will call you what they want anyway...
'Doc

4945. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David VanHorn <dvanhorn@cedar.net>
Message-ID: <1LeX4.89778$fF5.2884966@news1.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 110524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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I don't expect every item to be a killer deal.

Monku, Monku, Monku....

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Version: PGPfreeware 6.5.2 for non-commercial use <http://www.pgp.com>

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iRsEVZout9gp5umM98BJsAj2
=KBtt
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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4946. Re: Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gjuun$nu7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110525

In article <8gjpeq$f0n$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"Joe" <joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I should have made it clear, I have a hospital 1/2 mile to my south
east, I
> just need to receive southwest and northeast at 3.5-8 MHz.
> I need to build some kind of wire antenna with a very high side
rejection.
> Town ordnance and environmental *mental* people forbids just about
anything
> including killing West Nile mosquitoes.
> So I need to build it low profile out of thin wire spring's and trees.
> Thanks !
>
A loop presents decent side rejection. However it is also a monster at
3.5 mhz. You could try building a triangle or square loop and make it
random to fit in the space you have available. Add a small antenna
tuner and possibly a pre-amp.

The tuner will aid in matching the loop impedance to the feedline and
the pre-amp would enhance the signals you are trying to hear. In order
to work in this manner, the tuner assembly would have to be at the
antenna.

As for noise reduction...being a loop it is better than a dipole type
of configuration. And the loop will be bi-directional if you put the
broadside to the ne/sw. It will null to the nw/sw.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4947. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Hissong <jhisson1@columbus.rr.com>
Message-ID: <8gjuhn$g3o$1@sshuraaa-i-1.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 110526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Andrew,

For base station use, I just bought a GAP Antenna Eagle DX. This weekend I will be stretching her wings on the WPX CW contest. You may want to look into one of their models that covers 2/6M, the Challenger DX I think. Only problem is that you need some buried ground radials, but that should not be too bad. They are designed to be ground mounted (on a 10' mast pipe) so no towers are needed.

About the winds, they seem pretty well built. I see comments of the thing withstanding some fierce winds, but do not quote me.

Good luck on upgrading! HF is alot of fun.

73,

Jason Hissong
KC8HYI

"A 'n' A" <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca> wrote in message
news:392D5A44.978D04F5@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca...
> Hello!
>
> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58�N), and the winds can be pretty
> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)
>
> Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!
>
> 73, Andrew
> VE6SCK

4948. Re: Warning to HTX-200 and HTX-400 owners - fatal design flaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <rafX4.95$pL.1933@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sounds like a perfect candidate for a 'schematic' on the Radio Shack
web page! The 202 and 404 both had a recomended transformer
coupling for the HT to a TNC. I wonder if because that's how they
did it before, that's how they tested these without thinking how the
majority of users would try to hook up.

Mike

Michael L. Ardai <n1ist@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:8gjf2cdij1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
>
> I have just spent some time repairing some of Radio Shack HTX-200 and
> HTX-400 radios. All of them suffered from the same promlem -
transmits
> fine, no receive audio but the s-meter reacts properly and the squelch
> seems to work fine.
>
> This radio uses a push/pull audio stage; both sides of the external
> speaker jack are driven (probably to get more volume from the 3V
batteries).
> The manual warns you not to short either side to ground. It claims
that if
> you do so (plugging it into a TNC or using certain speaker mikes), the
> display will indicate 'S-SHORT' and the audio amp will be turned off.
>
> In reality (confirmed by reading the schematic and looking in the
radio),
> this protection circuit was never implemented - the components in the
> schematic are labeled 'nu' (not used) and are not installed. If you
short
> either speaker lead to ground, the switching transistor used to mute
the
> amp when the squelch is open will burn out. On the 2M unit, it is
Q607.
>
> This is a SOT-23 surface mount part. The service manual lists it as
> a 'KTA2015' labeled 'ZO'. I replaced it with a 2N3906 (same pinout)
> labeled '2A'. It is on the rear of the audio/RF board right where the
> audio board connects in, and is connected to pin 1 (switched B+) of
the
> amp. Not too hard to change if you are used to surface mount work.
>
> So what does this mean?
>

> - DO NOT use the HTX-200 or HTX-400 with anything plugged in to the
> headphone jack other than a headphone or speaker.
>
> - Make sure speaker mikes keep both sides of the speaker plug (3.5mm)
> isolated from the mike plug (2.5 mm). Not all of them are.
>
> - DO NOT use this radio with a TNC or powered speaker sharing the
> same power supply (unless you wire up an isolation transformer for
the
> audio...)
>
> /mike
> n1ist@arrl.net
>
> --
> \|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@arrl.net
\|/
> -*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc
=== -*-
> /|\ or send "info barc-list" to majordomo@qth.net
/|\
>

4949. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlisson@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <392d82d8$1$wyvffba$mr2ice@news>
Source record: 110528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Hello!

>I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
>right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
>morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
>purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
>capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
>antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
>than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
>taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58ï¿½N), and the winds can be pretty
>cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)

>Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!

>73, Andrew
>VE6SCK

Do you really feel that you will need/want antenna's for "all the bands?"

Just as you will eventually discover that there are one or two modes you
really enjoy you will also find that there are only one or two HF bands
that appeal to your operating style. (chew the fat, collect QSL cards,
emergency operations, whatever.)

Nothing can beat a simple dipole for portability, ruggedness and ease of
reinstallation after the wind blows it down.

For a band like 20 you can homebrew a "plumbers delight" beam comprised of
a couple of elements that will hopefully be rugged enough for the nastiest
Canadian winter.

When the time comes, welcome to the HF world.

-Jim WA2CEP

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jlisson@earthlink.net

4950. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water! HEY ANON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gk1as$82b$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110529

Carriage returns?
Okay I'm writing
on separate lines
but I think it'll
all show up as
being on sentence
after another. I "think"; don't
know because even though
I'm a genius the only thing
I know about a computer
is how to turn it off
and on, not necessarily
in that order.
AF2Y

In article <392D5183.1F02878@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> Why don't you learn to post using carriage returns. It is difficult
> to read you posts when all your data is on one line.. Or maybe your
> post isn't worth reading?
>
> Anon wrote:
>>
>> Castle-sucks@hotmail.com
>>
>> It seems David Castle, WA9KJI, just can't seem to keep is big mouth shut!
> Not only has a sworn affifavit and recordings been sent by another ham's
> attorney to the FCC regarding a Mar. 18th incident involving jamming by
> Castle...and not only has the FCC told Castle to stop the slandering their
> monitoring stations have recorded...now it seems the editor of a newspaper
> has filed a complaint with Hollingsworth about Castle and his slandering
> and defamation of their newspaper!!
>>
>> Stay tuned! This is getting interesting!!

4951. Re: Swan Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gk12b$t4n$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110530

There used to be a Swan Users Club every Sunday afternoon on 20 meters but
it drifted away.
AF2Y

In article <8gjc5u$4n9q$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>, "CMySig"
<tzr-v@DELETECAPSFIRSTprodigy.net> wrote:

>
> Hi,
>
> Can anyone direct me to some sites with any infoo for Swan gear
> (capabilities info, mods, manuals, accessories, etc...) Thanks..
>
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>
> (C)-(U)-\... Later ...
>
> Greg V
>
> *** Notice!!! ***
>
> Distribution Of Electronic/Geographic Addresses/Info Prohibited Without
> PRIOR Written Consent!!!
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> *********=--> Note Changes To Make!!! <--=*********
> ************** To Send Return E-Mail *************
>
> datzr@DELETECAPSFIRSTyahoo.com
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> *** Don't Just Click!!! ***
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4952. Re: Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <06449799143E8450.F910428BA038865B.0BEDD04C2CD18D16@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110531

No, the antenna you need is a LOOP! See the handbook or lots of old
articles. An indoor loop picks up too much AC line crap. You need an
outdoor loop and they are quite small in physical size.....and quiet!

Larry W4CSC

On Thu, 25 May 2000 04:06:59 -0400, "Joe" <joeamp@mindspring.com>
wrote:

>Hi I like to listen to SW between 3.5-7Mhz will building a Beverage Antenna
>help rid the nasty noise ?
>I currently use a long wire about 60 feet
>Top top funny stuff is at
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>3950 **
>6890 ***
>After 11PM EST
>
>

4953. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <elIHATESPAMdowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <T7gX4.60873$g41.2525662@news-west.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 110532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Don't buy much used equipment do you.

Kevin Olson <kolson@erols.com> wrote in message
news:8gjnvm$4p4$1@bob.news.rcn.net...
> One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty,
> abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same radio
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> equipment.
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> Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
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> "If the government is the only one allowed to possess
> guns, are we still a free people?"
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> gun-nut who doesn't understand why anyone would be out to "get the
> Clintons". I mean, if we can rename an airport in Washington after Ronnie
> Regan (kind of an insult) we should be able to show some tolerance to
> ANYONE.
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4954. Re: KV4FZ's Endgame: Vindication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Message-ID: <392D9F26.276E020F@avotec.com>
Source record: 110533

Bob,

You are VERY lucky. You defend Herb and all you get is a mild reprimand from the protector of our people; my g-d he understands you and approves of what you do. Thanks goodness; I'm sure it helps you sleep at night.

I talk to Herb and treat him as I want to be treated, do not wish any bad things for him and his family and I get accused of being like those that led our people to the chambers.

Some guys just have all the luck

Len

Bob Sherin wrote:

> Whenever I see the KV4FZ, Herb Schoenbohm, story, I feel compelled to
> respond. I was present during Herb's 1992 criminal trial, later
> discovering fabricated evidence resulting in the overturn of two of
> criminal convictions.
>
> I know: You want me to give it up, go away. Our Constitutional law,
> though, is made of sterner stuff. Let me take you on a walk through the
> formative events, the criminal case, the FCC Licensing Hearing, the
> pending criminal appeals process-- truth and falsehood. Stay
> open-minded.
>
> First hypocrisy! In the late eighties I interviewed Herb for an article
> I was dong for Florida Skip Magazine. Meeting him for the first time, I
> sensed a guy driven to prevent illegal bypass on ham radio of telephone
> tolls. Follow-up interviews found him supported by no less an entity
> than the Amateur Auxilary in central Florida. ("He knows what he's
> talking about," said Swede Hockberg.) A part of his repertoire was
> Intercon and the late Jim Jones, who are alleged to have joined in
> "bypass" activity.
>
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> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

4955. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: zincplaterubberant <kru7dso@cir43a.org>
Message-ID: <a2%W4.1024$Q46.5871@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Dave Heil" <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in message
news:392BD213.810142D2@cats-net.com...

> I had a supermarket clerk just a little older try to pass me a store
> coupon a few years back. I thanked her and said, "No, I won't be here
> to use it--I live in Finland." Her response was, "Is that like a
> different country or something?" Your point was?
>
> Dave Heil 5H3US, K8MN

So what does this have to do with the price of tea in China?

Dave, I suggest you stick with marketing cheap tinny microphones and
"audio equalizers" to the same knucklheads who bought
into Tiny-Tennas and "cure-all" magnetic matress pads.

4956. Re: Movie "Frequency" observations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gi2f7$d52$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110573

Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message

>> Ham radio never was a young man's game. Yet, 50+ is not old! I'm 46
>> and have three state records in swimming. I'm certain I could out-
>> swim anyone on this NG in any distance now and when I turn 50; I
>> continue to train daily.

>The average age of hams when I came in in 1959 was 27, now it is 55.

Site your reference, OM.

Jeff

4957. Re: stock market blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <uT1X4.1622$Q46.24872@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110574

Hey Doc, any predictions on the tech stocks in NYSE such as IBM and HP?
KR4AJ
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8ges6p$u2n$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> Gentlemen:
> This is very bad news again as of 4:20 this afternoon. NASDAQ is where the
> high tech stocks are and as you see it's down by $191.45 and its standing
at
> 3172.76 is LOWER than the low hit in mid April when the bottom nearly
> dropped out. Take a look at two of the biggest high tech stocks, Oracle
and
> Cisco Systems down 5.31 and 4.69 respectively and EBAY, the king of
website
> businesses is down TWENTY DOLLARS & SIXTEEN CENTS A SHARE. See what
happens
> when the economy overheats and the Fed has to raise interest rates? And
> guess what-we ain't seen nuthin' because at the end of June it's going up
> another 1/2 point. As a one time major investor in both the NYSE, AMEX and
> especially in NASDAQ, I advise those who need money over the SHORT TERM to
> get out before you lose your shirts. If you're nearing retirement and are
in
> it for the long run, stick it out but it's going to take quite a while for
a
> rebound. Despite the protestations by my broker, I cleared out in mid
April
> just when the drop had eaten up all my paper profits and threatened the
> principal. He said I was making a bad mistake by selling LOW. I told him
to
> go to hell because it was my money and his job was to manage it, not own
it,
> and to SELL EVERYTHING RIGHT THEN AND THERE. I then reinvested in the
money
> market and tax free municipal bonds and I'm glad I did because I'm now
> earning more than the honchos still in the market. In case anyone's
> interested as to why the Fed raised the interest rate, it's to prevent
> inflation because if you'll think back to the days of the Georgia peanut
> farmer between 1976-1980, wow did we suffer from it PLUS a borrowing rate
of
> 24%. If you weren't aware of it, I'm the one who tells financial analyst
> Stuart Varney what to say on CNN. For any financial questions, feel free
to
> write. You'll never do better than to write me that letter. Incidentally,
> Youngblood is losing his SHIRT over what's happening. He complains to
> Queenie and that's why the McKeesport clown doesn't go

> "hehhhhhhh.......hehhhhhhh.....heh...heh.....heh.....any more.
> AF2Y
>
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> As of: May 23 - 16:20Market
> Momentum -1.33% Advances 2078 Declines 3576 Unchanged 291
> Dow 30 10421.92 -120.63 -1.14%
> S&P 500 1375.00 -25.72 -1.84%
> Nasdaq Comp 3172.76 -191.45 -5.69%
> Russell 2000 460.09 -11.58 -2.46%
> S&P MidCap 456.04 -7.10 -1.53%30-Year T-Bond USM0 6.548% +0.003%
> 10-Year T-Note TYM0 6.583% +0.015%
> 5-Year T-Note FVM0 6.694% +0.027%
> 2-Year T-Note TUM0 6.848% +0.030%
> 30-Day Libor EMM0 6.740% +0.010%
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> Commodities | Indices | 52 Week Highs | 52 Week Lows
> Volume Leaders | Top Advances | Top Declines | Lookup
> Volume Leaders
>
> Symbol Name Exch Last Volume Change Percent
> CSCO CISCO SYSTEMS NASD 50.56 65,916,797 -4.69 -8.48%
> QQQ NASDAQ 100 TRUST AMEX 75.78 30,117,498 -5.85 -7.16%
> ORCL ORACLE CORP NASD 62.50 28,963,301 -5.31 -7.83%
> MSFT MICROSOFT CP NASD 63.19 28,555,500 -1.00 -1.56%
> INTC INTEL CORP NASD 109.88 24,838,100 -8.50 -7.18%
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> ---
> Biggest Advances by Dollar
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> Symbol Name Exch Last Volume Change Percent
> FRX FOREST LABS NYSE 88.44 1,058,000 +6.00 +7.27%
> PGR PROGRESS CORP OH NYSE 93.56 1,035,000 +5.43 +6.16%
> AGN ALLERGAN INC NYSE 67.63 1,206,600 +4.94 +7.87%
> CHRB CHINA RSC DEV NASD 17.75 310,400 +4.87 +37.81%
> AUDC AUDIOCODES LTD NASD 58.25 188,300 +4.56 +8.49%
> ---
> Biggest Declines by Dollar
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> Symbol Name Exch Last Volume Change Percent
> SDLI SDL INC NASD 169.88 6,126,300 -22.13 -11.52%
> PMCS PMC-SIERRA INC NASD 133.44 10,311,101 -22.06 -14.19%
> EBAY EBAY INC NASD 116.03 5,103,400 -20.16 -14.80%
> RMBS RAMBUS INC NASD 150.94 4,294,000 -19.94 -11.67%
>
>

4958. Re: 14313 at Taco Bell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <9W1X4.1625$Q46.25286@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110575

Good for Donnie. Appropriate for his talents.

Dayton Hamfest Codger <kf4jyz@dimbulbs.inc.com> wrote in message
news:J3vW4.22849$T41.563556@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> 14.313 "fixture", Donnie kf4jyz, has landed
> a new job at the Macon, Ga Taco Bell......
>
> here--> http://www.debsfunpages.com/taco.htm
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4959. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <qX1X4.1626$Q46.14768@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gong!Gong! Troll Alert!

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:8gc52g019i7@enews1.newsguy.com...
> The question asked time and again is, "Why are there no *young* newcomers
to
> ham radio?" The answer is quite simple: elitism.
>
> The elitist mentality fosters itself when a group of people think that
they're
> doing something "better" than someone else. It's not limited to one
individual
> group. It's a disease that infects Christian fundamentalists, as well as
> teenagers who think they're "alternative". (You know the type. They walk
into a
> CD store, sporting spiked, purple hair and facial piercings, and complain
> because the store doesn't have the entire discography of some obscure band
from
> San Francisco who call themselves Blood Monster Mushrooms.)
>
> This elitism makes the group irrational. The dangers of the elitist
mindset are
> very real. First, it more than likely creates hypocrites out of the people
> involved. Second, it annihilates the appeal of the group's philosophy, as
no
> one likes to be talked down to. Third, it turns the group into general
> assholes, making them snobby, confrontatinal, and unlikeable.
>
> I've seen this attitude time and again in ham radio. It's seen in club
> meetings, at hamfests, on the air, and most prevalently on the internet.
My
> idea of ham radio would be a wide range of individuals discussing many
> different topics, and engaging in a meaningful and intelligent exchange of
> information. (That certainly doesn't happen on the typical DX contact)
However,
> that's asking for a Utopia that just isn't going to happen. Some will even
say
> that this is against the fundamental purpose of the service as outlined in
Part
> 97.1. These people can't even see past a rulebook to see that amateur
radio has
> become stagnant.
> But, no. The majority of hams today are old and/or obese, white, males who

have
> nothing better to do than talk about the "good 'ol days", their health
> problems, and the weather.
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> Based on these facts, you can see that the new license structure isn't
going to
> save ham radio. A lower code test requirement isn't going to save ham
radio.
> Only a change of attitude will save ham radio. Until a redefining of the
basis
> and purpose happens, and until the poisonous elitism is purged, the appeal
of
> the internet for the free and open exchange of ideas will continue to
grow, and
> interest in ham radio will continue to dwindle until it is like the dead
> languages of Europe: Still there for the curious, but of no common use.
>
> Tom - N8ECW
>
>

4960. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <392CAF7F.2B87D3FA@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110577

W5LZ wrote:
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> Just exactly which "Doc" are you talking about??
> 'Doc

I don't think he/she's that picky, Doc. In other words, either one
will do.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4961. KV4FZ's Endgame: Vindication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14890-392CBD11-129@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110578

Whenever I see the KV4FZ, Herb Schoenbohm, story, I feel compelled to respond. I was present during Herb's 1992 criminal trial, later discovering fabricated evidence resulting in the overturn of two of criminal convictions.

I know: You want me to give it up, go away. Our Constitutional law, though, is made of sterner stuff. Let me take you on a walk through the formative events, the criminal case, the FCC Licensing Hearing, the pending criminal appeals process-- truth and falsehood. Stay open-minded.

First hypocrisy! In the late eighties I interviewed Herb for an article I was dong for Florida Skip Magazine. Meeting him for the first time, I sensed a guy driven to prevent illegal bypass on ham radio of telephone tolls. Follow-up interviews found him supported by no less an entity than the Amateur Auxilary in central Florida. ("He knows what he's talking about," said Swede Hockberg.) A part of his repertoire was Intercon and the late Jim Jones, who are alleged to have joined in "bypass" activity.

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Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

4962. Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gimp3$1tu$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110579

Hi I like to listen to SW between 3.5-7Mhz will building a Beverage Antenna help rid the nasty noise ?
I currently use a long wire about 60 feet
Top top funny stuff is at
3850 ****
3950 **
6890 ***
After 11PM EST

4963. Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: stoli126@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000525043202.09178.00000148@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 110580

I have heard there were some interesting sightings walking around at the Dayton Hamfest.What were the wildest sightings that you have seen there Someone said someone was walking around with an antenna on his head is this true What other kind of interesting things were there
Bye

4964. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gj11umm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110581

In article <200005240130.VAA02449@cotse.com>,
"Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote:
>
> I really love you, Doc! You're my whole life! I can't live without
you!
>
> Doc...will you marry me? (In Vermont? And have EVE put us up in one
of his motels??)
> --
> Anon news web interface. FAQ available for review at:
> http://packetderm.cotse.com/cgi-bin/blockit.cgi
>
> What a wonderful gesture, but I am afraid that would be impossible
due to the mental condition of Doc. He is not able to travel and has
bouts of paranoia. You will have to love him in your dreams.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

4965. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gj0k4unu1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110582

Dwight,
I don't know what it is but every time I hear or see the name Dwight, I think of Elmer Fudd. He was always after the "Wabbit,"
If that fan letter was intended for me, that person has the right person. Apparently my hard hitting, no nonsense Walter Winchell-Groucho Marx posts have hit home therefore kindly do not confuse me with any other Doc. Thank you.
AF2Y

In article <392CAF7F.2B87D3FA@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

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> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
> http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4966. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gj0bh$i9a$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110583

Paul,
Where's the name "Doc" come from?
Doc,AF2Y

In article <392C8B96.8864E613@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

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>
> wolf,
> Oh, I do. What you need to remember is that any more
> that common courtesy has to be earned. A lack of common
> courtesy is usually earned too.
> 'Doc / Paul

4967. Re: KV4FZ's Endgame: Vindication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Intercon member <wmwwax@nab.org>
Message-ID: <erwX4.15971$Sx.73445@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110384

Bob Sherin <Trebb@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:14890-392CBD11-129@storefull-246.iap.bryant.webtv.net...

> First hypocrisy! In the late eighties I interviewed Herb for an article
> I was dong for Florida Skip Magazine. Meeting him for the first time, I
> sensed a guy driven to prevent illegal bypass on ham radio of telephone
> tolls.

Yes, we should *all* get upset over an infrequent
telephone patch by a boater, looking to say hello
to his family back home. Let us not forget
those offshore Medical-Missionaries. Doctors with
years of professional medical experience, who would
volunteer (..at no monetary compensation) with human-
itarin organizations like UNICEF, WHO, Baptist Medical
Missionaries Worldwide and others -to provide *FREE*
medical care and pharmaceuticals to poor people in
places like Haiti, Nicaguraua, Honduras, French Guiana
and other places. Ham radio communications remains
an important part of the humanatarian activities of
these Volunteer Medical Professionals.

What you read above is the kind of people that KV4FZ took
a sick, twisted pleasure in attacking, even at the expense
of the welfare of his home and family. (ask Mr Miller
about how Monica was wearing 2nd hand clothing and tacking
tin plates to the leaky roof of Herb's hovel, all the while
Herbie put a priority to continue his attacks against
the fine people of the Intercontinental and Maritime Mobile
Network.

Ask any of the original Net Control stations about the
lunacy they had to put up with from this mental patient Herbert Luther
Schoenbaum KV4FZ. Ask Mike Galego's (ka4muj's) widow about how Herbie
abandoned Mike in his last days to seek out new "radio thugs"
to do his bidding for him.

Just like he did with Dick, N5FX, who died alone with nobody to pick up his
insulin. How Herb seemed more concerned that Dick Eastman
get back on the air ASAP to resume sending nursery rhimes
in CW on 14.313 - and this after his house was blown away
in a tornado in Wichtia Falls in the early-80's and did not send
one red Cent to Dick to rebuild. Nice guy eh?

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> than the Amateur Auxilary in central Florida. ("He knows what he's

> talking about," said Swede Hockberg.) A part of his repertoire was
> Intercon and the late Jim Jones, who are alleged to have joined in
> "bypass" activity.

True, the Jim Jones wb6mid incident was tragic, but nobody
in ICON knew what was going on, and the Net was quite
contrite in retrospect about it later. Herb tried to mine
this for all it was worth, in utter tastelessness and
crassness to his own ends however.

> Thrust into this position by his own conduct, Herb is now working on
> behalf of all citizens in exonerating himself on the remaining criminal
> count. With the printout discarded as fabricated and with no one number
> imputed to Herb's brain, he should triumph on lack of specificity or
> vagueness.

Horse-Apples Bob.

There were tapes of Herbie played in the
courtroom, and later on the air, clearly
indicating Herb's attempts to "crack" into
Carribean Automated Long Lines network *telephony
switchgear*. This is no different than a phone phreaker
using a "red" or "blue" or "beige" box to
obtain free phone calls.

It's HIGHLY illegal also.

> His conviction reads: "Possession of a counterfeit access device with
> intent to defraud." However, no such conviction should stand when the
> device remains some number in his mind and not a definable definite
> number.

I guess the DTMF tones we both heard on the tape
trying to crack the C.A.L.L.S. Network were
being made by a toy whistle found inside of
a box of Captain Crunch cereal? No..?

Did herbie whistle the DTMF tones using his lips?

On another topic...

What about the 2 meter VHF equipment
that K1MAN sent down to St. Croix after the hurricane hit
for use by IARN Disaster relief, that dissappeared.

4968. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gmadm$e2a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110385

In article <392DD65A.43C58A13@dialpoint.net>,
Ralph Mowery <rmowery@dialpoint.net> wrote:

> Being in the South, most of the jobs here are in the textile industry.
> We have already lost too many jobs to the countries that pay only a
> few dollars a day. I don't know what kind of job you have or what you
> make, but just think what would happen to your job if they could put
> it a country where the wages for the same job is only a few dollars a
> day or if you lost your job due to this.

The irony of asking pity for the poor southern anti-union states who
have sucked businesses away from the north for years because of the
resultant lower labor costs, rendering many northern industrial towns
rusting hulks devoid of jobs or people, just takes my breath away.

LRod

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4969. UX-97 1200MHZ module for IC-970

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Manos <pelamare@her.forthnet.gr>
Message-ID: <8gm8el$984$1@medousa.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 110386

Hi all,
I am looking for an UX-97 1200MHZ module for IC-970.Can anybody tell me
where I can get one?
Tnx
SV9ANJ

4970. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w7wjm@arrl.nospam.net
Message-ID: <8gm85e$2rj$1@news.netmar.com>
Source record: 110387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

My suggestion is make or buy an antenna (or antennas) for 6 and 2, then make antennas for HF later. Dipoles for HF are easy to make, and just as good as the ones you can purchase.

73 de W7WJM

In a previous article, A 'n' A <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca> writes:
>Hello!
>
>I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
>right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
>morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
>purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
>capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
>antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
>than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
>taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58�N), and the winds can be pretty
>cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)
>
>Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!
>
>73, Andrew
>VE6SCK

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4971. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sparksw4eas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <8gm9em$2ra$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110388

Amen

4972. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <392ea273.848321@news.usol.com>
Source record: 110389

Amazing Something I agree with Jesse Helms on.

On Fri, 26 May 2000 09:42:18 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>A few weeks I went shopping for trousers and shirts and everything I bought
>had foreign labels on them; made in Taiwan, Philippines, Costa Rica, Mexico.
>So cozying up to a billion people isn't going to introduce anything new to
>the USA but will give us a chance to get into THEIR untapped voluminous
>markets to offset and even gain an advantage over what they export here.

Bwa Ha Ha Ha .. Ask the labor unions why they opposed the bill if
it'll *create* so much work here ? It'll give these money grubbing/
making machines without a FLAG (lots of US companies) a nice chance
to set up shop in China and get some dirt cheap labor and avoid
environmental rules / US labor laws in the process. We'll lose our
manufacturing base and China will get some great new technology.
Eventually we'll be doing each other's wash here in our 'service
economy' and importing cars , trucks etc. and hell may even have to
buy *our* military weapons from China. When the manufacturing base
goes , kiss your ass goodbye as nothing of any *value* gets created
when you sell me a stock and I sell you an insurance policy .....
(while I'm ranting) .. For a first hand example check out a *nice*
American company called *NIKE* and see how many of those $150.00 shoes
they *MAKE* here (ZERO) and how many get made with 25 cent an hour
labor in places like Viet Nam etc ...

>Jesse Helms is YOUR type of man, you say? Jesus, how can you admit it? The
>man is the epitomï¿½ of what America shouldn't be about; an ingorant,
>intolerant, selfish, arrogant redneck slob trying to rejuvenate the slave
>holding ante-bellum South. And I'll be you're the type of guy who thinks
>flying the Confederate flag over the S.C. State House is cute, right?
>AF2Y
>
>----------
>In article <392DD65A.43C58A13@dialpoint.net>, Ralph Mowery
><rmowery@dialpoint.net> wrote:
>
>
>> Being from NC, Jesse is usually my kind of man. Look at what the trade
>> bill with Mexico did to the jobs in the US. Being in the South, most of
>> the jobs here are in the textile industry. We have already lost too
>> many jobs to the countries that pay only a few dollars a day. I don't
>> know what kind of job you have or what you make, but just think what
>> would happen to your job if they could put it a country where the wages

>> for the same job is only a few dollars a day or if you lost your job due
>> to this.
>>
>>
>> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>>
>>> You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake.
>>> I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the
>>> normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
>>> ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic
>>> power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that
>>> trade go to France, England and others. Let's hurt ourselves to appease
>>> Helmsmanese creeps.
>>> Now get this: Helms doesn't want to do business with China because of their
>>> human rights violations. Ha! He's one to talk. The man has suppressed every
>>> progressive bill to ever go before the Senate. He was and still is an avowed
>>> segregationist. He's an embarassment to the fine people of North Carolina
>>> who are overwhelmed by rednecks. And that's exactly what Helms is-a redneck
>>> worse than a John Rocker could ever be. How amazing a guy like that has so
>>> much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.
>>> AF2Y

4973. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gmfthidh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110390

In article <392D681D.11C6CC5F@oio.net>,
W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>
> Sorta makes me nervous... someone proposing marrage,
> and I don't even know him! ...not sure I wanna either!
> 'Doc
>

Heh heh, trust me, you DON'T!
LOL!

--
73 de KC8JBO|Roger
EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.

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4974. Re: AF2Y on Harrison Mantle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gmfvliea1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110391

In article <8gm1j0$2nq$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> The latest news is that when Harrison Youngblood leaves for the
Dominican
> Republic this summer to learn how to play baseball, his old man, Waldo
> Pepper-Red Baron Bobby will be flying him down is his new ritzy titsy
plane
> that's been spit shined, painted and overhauled. All he's waiting for
to get
> airborne are a few more rubber bands. Good luck Harry and keep in
mind that
> the hard sphere with the stiches is the baseball.
> AF2Y
>

Either that, or it's daddy's head.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4975. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gmg5dihe1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110392

In article <8gkkig$7u4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> In article <8gkgpp$m90$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> > The OM was wrong about not giving women the vote, so what makes you
> > believe his statement above is any more correct?
>
> Hadn't thought of it that way, but I'll try.
>
> Since everybody has been wrong at least once,
> nobody has any valid thoughts or contributions.
>
> Man, I'm better now. =)
>
> Where's my beer?
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> o 0
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> o O
> o 0
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> *burp*
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> =)
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4976. Re: LONG WAIT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gmga9iil1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110393

In article <8gjnc7hru1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <ejgliskvh367r0drmav6ab9tqtmlmulkf4@4ax.com>,
> Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net> wrote:
> > I think it is understandable that there was going to be a
relatively
> > longer wait before the FCC could process the backlog of 610's, etc.
> > that were received in the days following April 15th..
> >
> > I have been monitoring the WM7D site since it is the one that I know
> > updates their database nightly with the callsigns that were issued
or
> > upgraded the previous day. On certain days of the week I have seen
> > that the update includes as many as 800 or more changes from the
> > previous day. Obviously at that rate it would not take too awfully
> > long to catchup. Fridays for some reason seems to be a day when
> > nothing much happens.. The highest number of processed applications
on
> > a Friday I have seen is about 150...
> >
> > Since I figure they might be getting close to bringing my
application
> > to the top of the pile, and I figuring that yesterday might have
been
> > a more of a "normal" processing day, I logged on to the WM7D site
> > this morning to see if I might have been included in yesterdays
> > action..
> >
> > The FCC processed a total of 4 applications yesterday.. according to
> > the WM7D database.. FOUR!.. This could be a long wait I think..
> >
> Why are you all so impatient to drop /AE or /AG from your calls? Are
> you ashamed or intimidated by those idiots that call you "welfare"
hams?
> Get on the air and show them you have a set of them.
>
> The only ones that need be impatient are those that are awaiting their
> first license/callsign. What difference does it make how long it
> takes? Just get on the air and enjoy your new privlidges.
>
> It took at least 6 weeks, and normally 8 when I tested...and that was
> to just find out if you passed the test ! There were no "instant
> upgrades" either.
>

> Dan/W4NTI Thats right...Im and extra heavy....gotta loose that
> weight..hi hi.
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."
>
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>

Heavy, man..... lol!!!!
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4977. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gmgjgita1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110394

In article <05861280.2891ac63@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>,
wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
> Lordy, lordy. It's easy to see who came out on the short
> end of Herbie's sparkling repartee. Some guys, like "Raincoat
> Charlie", became so frustrated as to resort to extremely
> crude epithets. While I'm killing some time here Roger,
> why don't you try to get off AF2Y's rear end and try to
> exert your own personality, anemic as it may be.

Still doing drugs, Fatassed Dimmy? And learn to spell, you dropout.
You really shouldn't cast aspersions since you have your tongue so far
up Herbie's rear-end you can taste his masticated entrees.
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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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4978. training school 14313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: herbie baby is #1 <greenobean@gulfbre.com>
Message-ID: <TdzX4.17449$Sx.83224@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110395

Here is story that my gud pal on 14313 give to me.
He say he this is fun to do. Sound good fun tooo mee.

Training school:

Her instructions had been quite explicit, to exit the bus and walk down Fortuna street to the Shell station that was in view two blocks away. In the alley behind the station I found five cars parked in the shadows where she had directed me to go. I hesitantly pulled out the key she had sent to me. As she had commanded, I began trying it in the trunk locks of the cars, it opened the trunk of the fourth car I tried it on. The car had no plates on it. She had notified me to find the car the key went to, open the trunk, get in and close it behind me, leaving the key in the lock. My heart raced as I stood there looking around, but nobody was in sight. I knew that my life would never be the same if I did what she had commanded, but I was unable to defy her. So I sat down in the trunk, covered my face with the painted over divers mask I found lying there as she had ordered, laid down inside and slowly pulled the lid shut. As the lock clicked tight I panicked, and wanted to scream out, but I was so terrified that I couldn't utter a sound. I laid there affright over what I had done. It seemed like an hour I was so scared, but shortly thereafter I heard the click of a woman's high heels approaching, the key being pulled from the lock, then the sound of license plates being placed on the vehicle. Finally, I heard the drivers door open and close. The engine roared to life, and the auto began to move through the alley as I heard a woman's voice state unsympathetically "We're glad you came slave." For about two hours we traveled along freeways and winding roads until we arrived at our destination. When the vehicle stopped, except for the sound of crickets, there was complete silence. The door opened, then I heard the woman ask, "Do you have the mask on?" "Yes," I replied. She then told me to lie facing the back seat, and to put my hands behind my back which I did. The trunk lid opened and a pair of handcuffs were placed on my wrists, securing them behind my back. Then she and two other women pulled me from the trunk and stood me on my feet. The two women proceeded to lead me away through the cool night air by the arms, and shortly before we entered a house I heard the automobile's engine start, then the sound of it driving away.

Once in the house, I was led down a long flight of concrete steps to a basement deep below the house. My wrists were then freed from the handcuffs, and I was told to remove the mask. I found

myself in a very large, windowless, dank basement. It was dark except for a candle burning in the corner where I had been brought. Before I could familiarize myself with the new surroundings, I was told to remove my clothes. It was quite humiliating to see that the "women" who were attending to me were in fact young girls, about twenty years of age. As I was removing my clothes, I noticed that near my feet a two-foot length of heavy chain extended from the floor, the remainder of it having been encased in the solid concrete floor. Then out of the darkness appeared a tall, very muscular, well-built woman in thigh boots. She held a ring-like metal contraption in one hand, a long leather whip and a long, fat strap-on dildo in the other. The sight of this whipmistress terrified me, I could not suppress my trembling. She instructed me to step over to, and straddle the chain on the floor, put my hands on the back of my head, and to not move them for any reason. She ordered me to lower my eyes to the floor, I did so immediately. One of the young girls then stepped up to me, placed one palm on my chest to steady me, tightly grasped my testicles with her other hand, then said "Don't move your hands!" to me as she yanked downward on my balls viciously. I let out a gasp and a loud whimpering groan as she brought me to my knees unceremoniously. "Did that hurt?" she asked, as the other girl moved around behind me. I was too scared to answer, so I just knelt there sobbing. The two girls then began to manipulate the device that the woman had handed to them. They placed it about my neck, as I realized that it was a steel collar with cuffs chained to it which they fastened firmly about my neck and wrists. The wrist cuffs were each attached to the collar by a foot of chain so that my hands were restricted to the vicinity of my face. I was powerless to escape from the fetters. I once again bowed my head and began to tremble in anticipation of the humiliation and chagrin that was to come. "I want you to beg me to release you" the taller of the young girls said to me. I stammered, unable to say anything. "You have disobeyed me" she sneered. "Look at me!" she directed, as she positioned herself in front of me. When I did look up, she was wearing the dildo, tying her flowing hair back as the other girl rubbed lubricant on the head and shaft of her perennial erection. It was strapped firmly onto her vibrant, athletic body.

I began to proffer pleadings, but was too scared to make any sense. "You deserve discipline!" she decreed as she reached down and fed one end of her heavy leather leash through the ring at the front of my collar. She paired the ends together, doubling it up lengthwise, then tugged on it, dragging me over to the "rape chair." She pulled me up onto the metal frame, and securely tied the leash off, out of my reach. I was forced into a wide-open position on the frame, only able to grasp hold of the rung near my forehead as I tried to relieve the pull of the collar on my neck. The girls then pulled my knees up toward my chest and suspended me with heavy straps under my thighs, designed to keep me off balance and immobile. Finally they brought my ankles even further forward and

secured them with cuffs, leaving my feet suspended in mid-air. Perched in this "doggie style" position, I was helplessly vulnerable. "You are here until you learn to obey unerringly and without hesitation" she specified. The other young girl then retrieved a gag and fitted it to my head, pulling its straps so tight that my mouth was completely sealed. "You will not be released until then" the girl added. The next thing I knew a bridle was being attached to the ring on the rear of the collar, then left lying across my back. I felt the girl grab hold of my ass cheeks and pull them apart as the head of the dildo touched my rear orifice. She then firmly grasped my hips in her hands and thrust forward powerfully as she mounted me, driving her stiff, fat, 10" long rubber cock up my virgin hole in one savage, penetrating stroke. My eyes bulged, and I let out a muffled whimper as I jerked helplessly about, in a futile attempt to escape her cruel onslaught. She continued to unmercifully and energetically hammer me, bringing her lithe pelvis in contact with my buttocks with almost every thrust as she kept a taunt grip on the bridle from my collar. I noticed that there were now nine women and girls standing about, observing my predicament which entertained them.

When the fifth woman had finished raping me for the pleasure and entertainment of the other ladies, she removed me from the frame and dragged me back to where I had been collared. There the whipmistress grasped the open lock that hung through the last link of the two feet of chain stretching from the floor. In one fell swoop she laced it through the ring on the front of my collar and snapped it shut. I was left lying on the floor blithering, whimpering, and incoherent. I was sobbing in delusional agony at the dilemma I was facing. Then a spreader bar was lowered from the ceiling, and the whipmistress attached one end of the bar to one of the ankle cuffs. She and another woman then forcibly spread my legs painfully wide as the other ankle cuff was attached to the opposite end of the lengthy spreader bar, leaving me face down, my feet suspended in the air. The whipmistress then began to whip my buttocks freely. I struggled against the lashes, but to no avail. I couldn't avoid them, and I couldn't plead for mercy through the tight gag. I was completely at her mercy, and there was none. She ordered me to shut up and quit resisting, but I couldn't, so she just whipped me harder and harder and harder until my ass was covered with stinging, burning welts. I could no longer see because tears were flowing like a river and my voice was nothing but muffled, whimpering garbles. The whipping had ceased for about five minutes when one of the other women came up and addressed the whipmistress, "May I borrow your slave for a while, I need to teach him something." This other woman then positioned me so that I was face up, back on the floor, with my ankles hanging from the spreader bar. Then she reached for an electrical shocker, applied it to my penis and pressed the switch. My body convulsed with the agony of the powerful jolt. I reached out frantically to stop her, but my hands could only move to the middle of my chest. My head thrashed from side to side as I was

driven temporarily insane by this incredible torture, but there was nothing I could do to thwart her entertainment. She looked down at my protruding eyes and frantic face and smiled as she said, "Look he enjoys this!" With that she held the head of my cock in the fingertips of her free hand, then pushed and held the switch on again as she ran the electrodes up and down the length of my penis. Then she clutched the base of my penis between her thumb and forefinger and held the switch on again as she ran the electrodes back and forth across the head of my penis repeatedly as I thrashed about. When she stopped, I was gasping, and writhing in pain from the excruciating shocks. She lowered my feet to the floor, then sarcastically stated "Don't go away, I'll be right back", as she disappeared into the darkness. While she was gone, another woman picked up the candle from the table and approached me with it. She knelt down and grasped my penis with her free hand and inverted the burning candlestick, causing it to flame up. The hot wax began to rapidly drip from the enlarged flame. She held the tip of the dripping candle over the head of my punished cock and rotated the candle in her hand to make the flow of wax maximize. Once she had coated the top of my cockhead, she bent my penis back and dripped the searingly hot wax over my glans, enjoying the trauma she was subjecting me to.

A couple of minutes later the other woman reappeared with a steel plate, baby bottle and a riding crop. She removed the gag from my mouth, released my ankles from the spreader bar, then asked me, "Would you like for me to massage your cock with that shocker again?" "NO, NO, PLEASE!" I exclaimed, begging her not to use it on me again. My voice warbling, tears profusely streaming from my eyes. "Then you will need to learn to obey me" she said. "I never disobeyed you Mistress!" I exclaimed. "You had better obey me without question in the future" she said. "Yes ma'am" I concurred. She handed the plate to me and said "I need to take a shit, and I want all of it on this plate. Do you understand?" she asked. I lowered my head and nodded obediently. The other women gathered around to watch the spectacle. She turned around and hiked her skirt, revealing her bare buttocks, then squatted right in front of me. "Are you ready Toilet?" she asked. "YYY...Yes Mistress" I replied. I held the plate beneath her, watching her anus open up as she let out a sigh of relief and delivered a fat, 12 inch long, hard, chunky slab of her warm "fudge" onto the plate I was holding. After a few seconds she told me to put the plate down. Then she raised up a bit and said, "Pull my cheeks apart and lick my asshole clean." I struggled against my wrist restraints to gently separate her cheeks so I could lick her butthole clean. Then I released her cheeks and bowed my head as she stood up and dropped her skirt. She turned around, then I felt the sharp sting of the crop against my left cheek which made tears well up in my eyes immediately. I trembled as she asked, "Don't you know how to show appreciation for being granted the privilege of licking my asshole clean?". "YYY...Yes ma'am" I

stammered as I tried to keep from weeping openly. Then she used the end of the crop under my chin to lift my head up until I was looking her straight in the eyes as she asked, "Why didn't you suck my asshole out instead of just licking my cheeks clean?" I knelt there too scared to respond. She continued, "When you have the honor and privilege of using your tongue as a woman's wipe you had better learn to dive it deep into her and lick and suck her hole completely clean before you kiss her cheeks clean." "Yes Mistress" I retorted, afraid to say another word as the other women stood there giggling to themselves. "Hold that plate in your hands" she ordered. I struggled to lean over and pick it up without further hesitation, my hands tethered only a foot from my chin. "NOW EAT IT!" she exclaimed! I trembled at the thought. "OPEN YOUR MOUTH" she ordered as she nudged my head forward with her crop, pushing my agape lips right to the surface of her delicacy on the plate. "TAKE A BIG BITE" she directed. My tongue slipped between it and the plate, lifting it up and guiding it past my lips and into my mouth until I possessed a mouthful and could take no more. Then I bit through the chunky slab and closed my lips. She then used the crop under my chin to push my head back, and then around, so that I was looking up at all the women there as she said, "Chew with your mouth closed and don't stop until I tell you to!" I dutifully obeyed, chewing her chunky present into a soft mush for what must have been five minutes. Then she stood in front of me, playing with the shocker she had so earnestly tortured me with, and gave her harshest order yet. "SWALLOW IT TOILET!" she demanded to the accompaniment of giggles and laughter from the other women. I had no choice but to flush her shit down my throat, into my stomach. Tears of humiliation and shame flooded my eyes and my body trembled as I heard her say "TAKE ANOTHER BITE TOILET, and if you don't chew each bite as well as you did that first one I will torture you with this shocker well beyond your wildest imagination." There was no alternative but to obey. When I was half-through with my service she took the large baby bottle, squatted down and placed it between her lips. Soon the sound of her hot pee filling it up was heard. She stood up and replaced the nipple on the top of the bottle. Once I had swallowed the last of her gratuity, she said "Tilt your head back and close your eyes." Once I had, she placed the nipple into my mouth and said "Hold onto this, but don't open your eyes or move your head until it is empty. Suck it dry, washing your mouth and throat out with it as you swallow." Once it was empty, I removed the bottle from my mouth and lowered my head. The younger of the girls who had escorted me into the house was the only one still there. I begged her to release me, tears streaming from my eyes as I begged and pleaded with her for my emancipation. She coldly told me that she had no intention of releasing me, and couldn't even if she wanted to. She informed me that the only lady who had a key to the lock on my collar was the whipmistress. "You don't understand, do you?" she said, "You were brought here to learn how to serve and YOU WILL NOT BE RELEASED until you have

completed the training. You will NEVER eat anything else while you are here. This is only the beginning, in time you will learn to accept your place here." She picked up the shocker, then said "Get your plate Toilet, I have something for you." Then she turned around, hiked her skirt and squatted over the plate I was holding so obediently. . .

4979. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <5HzX4.1062$4X5.4914@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110396

Nah, life is good now. Even with your sulphurous miasma permeating this reflector.

As you were. K3BHJ.

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message news:8glv3biti1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> Windy, take some Ex-Lax and you'll feel better tomorrow morning.
>
> ----------
> In article <_%sX4.797$4X5.3221@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
> <davidw@copper.net> wrote:
>
SNIP

4980. Re: AF2Y on Harrison Mantle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gmigt$5va$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110397

Roger, you can say more in 6 words than I can in a dissertation. If a career in baseball will end the possibility of his growing up to be an orange plucker like his old pompous bag of bleep, fat daddy Bob, then I wish him well, And I thought of this. The kid could introduce baseball to Scandinavia. If Badblood's wife, Norskie Thunder, leaves blobby Bobby and goes back to Norway with the kid, Harrison could start a team up there based on his stateside experiences by calling it the Oslo Oranges. Can you imagine "the wave" up there? 50,000 Norwegians standing up, swaying and waving icicles?
Doc,AF2Y

In article <8gmfvliea1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <8gm1j0$2nq$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> The latest news is that when Harrison Youngblood leaves for the
> Dominican
>> Republic this summer to learn how to play baseball, his old man, Waldo
>> Pepper-Red Baron Bobby will be flying him down is his new ritzy titsy
> plane
>> that's been spit shined, painted and overhauled. All he's waiting for
> to get
>> airborne are a few more rubber bands. Good luck Harry and keep in
> mind that
>> the hard sphere with the stiches is the baseball.
>> AF2Y
>>
>
> Either that, or it's daddy's head.
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> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4981. stamp design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc A. Schneider, Psy.D." <drmarc@wwa.com>
Message-ID: <jjAX4.114$vP1.5380@ord-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 110398

I had made a posting to inform hams around the nation that I was seeking a stamp to be designed to commemorate ham radio. I had also indicated that I had not yet heard from ARRL after about two weeks. As many of you may know, Jim Haynie has been busy in many areas and not near his desk. I have heard from him and Steve Mansfield (legislative and Public Affairs dept.) with several e-mails today (Dayton is now over).

ARRL is giving this matter its attention and has a call in to the Stamp Committee. Legislative issues and possible errosion of having the welcome mat out for us is an issue to be considered in how ARRL can address this issue.

Apparently some individuals have e-mailed ARRL with a tone suggesting that ARRL did not want to do anything about the stamp. If any of you had that impression you were mistaken. I had e-mailed Jim and not heard from him in about two weeks at the time of my posting. I indicated I had not yet heard from him as of my posting to the news groups --- NOTHING MORE THAN THAT.

Please be assured the matter is being addressed by ARRL.

I do not want ARRL to jeapordize its political potential by getting the stamp done at the expense of spectrum protection or some other needed legislation. How ARRL can help out on the stamp without creating a problem is part of what they need to look into.

I am asking hams around the nation to indicate to the stamp committee that there is strong grass roots every where for the stamp. The only contact to ARRL that might be needed on this matter is an apology for those that got the wrong idea about ARRL's attention to the stamp issue.
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Marc A. Schneider, Psy.D.
Clinical Psychologist
Call Sign: W4NVY

4982. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com>
Message-ID: <392ED066.2F59@ixpres.com>
Source record: 110399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A 'n' A wrote:
>
Andrew,

I would avoid multi-band commercially made antennas. They are always
less efficient than dedicated single band ones, besides being very
expensive. The one exception to this is an antenna fed with balanced,
tuned feeders, fed from a good balanced antenna tuner. Such an antenna
will work on most ANY hf band, and efficiently. It is my choice for
multiband with a single antenna. The best arrangement for general use
is a center-fed horizontal wire as long as you can make it, as high as
you can make it. A length of just 66 ft will work well on 40M and up,
and can cost almost nothing to make.
Don't purchase a tuner. You can make one fairly easily with a
capacitor and home made tank coil and link coupling. See any ARRL
handbook of recent decades. The split tuning capacitor for this will
cost you a fraction of the cost of a multiband vertical antenna, for
example.
If you have VERY limited space, try Hustler mobile whips and
resonators, or even a pair of them back to back, making a loaded short
dipole. Quite lossy, but still better than most anything indoors, and
not too expensive.

73 and GL,

Don, W6JL

> Hello!
>
> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58ï¿½N), and the winds can be pretty
> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)
>
> Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!
>
> 73, Andrew
> VE6SCK

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4983. Re: Need Help PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gmj83kim1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110400

Here's help. Konel is the Polish branch of Philips. It's located in Lublin, Poland. Either write to Konel, ul Kiwerskiego 3, 20-240 Lublin, Poland or e-mail them at konel@konel.pl
By the way, "ul" iare the first two letters of the Polish word for "street." I believe it's Ulitza and not "streetski." I'm not sure. My father was born over there but won't admit it. It was Austria-Hungary when he was born and became Poland after W.W.I ended. He decided to emigrate to America-too many Polacks he claimed. I told him that wasn't nice and he belted me in the chops.
Good luck and it was my pleasure helping you.
73,
Doc,AF2Y

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In article <019bf6ce.90fb537f@usw-ex0107-050.remarq.com>, PepperUW <shpepperNOshSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

> I have a Konel model KR-160 radio. I know nothing about it. I am
> trying to find any information I can about this unit. Any help would
> be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thanks
>
>
> * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
> The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!
>

4984. Re: Warning to HTX-200 and HTX-400 owners - fatal design flaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <392ED208.3835@rpi.edu>
Source record: 110401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mike Yetsko wrote:
>
> Sounds like a perfect candidate for a 'schematic' on the Radio Shack
> web page! The 202 and 404 both had a recomended transformer
> coupling for the HT to a TNC. I wonder if because that's how they
> did it before, that's how they tested these without thinking how the
> majority of users would try to hook up.
>
> Mike
>
> Michael L. Ardai <n1ist@netcom.com> wrote in message
> news:8gjf2cdij1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> >
> > I have just spent some time repairing some of Radio Shack HTX-200 and
> > HTX-400 radios. All of them suffered from the same promlem -
> transmits
> > fine, no receive audio but the s-meter reacts properly and the squelch
> > seems to work fine.
> >
> > This radio uses a push/pull audio stage; both sides of the external
> > speaker jack are driven (probably to get more volume from the 3V
> batteries).
> > The manual warns you not to short either side to ground. It claims
> that if
> > you do so (plugging it into a TNC or using certain speaker mikes), the
> > display will indicate 'S-SHORT' and the audio amp will be turned off.
> >
> > In reality (confirmed by reading the schematic and looking in the
> radio),
> > this protection circuit was never implemented - the components in the
> > schematic are labeled 'nu' (not used) and are not installed. If you
> short
> > either speaker lead to ground, the switching transistor used to mute
> the
> > amp when the squelch is open will burn out. On the 2M unit, it is
> Q607.
> >
> > This is a SOT-23 surface mount part. The service manual lists it as
> > a 'KTA2015' labeled 'ZO'. I replaced it with a 2N3906 (same pinout)
> > labeled '2A'. It is on the rear of the audio/RF board right where the
> > audio board connects in, and is connected to pin 1 (switched B+) of
> the
> > amp. Not too hard to change if you are used to surface mount work.

> >
> > So what does this mean?
> >
> > - DO NOT use the HTX-200 or HTX-400 with anything plugged in to the
> > headphone jack other than a headphone or speaker.
> >
> > - Make sure speaker mikes keep both sides of the speaker plug (3.5mm)
> > isolated from the mike plug (2.5 mm). Not all of them are.
> >
> > - DO NOT use this radio with a TNC or powered speaker sharing the
> > same power supply (unless you wire up an isolation transformer for
> the
> > audio...)
> >
> > /mike
> > n1ist@arrl.net
> >
> > --
> > \|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@arrl.net
> \|/
> > -*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc
> === -*-
> > /|\ or send "info barc-list" to majordomo@qth.net
> /|\
> >

The interesting thing is that the R/S speakermic that's designed for the 202 and 404 has a common-ground connection - I wonder if there's a warning about using this mic with the older radios?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

4985. KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: af2y@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gmrbcqrn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110402

Why does HORSEHEAD suckup to Charles so much? Here are a few thoughts I have on the subject:

1. The father of ELEPHANT FACE died of LUNG CANCER after smoking like a fireplace for 40+ years...Could KC8JBO "see" his father in AF2Y?

2. Both do not work any sort of job......The unemployed like to stick together.

3. Both are JEWS.....Another case of sticking together.

4. AF2Y uses ham radio & the internet to give you his thoughts.....WIDEASS is too TIMID to get on the radio!!!!!

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Here is to WISHING KC8JBO ends up as a TRAFFIC FATALITY STATISTIC this long holiday weekend!!!!!!!! How is the MAGAZINE reading, FATASS, hohohoho.

NO ONES SUCKUP,

'Da BULL

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4986. Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Snyder Hale <david@isi9.mtwilson.edu>
Message-ID: <8gmr9a$ig6$1@agate.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 110403

I'm wondering what is the proper way to handle a road (or other) emergency.

This question comes up because a few days ago I happened to be the only witness to a serious traffic accident, in which those involved needed immediate medical attention and I was the only person able to seek help. I did not have a radio in my car.

I ended up having to drive a few miles back to where I had previously seen a construction vehicle, and the operator of that vehicle was able to radio the police (or, I think his dispatch, rather, who called the police).

I feel like I wasted valuable minutes in doing this, and that I could have possibly done something sooner if I'd had my radio. However, looking back, I can't say that I would have known the best way to accomplish this in the least amount of time. I would not have known, off-hand & on the road, how to access an autopatch repeater, so I couldn't have called the police directly. I could have hit at least one repeater from where I was, but how should I have gotten someone's immediate attention and assistance?

Although I'd like to feel I could have done more, and sooner, I can't be sure that if it happened again I'd know how to do so.

I do intend however, to install a mobile antenna in my car and carry an HT in the glove box, and I'd like to learn how to handle any future emergencies better.

I appreciate hearing anyone's comments on this. Thanks.

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Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu * n3wtk@arrl.net

4987. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water! HEY ANON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wwilliams2458@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gmssn$s1n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110404

Spelling- Minus 2 (-2)
Punctuation- Minus 3 (-3)
False statement- Genius- Minus 15 (-15)

In article <8gk1as$82b$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Carriage returns?
> Okay I'm writing
> on separate lines
> but I think it'll
> all show up as
> being on sentence
> after another. I "think"; don't
> know because even though
> I'm a genius the only thing
> I know about a computer
> is how to turn it off
> and on, not necessarily
> in that order.
> AF2Y
>
> ----------
> In article <392D5183.1F02878@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
>
> > Why don't you learn to post using carriage returns. It is difficult
> > to read you posts when all your data is on one line.. Or maybe your
> > post isn't worth reading?
> >
> > Anon wrote:
> >>
> >> Castle-sucks@hotmail.com
> >>
> >> It seems David Castle, WA9KJI, just can't seem to keep is big
mouth shut!
> > Not only has a sworn affifavit and recordings been sent by another
ham's
> > attorney to the FCC regarding a Mar. 18th incident involving
jamming by
> > Castle...and not only has the FCC told Castle to stop the
slandering their
> > monitoring stations have recorded...now it seems the editor of a
newspaper
> > has filed a complaint with Hollingsworth about Castle and his

slandering
> > and defamation of their newspaper!!
> >>
> >> Stay tuned! This is getting interesting!!
>

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4988. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392EF47C.71AE8BF8@oio.net>
Source record: 110405

David,
The best thing to have would be a cell phone. Direct
connection to the police etc. Next best might be a 2 meter
radio, if your in range of a repeater. Then, probably the
next best would be the CB band (yeah, yeah, but it works).
Probably the least ideal thing to use would be HF. Probably
get a lot of answers, but not locally.
All things considered, you probably did the best thing.
You might be suprized how many people wouldn't know to do
as you did, but just stand around doing nothing.
It's also normal to feel like you didn't do enough. If
you 'do' what you know to do, and DON'T 'do' what your not
competent to do, your doing what your supposed to do. Another
way of saying that is that you should do anything that will
help (that your competent to do), but don't do anything that
will hurt. Don't worry about it, 'you done good'.
ex EMTA/Lt.FD. 'Doc

4989. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Davev <dvari@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <IrCX4.2740$D%2.64679@news1.news.adelphia.net>
Source record: 110406

I would have just broke in any converstaion going on,or gave a couple of
calls for anyone out there (if repeater quite)
even try 146.520 (simplex) and explained what was needed and where.
I've heard that there are even some repeaters opened for dailing 9-1-1 or
*-9-1-1 for emergency help.
In my case,I have my codes and 9-1-1 programed into memory, so i don't have
to fumble around looking for
those danged codes.But al in all,if you call out you need 9-1-1 called you
should find someone by the 3rd-4th
repeater,which shouldn't take no more than a minute.
BUT REMEMBER THAT IF YOU CALL THRU A REPEATER TELL THE DISPACTER
THAT
YOU ARE CALLING THRU AN AMATURE REPEATER ! Because enhanched 9-1-1 (e911)
will show
the address of where the repeater is located NOT WHERE YOU ARE,if you lose
the repeater the dispacter
might send response team to that address !
thats what i would do.
ttyl de dave-n2rhl/ag

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> Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu * n3wtk@arrl.net

4990. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gn3q7$6lu$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110407

I demand you cease using my callsign as your entri¿½e to this forum. I passed the Extra to obtain it-I was given nothing and it's been mine for over 22 years. Use something more suitable for you like schmuck@my-deja.com/.
Doc, AF2Y

In article <8gmrbcqrn1@nnrp1.deja.com>, af2y@my-deja.com wrote:

> Why does HORSEHEAD suckup to Charles so much? Here are a few thoughts I
> have on the subject:
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> 1. The father of ELEPHANT FACE died of LUNG CANCER after smoking like a
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4991. Re: Yaesu VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Brooks <kk6pa@ridgenet.net>
Message-ID: <8gn1bc$c73$1@delphi.ridgenet.net>
Source record: 110408

I called Yaesu with the same question. They say you "remove" a frequency
from memory by using the masking memories procedure. See Page 45 of the
operating manual. It is not truly removed. It is just masked until you
recall it per pg 45 OR overwrite it with another repeater.

Jerry, KK6PA

"Darryl Wagoner" <darryl@shecora.com> wrote in message
news:392C2931.38885E86@shecora.com...
>
>
>
> > Also there is no mention on how to erase a memory for one repeater.
>
> You have to have software to erase channels.
>
> You may want to join the VX5 list on onelist.com
>
> It really is a great radio.
>
>

4992. Re: stock market blues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gn53urse1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110409

And so if you say there's no difference between Dems. and Reps., for whom
will you vote? Buchanan? There's no difference between him and dung, right?

In article <392D3DC2.96465CF7@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

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>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> They'll do fine because they've never been overvalued. You're talking real
>> blue chip which have created earnings for themselves and their shareholders
>> for eons and will continue.However these NASDAQ phenomenons will probabaly
>> never see their worth as high as they were bewtween Nov.'99 and March 2000.
>> If I decide to transfer funds from the money market into the stock market, I
>> will go for stuff like Hewlett Packard and IBM. And you'll never lose money
>> investing in the pharaceutical industries if Bush gets elected. He and his
>> cronies care nothing about how they're ripping off the elderly therefore
>> they'll continue. If Gore wins, if I had dough in pharmaceuticals, I'd sell
>> because he's going to do to them what Clinton did to tobacco.
>
> Next line That DOC wrote is total bullshit. The Democrats are out
> for themselves and what they can get out of it. The Republicans are
> out for themselves and what they can get out of it. The only
> difference I see is how Republican and Democrat is spelled.
>
>> Remember-Democats are for the PEOPLE-Republicans are for RIPOFF COMPANIES.
>> Doc
>>
>> ----------
>> In article <uT1X4.1622$Q46.24872@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan
>> Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:
>>
>> > Hey Doc, any predictions on the tech stocks in NYSE such as IBM and HP?
>> > KR4AJ

4993. Re: AF2Y about WZ0T & KT4TR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gn7av$d7$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110410

Jeff,
I am happy to hear the Badblood is hognizant of everything. He's confused. I had said I went to Colombia, the COUNTRY for Spanish studies. The University of Bogarti¿½ right off Casablanca Plaza. And I never said I graduated with a 4; I said I was there 4 years in a 2 year course because of problems with the subjunctive mood. The active mood I had no trouble with because my cousin Wilbur Schwartz, who played clarinet next to Tex Beneke in Glenn Miller's stateside orchestra, was right in the studio when Jerry Gray, Glenn's arranger, gave each of the sidemen the sheet music for "In the Mood." So help me.
In the early '80s, in Orrie DeNoyer Auditorium on the campus of Bergen County Community College, Tex conducted the Glenn Miller Orchestra in a concert tribute to Glenn and before each of the sideman took their seats on stage, Tex introduced several who had played with Glenn in that original orchestra.
Can you imagine my amazement when he announced, "And now, having flown in all the way from Encino, California, here's the man whom Glenn said turned everything around for him--Wilbur Schwartz?"
Dammit I went wild because I had heard older family members of mine talk about Wil for years and about five years before I met him, I had obtained his address from Dave McKay, the executor of Glenn Miller's estate, wrote and got a reply. Being an avid Glenn Miller fan, I still treasure that letter.
The concert began at 8:00 and by 10:30 Tex told the audience that the guys were going to take a break for 30 minutes and I rushed to the stage to see if I could stop Wil from going backstage. I succeeded.
For the whole half hour we talked and sure enough he remembered from his childhood the same east coast relatives with whom I was raised. Furthermore he told me intriguing stories about Glenn, a few of which I'll relate to you but keep it quiet. He was so arrogant he refused to take the same elevators in any hotel with his sidemen. That's the God's honest. Here's another I didn't believe until I read Glenn's biography a year later.
GLENN MILLER FLUNKED FRESHMAN MUSIC COMPOSITION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO and in order to be re-instated, was told to write a composition over the summer which then would be graded by the music department in late August and if found satisfactory, would get him back in.
Do you know the composition he composed? Never amounted to much but it did re-instate him. It was called "MOONLIGHT SERENADE" which of course became his signature song for his entire career.
Wilbur told me that he and the guys were jamming one day and whatever they were messing with sounded really fine. In walked Glenn for rehearsal who asked Wilbur the name of the piece. Of course it had none. There was a telephone on a tripod alongside Glenn's position as trombone playing bandleader. The guys were jamming in a famous NYC hotel in which that night

they had a gig. Just as Glenn was intent on hearing the melody again, the phone rang, Glenn picked it up and the voice at the other end asked,"What number is this, please." Glenn looked down at the labeled rotor as the guys were jamming and said, "Pennsylvania 6-5000" and that's how that phenomenal song got its title.
In 1940, one out of every two nickels dropped into every jukebox in each of the 48 states was for a Glenn Miler record! Whoa.
The intriguing and enlightening nostalgic info I just gave you, Youngblood just dreams about. I live it.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <8gkl8t$8cn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <8gfnhi$39q$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:
>> > Charles is a little confused, I remember the time when he told everyone
>> >that he had graduated from Columbia Universiry, and now he claims to be a
>> >graduate of NYU.
>>
>> You should understand that rarely does one receive their undergraduate
>> and graduate degrees from the same institution. Doc apparently earned
>> his BA from Columbia and his doctorate from NYU.
>> 73, Jeff
>>
>
> Jeff, thanks for the words of wisdom, but I am extremely cognizant of the
> undergraduate and graduate school programs. No, Doc never earned a degree
> from Columbia university, although he has claimed to have attended Columbia
> and graduated from there with a 4.0. He also claimed to have graduated from
> dental school there as well. I contacted the state of N.J. Dept. Of
> Professional Regulation, and as I had guessed, Doc never attended Columbia
> University. He did graduate from NYU, not a bad school, and one that he
> certainly have never been ashamed of. HAMMER007
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> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

4994. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <15591bfd.342a65ec@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 110411

Now...now, Doc, he just caught you in between getting citations
from good ole Riley. We all know you are in a bad way, but don't
let your temper get your blood pressure up. That would be too
bad!

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4995. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <joe@schlatter.org>
Message-ID: <392f2925@news.planetc.com>
Source record: 110412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

First, use a wire antenna, put it up as high and clear as you can get it. Feed it in the center with ladder line -- balanced, 450 ohm line. Buy or build a tuner to match your rig's unbalanced 50 ohm output to the ladder line. A standard installation is 135 feet of wire, split in the middle and center fed with the ladder line. Check out QST ads for a device called a Ladder Lock -- it's a neat plastic device that clamps onto the ladder line, anchors the antenna wire, and allows you to solder the ladder line to the antenna wires. In fact, you can find in the QST ads a combination deal, 100 feet of ladder line, 135 feet of antenna wire plus a little for the end insulators, end insulators, and a Ladder Lock.

Do not get to excited about a lot of the stuff you will hear about how to run the ladder line. Just keep it a foot or so away from metal -- like the gutters and downspouts. My shack was in my basement, I punched a hole in the concrete block wall, pushed the ladder line through, filled the hole with foam sealant, draped the ladder line across the roof, up to the antenna, and worked the world on 100 watts.

135 foot long antenna will work on 80 meters and higher; it will load on 160 but is very narrow. 67 feet of wire, center fed, will handle 40 meters and higher.

Try not to shorten the ladder line -- for some reason, this antenna likes about 100 feet of ladder line.

Now, if you can get a tower up, the optimum is single antennas -- yagis -- for each band. However, that gets heavy and expensive -- big rotator, lots of cable, big tower, etc. If you must settle for what most hams have, put up a 50 foot tower and stick a good tri-bander on it. The 7 and 9 element Cushcrafts are good; even the 3 element Cushcraft will do an adequate job. Moseley's have a good reputation but I have read some very critical comments about them of late. Telrex makes a fine antenna also.

A 135 foot wire, fed with ladder line, and a 50 foot tower with a good tri-bander (and some VHF or UHF antennas, fed with 9913 with tower mounted receive pre-amps) will yield a respectable antenna system without breaking your bank account (too much).

Can't dig a hole and fill it with concrete for the tower and cover your property with guy wires? Then buy enough tower sections to clear the top of the house. Bury a tower base in the dirt (or concrete) at the side of the house, and use house brackets to mount the tower to the side of the house. With a two story house, you can get 30 feet of tower -- not the best but it'll do until you win the lottery.
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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joeNOSPAM@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

Dwight Stewart wrote in message <392DCD9E.1F0B3F16@sccoast.net>...
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>A 'n' A wrote:
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>> Hello!
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>> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
>> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
>> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
>> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
>> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
>> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
>> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
>> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58�N), and the winds can be pretty
>> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome
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>
> Well Andrew, antennas designed for a specific band almost always
>perform better than one designed for several. However, there are other
>considerations. How much room do you have for multiple antennas (some
>antennas will have to be placed on a separate mast because the others
>will interfere with it)? Do you want to run all that coax for multiple
>antennas? Will the separate antennas cost more than one? What about
>the multiple masts, guy wire, and ground rods, if separate masts are
>required? For many people, these other considerations lend weight to
>the multi-band antenna.
>
>
>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
>http://www.qsl.net/w5net

4996. Re: training school 14313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <2a699971.39e25df4@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 110413

was this training taking place in New Jersey?

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4997. Re: training school 14313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392F310D.429285FE@oio.net>
Source record: 110414

herbie baby is #1,
I have a friend that trains dogs. He thinks your
sick too.
'Doc

4998. Re: Need Help PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: PepperUW <shpepperNOshSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0d135b0c.91e7a2e7@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>
Source record: 110415

Thank you VERY much. I really appreciate the information. And just so
you know, UL is short for ulitza. It is the same word in Russian which
I know.

In article <8gmj83kim1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Here's help. Konel is the Polish branch of Philips. It's located
> in Lublin,
> Poland. Either write to Konel, ul Kiwerskiego 3, 20-240 Lublin,
> Poland or
> e-mail them at konel@konel.pl
> By the way, "ul" iare the first two letters of the Polish word for
> "street."
> I believe it's Ulitza and not "streetski." I'm not sure. My father
> was born
> over there but won't admit it. It was Austria-Hungary when he was
> born and
> became Poland after W.W.I ended. He decided to emigrate to
> America-too many
> Polacks he claimed. I told him that wasn't nice and he belted me
> in the
> chops.
> Good luck and it was my pleasure helping you.
> 73,
> Doc,AF2Y
> ?
> ----------
> In article <019bf6ce.90fb537f@usw-ex0107-050.remarq.com>, PepperUW
> <shpepperNOshSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
> > I have a Konel model KR-160 radio. I know nothing about it. I
> am
> > trying to find any information I can about this unit. Any help
> would
> > be greatly appreciated.
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> > Thanks
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4999. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <392F4C3E.38EE4C62@IEEE.org>
Source record: 110416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Joe Schlatter wrote:
> Try not to shorten the ladder line -- for some reason, this antenna likes
> about 100 feet of ladder line.

Take a look at http://people.delphi.com/cecilmoore/mystery.htm
to find out why. Look at the current maximum points on the feedline.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

5000. Re: Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gkg25$lk6$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110450

Biggus D <biggusd@prod.itd.earthlink.net> wrote:
>Stoli126 <stoli126@aol.com> wrote in message

>> someone was walking around with an
>> antenna on his head is this true What other

>The usual folks with multiple rubber duckies cliped
>to ball caps were in attendance. I did not see the more
>classic guy with the hardhat ball-mounted 6 foot whip
>and PRC-25 on his back as I have in past years.

You guys talk as if such sights are something new. Hamfests
have had guys doing that for at least 35 years that I know of.

>Perhaps this ham finally went "apeshit" at his
>Post Office job like the late N5PS?

I don't see any connection between someone having some fun
and someone going "postal." Why so mean-spirited, OM?

>back their spare-tire, McDonalds burger eating GUT in
>it's place. Give em another 10 points if they smoke
>also. One high point of amusement was the 300 pound

It's more like you're describing the typical Mainland tourist
on Waikiki Beach. I hope such visitors don't represent a
cross-section of our nation's population. You folks are
unhealthy!

>Prices? Way too high on alot of stuff.

Half the fun is bargaining with cash in hand.

Jeff

5001. Re: Beverage Antenna Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gkg81lmm1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110451

In article <392D66A1.4D9126E3@oio.net>, W5LZ <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>it is a bit directional,

Highly direction, yes?

Jeff

5002. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gkgpp$m90$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110452

Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
>Those who desire to give up freedom in order to gain security,
>will not have, nor do they deserve, either one.
>-- Thomas Jefferson

The OM was wrong about not giving women the vote, so what makes you
believe his statement above is any more correct?

5003. Re: Did the Dayton swap suck this year or was it just me?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clockwork Orange <mantxel@gulfnet.com>
Message-ID: <4OjX4.10018$Sx.24505@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

"J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote in message
news:sira8pgoo175@corp.supernews.com...

> You're right, it sucked.
> Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

Last time I will ever go.

There was actually someone in the flea market selling BEANIE BABIES!

And the Hamvention has the *balls* to charge a STEEP admission fee ?

Just to see some jerko selling Beanie Babies and overpriced beat-to-shit
gear?

Hamvention can go collectively FRIG THEMSELVES as far as I am now concerned.

5004. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392DCEF7.AD73E1F3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110454

There is a tale Diane Fosse brought back from one of her visits with the great apes. She was distraught to learn that two SilverBack Gorillas committed suicide when they realized they may be related to Jesse Helms.

5005. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gkkig$7u4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110455

In article <8gkgpp$m90$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> The OM was wrong about not giving women the vote, so what makes you
> believe his statement above is any more correct?

Hadn't thought of it that way, but I'll try.

Since everybody has been wrong at least once,
nobody has any valid thoughts or contributions.

Man, I'm better now. =)

Where's my beer?

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burp

=)

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5006. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392DCE51.CDE9672F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110456

Osama/bin/login wrote:
>
> Those who desire to give up freedom in order to gain security,
> will not have, nor do they deserve, either one.
>
> -- Thomas Jefferson
>

Franklin had one in the same vein....

Great minds.

> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5007. Re: AF2Y about WZ0T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gkl8t$8cn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110457

In article <8gfnhi$39q$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:
> > Charles is a little confused, I remember the time when he told everyone
> >that he had graduated from Columbia Universiry, and now he claims to be a
> >graduate of NYU.
>
> You should understand that rarely does one receive their undergraduate
> and graduate degrees from the same institution. Doc apparently earned
> his BA from Columbia and his doctorate from NYU.
> 73, Jeff
>

Jeff, thanks for the words of wisdom, but I am extremely cognizant of the undergraduate and graduate school programs. No, Doc never earned a degree from Columbia university, although he has claimed to have attended Columbia and graduated from there with a 4.0. He also claimed to have graduated from dental school there as well. I contacted the state of N.J. Dept. Of Professional Regulation, and as I had guessed, Doc never attended Columbia University. He did graduate from NYU, not a bad school, and one that he certainly have never been ashamed of. HAMMER007

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5008. Standard C160 - Need Manuel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nelson Tang <neltang@linkful.com.hk>
Message-ID: <392DE94A.CA18004C@linkful.com.hk>
Source record: 110458

Hi,

Does anybody know where to obtained/copied/downloaded of the Manuel for Standard C160 or C150?

73
VR2XST

5009. Radio Mods Library

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hicks <dahicks@email.com>
Message-ID: <Z1mX4.2518$t_4.132907@bgtnsc06-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110459

Check out the W8MMQ radio mods library
http://www.w8mmq.net/mods/

Also, visit the W8MMQ amateur radio web site
http://www.w8mmq.net/

5010. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reinhard Sual <tdsrhs@cbn.net.id>
Message-ID: <392eb903.0@news.cbn.net.id>
Source record: 110460
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Andrew,

I have Yaesu folded dipole for HF, Force-12 C2SS tribander YAGI (20-15-10),
Comet CA-52 for 6 meter (bad antenna!),
Hygain V2R for 2m & V4R for 70cm, Diamond X-500 dual band (144.430), and
Cushcraft 26B2 for 2m.

All served best for what their design intended to do! (Except for Comet
which is a real bad one).

You can see the pictures in my site: http://www.geocities.com/reinhardsual

Regards,
Reinhard Sual
YC0KTQ

"A 'n' A" <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca> wrote in message
news:392D5A44.978D04F5@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca...
> Hello!
>
> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58�N), and the winds can be pretty
> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)
>
> Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!
>
> 73, Andrew
> VE6SCK

5011. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reinhard Sual <tdsrhs@cbn.net.id>
Message-ID: <392eb7bc.0@news.cbn.net.id>
Source record: 110461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Andrew,

I suggest your homebase to have specific antenna.
I have Yaesu Folded Dipole for HF, Force-12 C3SS tribander Yagi, Comet CA
for 6m,
Diamond X-500 for 144 & 430, Cushcraft 26B2 for 2m.

All antenna server best for what their design spec intend to be....

You can see the picture on my web: http://www.geocities.com/reinhardsual

Regards,

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news:392D5A44.978D04F5@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca...
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> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
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> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)
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> Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!
>
> 73, Andrew
> VE6SCK

5012. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <oKnX4.2584$pL.71088@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110462

Speaking with a stricly neutral point of view:

Jesse Helms is not exercizing Chutzpah. Instead, he is doing what the labor unions
should have done but were apparently too stupid to do. The unions most likely
knew that they would lose on the issue but they fought it anyway, only to lose,
thus further eroding their own image of having any influence in a *friendly*
administration. In doing so, they have already been marked with how poorly they
would deal with labor issues in an *unfriendly* administration under Republicans.
Very stupid. They should have bargained with the strength they did have and negotiated
for such things as not being able to fire striking workers, for example. I believe it was
very naive of them to go for all or nothing because they knew they would lose anyway
and got exactly that: nothing. Now, Jesse Helms, like him or not, is a highly effective
negotiator. In fact, he may even be for the trade deal, although that is not really important.
He knows which way the vote will go, especially since a majority of his own party supports
it. But Jesse Helms sees opportunity to bargain for a little relief for the tobacco farmers,
get some more aid for Hurricane Floyd, displaced textile workers etc. etc.. It only looks
like chutzpah, Doc. What you are really seeing is a smart politican and this is the sort of
thing that has kept him in office all these years.

73

de KR4AJ
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gkg10$mg5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake.
> I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the
> normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
> ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic
> power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that

> trade go to France, England and others. Let's hurt ourselves to appease
> Helmsmanese creeps.
> Now get this: Helms doesn't want to do business with China because of
their
> human rights violations. Ha! He's one to talk. The man has suppressed
every
> progressive bill to ever go before the Senate. He was and still is an
avowed
> segregationist. He's an embarassment to the fine people of North Carolina
> who are overwhelmed by rednecks. And that's exactly what Helms is-a
redneck
> worse than a John Rocker could ever be. How amazing a guy like that has so
> much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.
> AF2Y
>

5013. KV4FZ' Story: Tagging Along ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trebb@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29009-392E062A-123@storefull-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 110463

God guys, please don't invoke my name in the middle of a word-war.

Appreciating the plaudits, I try to wear my head screwed on straight. With no axe to grind nor vulnerability to being bought, I want, above all, to put across that special story in all its richness.

I'm along for the ride, ready to be taken anywhere the story goes, reporting it to you.

Bob Sherin, W4ASX
Miami, Florida

5014. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Dual Band HT w/Acc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <lib_mrducks@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <VOnX4.1741$ET3.299067@nnrp1.sbc.net>
Source record: 110464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio

I'm interested, if you still have...

Thanks,
Brian

"SMARC1" <n7rcm@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:392db321.28386720@news1.coam.net...
> Prices I give along with the discription of the item will be what AES
> is selling it for rounded to the nearest $1, then at the end, what
> I'm asking for the whole lot.
>
>
> Yaesu FT-50RD Dual Band HandHeld radio $240
>
> 2 Maha MH-FNB-41 9.6v 900mah NiMH batteries $55ea $110
> These batteries will give a full 5w out all across the band.
>
> Maha universal drop in rapid chgr/conditioner does nicads and nimh
> batteries $60
>
> CT62 Cat Interface cable $30
>
> FTT12 16# kepad Enc/Dec DCS & CTCSS $20
>
> ADMS-1E Windows Programming Software $40
>
> All this as you can see retails for $500 +/- a few dollars.
> I'm asking $325 shipped prepay or COD.
>
>
>

5015. FCC SUCKS BIG 1 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: X X <devil666@netzero.com>
Message-ID: <392E11A6.1190CA25@netzero.com>
Source record: 110465
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The fact is FCC sucks !
'been waiting for extra licence (no cheating upgrades)
for 2 months !
C'MON GOOD O'L BOYS, get the F back to work
and give me my hard earned LICENCE !!! that's AN ORDER !!!

xx

5016. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <_%sX4.797$4X5.3221@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110466

My comments on radiosigs' comments are interspersed:

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<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gkg10$mg5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the
cake.
> I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject
the
> normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's

What about the Democrats, Wellstone from Minnesota, and Gephart from
Missouri?
Feingold from Wisconsin? Well-intentioned opposition, for sure, hmmmmmmmm?
Certainly not tainted with that kind of opposition described by the
invective and vituperation
for which AF2Y is notorious.

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> much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.

I oppose the NorTrStat because of the money it affords the Chinese weapons
programs and the
subversion-of-foreign-politicians programs, evidences of existence of both

programs
being, sadly, imv, available in this country now. Let the Chinese earn the
money to hang us
capitalists from some other rockier field. Now, if only I could sell just
one aspirin to each Chinese
just once ...

> AF2Y

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As you were.

K3BHJ.

5017. Re: KV4FZ' Story: Tagging Along ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Message-ID: <392E5C9D.DE2540F5@avotec.com>
Source record: 110467

Bob,

No problem. I will respect your wishes. By the way, thank you for showing (inadvertently I'm sure) the viciousness and hypocrisy of a self righteous outcast and fool.

I communicate with Herb via email but if you speak to him directly, please send him and his family my best wishes.

Also, please send me an email copy of any postings that attempt to tell the KV4FZ story from a balanced and fair point of view. I'm taking a break from this nonsense and will not be back unless attacked again via email!!

Regards,
Len

Bob Sherin wrote:

> God guys, please don't invoke my name in the middle of a word-war.
>
> Appreciating the plaudits, I try to wear my head screwed on straight.
> With no axe to grind nor vulnerability to being bought, I want, above
> all, to put across that special story in all its richness.
>
> I'm along for the ride, ready to be taken anywhere the story goes,
> reporting it to you.
>
> Bob Sherin, W4ASX
> Miami, Florida

5018. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <DktX4.805$4X5.2468@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110468

Yeah, Jeff, and it took Einstein a little longer to correct special relativity into general relativity, too. It's silly to apply late coulda-woulda-shoulda to earlier history. Nice non-sequitur in your weak syllogism, om.

Dave, K3BHJ

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"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message news:8gkgpp$m90$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
> >Those who desire to give up freedom in order to gain security,
> >will not have, nor do they deserve, either one.
> >-- Thomas Jefferson
>
> The OM was wrong about not giving women the vote, so what makes you
> believe his statement above is any more correct?

5019. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sisqmnifo126@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110469

No, I believe that thought they were related to Billy Bob Clinton and Al Bore-Gore who seemed to have been joined at their ass at birth..or is it their ass and brain...or are they using their ass for brains...that's it!

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy to get the Clintons

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"Peter Maus" <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message news:392DCEF7.AD73E1F3@worldnet.att.net...
>
> There is a tale Diane Fosse brought back from one of her visits
> with the great apes. She was distraught to learn that two SilverBack
> Gorillas committed suicide when they realized they may be related to
> Jesse Helms.

5020. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392E6CAB.F822C6D7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110470

"J. Duffy Beischel" wrote:
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> No, I believe that thought they were related to Billy Bob Clinton and Al
> Bore-Gore who seemed to have been joined at their ass at birth..or is it
> their ass and brain...or are they using their ass for brains...that's it!
>
> --

By God, you may be right.

> ____
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>
> NRA Life Member

And PROUD of it.

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> > with the great apes. She was distraught to learn that two SilverBack
> > Gorillas committed suicide when they realized they may be related to
> > Jesse Helms.

5021. Re: KV4FZ's Endgame: Vindication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <03e03fc8.54421fad@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>
Source record: 110471

"Raincoat", with your philosophy, you're not a mensch but
an auslander, and an auslander you'll always be.

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

5022. INVITATION TO 3 ANTENNA REFLECTORS(LISTS)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: fractenna@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000526091957.19076.00000162@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 110472

QST--

You are invited to join one or all of the following lists on onelist. All these reflectors are e-mail based, and moderated so that no spam, porn, off-topic, or personal-offensive posts are sent out. You will receive no off-list e-mails by subscribing: again; no spam.

These lists (with average recent subscriber sizes) are:

ANTENNAS@ONELIST.COM 200 members
CROSSFIELDANTENNA@ONELIST.COM 75 members
FRACTALANTENNA@ONELIST.COM 250 members

Please review the descriptions at

http://www.onelist.com

Please note the CFA list specifically deals with this antenna in an objectively critical fashion and no posts will be allowed that make grandiose claims without supporting data presented. To date, no data has been presented which requires the extraordinary claims made by some pundits: there is no evidence for better performance than any other small vertical antenna (and that performance is poor).

To subscribe to any list, either go through the process at onelist, or to skip the process just do:

---------- -subscribe@onelist.com

where the ---------- is the name of a given list (such as 'fractalantenna')

73,
Chip N1IR

5023. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8glusj$30p$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110473

A few weeks I went shopping for trousers and shirts and everything I bought
had foreign labels on them; made in Taiwan, Philippines, Costa Rica, Mexico.
So cozying up to a billion people isn't going to introduce anything new to
the USA but will give us a chance to get into THEIR untapped voluminous
markets to offset and even gain an advantage over what they export here.
Jesse Helms is YOUR type of man, you say? Jesus, how can you admit it? The
man is the epitomï¿½ of what America shouldn't be about; an ingorant,
intolerant, selfish, arrogant redneck slob trying to rejuvenate the slave
holding ante-bellum South. And I'll be you're the type of guy who thinks
flying the Confederate flag over the S.C. State House is cute, right?
AF2Y

In article <392DD65A.43C58A13@dialpoint.net>, Ralph Mowery
<rmowery@dialpoint.net> wrote:

> Being from NC, Jesse is usually my kind of man. Look at what the trade
> bill with Mexico did to the jobs in the US. Being in the South, most of
> the jobs here are in the textile industry. We have already lost too
> many jobs to the countries that pay only a few dollars a day. I don't
> know what kind of job you have or what you make, but just think what
> would happen to your job if they could put it a country where the wages
> for the same job is only a few dollars a day or if you lost your job due
> to this.
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> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
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>> You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake.
>> I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the
>> normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
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>> power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that
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5024. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <392e71af.5275360@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 110474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 22 May 2000 22:12:45 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
wrote:

>radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote
>>ham radio will pack it in altogether
>
>I doubt that the Internet (or the computer) will ever eliminate ham radio.

Reminds me of the doom and gloom predictions that
slot car racing was going to end the interest in model
railroading. It didn't happen.

>After all there are many other hobbies that also use old technologies and
>are still very popular. But I think the ham growth rate of the past will be
>hard to sustain, if it even can be sustained...

The only constant in life is change itself.
Nothing is or can be static.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

5025. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <392e7757.6722809@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 110475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 24 May 2000 09:37:09 -0400, Jeff Pierce
<piercej@preferred.com> wrote:

>I personally believe that Tom's view is only true to a small point.
>The real culprit is technical evolution. Back in the pre personal
>computer days Ham Radio was the real ticket for technical hobbies. Now,
>video games, i.e. Playstations, etc, computer and internet have
>supplanted it. I was one of the first in NE Tenn to use packet (before
>TNC2s, used Xerox 820s with Phil Karn's TNC program and home made
>modems). It was really neat, sending E-mail and downloading programs via
>ham radio. Now lets face it, it is in most cases impractical if the
>Internet is available.

Additionally, the bulk of all technical equipmenttoday relies
far more on software than on the discrete circuitry that
it is composed of. Upgrades to equipment used in
telecommunications networks is usually related to improvements
in the software without significant change to any of
the hardware.

>Personal com on the roads? Cell phones replaced that. I had intended for
>my daughters to get no-code tech licenses as a part of their getting
>drivers licenses. But, now why, unless they really want to? Cell phones
>are given away along with low cost plans. Cheaper in the long run than
>buying a couple of handhelds. Plus, really more practical as you aren't
>limited to "ham only" com.

Agreed.

>Ham Radio isn't the only activity effected by the the times. I Clifford
>Stoll's book, "High Tech Heretic", he quotes a baseball scout as saying
>that the reason that major league pitching is so scarce today is because
>boys are in front of Playstations and computers instead of having a
>"catch". I see it. In my preteen and teen years we always played a lot
>of ball. Non-orginized. If the fields weren't being used by leagues,
>kids were having "pick-up" games. In the summer fields were always in
>use. Not any more. I drive by our local Ruritan fields all the time.
>Very seldom is anybody on them. I helped coach. Most kids really didn't
>get any better during the season. They rarely touch a ball except during
>practice and games.

Agree also.

>No, ham radio is just suffering the same as other activities in this new
>"World Wide Web" times.

And ham radio too will survive.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

5026. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8glv3biti1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110476

Windy, take some Ex-Lax and you'll feel better tomorrow morning.

In article <_%sX4.797$4X5.3221@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
<davidw@copper.net> wrote:

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> My comments on radiosigs' comments are interspersed:
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> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8gkg10$mg5$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
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> cake.
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>> normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
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> What about the Democrats, Wellstone from Minnesota, and Gephart from
> Missouri?
> Feingold from Wisconsin? Well-intentioned opposition, for sure, hmmmmmmmm?
> Certainly not tainted with that kind of opposition described by the
> invective and vituperation
> for which AF2Y is notorious.
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>> ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic
>> power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that
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> K3BHJ.
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5027. Re: FCC SUCKS BIG 1 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kyrrin@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <amvsiske9k7nnhfok005ssordied0ba97d@4ax.com>
Source record: 110477
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 26 May 2000 03:09:39 -0400, sorry@your.luck wrote:

>>If this is any intication of your personality, I hope it never
>>arrives. And this coming from an EXTRA! Everyone complained about an
>>increase in General tickets, but it's beginning to look like that's
>>not where the problem lies. If you did any research AT ALL you'd know
>>why your license is late. Of course, you also seem to think that
>>posting to an internet group is going to make the FCC work a little
>>harder to get YOUR license out. How interesting...

<snip>

I couldn't agree more. For that matter, I have to wonder what kind of
personality would pick "devil666" for an Internet nickname.

I think, whoever this lost soul is, he's got a lot more to worry about
than a late hamateur ticket. God help him...

73 de WD6EOS (Proud Tech since 12-77, soon-to-be Extra).

-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-
Bruce Lane, Owner and head honcho,
Blue Feather Technologies -- kyrrin (at) bluefeathertech [dot] com
Web: http://www.bluefeathertech.com
"...No matter how we may wish otherwise, our science can only describe an object,
event, or living thing in our own human terms. It cannot possibly define any of them..."

5028. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8glv5liti2@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110478

Duffy, you ought to stick to running your tavern.

In article <sisqmnifo126@corp.supernews.com>, "J. Duffy Beischel"
<duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote:

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> Please find out about rec.guns at:
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>
> Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
> to get the Clintons
> ____
>
> "Peter Maus" <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
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>> Gorillas committed suicide when they realized they may be related to
>> Jesse Helms.
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5029. Need info for Avanti MR-101 10m beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laird Solomon <lsolomon@aphc.org>
Message-ID: <392E859A.54FF7BFD@aphc.org>
Source record: 110479

I had a disassembled Avanti MR-101 10m beam given to me but have no diagram as to how to assemble it. If anyone has a manual for this antenna I would like to talk with you.

Thanks.

Laird, VE3LKS

5030. AF2Y on Harrison Mantle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gm1j0$2nq$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110480

The latest news is that when Harrison Youngblood leaves for the Dominican Republic this summer to learn how to play baseball, his old man, Waldo Pepper-Red Baron Bobby will be flying him down is his new ritzy titsy plane that's been spit shined, painted and overhauled. All he's waiting for to get airborne are a few more rubber bands. Good luck Harry and keep in mind that the hard sphere with the stiches is the baseball.
AF2Y

5031. Re: I Love You, Doc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gm1m0$2nq$2@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110481

Is "humorious" like "humorous?

In article <392DCACD.774642F2@sccoast.net>, Dwight Stewart
<stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

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>
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>>
>> If that fan letter was intended for me <snip>
>
>
> Not intended for anyone specific, AF2Y. Just trying to add a
> humorious note to a really silly thread.
>
>
> Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
> http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5032. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000526104713.10818.00003794@nso-fi.aol.com>
Source record: 110482

Why can't you idiots TAKE YOUR OFF-TOPIC POLITICAL CRAP TO AN APPROPRIATE NEWSGROUP???

5033. Re: Swan Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CMySig <tzr-v@DELETECAPSFIRSTprodigy.net>
Message-ID: <8gm3lr$16aq$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 110483

Hmmm... interesting links :-}
;-{ hate to hear about the 'group'...

Would like to know if/how they are capable of being
modified to add AM and to also go into the lower 10 - 11 meter area like te
old Siltronix could.

>Several Swan Links at URL:
>http://ac6v.com/pageu.html

>Mod links at URL:
>http://ac6v.com/pageA.html#MODS

>--
>73 from Rod in Oceanside, Ca

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gk12b$t4n$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> There used to be a Swan Users Club every Sunday afternoon on 20 meters but
> it drifted away.
> AF2Y
>
> ----------
> In article <8gjc5u$4n9q$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>, "CMySig"
> <tzr-v@DELETECAPSFIRSTprodigy.net> wrote:
>
>
> > >
> > > Hi,
> > >
> > > Can anyone direct me to some sites with any infoo for Swan gear
> > > (capabilities info, mods, manuals, accessories, etc...) Thanks..
> > >

5034. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gp9lg$ds0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110284

In article <8gp71oqeh1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw
> stones like in biblical times.

So it IS the guns you hate.

You don't mind if the kid STONED his teacher, but the fact
he used a GUN is ABHORRENT to you.

Glad to see you are making your TRUE COLORS evident to anyone
over the age of four...

PS: There isn't a way to get the criminal to give up his weapon,
and if you do, the black market supplies whatever is in demand.

AGAIN, get rid of YOUR gun (if you have one) and make it UNDENIABLY
CLEAR to the criminal YOU are UNPROTECTED so he can ph*ck YOU over,
and then MURDER YOU not ME.

Practice what you preach, and gamble your OWN ass with YOUR scewy
ideas.

Also, thanks for helping by example. You now have come to the
realization that the conflict is PEOPLE, not the implement. Stones
or laser-guided weapons, we kill because of who/what we are.

And NO, I do not like it. But I REFUSE to be unarmed.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5035. Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gp8vcbvi1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110285

This is gonna make you happy. After Giuliani dropped out of the Senate race due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character, Victor Laszlo in the film "Casablanca, " Mrs. Clinton, according to the highly accurate Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000, it is in a statistical dead heat.
The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the great state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by and says nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a White House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a celebrity grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an opportunistic power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead of hanging on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public office let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our next President to be-Al Gore.
AF2Y

5036. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gpa8l$e8h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110286

>embue

"imbue"

My typo...

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5037. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...do some thing about it then!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gp9omrho1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

How strange. Bash puts out books with the actual questions and answers to memorize and not only gets away with it but makes a fortune besides. And you're not invited back? Damn hypocrites. I'll bet 95% of U.S. hamdom got tickets thanks to MEMORIZATION. Hell, they should have given you the Hiram Percy Maxim Award if such a thing exists and furthermore they should have given that old dude an award before he croaked for having gone through life with the name Hiram Percy Maxim.
AF2Y

In article <8goj261uf8@enews4.newsguy.com>, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L. Bryant) wrote:

> I taught a novice/tech class once. I was told that the objective was to get
> people to pass the test. Based on this objective, I taught basic memory
> techniques that were perfected by such experts as Harry Lorraine, Kevin
> Trudeau, and Tony Buzan, and applied them to each question in the pool.
> Everyone had fun, and everyone passed. I, however, was not invited to teach
> again because it was decided by the powers-that-be that I really wasn't
> "teaching" anything. This was despite the fact that the objective was to get
> people to pass the test, which I acheived.
>
> Tom - N8ECW

5038. Club information needed for new Ham Website!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: compcnsult@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000527170132.03218.00000466@ng-fo1.aol.com>
Source record: 110288

A new amateur radio website would like information on your radio club.
The new website: http://www.callingcq.com will be up and running sometime
around the first of June. We will feature a swap and shop, special event
section as well as information of local radio clubs. We would like for club
officials or anyone that has all of the information on the club to send a email
to callingcqweb@aol.com with the following information: Club name, URL address,
and Contact name and email address. Don't worry about duplicate entries we will
filter them out.

Thanks very much for your support and we will be soon asking for submittal of
ad's for the hamfest section. If you can't wait go ahead and send it, we will
get it on as soon as possible.

73's
Chuck (W0CBF)
callingcq.com

5039. dAFf2Y quacks again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <NQWX4.4281$4X5.8851@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110289

First, dAFf2Y tells me to take Ex-Lax, now this:

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gool3$p7$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net...
> Windy,
> As I alluded to before......
> Go eat a can of Heinz baked beans....
> sit in the bathtub and....
> bite at the bubbles!
>

Nah, we'll leave the quacking and sulphurous miasma to your creation and dissemination on this newsgroup, dAFf2Y.

As you were.

K3BHJ.

5040. Very BIG ES opening on 2 and 6 Metre

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre <pa5wx@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <3%WX4.19864$hs1.816460@news.rdc1.ov.nl.home.com>
Source record: 110290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tnn.radio.amateur,uk.radio.amateur

Very BIG opening on 2 metre and 6 Metre 27-5-2000
Look at my homepage for Realaudiofiles

http://www.qsl.net/pa5wx

Also a LU on 6 Metre 27-5-2000

73 Andre PA5WX

5041. Re: dAFf2Y quacks again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gpe9a$6tj$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110291

"Windbag," momserim like you are a dime a dozen.

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> dissemination on this newsgroup, dAFf2Y.
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> As you were.
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> K3BHJ.
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5042. Re: Looking For Assistance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gpfe2$60r$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110292

Are you kidding? You expect to get hold of taped transmissions made from Air Force One on the day that it was carrying Pres. and Mrs. Kennedy to Dallas or possibly flying back to D.C. carrying the deceased Pres. Kennedy, the new Pres. Johnson and the widow Kennedy? The value of such tapes would be staggering therefore if there were originals, they were sold a long long time ago to the sound archivies department of the Library of Congress or to the Kennedy family. You'll win a Power Ball lotto before you ever possess those tapes.
AF2Y

In article <8gp3k2$9v3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rickholtman@my-deja.com wrote:

> Greetings-
>
> On November 22, 1963 there were fairly extensive radio communications
> between the airborn Air Force One, designated 26000 or ANGEL, a plane
> carrying various cabinet officers over the Pacific, designated 86972,
> the White House Communications Center, and Collins Radio Company
> Headquarters in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, designated LIBERTY station.
>
> I have heard rumors that amateur radio enthusiasts (perhaps in
> Colorado?) at times monitored, and possibly even taped, these important
> historical transmissions.
>
> Does anybody have information regarding this that they can share with
> me? Does anybody know where else I could look? I am greatly
> appreciative, in advance, for any help. I will monitor this thread or
> can be reached at rickholtman@aol.com. Once again, thanks.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5043. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...do some thing about it then!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <39304502.85050928@news.dvol.com>
Source record: 110293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 27 May 2000 16:05:28 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

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>memorize and not only gets away with it but makes a fortune besides. And
>you're not invited back? Damn hypocrites. I'll bet 95% of U.S. hamdom got
>tickets thanks to MEMORIZATION.
>
Try "memorizing" 20 wpm to pass that test for an FCC Examiner.
>
w3rv

5044. Re: Looking For Assistance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickholtman@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gphr4$j7j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110294

In article <8gpfe2$60r$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Are you kidding? You expect to get hold of taped transmissions
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> Dallas or possibly flying back to D.C. carrying the deceased Pres.
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> time ago to the sound archivies department of the Library of Congress
or to
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possess
> those tapes.
> AF2Y

Hello AF2Y-

This is something I have been researching for quite a while. I have
been able to acquire partial transcripts through government sources and
a couple of books. Parts of the transcripts I have have been redacted
and I am extremely curious as to why. Your summation of my request
could be about right. I have heard that quite a few private operators
were in the habit of listening in on Air Force One conversations
whenever the President was in the air. I have heard specifically that
one such group was in Colorado. As this is not the type of material
that someone would throw away, there are probably some operators out
there possessing full or partial copies of these records. I also know
the Army Signal Corps has it all, but they are not too cooperative.
The money value of this material would not be much. I am looking only
for my own curiosity. Thank you for your reply. I will keep
looking...Rick
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5045. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gph83bru1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110295

Your logic is illogical. Let me give you an example.
We'll use cigarette lovers. It seems everywhere we look, they're being discriminated against. Hopefully in a few years the only place they'll be allowed to smoke is at HOME? Now if you speak to a puffer, he or she will ask, "Why's everybody always picking on me? I got rights. People die from everything so why come down on me?"
Why? Because CIGARETTES ARE A PUBLIC MENACE NOT ONLY TO THE SMOKER BUT TO THOSE AROUND HIM OR HER! Get it? A PUBLIC MENACE. Public menaces KILL. Get it? But rights are being violated, correct? Naturally some puffers will stand up and proclaim, "The founding fathers had us in mind too."
BULLSNOT! Society has matured to the point by which certain rights have been proven to be certain wrongs.
Lax gun laws in this nation are a PUBLIC MENACE. Murders just waiting to happen. The kid would have never shot the teacher had:
1. he not had access to the weapon
2. had the weapon been a "smart gun" which prohibits anyone but the owner to use.
Things like kids carrying guns to school as a joke or taking guns into schools to murder classmates or teachers is REPUGNANT and MUST BE STOPPED one way or the other.
Three cheers for Smith & Wesson the first gun manufacturer that will implement the "smart gun" idea. It should become mandatory for all such manufacturers to follow suit and by God, it will be.
Governments are here in western civilization to SERVE the people and it's become quite clear that modern day America has gone crazy with violence and guns THEREFORE the government must not only SERVE, but SAVE. We refuse to save ourselves therefore legislation will be passed to do it.
As I wrote before, the R in NRA stands for RIFLE therfore it's become obvious it has deviated from being a reliable, responsible and honorable organization into one of gun running, militancy, money grubbing and complete incompetence ALL UNDER THE PRETENSE OF SAVING THE 2nd AMENDMENT.
BULLSNOT AGAIN!
The NRA attitude is as dangerous to the health and welfare of this nation as was that of the unchecked and murderous cigarette companies who had a RIGHT to kill us.
LIKE HELL with the latter and the time has come to make things mighty tough for Heston and LaPierre and Gore will do it. VOTE FOR AL!
AF2Y,Doc

In article <8gp7eb$ch2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> In article <8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>> An explanation's in order.
> Yes it is. No doubt. But you accuse with your emotions, not any
> logic. I am not a "gun nut". But I truly cringe when I see a feeble
> mind trying to overthrow the great minds that set up this country.
> The Second Amendment is there for some VERY SERIOUS AND PERTINENT
> REASONS. Just because you are a knee-jerk reactionary to the media's
> sensationalism doesn't make your logic or cause justified.
>
> Tell me, oh self-deified one, how many deaths took place in Florida on
> that same day, and how many of them were unnecessary? Why aren't you
> ruling out the cell-phone related traffic deaths, alcohol-related
> traffic deaths, inattentive driver-related traffic deaths, other
> "routine" murders, etc?
>
> I'll tell you why. Because you see a "kid" use a "gun" to kill a
> "teacher". Those are all "trigger" (no pun intended) words that the
> media knows you will reach critical mass with. WAKE UP CRETIN...you
> are not seeing nor are you presenting the WHOLE PICTURE.
>
> You don't like gun deaths? Good. Most of us don't. But you need to
> try and apply the PROPER "medicine" on the ACTUAL wound. Kind of like
> your osteopath story. In layman's terms, we call it: "Barking up the
> wrong tree." Hello? McFly?
>
>> On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a Lake Worth Florida school and shot
>>his teacher to death. SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.
>
> If this was an UNREGISTERED baseball bat, would you vote to outlaw
> sports? Trees? Lathes? Pine Tar? Sue the sporting goods store who
> sold it? How about the cashier?
>
>> A kid! Where did it come from?
> Again, off target. My question when I read your post was:
> "What the %$#@! was wrong with the kid?" I went to school, and I always
> knew right from wrong, and shooting my teachers fell somewhere toward
> the "wrong" area. But I went to public schools, so maybe I am
> unenlightened to your higher level of intellectual thinking.
>
>
>>Was it a REGISTERED and LICENSED firearm?
> Trust me on this one. Bullets don't care about laws or paperwork.
> Moreover, if this kid was so mentally screwed up to KILL, I serously
> doubt he's overly concerned with PAPERWORK! Why do you care if it was
> REGISTERED? The fatal wound is somehow LESS fatal? Or is it that you
> feel that REGISTRATION will somehow make a kid like this decide to go to
> church instead of murder his instructor? Please explain this to the ng,
> I believe many, if not all, are waiting for you to embue us with your
> blinding, omniscient intellect.
>
>> If not, are you sure you still want guns sold like bubble gum?

> They aren't. Quit LYING to gain your way. Typical Liberal B.S.
>
>> If it proves to be unregistered and unlicensed, will you still stand
> behind
>> Heston and LaPierre who tell us how maaaaaavelous is our 2nd Amendment
> which
>> allows kids to shoot teachers or will you see the light and give
> credit to
>> those 750,000 mothers who let it all hang out in D.C. last week?
>
> Again, Bullets don't care about laws or paperwork. Wholesale
> responsibilty lies with the kid, and, if underage, the parents who
> allowed their minor access to a deadly weapon.
>
> Do you have minors? If you did/do, do they have access to your car keys?
> Cars kill, and they are REGISTERED. Many minors can kill with a car
> whether deliberately or inadvertently. How does legal paperwork
> alleviate this problem?
>
>
>> If you gun lovers' wives are included, just maybe they will make the
>> necessary difference to stop the NRA from holding us all hostage?
> You are in need of assistance if you make a statement such as this, and
> your thought patterns are similar to Medieval ones. Blame the gun, not
> the person. The Devil is in the gun, not the person.
>
> Stop spending so much time on the media, and start reading HISTORY. Go
> speak with some crime VICTIMS, and start spouting off your Liberal B.S.
> to them. I bet you get your pompous ass (deservingly) torn to shreds!
>
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5046. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Pierce <piercej@preferred.com>
Message-ID: <39304A0A.EEB5121F@preferred.com>
Source record: 110296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
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> Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

Yes, in the past the ARRL has been a much needed and member serving organization. I became a member when I first became a ham in the 70's. However, in just these last thirty years I have seens, in my eyes, it become an orginization that now longer serviced the members, but expected the members to service it. It now caters to the equipment manufacturers for advertising dollars. My view is that it is a now a publishing house that also lobby's for it's publishing's area of interest on the side.

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http://www.newsfeeds.com - The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World!
-----== Over 80,000 Newsgroups - 16 Different Servers! =-----

5047. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH! and then some.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <QWXX4.4306$4X5.10055@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110297

dAFf2Y sez:

<SNIP
Howie baby, let me explain. The enforcement crackdown in ham radio seems to have diminished the capacity and willingness of us to discuss anything on the air that might be construed as thought provoking, controversial and stimulating. Now whether Riley contemplated such a thing is mere conjecture but nonethelsss it's occurred and it just plain stinks.
>SNIP

Hi Howard,

I believe dAFf2Y has been enjoined by the Commission at least once, as evidenced by documents posted on the Rain report (search your choice of engine on it --it's easy), to stop doing that to which he blithely refers above as "thought provoking, controversial and stimulating". See the Commission's definition as a contrast.

What stinks, I suppose, is the leaks of putrescent vapors which Riley forced dAFf2Y to bottle up in his shack, instead of allowing him to pollute the ether with his sulphurous miasma. (Bite the bubbles, dAFf2Y).

Instead, we here are treated to his intemperate outbursts, which are protected, as they should be, under the 1st Amendment.

73, Dave, K3BHJ

5048. FS: MFJ-9020 20 Meter QRP CW Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete Buehner <kc8er@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <N1YX4.211$vP1.7911@ord-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 110298

For Sale:

MFJ-9020 20 Meter QRP CW Transceiver. Includes the MFJ-412 Iambic Keyer Module (installed) and the MFJ-726 Narrow Audio CW Filter (installed). Rig less than 2 years old. Non-smoker. Appearance (on a scale of 10): 9.5! Everything in excellent working condition. With all documentation and in original box. Selling because I just purchased the MFJ-9420 with CW board.

Original Prices:

MFJ-9020 Transceiver 169.95
MFJ-726 Narrow Audio Filter 29.95
MFJ-412 Curtis Iambic Keyer 39.95

$239.85 Original Cost!

Image: http://www.oh.verio.com/~kc8er/mfj9020.jpg

Asking: $180.00 Like New!
You pay for shipping.

...Pete

Email address: kc8er@oh.verio.com
Phone: (440)-354-4538

5049. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gpl2c$88r$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110299

Right ON !
I cant stand her.
Facts:
She say she likes the Yankee's but will not go to a game in fear of being
Booed out of the stadium on TV.
Hollyweird freaks from East Hampton N.Y lead by Alec Bald_ _ helped
acquire that house she doesn't not live in.
Alec "the egomaniac bully" is originally from Massapequa N.Y ..... that
trader should keep to his business in California.
She has never been in the subway and needs a guide, maps and GPS to get
around.
In an interview on David Letterman she passed some questions about New York
all of them were taken from the statistics page of the map book she carry's,
having nothing to do with the issues here anyway.
With a unknown band and guest booked that day, guess who received all the
standby tickets for that seeded audience.
Personally I thing she may be a Lesbian, and may have other agenda's.
If she win's and you are a hard working white male hide your wallet !

I may feel the need to dig a trench filled with hungry alligators and a draw
bridge, around the house.
It was enough misery with Como, this could be worse !
She will put all the homeless felons, nothing to loose AID's Addicts, and
future oncoming subway train pusher's back on the streets.
I see my future in north east N.C if NYC reverts back to the sewer "hell"
again.

radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote in message
<8gp8vcbvi1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>...
>This is gonna make you happy. After Giuliani dropped out of the Senate race
>due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P
>Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character, Victor
Laszlo
>in the film "Casablanca, " Mrs. Clinton, according to the highly accurate
>Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
>Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000, it is in
a
>statistical dead heat.
>The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the great
>state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by and
says
>nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a White
>House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a celebrity
>grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an opportunistic
>power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead of

hanging
>on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public office
>let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our next
>President to be-Al Gore.
>AF2Y

5050. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gpivm0rs9@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>Jeff Pierce, wd4nmq
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Now you've done it! You've said that the ARRL is a publishing company, for which Jeff Herman will post his tiresome essay on how it was founded as a business/publishing company.

I'd personally take it a step further, to say that the ARRL has a monopoly on the amateur radio publishing market. However, I doubt that the government will go after them the way they have with Microsoft.

Tom - N8ECW

5051. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gpj5a1rs9@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110301

In article <8gp71oqeh1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com says...
>
>Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
>in biblical times.
>

I would have no problem with this if the police and all of military were armed with nothing but stones as well. You and I both know that this isn't going to happen.

Tom - N8ECW

5052. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gpmkqmft1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110302

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> on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public
office
> let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our
next
> President to be-Al Gore.
> AF2Y
>
Sorry Doc, slightly off Mark again. You see Bill and Hill have what is
knows as a "open marriage". There from the flower child generation,
remember?

Second point Doc. Hillary is no fool. She hitched a ride on Bill's
train way back in college. Knowing full well that she couldnt get as
far as a man could. Sorry all you femanazi's, but thats the way it
is. I didn't make it that way.

Third; She is feathering her own nest now. Because Billy is a
liability now and she will drop him like a lead potatoe.

NY and Hillary deserve each other.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5053. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gpm50$7du$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110303

Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Hermann wrote:

>> You apparently can't stand the thought that in light of today's
>> standards, the writers of the Constitution made some errors. What
>> might have been seemed correct then is completely out of place today.

> This from a man who for the last few years waged a virtually
>unassisted war to defend CW as a useful and necessary mode.
> Interesting how we can sometimes be knocked from the helm in our
>own tack.

Peter, don't be so melodramatic. You can't place gun and voting
rights in the same category as Morse. Morse never killed anyone!
(And no, code didn't kill the hobby).

A prospective ham still can't get on HF w/o having to pass a Morse
exam, so I haven't lost any battle.

73, Jeff KH6O

5054. Re: FCC is cool!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gpmr2$80g$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110304
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
>Burt Fisher
>A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics

What does it mean to be a Plus Certified? Or did you mean "A-Plus"?
That little hyphen can make a world of difference, e.g.,
"man-eating shark" as opposed to "man eating shark."

5055. Re: dAFf2Y quacks again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <40_X4.4394$4X5.10553@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110305

This 'momserim' wishes you 'tsuris'.

You're making it easy, dAFf2Y.

As you were.

K3BHJ.
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gpe9a$6tj$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
> "Windbag," momserim like you are a dime a dozen.

5056. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39306E3B.40E812E2@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110306

wolf wrote:
>
> Totally neutral here folks, so don't jump on me. Somebody
> is using somebody elses call on the net. Legally, can
> anything be done about it? 'Hate like the dickens to have
> to take AF2Y's side, but take him head on instead of this
> type sneak attack. Any guard house lawyers (or real ones
> for that matter) who'd comment on this?

The callsign was assigned by the government to a specific person. Therefore, what he is doing is illegally using government issued identification - no different than using somebody's SSN, driver's license number, or a number associated with any other identification.

Stealing somebody's identification is a criminal offense. Every state in the country has laws associated with false identification and stealing identification. If it is federal identification, it is a federal offense. Again, there are federal laws on the books.

Can the person do anything about it? I suggest that he do exactly what he would do if any other identification was stolen - contact law enforcement officials.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5057. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice) and dAFf2Y quacks about it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <me_X4.4399$4X5.10340@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110307
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Just like dAFf2Y, to think the zoo would be an escape from his home ... did
you get caught talking to the other animals, dAFf2Y?

As you were.

K3BHJ
****

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gp7g5opj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> I went to the Dayton Hamvention in 1974 & '75 or it could have been in '75
> and '76.
> The first time was enjoyable. The second time was so bad that by noon on
> Saturday I had had enough and jumped in the car heading for Cincinnati.
> Upon reaching the "Queen City" I went for lunch and then out to the very
> famous zoo.
> I stood in the monkey house watching the apes, gorillas and orangutans
> jumping up and down, picking lice off themselves and eating them, munching
> on bananas and finally trying to throw their feces through the bars at the
> patrons.
> I felt as if I were right back in the Hara Arena.
> Doc,AF2Y

<SNIP

5058. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <393071F2.87F4E021@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110308

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> An explanation's in order.
> On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a
> Lake Worth Florida school and shot his
> teacher to death.
> SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.
> A kid! Where did it come from? Was
> it a REGISTERED and LICENSED firearm?
> If not, are you sure you still want
> guns sold like bubble gum?

Yes.

> If it proves to be unregistered and
> unlicensed, will you still stand behind
> Heston and LaPierre who tell us how
> maaaaaavelous is our 2nd Amendment <snip>

Yes.

> If you gun lovers' wives are included,
> just maybe they will make the
> necessary difference to stop the NRA
> from holding us all hostage?

The NRA is not a faceless entity that exists for its own purpose - it is people (Americans) who believe they have a right to own a gun. Are you accusing all those people of holding you hostage? If so, I suggest that you take it up with them.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5059. Re: Has AF2Y learned his lesson?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0069eea7.a9590e4c@usw-ex0103-018.remarq.com>
Source record: 110309

In one word: NO

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5060. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3930786C.FDD5F2CB@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110310

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> <snip> Can't you see that there's a
> sickness in this land and the bacteria
> are coming out of chambers and barrels?

The sickness is coming from liberals like you. When I was younger, everybody owned guns. I grew up with a shotgun hung above my grandmother's bed. In spite of the easy availability of guns at that time, kids did not go around school killing each other.

However, today, it is becoming commonplace. And I blame that on liberals who insist that teachers have no right to control their students (don't want to hurt the bully's self-esteem). So the bullies control the schools instead of teachers, and kids are forced to defend themselves by bringing guns to school.

In every single recent case of gun violence in the schools, the violence was done by a child that felt there was no other alternative. They were pushed into getting a gun by a bully - be that a student or a teacher (as in the case you describe - a student unfairly suspended the day before graduation for throwing water balloons).

If you want to get guns out of the school, get the bullies under control by returning power to the teachers (a four foot paddle is effective). That way, the victims of these bullies will feel they have an option other than a gun.

And insure the teachers are under control by realistic enforcement of the laws. Fire the smart-ass teachers who abuse their students emotionally and stand behind teachers who apply the paddle fairly. Right now, we have the opposite - many teachers who are smart-ass assholes and laws against strict punishment of out-of-control students.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

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5061. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39307A2E.14F23977@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110311

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> <snip> I'm so disgusted with the
> inability of us to use the 2nd Amendment
> properly, chuck it out and ban the
> damn things altogether.

So you want to just throw out the 2nd amendment? How about some of the other amendments? In fact, why don't we just make things easier - we can throw out the entire constitution and you can rule the country. That way, you can have the country that you want and everyone else can be miserable. America - the land of AF2Y.

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5062. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5lz <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39307C2C.C16194B2@oio.net>
Source record: 110312

Jeffrey,
To answer your questions and accusations;
1. I don't have, or need an assassination list. In wanting to keep the second amendment to the U.S. Constitution, I join several other people through out history (Jefferson, & Franklyn to name two).
2. If kids had gone around shooting teachers in 1776 they would probably been hung. Penalties were much stricter then. I do not advocate hanging children.
3. I am not a "Second Amendment gun-owner", I have never belonged to a militia.
4. I do not talk about using "my" guns against the government. Mr. Jefferson, and Mr. Franklyn sure did though. And by the way, they were both 'insurrectionists'.
5. No, you would not have to violate the Constitution to rise up against the government. Read it again, you missed several concepts the first time through. The whole Constitution speaks of 'checks and balances', does that phrase ring a bell?

I do not advocate violence. I think this would be a much better world to live in if violence were not necessary. I am a realist, though. Since this is not a 'perfect' world, and since human beings are naturally violent, I think it only prudent to have the ability to respond to violence with violence in the proper manner. I think this is a matter of common sense, or may be not so common sense any more. This is a violent world we live in. When you remove a persons ability to provide him self with a means of self defense, you have sentenced that person to live in fear. I certainly would not call that an acceptable position, I don't think any reasonable person would. You are ultimately responsible for your own self protection. If you are not willing to accept that responsibility, then you deserve what you get.
I do think that violence is an appropriate response in certain cases. I'm sorry you don't agree with that, but your lack of insight is not my problem, it's yours. I am more than willing to be reasonable, but only to a point. When I have no other alternative, I see nothing wrong with resorting to a necessary level of violence. That does not mean that I enjoy violence or go looking for it.
My suggestion to you, is to get some experience in the 'real world', then tell me how I should live in a perfect one. The two are not the same, and your attitude reflects which of these two worlds you live in. We can have a 'perfect' world when all people in the world are 'perfect'.
Until then, if I were you, I would not try using your 'perfect' world

ideas on the 'street'. Somebody will 'mug' you.
'Doc

5063. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5lz <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39307CF4.C884B827@oio.net>
Source record: 110313

Jeffrey,
I see that guns are not the only thing you know nothing
about. Thats a shame.
'Doc

5064. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39307DC7.9CBCE4CF@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110314

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Your logic is illogical. Let me give
> you an example. We'll use cigarette
> lovers. It seems everywhere we look,
> they're being discriminated against. <snip>

At least you admit that it is discrimination - something that few anti-smokers will admit. It is amazing that liberals will stand beside criminals in prison and scream for civil rights - but are the first to advocate the removal of civil rights from cigarette smokers. Selective civil rights?

The simple fact is that smokers don't fit into the liberal's sanitary little world. Drugs do. Criminals do. But not smokers.

> Why? Because CIGARETTES ARE A PUBLIC
> MENACE NOT ONLY TO THE SMOKER BUT TO
> THOSE AROUND HIM OR HER! Get it?

Are smokers more of a menace than the criminals liberals work so hard to release from prison? What about the other things in society that are a menace? Are you going after them next? What's next on your list? Devices that generate uncontrolled RF energy (radio)?

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5065. Re: Attention gun lovers: dAFf2Y duck quacks again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <ac%X4.4465$4X5.11040@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110315

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> (dAFf2Y duck) wrote in message
news:8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> An explanation's in order.
> On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a Lake Worth Florida school and shot his
> teacher to death.
> SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.

<SNIP

It's amazing to me that dAFf2Y duck must believe that the ready availability of guns today, with only a few government forms, checks, waiting periods, IDs, fingerprinting, other infringements, etc., is responsible for all the school shootings these days, compared to those halcyon days of yore, say the '50s and '60s, when all those school shootings must have been caused by the widespread unavailability of guns at the corner gas station, most any hardware station, mail order ... wherever.

dAFf2Y duck also probably believes that ordinary folks like you and me turn into slavering, ravening, slaughtering butchers at -- yes! -- the sight of a gun! -- and, Hyde-like, change to normal when -- yes! -- we are removed from the sinister influence of the weapon. This first metamorphosis is, I suppose, his explanation for those notorious mass murders he deplores at -- gasp! -- gun shows.

GET USED TO IT, dAFf2Y duck. 80 million Americans own 250 million weapons. One per person! Better run and hide!

Yup, dAFf2Y duck, an explanation's in order, unless all you can do is dodge the birdshot.

Your quack, dAFf2Y. As you were.

K3BHJ.

5066. Re: Attention gun lovers: Jeff's Paradox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <9E%X4.4487$4X5.11009@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110316

I dunno what constitution you've been reading, Jeff, but I would like to hear from you how the following constitutional phrases: "enumeration of certain rights shall not be construed to disparage others retained by the *people*", "The powers not delegated herein are reserved to the states respectively, and to the *people*", the "right of the *people* to be secure in their homes, papers, and possessions", and the "right of the *people* peacably to assemble", all apply to the *people*, and this phrase:

"The right of the *people* to keep and bear arms",

according to you, makes reference to the *government*.

Explain *that* paradox.

K3BHJ
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"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8gpot4$a2e$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
<SNIP

> For a well-regulated militia. It's interesting to note that the US
> Constitution, Article 1, Section 8, states that the Second Amendment
> Militia is to be used to execute laws, suppress insurrections, and repel
> invasions. And you're not left to your own initiative: Not only are you
> Second Amendment Militia gun-owners under control of the Congress, but
> also the President (Article 2, Section 2). You talk about using your guns
> against the government ("insurrection"), but it's the government who,
> according to the Constitution, is in charge of your militia. You'd have
> to violate the Constitution in order to rise up against the government.
> Heehee -- according to the Constitution, you'd have to suppress the
> insurrection that you've created! What a paradox.
>
> Jeff

5067. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <r50Y4.4504$4X5.11285@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110317

So it's good with you that Teddy Kennedy gets assault-weapon-carrying guards to protect him from fists and knives in Massachusetts, where guns are banned, and I gotta use my fists for self-defense in BeanTown?

What and where is your protection? Your own Hawaiian Supreme Court has held that *failure* of the police to provide protection is *acceptable*, ie, not actionable. See Freitas v. City and County of Honolulu, Pacific Reporter 2d edition, vol. 529, p.532. The Hawaii Revised Statutes, paragraphs134-1 through 134-18 limit your protection to your fists, against whatever your assailant brings to the fray.

WTH is your head? Do you think your assailant will allow you to choose his weapon?

K3BHJ.
****

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message news:8gpqbobip1@news.hawaii.edu...
> T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
>
> Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a bullet.
>

5068. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bernie Poskus <hamdan@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3930B139.D48279D8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 110318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I got my novice license in 1968, right after they went from one year nonrenewable to two years nonrenewable. It took me 13 months to get my general, and I was grateful for the extra four weeks. I don't think it made me less of a general, or less of an op than I am now, 32 years later.

73 de Bernie, KF0QS

Who Did you Expect? wrote:

> In article <391b4c74.337203958@nntp.one-eleven.net>, konstans@oneleven.net
> says...
> >
> >On Tue, 09 May 2000 13:20:03 GMT, General Mark Morgan
> ><one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
> >
> >>I guess my novice license was from a 'really' ancient era (1966),
> >>one year non-renewable.
> >
> > What are you trying to do make that I claim an anceint Novice
> >license and then "prove" I never held one. I Mark Morgan, KB9RQZ never
> >held a Novice license General Morgan
> >>
>
> >>> > If your still have your orignal Novice license you might want to check
> the
> >>> > length it was valid. Mine is from that ancient era and says 2 years non
> >>> > renewable. Then they made it 5 years renewable and then 10 renewable.
> >>> >
> >
> Geaz guys, I was NOT TRY TO START ANOTHER FLAME WAR. Just wondered if mine was
> the only 2 year expired novice license in existance. I was NOT trying to cast
> doubt on anyones histories.

5069. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mjc5@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <3930849D.6E8B02F4@psu.edu>
Source record: 110319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I certainly don't! If it is a really good price, sure, but if it is only
a little bit less than new, I'll just pay that little extra. And if I
don't quite have the money, I'll wait an extra couple weeks and save up.
I know that sounds strange in these immediate gratification days. :^)

- Mike -

"Edward L. Dowdy" wrote:
>
> Don't buy much used equipment do you.
>
> Kevin Olson <kolson@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:8gjnvm$4p4$1@bob.news.rcn.net...
> > One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty,
> > abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same radio
> > new....well fleamarket vendors....the new equipment vendors thank you from
> > the bottom of their hearts!!!
> >
> > If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be half
> of
> > what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a
> > warranty and the equipment looks nice, just like the way I treat my
> > equipment.
> >

5070. Re: Announcing a novel about Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <NpOX4.29965$Ft1.1357854@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110334

"marti613" <martitalbott3NOmaSPAM@aol.com.invalid> wrote in message
news:21c2ba6a.b640be72@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com...
> It's SHATTERED CITY - an earthquake in Seattle
>
> And it's a novel about the roll Hams play after a disaster. For more
> information, visit:

That certainly has to be fiction.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

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5071. Re: FCC SUCKS BIG 1 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <BqOX4.29966$Ft1.1357801@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110335
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"X X" <devil666@netzero.com> wrote in message
news:392E11A6.1190CA25@netzero.com...
> The fact is FCC sucks !
> 'been waiting for extra licence (no cheating upgrades)
> for 2 months !
> C'MON GOOD O'L BOYS, get the F back to work
> and give me my hard earned LICENCE !!! that's AN ORDER !!!

I am sure they will listen to an order from a wimp.
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5072. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <rrOX4.29967$Ft1.1357020@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Bill Sohl" <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote in message
news:392e71af.5275360@news.interactive.net...
> On Mon, 22 May 2000 22:12:45 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
> wrote:
>
> >radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote
> >>ham radio will pack it in altogether
> >
> >I doubt that the Internet (or the computer) will ever eliminate ham
radio.

Ham radio has already been eliminated.

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5073. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <kkOX4.3895$4X5.7363@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110337

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8gn6gsrfu1@news.hawaii.edu...
> David J. Windisch <davidw@copper.net> wrote:
> >"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> >> Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
<SNIP
> You apparently can't stand the thought that in light of today's
> standards, the writers of the Constitution made some errors. What
> might have been seemed correct then is completely out of place today.

<SNIP
>
> >Dave, K3BHJ

Another glittering generality from the catalog of the politically-correct
revisionist obvious:

The Constitution only *might have seemed* correct *then*, so those of us
who *now* know better than the writers and the benighted populace (rabble),
will substitute our version.

How deeply buried beneath the pigeon-feces falling in the ivory bell tower
of academe does one have to be in order to be so insulated from the
rough-and-tumble?

Jeff, you have used that *You apparently can't stand the thought ... *
phrase to cess and excess. Apparencies are deceiving. What I do have
trouble with, and do stand against, is wholesale perversion of the
Constitution into modernist, elitist, revisionary claptrap, such as the
'emanations and penumbras', which, in my view, began with Marbury v.
Madison.

BTW, if what Peter sez re your support of CW is true, I'm with you, on
Rosinante's back, against that windmill.

Dave, K3BHJ

5074. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <nsOX4.29968$Ft1.1357569@typhoon.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 110338

"David Snyder Hale" <david@isi9.mtwilson.edu> wrote in message
news:8gmr9a$ig6$1@agate.berkeley.edu...
> I'm wondering what is the proper way to handle a road (or other)
emergency.

Get a cell phone.
Hams talk only about themselves.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it. You
will see:

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5075. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <23370da7.c7dc92e5@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>
Source record: 110339

Oh my! Potty mouth Roger is teed off. Truth hurts, doesn't
it? Check some of the other postings and see what others
think of you. Hmmmm, not nuch.

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5076. Midland 70-924B Repeater Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JG <jgoldring@direcpc.com>
Message-ID: <5QPX4.12$sd.10028@news.direcpc.com>
Source record: 110340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Just picked up a Midland 70-924B UHF Repeater to be configured as a digipeater hooked up to a Kantronics KPC9612 Plus
It has a 15 pin accessory connector on the back which I would assume is for a tone panel or other devices. Does anyone have any specs or hookup diagrams for this unit? It would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks to everyone.

Jay.

5077. Re: Icom T7A vs W32A, and T81A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lewis Stephens <km5bh@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <UWPX4.1888$tK3.142602@nnrp1.sbc.net>
Source record: 110341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The W32A will be a better choice if you want to try to work any of the satellites with your HT. The ability to receive both bands at once is the clincher here.

BTW; I have owned all three radios. I have a 81A at the moment.

Lewis (KM5BH)

"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message news:UpfX4.1353$Cx4.192656@nnrp3.sbc.net...
> Anyone used both of those? I *loved* my W32A for the while I had it before
> breaking the thing, and looking for a cheaper-but-equal replacement for it..
> ;)
> How do the two differ, besides the dual tuner? I never had any use for that,
> which's the only difference (besides the slightly larger size and about
> $100) I've found from the descriptions of the T7A on the internet so far...
> Thanks!
>
> PS. If I were going to spend $280 or so on an HT, why would I want to buy
> the W32A instead of the quad-band T81A, btw? Questions, questions.... They
> seem to have identical prices from most of the online stores.
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5078. Phone Line Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Waly Heser <wheser@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YWPX4.1944$VO2.46667@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110342

I am having a real bad problem with noise on my phone line.

Does anyone know of a web site or FAQ that I can check to learn the basics of home phone wiring?

Phone company says that there is no problem on their end, so I need some help on what to look for, what type of tools I would need, etc.

Thanks

WALLY - KD6KAH
wheser@earth[NOSPAM]link.net

5079. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <392fcc63.758167@news.usol.com>
Source record: 110343

On Sat, 27 May 2000 11:37:55 GMT, "Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

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>"David Snyder Hale" <david@isi9.mtwilson.edu> wrote in message
>news:8gmr9a$ig6$1@agate.berkeley.edu...
>> I'm wondering what is the proper way to handle a road (or other)
>emergency.
>
>
>Get a cell phone.
>Hams talk only about themselves.

Oh no, school is about to end for the summer and 'Burtie' already has
too much time on his hands. :(

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>will see:
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5080. Re: Phone Line Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4art@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <8gok19vpl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110344

Email me direct, or contact me on AOL at Sparky2726@aol.com. Its a
little complicated the way I troubleshoot them.

Lee Ratcliff

In article <YWPX4.1944$VO2.46667@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Waly Heser" <wheser@earthlink.net> wrote:
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> Does anyone know of a web site or FAQ that I can check to learn the
basics
> of home phone wiring?
>
> Phone company says that there is no problem on their end, so I need
some
> help on what to look for, what type of tools I would need, etc.
>
> Thanks
>
> WALLY - KD6KAH
> wheser@earth[NOSPAM]link.net
>
>

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5081. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4art@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <8gokc5$vs3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110345

This is VERY inportant. I am a dispatcher, as well as a ham. Also, explain to them that they have to let the repeater drop before they talk so you will hear all they say.

Lee Ratcliff

In article <IrCX4.2740$D%2.64679@news1.news.adelphia.net>, "Davev" <dvari@adelphia.net> wrote:
> I would have just broke in any converstaion going on,or gave a couple of
> calls for anyone out there (if repeater quite)
> even try 146.520 (simplex) and explained what was needed and where.
> I've heard that there are even some repeaters opened for dailing 9-1-1 or
> *-9-1-1 for emergency help.
> In my case,I have my codes and 9-1-1 programed into memory, so i don't have
> to fumble around looking for
> those danged codes.But al in all,if you call out you need 9-1-1 called you
> should find someone by the 3rd-4th
> repeater,which shouldn't take no more than a minute.
> BUT REMEMBER THAT IF YOU CALL THRU A REPEATER TELL THE DISPACTER
> THAT
> YOU ARE CALLING THRU AN AMATURE REPEATER ! Because enhanched 9-1-1 (e911)
> will show
> the address of where the repeater is located NOT WHERE YOU ARE,if you lose
> the repeater the dispacter
> might send response team to that address !
> thats what i would do.
> ttyl de dave-n2rhl/ag
>
> David Snyder Hale <david@isi9.mtwilson.edu> wrote in message
> news:8gmr9a$ig6$1@agate.berkeley.edu...
> > I'm wondering what is the proper way to handle a road (or other)
> emergency.
> >
> > This question comes up because a few days ago I happened to be the only
> > witness to a serious traffic accident, in which those involved needed
> > immediate medical attention and I was the only person able to seek

help.
> > I did not have a radio in my car.
> >
> > I ended up having to drive a few miles back to where I had
previously seen
> > a construction vehicle, and the operator of that vehicle was able
to radio
> > the police (or, I think his dispatch, rather, who called the
police).
> >
> > I feel like I wasted valuable minutes in doing this, and that I
could have
> > possibly done something sooner if I'd had my radio. However,
looking
> back,
> > I can't say that I would have known the best way to accomplish this
in the
> > least amount of time. I would not have known, off-hand & on the
road, how
> > to access an autopatch repeater, so I couldn't have called the
police
> > directly. I could have hit at least one repeater from where I was,
but
> > how should I have gotten someone's immediate attention and
assistance?
> >
> > Although I'd like to feel I could have done more, and sooner, I
can't be
> > sure that if it happened again I'd know how to do so.
> >
> > I do intend however, to install a mobile antenna in my car and
carry an HT
> > in the glove box, and I'd like to learn how to handle any future
> > emergencies better.
> >
> > I appreciate hearing anyone's comments on this. Thanks.
> >
> > --
> > Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu * n3wtk@arrl.net
>
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5082. Re: training school 14313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: YICU812 <albinde@excite.com>
Message-ID: <LjQX4.1150$TZ2.66870@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110346

"herbie baby is #1" <greenobean@gulfbre.com> wrote in message

(SNIP)

Nice troll.

No go back to 14313 with Bathroom Man and
Pink Panty Man.

5083. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000527094618.14021.00000346@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 110347

>Oh no, school is about to end for the summer and 'Burtie' already has
>too much time on his hands. :(

I know. I had hoped by this time he might have a real job, but I guess it was
too much to hope for. ;)))

73,
Rick N9GSU

5084. wz0t and his FAT GUT (pics)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doris <cookiefile@urlo.org>
Message-ID: <toQX4.1160$TZ2.67905@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110348

See a pic of Scottie's *incredible* fat belly
slopping over his belt on the 14313 news page

http://members.aol.com/jcunham/

5085. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8goifi0uf8@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <392F3966.63A8@worldnet.att.net>, wyn@worldnet.att.net says...

>When national leaders of special interest groups in amateur radio like
>NCI are reminded to compare the amateur radio service to strictly
>self-serving hobbies like slotcar racing or model railroading, then the
>demise of amateur radio is not far off. When amateur radio loses its
>broad social value as an auxillary, not-for-profit, robust, message
>handling system, a training ground for radio communication skills
>education, a promoter of international good will, then it steps squarely
>in harms way by the congressional budget cutters and frequency
>auctioneers.
>
>After all do you want your government spending any money on promoting or
>protecting self-serving hobbies? There are (or at least were) some
>socially redeeming hobbies that the ARS should better be compared to:
>Bee Keeping, Earthworm Growing, Astronomy, Horticulture, Midnight
>Basketball, etc.
>
>73,
>Clay N4AOX

Very well put. However, don't be so quick to blame NCI for the demise of amateur radio. You could have put ARRL in place of NCI in your first sentence and it would not have changed the meaning of the rest of your post.

Tom - N8ECW

5086. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...do some thing about it then!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8goj261uf8@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8go6ianov1@nnrp1.deja.com>, rdheath@my-deja.com says...
>
>Hi there,
>
>To true yes amateur radio has declined. Instead of moaning why not do
>something worth while to stop the decline.

<snip>

Been there. Done that. Got the T-shirt.

I taught a novice/tech class once. I was told that the objective was to get people to pass the test. Based on this objective, I taught basic memory techniques that were perfected by such experts as Harry Lorraine, Kevin Trudeau, and Tony Buzan, and applied them to each question in the pool. Everyone had fun, and everyone passed. I, however, was not invited to teach again because it was decided by the powers-that-be that I really wasn't "teaching" anything. This was despite the fact that the objective was to get people to pass the test, which I acheived.

Tom - N8ECW

5087. Re: wz0t and his FAT GUT (pics)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gom73$m3s$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110351

Wow what a gut! Jesus he looks like all of Stott City's in there.
AF2Y

In article <toQX4.1160$TZ2.67905@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Doris"
<cookiefile@urlo.org> wrote:

> See a pic of Scottie's *incredible* fat belly
> slopping over his belt on the 14313 news page
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> http://members.aol.com/jcunham/
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>
>

5088. Re: AF2Y???????/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gomb0$e35$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110352

You're damn right Eddy. What's yours?

In article <j1FX4.63553$g62.1009902@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>, "EDMONTON" <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:

> What do a lot of the posts start with AF2Y?
> Is this guy in love with his call?
> --
> EDDY
>
>
>
> _____
>
>

5089. NNJ BARA Hamfest Sat. 6/3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpn518@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000527104105.17040.00000405@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 110353

The Bergen Amateur Radio Assn (BARA) is holding is
Spring Hamfest Saturday June 3rd, at the
Fairleigh Dickenson University parking lot, located
just 10 minutes from the George Washington Bridge
in Teaneck, NJ.

See information on the BARA website at
www.bara.org

Buyers, arrive at 8am, $5 entry fee.
Harmonics free, as well as XYL's.

Sellers begin to arrive at 6am., $10 per space.
Limited AC Power spaces priced at $20.

VE sessions
Ham flea market
refreshments available.

One of the largest hamfests in the tri-state area.

Hope to see you there...

5090. Dayton Fleamarket and insane pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <8goj5m$e0p$1@w3eax.umd.edu>
Source record: 110354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

It has long been my belief that at any hamfest, prices go down to normal right at the end. The "true bargains" were snapped up at the beginning, probably before you even woke up. At Dayton, bargain time is Sunday at noon, when the flea market is nearly over.

Dayton is a huge social event for many people. You can tell these people from those who want to sell their gear by looking at the amount of stuff they still have on the table at 5 p.m. on Saturday.

I've personally gone to hamfests and put out low prices on things if I really wanted them gone; items for which "I think I want to keep this, but if someone wants to give me 75% of the new price for it, I'll take it" rarely sell...which is the idea...

But yes, Dayton prices are pretty high. It was like that 8 years ago when I first went, and it's still like that, but it's a HUGE show, a huge event, and a chance to see a lot of friends in one place.

And yes, there are still bargains out there. With that many people buying, they're not likely to last long.

And never be afraid to haggle. Did you pay full-price for your car? Your house? Just because someone asks $200,000 for a house don't mean they expect to get it...

>Well sellers can dream on. I saw a Realistic HTX-404 in the box for
>$175.00??? What a joke! It was over 5 years old and the battery pack
>needed rebuilding!! He was a two-way dealer. They are USUALLY the worst
>for pricing things too high. I got a NLS Miniscope 230 working in good
>condition with the probes and carry case for $50.00 from a 2-way dealer.
>GOOD BUY! This one is a classic. A guy was selling a folding tripod that
>you would mount a Hamstick on for field day. He made them and was charging
>$85.00. A few isles over someone else was selling one of his tripods for
>$185.00!!! I kid you not.
>73
>Randy.
>"mjc5" <mjc5@psu.edu> wrote in message news:392ADBAD.403F17B3@psu.edu...
>> Wow, glad i didn't make the 8 hour trip. Something really weird has
>> happened in the used market the last few years, and poeple are trying to
>> sell used stuff for only around 10 percent off new. Without warranty,
>> and you don't even know if it works, no thanks I'll buy the new one.
>>
>> - mike -
>>
>> randas wrote:

>> >
>> > Can't help put my 2 cents input here. I agree that the fleamarket was a
>> > bust. This was my first trip to Dayton...and I guess i was expecting
>good
>> > prices in the fleamarket because of all the sellers. I believe it went
>the
>> > other way, the sellers were depending on the 30,000 crowd to pay the
>high
>> > prices. P
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>

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Scott Rosenfeld ARS N7JI
541-684-9970 Eugene, OR Land o' much rain
If you find me on the air, I'm probably in my car
ham@w3eax.umd.edu http://w3eax.umd.edu/~ham

5091. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH! and then some.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gonvpjnf1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110355

Howie baby, let me explain. The enforcement crackdown in ham radio seems to have diminished the capacity and willingness of us to discuss anything on the air that might be construed as thought provoking, controversial and stimulating. Now whether Riley contemplated such a thing is mere conjecture but nonethelsss it's occurred and it just plain stinks.

By nature, hams are intelligent or are supposed to be, hence just plain so-to- speak "HAM TALK" i.e. electronics mumbo jumbo should be Part OF THE WHOLE instead of the whole WHOLE. Can you think of anything more boring than being limited to palaver about rigs, antennas, linears etc?

Alright with that in mind let's analyze the current situation. If we are afraid to discuss on-the-air what the powers that be deem "undiscussable" for fear of alientating Monsieur LePhooey in Paris or Lord Bottomley Assscratch in London or Herr Helmut Bratwurst in Dusseldorf, what then are we hams with verve supposed to do-pack it in? And the irony of it all is that those who said the FCC wants to stuff us all onto HF so they can sell off our VHF and UHF to domestic and foreign interests may be right afterall. We must be all Mary Poppinses for fear of losing our frequencies to outside interests which have been set up to take or buy them anyway right from the get go. They should make a movie out of the whole scenario.

Therein lies the beauty of this forum specifically and the Internet generally. FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION DENIED ON THE HAM BANDS which explains what you read along politcal, among other, lines. In other words, hams should NOT be limited thanks to our basic inherent nature of extrovertism. Ideas are there for dissemination not artifical insemination. If anything this forum proves it is that we hams are MULTIDIMENSIONAL because the overwhelming majority of us ARE. This forum proves it.

AF2Y,Doc

In article <392f76df.20813988@news.pacbell.net>, h-watson@pacbell.net (Howard Watson) wrote:

> OK, but what is his stance on Amateur Radio? Or am I confused on
> which newsgroup I am posting in? LOL
>
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>
> On Thu, 25 May 2000 20:21:38 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>
>>You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake.
>>I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the

>>normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
>>ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic
>>power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that
>>trade go to France, England and others. Let's hurt ourselves to appease
>>Helmsmanese creeps.
>>Now get this: Helms doesn't want to do business with China because of their
>>human rights violations. Ha! He's one to talk. The man has suppressed every
>>progressive bill to ever go before the Senate. He was and still is an avowed
>>segregationist. He's an embarassment to the fine people of North Carolina
>>who are overwhelmed by rednecks. And that's exactly what Helms is-a redneck
>>worse than a John Rocker could ever be. How amazing a guy like that has so
>>much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.
>>AF2Y
>

5092. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <392FE38B.A430DEA8@IEEE.org>
Source record: 110356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
> Very well put. However, don't be so quick to blame NCI for the demise of amateur
> radio. You could have put ARRL in place of NCI in your first sentence and it
> would not have changed the meaning of the rest of your post.

Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

5093. Re: AF2Y replies to Roger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8goog2ggh1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110357

Roger, Norskie Thunder probabaly wants to keep her son Harry home this
summer and instead send her miserable husband Bobby to the Dominican
Republic for good. But then again why punish the Dominicans?

In article <8gjiv9$ea7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

>>
>
> Hey Youngblood, tell us why your wife made you do all your ham radio
> "fun" out in the orange grove. Was she as tired of your crap as the
> rest of us are?
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy

5094. Re: Warning to HTX-200 and HTX-400 owners - fatal design flaw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Woodhull <aswNS@helios.hampshire.edu>
Message-ID: <392fea85.0@news.hampshire.edu>
Source record: 110358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In rec.radio.amateur.misc Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com> wrote:
: Sounds like a perfect candidate for a 'schematic' on the Radio Shack
: web page! The 202 and 404 both had a recomended transformer
: coupling for the HT to a TNC. I wonder if because that's how they
: did it before, that's how they tested these without thinking how the
: majority of users would try to hook up.

The HTX-202 and 404 audio output is isolated with a large capacitor (C72)
from the audio amp IC (IC601), and can be safely connected to the
audio input of a TNC. I have operated packet with HTX-202s and several
different TNCs with no problems.

73, Al N1AW
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| Albert S. Woodhull |
| Hampshire College, Amherst, MA |
| awoodhull@hampshire.edu |
| http://minix1.hampshire.edu/asw/ |
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94.3% of all statistics are made up on the spot

5095. BIG GUT CONTEST AT DAYTON HAMFEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gopsb$3n3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110359

The Winner of the big gut contest was TA DAHH "SCOTTIE" WZ0T!!

Congratulations "SCOTTIE" for winning the RICHARD WHITTEN EX
WB2OTK "BIG GUT" TROPHY!!

This trophy is awarded to the amateur who has a gut that is almost as
large but can't possibly be larger than the one WB2OTK pushed when a
active amateur operator.
Plaintruth

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5096. Re: AF2Y on Harrison Mantle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gool3$p7$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110360

Windy,
As I alluded to before......
Go eat a can of Heinz baked beans....
sit in the bathtub and....
bite at the bubbles!

In article <RuNX4.3711$4X5.6556@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
<davidw@copper.net> wrote:

> Maybe there's an opening for a retired dentist as the comm op on the
> aircraft. You *go*, Doc!
>
> K3BHJ
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8gm1j0$2nq$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
>> The latest news is that when Harrison Youngblood leaves for the Dominican
>
> <SNIP
>
>

5097. Re: Need Help PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8goor2bqb1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110361

Good luck Comrade PepperUW and I'm sorry you're an invalid on hotmail.
Doc

In article <0d135b0c.91e7a2e7@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com>, PepperUW
<shpepperNOshSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:

> Thank you VERY much. I really appreciate the information. And just so
> you know, UL is short for ulitza. It is the same word in Russian which
> I know.
>
>
> In article <8gmj83kim1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> Here's help. Konel is the Polish branch of Philips. It's located
>> in Lublin,
>> Poland. Either write to Konel, ul Kiwerskiego 3, 20-240 Lublin,
>> Poland or
>> e-mail them at konel@konel.pl
>> By the way, "ul" iare the first two letters of the Polish word for
>> "street."
>> I believe it's Ulitza and not "streetski." I'm not sure. My father
>> was born
>> over there but won't admit it. It was Austria-Hungary when he was
>> born and
>> became Poland after W.W.I ended. He decided to emigrate to
>> America-too many
>> Polacks he claimed. I told him that wasn't nice and he belted me
>> in the
>> chops.
>> Good luck and it was my pleasure helping you.
>> 73,
>> Doc,AF2Y
>> ï¿½
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>> In article <019bf6ce.90fb537f@usw-ex0107-050.remarq.com>, PepperUW
>> <shpepperNOshSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>> > I have a Konel model KR-160 radio. I know nothing about it. I
>> am
>> > trying to find any information I can about this unit. Any help
>> would
>> > be greatly appreciated.
>> >
>> > Thanks
>> >

>> >
>> > * Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's
>> Discussion Network *
>> > The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet
>> - Free!
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5098. Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110362

An explanation's in order.
On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a Lake Worth Florida school and shot his teacher to death.
SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.
A kid! Where did it come from? Was it a REGISTERED and LICENSED firearm?
If not, are you sure you still want guns sold like bubble gum?
If it proves to be unregistered and unlicensed, will you still stand behind Heston and LaPierre who tell us how maaaaaavelous is our 2nd Amendment which allows kids to shoot teachers or will you see the light and give credit to those 750,000 mothers who let it all hang out in D.C. last week?
Remember the murdered teacher left a wife and two children. His wife was a MOTHER. You know what--when they march again, she's going to be right in front of the procession.
If you gun lovers' wives are included, just maybe they will make the necessary difference to stop the NRA from holding us all hostage?
AF2Y

5099. Has AF2Y learned his lesson?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: frg9600 <frg9600@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <bfSX4.2105$VO2.55305@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110363

http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/jammers.html

5100. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Woodhull <aswNS@helios.hampshire.edu>
Message-ID: <392ff74c.0@news.hampshire.edu>
Source record: 110364

In rec.radio.amateur.misc <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca> wrote:

: I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
: right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
: morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
: purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
: capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
: antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later.

Think of the material involved -- to be efficient an antenna has to be close to a half-wavelength in length, so you are talking about 38 inches for the two meter band (where you will probably want to begin) versus 30 feet for a multiband antenna that covers HF bands from 10 meters up. It's a lot more aluminum to pay for and to support in the air.

With very little work and money you can get a very efficient antenna for transmitting and receiving on the two meter band. You can easily homebrew a satisfactory temporary two meter antenna that you can hang from a ceiling or a tree by peeling back about 20 inches of the outer conductor of a length of coax, or by making a J-pole out of a 60 inch length of 300 ohm TV leadin. Look in the Handbook for coaxial and J-pole designs. Anything equivalent for the HF bands, even a single band 10 meter quarter wave (8 feet long) will require a lot more effort and expense.

Until you get a license that allows you to transmit on the HF bands there is little point in investing in an expensive antenna. Generally the main thing an expensive antenna buys you is efficiency. For receiving purposes efficiency is usually not a consideration on HF, since the problem is to hear the signal you want to hear against the background noise. But on HF all the noise is also being picked up by the antenna. So less efficiency means less noise as well as less signal. Signal strength on the HF bands is usually high, and a modern receiver will have enough gain to hear well with a simple random wire thrown out a window or up in a tree. The exception might be if you are in a noisy location like the interior of an office building and need to have a long shielded cable between your antenna and the receiver to avoid pickup of locally generated noise. The other thing a good transmitting antenna can bring you when receiving is directionality, if you are talking about a beam, as that will allow you to allow you to turn the antenna to reduce the strength of unwanted signals. But if you are considering a 10 band antenna I suspect it is a non-directonal vertical.

: More
: than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
: taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58?N), and the winds can be pretty
: cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)

Now, when you make your move to northern Manitoba you will probably
not find many people to talk to within the limited range of 2 meters.
So I hope that by then you will have a license with HF privileges. And
when it comes time to transmit on HF efficiency of the antenna becomes
important, since now the signal from your rig is competing with noise
from other sources.

73, Al N1AW

Note: the original message was crossposted to multiple
newsgroups. This is not good netiquette, and I am posting this
followup only to the newsgroup in which I saw the original.
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| Hampshire College, Amherst, MA |
| awoodhull@hampshire.edu |
| http://minix1.hampshire.edu/asw/ |
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5101. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5lz <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>
Source record: 110365

Doc,
This is just more, "Oh ain't it awful!", emotionalism.
Of course it's a shame that the kids parents didn't teach
him about values and the sanctity of life. And it's too
bad that someone had to pay for the kid's parents lack in
raising their child correctly, by dying. And I would probably
agree with you that the dead teacher's widow will now have
to live with her loss because of some kid's parents didn't
teach the kid proper discipline, social values, and just
plain common sense.
Let me ask you this, what difference does it make if the
gun were registered, or not? You can NOT buy guns like they
were bubble-gum, now, any where in this country. If the gun
proves to be unregistered, which does not mean the same as
being unlicensed, yes, I will continue to stand behind Heston
and LaPierre when they defend ~our~, yours and mine, second
amendment Constitutional rights. (That IS the basis for all
law in this country, you know.) And no, the second amendment
does NOT allow kids to shoot teacher! Boy Doc, that was sure
from left field. Please quote the part of the second ammend-
ment that allows kids to shoot teachers, I can't seem to find
it.
Those 750,000 mothers who let it all hang out in D.C. last
week were used by the Clinton administration in a 'set up' for
an emotional 'media event' to support Mr. Clinton's attempt to
undermine the U.S. Constitution and destroy this country. If
you were 'taken in' by that so called 'righteous' demonstration
of concerned 'mothers', Doc you need to look behind the scenes
of that circus just a little bit closer.
And now we are being held hostage by the NRA! It would make
just as much sense to blame the NRA for 'male pattern baldness'
while your at it! It seems that the NRA is the 'one' who is
-defending- our constitutional rights, not trying to take any
thing from you. I swear to you ,Doc, I have NOT received a
ransom note from them! (I don't even pay dues!)
Please, really stop and look at what your advocating. YOU
are advocating taking away not only one of our constitutional
rights, you are advocating removal of one means of insuring that
our government respects the wishes of it's citizens. And that
is exactly why that amendment is there, Mr. Franklyn said so,
and he ought to know if anyone does, wouldn't you think? The
statesmen of the time made it very plain why the 2nd amendment
was included in the Constitution. And now, your trying to make
us think that 'you' know better than they did? Sorry Doc, I

just don't buy that.
Paul

5102. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...do some thing about it then!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdheath@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gp0hu$812$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yes, you have a point and to true you probly have the t-shirt. Where i took my course before the exam it was made clear that they where not going to teach me about radio...first i had to pass the exam and then the radio club would teach me that. This is one of the main problems people get in to radio to communicate to other but firstly the have to learn the voltage of vbe of a forward biased transistor stuff they don't really care about and probly will never use. And to often it is a this point people turn away. Therefore adds more to the decline. There needs to be a real change in the exam sylbus not just cutting the pass mark.

What i want cq-radio to be is a site where people can have an on-line course to pass the exam with most off the junk stuff cut out.

If you have tort the exam before r u intersed in developing a cousre for us? it does not have to be in html or anything like that just a basic text file will do and i will do the rest.

richard heath

M1EKQ

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5103. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hortatory HF discourse <permianlou@aol.com>
Message-ID: <2dTX4.1649$TZ2.84747@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Steve - KF2TI/AE (Landing, NJ)" <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
news:MPG.1398e94ebe3108ef989936@news.interactive.net...
> The unofficial official numbers being thrown about were below 24000..a
> substantial decrease from the year before despite being the ARRL National
> Convention.
>
> Plenty of youngsters and women (some even not bad looking)

Did my college Internship with the US Park Service in the mid-80's.
Part of what I did was crowd estimates in Washington DC. I would
roughly estimate Dayton's attendence at 16K.

> The Beanie Baby booth was a tad much, but his prices were good.
>
> Computers sellers outnumbered ham radio sellers 5 to 1.

Which is why I will NEVER go to another Hamvention again. (period)
For the price they charge for admission I DO NOT want to see a flea
market that is almost 45% computer junk, and worse yet, someone
selling Beanie Babies(!) I came to Dayton to see RADIO gear. I can
see computer stuff and Beanie Babies >FOR FREE< at any weekend
flea market in Florida. I almost wanted to go and demand my admission
money back, but instead I will just not go next year, or the next, and
the next one after that. I will miss the camraderie which is one of the
few good things. Oh well.

> No new/newer HF radios were evident and those being offered
> were priced ridiculously. $100 more and you got yourself a new radio

These are the "dealers" who go to every hamfest they can, buy up all the
reasonable priced equipment early, then place it on their table at grossly
inflated
prices later in the morning. These are the kinds of *puke-faced slimeballs*
that are killing hamfests. I hope they took all their overpriced radios
back home from no-sale, and half of them were damaged in transit enroute.
That's what these hamfest-bums deserve to have happen to them.

> Kenwood outdid themselves with a beautiful radio that does
> 2/220/440/6/1.2 and HF. Only problem is..it doesn't exist and the
> Kenwood people haven't a clue as to when OR OF it will ever be available.

Kenwood Rep told me that It's wating for FCC approval before they can sell
it.
He also said to look for a release date (50/50 chance) of October 2000.

5104. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3931079b.249604523@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 110368

On Fri, 26 May 2000 20:11:38 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>I demand you cease using my callsign as your entri¿½e to this forum. I passed
>the Extra to obtain it-I was given nothing and it's been mine for over 22
>years. Use something more suitable for you like schmuck@my-deja.com/.
>Doc, AF2Y

That callsign is the property of the government, asshole. So piss off.

5105. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8govfr01bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <392FE38B.A430DEA8@IEEE.org>, Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...
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>"T.L. Bryant" wrote:
>> Very well put. However, don't be so quick to blame NCI for the demise of
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>> radio. You could have put ARRL in place of NCI in your first sentence and it
>> would not have changed the meaning of the rest of your post.
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>Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

You're right. The frequencies would probably have been put to better use by
now.

Tom - N8ECW

5106. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH! and then some.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8govlo11bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110370

In article <8gonvpjnf1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com says...
>
>Howie baby, let me explain. The enforcement crackdown in ham radio seems to
>have diminished the capacity and willingness of us to discuss anything on
>the air that might be construed as thought provoking, controversial and
>stimulating. Now whether Riley contemplated such a thing is mere conjecture
>but nonethelsss it's occurred and it just plain stinks.
>
>By nature, hams are intelligent or are supposed to be, hence just plain so-
>to- speak "HAM TALK" i.e. electronics mumbo jumbo should be Part OF THE
>WHOLE instead of the whole WHOLE. Can you think of anything more boring than
>being limited to palaver about rigs, antennas, linears etc?
>

You forgot the weather, and graphic descriptions of various health problems.

Tom - N8ECW

5107. Looking For Assistance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickholtman@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gp3k2$9v3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110371

Greetings-

On November 22, 1963 there were fairly extensive radio communications between the airborn Air Force One, designated 26000 or ANGEL, a plane carrying various cabinet officers over the Pacific, designated 86972, the White House Communications Center, and Collins Radio Company Headquarters in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, designated LIBERTY station.

I have heard rumors that amateur radio enthusiasts (perhaps in Colorado?) at times monitored, and possibly even taped, these important historical transmissions.

Does anybody have information regarding this that they can share with me? Does anybody know where else I could look? I am greatly appreciative, in advance, for any help. I will monitor this thread or can be reached at rickholtman@aol.com. Once again, thanks.

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5108. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0ff316b9.225f5ab8@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 110372

Totally neutral here folks, so don't jump on me. Somebody
is using somebody elses call on the net. Legally, can
anything be done about it? 'Hate like the dickens to have
to take AF2Y's side, but take him head on instead of this
type sneak attack. Any guard house lawyers (or real ones
for that matter) who'd comment on this?

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5109. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gp0re31bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>> Plenty of youngsters and women (some even not bad looking)
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>Did my college Internship with the US Park Service in the mid-80's.
>Part of what I did was crowd estimates in Washington DC. I would
>roughly estimate Dayton's attendence at 16K.

Your estimates are probably right on target. However, this is a 3-day event. If attendance was 24,000 or 28,000, as some have claimed, It's safe to say that they weren't all there at once.

Tom - N8ECW

5110. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gp0a421bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110374

In article <8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com says...
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>An explanation's in order.
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>teacher to death.
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>necessary difference to stop the NRA from holding us all hostage?
>AF2Y

Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death? Murder is murder, regardless of the method used.

The last time I checked, it was already against the law for a minor to possess a handgun. Yet this didn't stop the the kid from shooting the teacher. How would more unenforcable laws do any better?

Guns have been a part of our society since this country's inception. It is only in recent decades that people have decided to shoot each other to resolve their differences. What is your explanation for this?

Tom - N8ECW

5111. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gp4mi$7l$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110375

Just plain bullcrap apologetics for a country gone nuts over violence and guns and you smooth things over as if our troubles were a rumpled sheet. Holy smokes, get with the program. What will it take for you and so many others to see the light-gunshot wounds to your own bodies? Can't you see that there's a sickness in this land and the bacteria are coming out of chambers and barrels?
I'm so disgusted with the inability of us to use the 2nd Amendment properly, chuck it out and ban the damn things altogether. Turn in the guns. Let the Feds melt them down and form plowshares out of them. Where's the Christian ethic in this so-called Christian country? Put on the shortwave and we get bombarded by all these freaking Jesus freaks who preach peace, love and brotherhood while at the same time fostering the legal and illegal purchases of guns. Why just yesterday on the Genesis Network I heard the hypocritical bastards pushing a gun that can be easily assembled to circumvent the law and common sense.
It's getting so bad that we who hate guns will now have to go out and buy them to protect us from you geeks who worship them. The damned commies and Nazis must be getting a kick out of how we are doing ourselves in since they couldn't do it and you "gunnies" are helping the process.
AF2Y

In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

> Doc,
> This is just more, "Oh ain't it awful!", emotionalism.
> Of course it's a shame that the kids parents didn't teach
> him about values and the sanctity of life. And it's too
> bad that someone had to pay for the kid's parents lack in
> raising their child correctly, by dying. And I would probably
> agree with you that the dead teacher's widow will now have
> to live with her loss because of some kid's parents didn't
> teach the kid proper discipline, social values, and just
> plain common sense.

5112. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gp7eb$ch2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110376

In article <8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> An explanation's in order.
Yes it is. No doubt. But you accuse with your emotions, not any logic. I am not a "gun nut". But I truly cringe when I see a feeble mind trying to overthrow the great minds that set up this country. The Second Amendment is there for some VERY SERIOUS AND PERTINENT REASONS. Just because you are a knee-jerk reactionary to the media's sensationalism doesn't make your logic or cause justified.

Tell me, oh self-deified one, how many deaths took place in Florida on that same day, and how many of them were unnecessary? Why aren't you ruling out the cell-phone related traffic deaths, alcohol-related traffic deaths, inattentive driver-related traffic deaths, other "routine" murders, etc?

I'll tell you why. Because you see a "kid" use a "gun" to kill a "teacher". Those are all "trigger" (no pun intended) words that the media knows you will reach critical mass with. WAKE UP CRETIN...you are not seeing nor are you presenting the WHOLE PICTURE.

You don't like gun deaths? Good. Most of us don't. But you need to try and apply the PROPER "medicine" on the ACTUAL wound. Kind of like your osteopath story. In layman's terms, we call it: "Barking up the wrong tree." Hello? McFly?

> On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a Lake Worth Florida school and shot
>his teacher to death. SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.

If this was an UNREGISTERED baseball bat, would you vote to outlaw sports? Trees? Lathes? Pine Tar? Sue the sporting goods store who sold it? How about the cashier?

> A kid! Where did it come from?
Again, off target. My question when I read your post was:
"What the %$#@! was wrong with the kid?" I went to school, and I always knew right from wrong, and shooting my teachers fell somewhere toward the "wrong" area. But I went to public schools, so maybe I am unenlightened to your higher level of intellectual thinking.

>Was it a REGISTERED and LICENSED firearm?
Trust me on this one. Bullets don't care about laws or paperwork. Moreover, if this kid was so mentally screwed up to KILL, I serously doubt he's overly concerned with PAPERWORK! Why do you care if it was REGISTERED? The fatal wound is somehow LESS fatal? Or is it that you feel that REGISTRATION will somehow make a kid like this decide to go to

church instead of murder his instructor? Please explain this to the ng, I believe many, if not all, are waiting for you to embue us with your blinding, omniscient intellect.

> If not, are you sure you still want guns sold like bubble gum?
They aren't. Quit LYING to gain your way. Typical Liberal B.S.

> If it proves to be unregistered and unlicensed, will you still stand behind
> Heston and LaPierre who tell us how maaaaaavelous is our 2nd Amendment which
> allows kids to shoot teachers or will you see the light and give credit to
> those 750,000 mothers who let it all hang out in D.C. last week?

Again, Bullets don't care about laws or paperwork. Wholesale responsibilty lies with the kid, and, if underage, the parents who allowed their minor access to a deadly weapon.

Do you have minors? If you did/do, do they have access to your car keys? Cars kill, and they are REGISTERED. Many minors can kill with a car whether deliberately or inadvertently. How does legal paperwork alleviate this problem?

> If you gun lovers' wives are included, just maybe they will make the
> necessary difference to stop the NRA from holding us all hostage?
You are in need of assistance if you make a statement such as this, and your thought patterns are similar to Medieval ones. Blame the gun, not the person. The Devil is in the gun, not the person.

Stop spending so much time on the media, and start reading HISTORY. Go speak with some crime VICTIMS, and start spouting off your Liberal B.S. to them. I bet you get your pompous ass (deservingly) torn to shreds!

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5113. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gp88u$d09$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110377

In article <8gp4mi$7l$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Just plain bullcrap apologetics for a country gone nuts over violence
and
> guns and you smooth things over as if our troubles were a rumpled
sheet.
In what way did he "smooth things over"? The PROBLEM is WITHIN, and it is obvious that this kid hadn't the substance WITHIN to stay on an even keel.

> Holy smokes, get with the program.
What YOUR program? WE ALREADY HAVE THAT. It's called COMMUNISM. Go live there, and see if it changes your mind any. Until you LIVE there, you are just a gasbag spewing methane.

>What will it take for you and so many others to see the light-gunshot
>wounds to your own bodies? Can't you see that there's a sickness in
>this land and the bacteria are coming out f chambers and barrels?

I ALREADY asked you to put your money (and ass) where your mouth is.
I asked you to make it PERFECTLY CLEAR to the criminal that you are UNPROTECTED. YOU turned into an A$$HOLE once you felt the VULNERABILTY.
NOW, you spew this B.S. out? HYPOCRITE!!!!

I snipped all your Liberal rhetoric.

Go to Australia, and speak with them. Speak with the victims here in this country.

You watch TV, and then VOTE. Like that's your reality. SCARY!!!!!!!!!

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5114. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <T6VX4.71094$55.562568@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 110378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You better go back to school!!

The attendance record was over 30,000, nearly double your estimate.

On the other hand, an insurance company might recognize your
estimatation skills and hire you handle accident claims!!

"hortatory HF discourse" <permianlou@aol.com> wrote
> Did my college Internship with the US Park Service in the mid-80's.
> Part of what I did was crowd estimates in Washington DC. I would
> roughly estimate Dayton's attendence at 16K.

5115. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <laVX4.71095$55.562760@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 110379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

follow this link:
http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter/00/0526/#hamvention

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> Did my college Internship with the US Park Service in the mid-80's.
> Part of what I did was crowd estimates in Washington DC. I would
> roughly estimate Dayton's attendence at 16K.

5116. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gp71oqeh1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110380

Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
in biblical times.

In article <8gp0a421bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L.
Bryant) wrote:

> In article <8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com
> says...
>>
>>An explanation's in order.
>>On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a Lake Worth Florida school and shot his
>>teacher to death.
>>SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.
>>A kid! Where did it come from? Was it a REGISTERED and LICENSED firearm?
>>If not, are you sure you still want guns sold like bubble gum?
>>If it proves to be unregistered and unlicensed, will you still stand behind
>>Heston and LaPierre who tell us how maaaaaavelous is our 2nd Amendment which
>>allows kids to shoot teachers or will you see the light and give credit to
>>those 750,000 mothers who let it all hang out in D.C. last week?
>>Remember the murdered teacher left a wife and two children. His wife was a
>>MOTHER. You know what--when they march again, she's going to be right in
>>front of the procession.
>>If you gun lovers' wives are included, just maybe they will make the
>>necessary difference to stop the NRA from holding us all hostage?
>>AF2Y
>
> Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
> Murder is murder, regardless of the method used.
>
> The last time I checked, it was already against the law for a minor to possess
> a handgun. Yet this didn't stop the the kid from shooting the teacher. How
> would more unenforcable laws do any better?
>
> Guns have been a part of our society since this country's inception. It is
only
> in recent decades that people have decided to shoot each other to resolve
their
> differences. What is your explanation for this?
>
> Tom - N8ECW
>

5117. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gp7g5opj1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I went to the Dayton Hamvention in 1974 & '75 or it could have been in '75
and '76.
The first time was enjoyable. The second time was so bad that by noon on
Saturday I had had enough and jumped in the car heading for Cincinnati.
Upon reaching the "Queen City" I went for lunch and then out to the very
famous zoo.
I stood in the monkey house watching the apes, gorillas and orangutans
jumping up and down, picking lice off themselves and eating them, munching
on bananas and finally trying to throw their feces through the bars at the
patrons.
I felt as if I were right back in the Hara Arena.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <2dTX4.1649$TZ2.84747@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"hortatory HF discourse" <permianlou@aol.com> wrote:

>
> "Steve - KF2TI/AE (Landing, NJ)" <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
> news:MPG.1398e94ebe3108ef989936@news.interactive.net...
>> The unofficial official numbers being thrown about were below 24000..a
>> substantial decrease from the year before despite being the ARRL National
>> Convention.
>>
>> Plenty of youngsters and women (some even not bad looking)
>
> Did my college Internship with the US Park Service in the mid-80's.
> Part of what I did was crowd estimates in Washington DC. I would
> roughly estimate Dayton's attendence at 16K.
>
>> The Beanie Baby booth was a tad much, but his prices were good.
>>
>> Computers sellers outnumbered ham radio sellers 5 to 1.
>
> Which is why I will NEVER go to another Hamvention again. (period)
> For the price they charge for admission I DO NOT want to see a flea
> market that is almost 45% computer junk, and worse yet, someone
> selling Beanie Babies(!) I came to Dayton to see RADIO gear. I can
> see computer stuff and Beanie Babies >FOR FREE< at any weekend
> flea market in Florida. I almost wanted to go and demand my admission
> money back, but instead I will just not go next year, or the next, and
> the next one after that. I will miss the camraderie which is one of the
> few good things. Oh well.
>

>> No new/newer HF radios were evident and those being offered
>> were priced ridiculously. $100 more and you got yourself a new radio
>
> These are the "dealers" who go to every hamfest they can, buy up all the
> reasonable priced equipment early, then place it on their table at grossly
> inflated
> prices later in the morning. These are the kinds of *puke-faced slimeballs*
> that are killing hamfests. I hope they took all their overpriced radios
> back home from no-sale, and half of them were damaged in transit enroute.
> That's what these hamfest-bums deserve to have happen to them.
>
>> Kenwood outdid themselves with a beautiful radio that does
>> 2/220/440/6/1.2 and HF. Only problem is..it doesn't exist and the
>> Kenwood people haven't a clue as to when OR OF it will ever be available.
>
> Kenwood Rep told me that It's wating for FCC approval before they can sell
> it.
> He also said to look for a release date (50/50 chance) of October 2000.
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5118. Re: Icom T7A vs W32A, and T81A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lewis Stephens <km5bh@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <WkVX4.2154$Rn4.190321@nnrp3.sbc.net>
Source record: 110382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you drop the satellite use, get the T81A. I don't use the upper and lower end much, but it is nice to have it if you want to try it out. And I heard the thing just underwent a price drop. The quad bander works great and the only thing I dislike about it is the lack of warning when the battery runs down. It just quits.

Lewis

"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:KgQX4.1708$Rn4.151361@nnrp3.sbc.net...
> What if you remove that use? ;) Would you still prefer the W32A?
> Have you done much with the 'upper and lower' bands on that 81A? Work
pretty
> well?
> Thanks for the reply.
>
> "Lewis Stephens" <km5bh@swbell.net> wrote in message
> news:UWPX4.1888$tK3.142602@nnrp1.sbc.net...
> > The W32A will be a better choice if you want to try to work any of the
> > satellites with your HT. The ability to receive both bands at once is
the
> > clincher here.
> >
> > BTW; I have owned all three radios. I have a 81A at the moment.
> >
> > Lewis (KM5BH)
> >
> > "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
> > news:UpfX4.1353$Cx4.192656@nnrp3.sbc.net...
> > > Anyone used both of those? I *loved* my W32A for the while I had it
> before
> > > breaking the thing, and looking for a cheaper-but-equal replacement
for
> > it..
> > > ;)
> > > How do the two differ, besides the dual tuner? I never had any use for
> > that,
> > > which's the only difference (besides the slightly larger size and
about
> > > $100) I've found from the descriptions of the T7A on the internet so
> > far...
> > > Thanks!
> > >
> > > PS. If I were going to spend $280 or so on an HT, why would I want to

> buy
> > > the W32A instead of the quad-band T81A, btw? Questions, questions....
> They
> > > seem to have identical prices from most of the online stores.
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5119. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH! and then some.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gp7pu$t8$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110383

You're right Howie. Like I give a damn how hot or cold it is from Helsinki
to Honolulu and the "Hemorrhoid Brigades" give me a pain in the butt. Add to
this the enlarged prostate group and we encounter nothing but drips.
AF2Y

In article <8govlo11bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L.
Bryant) wrote:

> In article <8gonvpjnf1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com
> says...
>>
>>Howie baby, let me explain. The enforcement crackdown in ham radio seems to
>>have diminished the capacity and willingness of us to discuss anything on
>>the air that might be construed as thought provoking, controversial and
>>stimulating. Now whether Riley contemplated such a thing is mere conjecture
>>but nonethelsss it's occurred and it just plain stinks.
>>
>>By nature, hams are intelligent or are supposed to be, hence just plain so-
>>to- speak "HAM TALK" i.e. electronics mumbo jumbo should be Part OF THE
>>WHOLE instead of the whole WHOLE. Can you think of anything more boring than
>>being limited to palaver about rigs, antennas, linears etc?
>>
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>
> You forgot the weather, and graphic descriptions of various health problems.
>
> Tom - N8ECW
>

5120. AF2Y???????/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: EDMONTON <EDMONTON@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <j1FX4.63553$g62.1009902@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>
Source record: 110417

What do a lot of the posts start with AF2Y?
Is this guy in love with his call?
--
EDDY

5121. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gn6gsrfu1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110418

David J. Windisch <davidw@copper.net> wrote:
>"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>> Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

>>>Those who desire to give up freedom in order to gain security,
>>>will not have, nor do they deserve, either one.
>>>-- Thomas Jefferson

>>The OM was wrong about not giving women the vote, so what makes you
>>believe his statement above is any more correct?

>Yeah, Jeff, and it took Einstein a little longer to correct special
>relativity into general relativity, too.

Not 150 years.

>It's silly to apply late
>coulda-woulda-shoulda to earlier history. Nice non-sequitur in your weak
>syllogism, om.

You apparently can't stand the thought that in light of today's
standards, the writers of the Constitution made some errors. What
might have been seemed correct then is completely out of place today.

>Dave, K3BHJ

5122. Re: Tandy now RadioShack (New logo ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@timewave.com
Message-ID: <8gn6nm$as1$1@newsfeed.minn.net>
Source record: 110419

Hello Dwight. You are right. The post seemed funny at the very end of a long
and very busy day. Upon re-reading it it does come across asf a dig at those
at the shack that don't relly deserve it. If there were a "never-mind"
button I'd hit it now. Best I can do is a simple "Sorry"

Good point.

73

john N0ISL

In article <3927D1F5.92CDF37E@sccoast.net>, stewartx@sccoast.net wrote:
>
>John Douglas wrote:
>>
>> To go along with the new Logo, How about a new slogan
>>
>> "You have questions, we have blank stares"
>
>
> Oh, come on, John. You obviously missed the meaning of that slogan
>("You've got questions. We've got answers."). The products are the
>answers, not anything the employee might say. Why do you think that
>phrase is on their product catalog?
>
> They're talking about these types of questions...
>
> ...Have you got something that can play music?
> ...Do you sell ham radio equipment?
> ...Do you have a microphone for my radio?
> ...Can you show me a color television?
>
> ...to which the employee would answer, "Yes, let me show you..."
>
> They never said they could answer every technical question that came
>along. In fact, they never even said that their employees even knew
>everything about every product they carry (look at the diversity of
>their product line).
>
> While I'm not a big fan of some Radio Shack products, I think attacks
>like yours are a little silly. You call Radio Shack to answer a
>question that YOU don't know the answer to, and then you make fun of
>their employees because THEY don't know the answer. If they're stupid
>for not knowing the answer, what does that make you when you also don't
>know the answer?

>
>
>Dwight Stewart

5123. FS: Old Radio/Electron Tube Books (5): 1929 - 1957

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldbooks78@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000526212526.14508.00000299@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 110420

I currently have for sale the following old radio/electron tube books. Prices include book rate postage (within the US). The books are:

"Elements of Radio Communication" by John Morecroft, published in 1929 by John Wiley and Sons. The 269 page hardbound book is in good condition. There are pencil marks and notes on many pages, as well as notes inside the front and rear covers, but everything is readable and secure. Nicely illustrated throughout, with several photos of old vintage equipment. There is also a small pad of unknown purpose stapled to the first blank end paper. Available for $14.

"Practical Radio Communication; Principles - Systems - Equipment - Operation Including Short-wave and Ultra-short-wave Radio" by Arthur Nilson and J.L. Hornug, published in 1935 by McGraw-Hill. The 758 page book has blue cloth over flexible board covers. In good+ condition. There are some passages underlined in pen in the first 10 pages of the book, otherwise very clean. Nicely illustrated throughout. Available for $15.

"Communication Engineering" by William Littell Everitt, published in 1937 by McGraw-Hill. The 727 page hardbound book is in about fine condition. There is a previous owners name inside the front cover, and a few minor pencil notes on the first blank end page, otherwise very clean. Dark green cloth covers with gold lettering on the spine in particularly nice condition. Available for $13.

"Electronic and Radio Enginering" by Frederick E. Terman, published in 1955. The thick, 1078 page hardbound book is in about very good condition. The pages are generally clean, with no page tears, but with underlines on a few pages, and a previous owners name inside the front cover that is marked out with black marker. Black cloth covers in nice condition, with a strong binding. Lots of good info in this text. Available for $13.

"CBS Electron Tubes and Semiconductors Technician's handbook" first edition, first printing, published in 1957 by CBS-HYTRON. Unnumbered pages, about an inch thick, card covers with a spiral binding. The book covers receiving tubes, picture tubes, crystal diode reference guide, germanium and silicon diodes, silicon power rectifiers, transistors, special purpose tubes, tube type numbering system, use of tube testers, and much more. In very good condition. Available for $15.

If interested in any of the above, please email to "Oldbooks78@aol.com" to reserve. Thanks, and best regards.

Dave

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5124. MFJ multicom software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: john bennett <lx700@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gnaog$5cb$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110421

hi,
i am looking for the terminal software for the MFJ series tnc
i have a MFJ 1278B

if anyone has it, could you zip it and send me a copy?

thank you
john

p.s
If you are looking for it too, please email me.

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5125. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392F2906.AD128E36@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110422

Jeffrey Hermann wrote:

> You apparently can't stand the thought that in light of today's
> standards, the writers of the Constitution made some errors. What
> might have been seemed correct then is completely out of place today.
>

This from a man who for the last few years waged a virtually
unassisted war to defend CW as a useful and necessary mode.

Interesting how we can sometimes be knocked from the helm in our
own tack.

5126. Re: AF2Y???????/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000526223311.05142.00000280@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 110423

>
>What do a lot of the posts start with AF2Y?
>Is this guy in love with his call?
>

Are you kidding? The guy walks around all day wearing a special hat that has a mirror dangling down in front of his face so he can constantly look at himself and kiss the mirror.

Beauty is truly in the eye of the beholder.

5127. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gnecg$7u5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110424

In article <8gmg5dihe1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> Import?

Homebrew! :)

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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5128. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay N4AOX <wyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <392F3966.63A8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> On Mon, 22 May 2000 22:12:45 -0700, "Aaron Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
> wrote:
>
>>
> Reminds me of the doom and gloom predictions that
> slot car racing was going to end the interest in model
> railroading. It didn't happen.
>
> >After all there are many other hobbies that also use old technologies and
> >are still very popular. But I think the ham growth rate of the past will be
> >hard to sustain, if it even can be sustained...
>
>
> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK

When national leaders of special interest groups in amateur radio like NCI are reminded to compare the amateur radio service to strictly self-serving hobbies like slotcar racing or model railroading, then the demise of amateur radio is not far off. When amateur radio loses its broad social value as an auxillary, not-for-profit, robust, message handling system, a training ground for radio communication skills education, a promoter of international good will, then it steps squarely in harms way by the congressional budget cutters and frequency auctioneers.

After all do you want your government spending any money on promoting or protecting self-serving hobbies? There are (or at least were) some socially redeeming hobbies that the ARS should better be compared to: Bee Keeping, Earthworm Growing, Astronomy, Horticulture, Midnight Basketball, etc.

73,
Clay N4AOX

5129. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gnf15$8bc$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110426

In article <392DCE51.CDE9672F@worldnet.att.net>,
PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>
> Franklin had one in the same vein....
>
> Great minds.

I believe you are right...and I have seen the Franklin one.

I did a search for it and came up with this:
http://www.phnet.fi/public/mamaa1/j.htm

But this site could be inaccurate.

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5130. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <392f76df.20813988@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 110427

OK, but what is his stance on Amateur Radio? Or am I confused on
which newsgroup I am posting in? LOL

On Thu, 25 May 2000 20:21:38 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>You talk about chutzpah! Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina takes the cake.
>I just heard he's going to try and tie up and cause the Senate to reject the
>normalization trade bill with Red China. What a myopic creep. Sure, let's
>ignore one billion people who are trying to emerge as a global economic
>power which they will do with or without the U.S.A. Let's allow all that
>trade go to France, England and others. Let's hurt ourselves to appease
>Helmsmanese creeps.
>Now get this: Helms doesn't want to do business with China because of their
>human rights violations. Ha! He's one to talk. The man has suppressed every
>progressive bill to ever go before the Senate. He was and still is an avowed
>segregationist. He's an embarassment to the fine people of North Carolina
>who are overwhelmed by rednecks. And that's exactly what Helms is-a redneck
>worse than a John Rocker could ever be. How amazing a guy like that has so
>much influence in D.C. How disturbing too.
>AF2Y

5131. Re: MFJ multicom software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff B <ka1ogmNOkaSPAM@gis.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <0f62abde.9c8d1b52@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 110428

The software isn't free. Order it at:

http://www.mfjenterprises.com/software/mfj1289.html

In article <8gnaog$5cb$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, john bennett <lx700@my-
deja.com> wrote:
>hi,
> i am looking for the terminal software for the MFJ series tnc
>i have a MFJ 1278B
>
>if anyone has it, could you zip it and send me a copy?
>
>thank you
> john
>
>
>p.s
>If you are looking for it too, please email me.
>
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>

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5132. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...do some thing about it then!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdheath@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8go6ianov1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi there,

To true yes amateur radio has declined. Instead of moaning why not do something worth while to stop the decline.

Over the past few year the ham world has been declining mostly because of this...the internet. The great propaganda tool it holds loads of information about hobbies that are not in the lime light all of the time...amateur radio to name one.

I have registered the domain cq-radio and what I hope to do is to create it in to a major library of information for new amateurs and old ; somewhere where people can easily find information. There is the basic layout of the site already up there and it shows what I hope to offer on-line courses, etc. Please go and visit is and tell me what you think.(sorry for the js error on line 110)

To make cq-radio in to a good site; I can not do this alone and what I want is YOUR help. You don't need tobe a brilliant html programmer with qualifications in java script. If you have some thing to offer then I wanna hear from you...so please e-mail me on the below e-mail address.

rdheath@cq-radio.co.uk

Thanx help me to help the hobby

rdheath

m1 ekq

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5133. www.cq-radio.co.uk

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: RDHeath@cq-radio.co.uk
Message-ID: <8go6pbnqo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
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rdheath@cq-radio.co.uk

Thanx help me to help the hobby

rdheath

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5134. Re: AF2Y on Harrison Mantle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <RuNX4.3711$4X5.6556@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110431

Maybe there's an opening for a retired dentist as the comm op on the
aircraft. You *go*, Doc!

K3BHJ
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gm1j0$2nq$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net...
> The latest news is that when Harrison Youngblood leaves for the Dominican

<SNIP

5135. Re: JESSE HELMS. UGH!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <BGNX4.3752$4X5.6725@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110432

"Howard Watson" <h-watson@pacbell.net> wrote in message
news:392f76df.20813988@news.pacbell.net...
> OK, but what is his stance on Amateur Radio? Or am I confused on
> which newsgroup I am posting in? LOL
>
>
Howard, it's the recdotradiodotamateurdotmisc newsgroup. As for what the
misc
stands, it could be 'most anything. I think it's 'miscreants'.

As always, humor should be left to the pros, so don't laugh until you see
more posts --
or are they ripostes?

73, Dave, K3BHJ.

5136. Re: Better to have 1 antennaa, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Schultz <n0iu@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <dhOX4.11127$g2.113985@news.corecomm.net>
Source record: 110433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello Andrew,

See, you ask 15 hams the same question and you get 15 different, but all good, answers! I won't tell you what kind of antenna to buy or build, but I agree with the concept of getting some sort of HF antenna. Even before I got my first license, I bought a multi-band vertical (Cushcraft R7 - mostly due to $$$ and space limitations). My grandmother always told me, "You have two ears and one mouth. Use them in that proportion!". So I took her advice and did a lot of listening during the months when I was studying theory and code. You will quickly be able to determine which operators have an easy to listen to style and which ones do not. When I did get my license, I tried to emulate the style and mannerisms of those operators that I enjoyed listening to so I wouldn't sound like a total "greenhorn" on the air.

Good luck with whichever antenna you decide to buy/build.

73,
de Scott N0IU

"A 'n' A" <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca> wrote in message
news:392D5A44.978D04F5@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca...
> Hello!
>
> I was looking into buying an antenna in the next little while. As of
> right now, I am entitled to 6m and up, however, I will be starting a
> morse code regimen in the next few months. Does it make more sense to
> purchase an expensive 10 band antenna, and not use most of its
> capability, or would it make more sense to get a cheaper and smaller
> antenna that would handle 6m and 2m, and buy an HF antenna later. More
> than likely, I will be using it with an IC 746 transciever. I will be
> taking my rig to Northern Manitoba (58�N), and the winds can be pretty
> cold and brutal up there, so I'm afraid of toppling tower syndrome :)
>
> Any recommendations? Product recommendations? Thanks!
>
> 73, Andrew
> VE6SCK

5137. Re: subscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqa7e$he2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110184

Susan <net@email.COM.BR> wrote:
>subscribe

That won't work, Susan. To receive rec.radio.amateur.misc by email,
send an email to the command address: listserv@ucsd.edu and write:
subscribe info-hams
and you'll be hooked up. Be forewarned, though -- you'll receive a
single email daily containing all the day's newsgroup articles --
it will be HUGE and a pain in the neck to page through; you can't
skip articles, only page past them. Also, save the Welcome message --
it will contain the instructions for unsubscribing.

73, Jeff KH6O

5138. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqajchqc1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeff Pierce <piercej@preferred.com> wrote:
>My view is that it is a now a
>publishing house that also lobby's for it's publishing's area of
>interest on the side.

Well of course the League is a publishing house. On January 29, 1915, the Connecticut Secretary of State recorded the incorporation of the League under the following three articles:

"Article 1. The name of said corporation shall be The American Radio Relay League Incorporated.
"Article 2. The purposes for which said corporation is formed are the following to wit: The promotion of amateur radio, the organization of amateur radio stations, the promotion and regulation of amateur radio inter-communication, and the relaying of messages from station to station, and the printing and publishing of documents, books and pamphlets necessary to any of the above purposes.
"Article 3. The said corporation is located in the town of Hartford and the State of Connecticut."

Lucky for us that second article includes printing and publishing:
We participate in a self-taught technical hobby/service; not a day should go by without us gaining new knowledge WRT to electronics. The only publications I have always been able to turn to when questions arose which needed immediate answers were the League's pubs.

For some 85 years the ARRL has produced a handbook written so that even a novice can learn and understand from it. The government thought so highly of the Handbook that it was used to train military communicators during WWII. For the longest period, the Handbook was the greatest selling technical book ever published, in and out of ham radio, according to Time Magazine.

During the 50s when SSB was finding its way into ham radio, there was no pub one could turn to to learn about this new mode except the League's SSB Manual. Also during that decade the FCC relaxed the regs regarding mobile operation - no one else published a mobile manual except the League (1955).

To whom could you turn to for the great ideas and techniques that appear in the Hints and Kinks booklets? Propagation and antennas: The Antenna Manual. Who else in the 60s produced a VHF Manual? And when that VHF crowd began exploring FM: The FM and Repeater Manual. The very first book in the 80s devoted to amateur digital comms was the League's Get Connected.

Publishing affordable technical books was one of the original goals in the League's charter; for 85 years they've made information available to the layman that was nearly impossible to find elsewhere. How in the world could you possibly find fault with this business side of the League?

Every ham shack I've ever visited in the last 30 years has had many League pubs on its bookshelves. We are (or at least were) a group with a voracious appetite for reading and learning. Luckily, the League has been able to feed us what we most desired.

Ham radio and reading are inseparable; and it takes a business to do what the League has accomplished.

73, Jeff KH6O

5139. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqb7tida1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110186

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>radiosigs@mindspring.com says...

>>Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
>>in biblical times.

>I would have no problem with this if the police and all of military were armed
>with nothing but stones as well. You and I both know that this isn't going to
>happen.

You'd be speaking German and/or Japanese if our military were armed with
just stones.

Think about why Monday is a holiday, Tom.

5140. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqb2eiav1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Now you've done it! You've said that the ARRL is a publishing company, for
>which Jeff Herman will post his tiresome essay on how it was founded as a
>business/publishing company.

Too late -- already sent. Glad to see you thoroughly study my compositions
and commit them to memory.

>I'd personally take it a step further, to say that the ARRL has a monopoly on
>the amateur radio publishing market. However, I doubt that the government will
>go after them the way they have with Microsoft.

You're apparently not very well read. Tab, 73, CQ -- each published dozens
of amateur-related books.

5141. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3932b12c.3759840@news.usol.com>
Source record: 110188

On Sat, 27 May 2000 23:44:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <8gp8vcbvi1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>> This is gonna make you happy. After Giuliani dropped out of the
>Senate race
>> due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P
>> Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character, Victor
>Laszlo
>> in the film "Casablanca, " Mrs. Clinton, according to the highly
>accurate
>> Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
>> Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000, it
>is in a
>> statistical dead heat.
>> The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the
>great
>> state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by
>and says
>> nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a
>White
>> House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a celebrity
>> grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an
>opportunistic
>> power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead of
>hanging
>> on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public
>office
>> let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our
>next
>> President to be-Al Gore.
>> AF2Y
>>
>Sorry Doc, slightly off Mark again. You see Bill and Hill have what is
>knows as a "open marriage". There from the flower child generation,
>remember?
>
>Second point Doc. Hillary is no fool. She hitched a ride on Bill's
>train way back in college. Knowing full well that she couldnt get as
>far as a man could. Sorry all you femanazi's, but thats the way it
>is. I didn't make it that way.
>
>Third; She is feathering her own nest now. Because Billy is a
>liability now and she will drop him like a lead potatoe.

'POTATO' ... Gee Dan, is your last name Quayle ? I know you're a
REPUBLICAN but do you have to spell like one too ? ;)

>
>NY and Hillary deserve each other.
>
>Dan/W4NTI

5142. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqc4hjej1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110189

In article <39307CF4.C884B827@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey,
> I see that guns are not the only thing you know nothing
>about. Thats a shame.

I know enough to pass the required annual re-qualification on the
M-16, .45, and 12-gauge shotgun.

Semper Paratus,
Jeff

5143. Re: Attention gun lovers: Jeff's Paradox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqcfijip1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110190

David J. Windisch <davidw@copper.net> wrote:
>"The right of the *people* to keep and bear arms",

Wonder why you folks always ignore the preamble to the Second,
"A well regulated Militia..."

It's interesting to note that the US Constitution, Article 1, Section 8, states that the Second Amendment Militia is to be used to execute laws, suppress insurrections, and repel invasions. And you're not left to your own initiative: Not only are you Second Amendment Militia gun-owners under control of the Congress, but also the President (Article 2, Section 2.) You talk about using your guns against the government ("insurrection"), but it's the government who, according to the Constitution, is in charge of your militia. You'd have to violate the Constitution in order to rise up against the government. Heehee -- according to the Constitution, you'd have to suppress the insurrection that you've created! What a paradox.

Jeff

5144. Re: Attention gun lovers: Jeff's Paradox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3930B790.EC506A0E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110191

> Wonder why you folks always ignore the preamble to the Second,
> "A well regulated Militia..."

Because the Supreme Court has said that the right is for the
people. That the Militia IS the People. Not that it's being
ignored. Quite the contrary. It's that it's been specified, and the
right is for the People, individuals, to keep and bear arms.

5145. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqcq0$k2f$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110192

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>...and I see you've only picked one part of my post to respond to, conveniently
>ignoring the part about it being illegal for minors to possess handguns, and
>how long guns have been in our society. You've gotten a little touchy in the
>past when someone has done this to you.
>Mr. Pot, meet Mr. Kettle

Not at all. You won't be able to pull up one single article of mine
from the archives where I've condemned someone for making a comment
on just a portion of a past article I've written. It's expected that
one will parse down an article they're following-up to.

5146. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqd3f$k9e$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110193

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>>In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:

>>> Please, really stop and look at what your advocating. YOU
>>>are advocating taking away not only one of our constitutional
>>>rights, you are advocating removal of one means of insuring that
>>>our government respects the wishes of it's citizens.

>>And if they don't respect your rights, who were you planning on
>>shooting first, Paul? Share with us your assassination list.

>You get an awful lot of exercise by jumping to conclusions, Jeff.

No jumping here. Paul said, "...you are advocating removal of one
means of insuring that our government respects the wishes of it's
citizens." That sounds like Paul is prepared to use a weapon against
our government if they don't respect his wishes.

5147. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqdljknr1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110194

David J. Windisch <davidw@copper.net> wrote:

>WTH is your head?

Don't lose your temper. This is all a game.

>Do you think your assailant will allow you to choose his weapon?

It's unlawful to carry a concealed weapon here, so one shouldn't place himself in a position where he might be endangered.

On the other hand, I need a NOS 6146; have one?

5148. Re: Attention gun lovers: Jeff's Paradox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gqe6j$l9e$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110195

Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Jeff wrote:

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>> "A well regulated Militia..."

> Because the Supreme Court has said that the right is for the
>people. That the Militia IS the People.

Which pulls into play a whole slew of goodies, such as the age limit for the Second's Militia runs from 17 through 44 (US Code). If, as you say, the Militia is the People, then, according to the US Code, someone outside that age range must not be a member of the People. Pretty silly, Peter.

This is getting boring. Go find me a NOS 6146 for my DX-60.

5149. Re: Attention gun lovers: Jeff's Paradox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <w6dkn@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <JI3Y4.1579$xD4.252834@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 110196

"A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed. "

This is so simple and very plain to understand for anyone who understands basic English. The key here is the comma following Militia. In this simple sentence, each thought is separated by a comma, but relate to each other to form a complete thought.

Simply translated, it means that a regulated militia (a formation of the common people for mutual defense) is necessary to guarantee personal freedoms, and that in order for a militia to be formed, the people of the land need to be armed. Therefore, their acknowledged natural right to keep and bear arms is paramount and above any authority created by the formation of the US government.

It should be noted that this right is not granted by the Constitution, it is simply acknowledged and re-confirmed as a natural right which existed prior to, and in spite of, the government which was being formed at the writing of the document.

73 de W6DKN

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5150. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005280714260.1428-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 110197

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> due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P
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> Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
> Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000, it is in a
> statistical dead heat.
> The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the great
> state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by and says
> nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a White
> House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a celebrity
> grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an opportunistic
> power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead of hanging
> on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public office
> let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our next
> President to be-Al Gore.

However, you're forgetting something. Billy-boy has to go to an outside "source" since Hillary was too busy with her girlfriend(s). Remember "Travelgate?" There's more to the relationship than just being a government official or married to one. Their marriage is one more of convenience than anything else.

So, how is this radio related?

5151. Re: Attention gun lovers: Jeff's Paradox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3930DCEF.651FD43E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110198

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >Jeff wrote:
>
> >> Wonder why you folks always ignore the preamble to the Second,
> >> "A well regulated Militia..."
>
> > Because the Supreme Court has said that the right is for the
> >people. That the Militia IS the People.
>
> Which pulls into play a whole slew of goodies, such as the age
> limit for the Second's Militia runs from 17 through 44 (US Code).
> If, as you say, the Militia is the People, then, according to
> the US Code, someone outside that age range must not be a member
> of the People. Pretty silly, Peter.
>

You're logic is flawed. The Second Amendment is the right of the people, individuals, to keep and bear arms. There is no Second Amendment Militia. The Amendment refers to the right of the people to keep and bear arms for the creation of an well regulated, that is to say, well equipped and proficent body of defenders. But it doesn't specify terms or qualifications.

The body to which you refer is a specific body created for the purpose of defense. But participation in that body does not affect the right of the people to keep and bear arms. The Second Amendment does not create such a body. Nowhere in its text does it do so. It only reaffirms that the right of the people to keep and bear arms is not infringed. Specifications of the body in question do not limit therefore the right of the people to keep and bear arms.

Yes it is boring, Jeff. You keep specifying the qualifications of the Second Amendment Militia, and there is no such thing.

5152. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 fan!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3930E736.4AE67D2D@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110199

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <3931079b.249604523@news.mindspring.com>, Johnny@mindspring.com
> wrote:
>
> >That callsign is the property of the government,
>
> Nonsense. Unless something's a registered trademark, it can be used
> in any legal application.

To use someone's identification as your own is not a legal application.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5153. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3930E6DF.CD9BC0AC@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110200

Johnny wrote:
>
> On Sat, 27 May 2000 20:54:28 -0400, Dwight Stewart
> <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
>
> > Can the person do anything about it? I suggest that he do exactly
> >what he would do if any other identification was stolen - contact law
> >enforcement officials.
> >
> >
> >Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
> >
> >http://www.qsl.net/w5net
>
> You're nuts. Contact the law and say someones using my call on Usenet
> and they would laugh you out of town. Get a life, dimwit.

With the interest that law enforcement is showing towards the internet
today, I would not be so quick to say that. Many communities are trying
to figure out how to fit the existing laws to the internet. Therefore,
I doubt they would dismiss a complaint that quickly.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5154. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3930EAB4.A2E710C5@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110201

Osama/bin/login wrote:
>
> It's not discrimination. They are performing an act that doesn't just
> include them. If you and I are in a room and you light up and smoke,
> then WE are BOTH smoking; I have NO choice in the matter, but to inhale
> your waste gasses. NO thanks.

If I'm walking down the street, and you're driving by, you're performing an act that doesn't just include you. Everyone inhales the "waste gasses" of the automobile, but I don't see you raising hell about automobiles.

But that's okay - you drive cars and don't smoke. So one form of "waste gasses" is acceptable to you and another is not. So, in your opinion, you have a right to pollute and the cigarette smoker does not. Selective civil rights.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5155. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <EH6Y4.4815$4X5.12617@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110202

WTH = wheretheheck. NOS 6146? It's hollow-state technology, like that
which produced the inanities below.
K3BHJ

****

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8gqdljknr1@news.hawaii.edu...
>
> Don't lose your temper. This is all a game.
>
>
> It's unlawful to carry a concealed weapon here, so one shouldn't place
> himself in a position where he might be endangered.
>
> On the other hand, I need a NOS 6146; have one?

5156. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5lz <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39310635.7E08799F@oio.net>
Source record: 110203

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Jeffrey,
Mercy, does that make you an appliance operator?
'Doc
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5157. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...dAFf2Y duck quacked about it !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <hD7Y4.4850$4X5.12881@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110204

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> (dAFf2Y duck) quacked in message
news:8gp9omrho1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...

<SNIP

Damn hypocrites. I'll bet 95% of U.S. hamdom got
> tickets thanks to MEMORIZATION. Hell, they should have given you the Hiram
> Percy Maxim Award if such a thing exists and furthermore they should have
> given that old dude an award before he croaked for having gone through
life
> with the name Hiram Percy Maxim.
> AF2Y
>
>SNIP

Re *Damn* hypocrites: please enlighten us in East Flyover as to whether you
are using the four-letter word as an imperative, an adjective, an adverb, or
whatever. It may need some more letters, depending on your intentions
toward hypocrites.
*****
Thank goodness 95 per cent of the MDs used MEMORIZATION to pass their boards
... maybe the other 5 per cent subverted the review board members. *What
else* does one do with long lists of stuff, eg, bones in the body,
regulations, or formulae: E
equals EYE times (multiplied by, if you prefer) ARE. Which group are you
in, dAFf2Y duck, the memorizers, or the other?
*****
The late T.O.M. can weather another gratuitous big quaaaaaaaaaaaaaack
attaaaaaaaaaaaaack aimed at his distinguished name. Humor should be left
to the experts.

I wonder if dAFf2Y duck has ever searched any of the Maxim family's patents.
Would dAFf2Y duck be quiet after his search?

As you were, dAFf2Y. Your quack. Bubble it through some of that bathwater
about which you are so knowledgeable and conversant.

K3BHJ.

5158. Re: AF2Y???????/ dAFf2Y?????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <OJ7Y4.4851$4X5.12827@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110205

dAFf2Y doc (pronounced "duck", whatever), I love your call too.

Your quack. As you were.

K3BHJ.

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<radiosigs@mindspring.com>(dAFf2Y doc quacked) wrote in message
news:8gomb0$e35$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> You're damn right Eddy. What's yours?
>
> ----------
> In article <j1FX4.63553$g62.1009902@news1.rdc1.ab.home.com>, "EDMONTON"
> <EDMONTON@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
>
> > What do a lot of the posts start with AF2Y?
> > Is this guy in love with his call?
> > --
> > EDDY
> >
> >
> >
> > _____
> >
> >

5159. FREE Spectrum Analyser Program Kenwood FT920 PCR1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Campbell <mm5agm@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Z49Y4.7624$F31.930219@news3.cableinet.net>
Source record: 110206
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi and thanks for reading this.
I have written a Spectrum Analyser program (free) for the Yaesu FT920, Icom PCR1000, and Kenwood. It will run on any PC with Win95 or above. Of the Kenwoods' it's only known to work with TS 570, TS850 and TS870 so far.
Download via new homepage at http://www.mm5agm.pwp.blueyonder.co.uk
If you have a Kenwood and try the program, could you let me know the model number of the Kenwood and the result?
Colin MM5AGM

5160. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI/AE <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.139add47632efec5989937@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 110207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <T6VX4.71094$55.562568@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>,
jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org says...
> You better go back to school!!
>
> The attendance record was over 30,000, nearly double your estimate.
>
> On the other hand, an insurance company might recognize your
> estimatation skills and hire you handle accident claims!!
>
>
> "hortatory HF discourse" <permianlou@aol.com> wrote
> > Did my college Internship with the US Park Service in the mid-80's.
> > Part of what I did was crowd estimates in Washington DC. I would
> > roughly estimate Dayton's attendence at 16K.

Not even close to 30k. I've been to Dayton (this is my 11th)when you
couldn't even walk inside (on a nice day). The parking lots outside the
arena weren't even close to having the number of cars from last year
alone. Inside vendors like R&L and HRO said the same thing. My hotel,
normally filled had 50 rooms available for walk in check-in.

There were more people when the event was held in April. The change to
May did wonders for the weather (at least it doesn't SNOW anymore), but
there are so many time conflicts for everyone in May.

If 30k people were there, then how does one explain why so many outside
vendors left Saturday? I'd say there were probably more than the
unofficial estimate but way under 30k. The best people to talk to was
the food vendors. According to 3 of them, they had WAYYYY too much food
for the number of people, even factoring in the fact that the pricing was
outrageous.

It may not have stunk on ice, but it certainly was not in the top 5.

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DX= FCC rules DO NOT prohibit the inclusion of any
type of reimbursement for postage, nor does it make
illegal any voluntary donation that the sender wishes
to include

Repeaters= The FCC recognizes the right of individuals
and organizations to maintain close repeaters and
DOES NOT make it a crime to allow cited examples from
collecting monetary funds to maintain these operations

5161. Re: Better to have 1 antenna, or several single band?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: A 'n' A <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca>
Message-ID: <39313019.777BC24A@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca>
Source record: 110208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello again,

To everyone who responded - thank you. I think what I may do is pick up a Cushcraft Multidirectional Yagi. There is one that is a 6m/2m/70 cm tribander. It sounds like it isn't cheap ($285.00 CDN) from a compant called "NTF", in Calgary, Alberta. For the HF bands, I will try to build some verical dipoles, and do lots of listening, as I work on my HF qual. Apparantly, that particular Yagi is light enough to be able to use a simple Radio Shack rotator. If any Canucks out there know of any cheaper Canadian dealers, I'd sure appreciate to hera from them. With the GST, duty, and exchange, it becomes too costly to import from the U.S. Once again, thanks to all!

73, Andrew
VE6SCK

5162. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <39312139.3FA3@some.net>
Source record: 110209

w5lz wrote:

> Let me ask you this, what difference does it make if the
> gun were registered, or not? You can NOT buy guns like they
> were bubble-gum, now, any where in this country.

Oh? I can take you to several flea markets where you can buy all guns
you want, just put down the cash and no questions asked.

5163. NEW KENWOOD HF-1.2 GHZ RADIO WEBSITE !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000528105727.04615.00000675@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 110210

GO to http://www.usol.com/~gdn/new05.jpg

5164. Scanner squelch to activate relay???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Barnawell <awarren233@freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <%3bY4.5299$VO2.136125@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110211

I need some info on using a Realistic pro-2025 16 channel scanner to activate a relay when the squelch is opened..... I want to use the scanner as a receiver on a remote base to key my 6 meter ham radio when the scanner receives a signal on the 440 mhz ham radio band.....Can anyone give me some information on this? I have been unable to find a schematic on the 2025 and I have been told that when the squelch opens there will be voltage come up on a pin inside the scanner..... Any ideas of how I might find that pin when I do not have a schematic? I am also open for any other advice on this subject.....
Thank you,
Dan (N4YSV)

5165. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <8933B870D8853E9F.559BBDD90A93B98D.044B19426CA2DE81@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110212

My favorite characterization of Hillary was a political cartoon in the newspaper.....

BillyBob had his arms out, eyes closed and lips puckered for a big kiss in Hillary's direction. Hillary had her arms out, lips puckered and walked right on by him to hold and kiss the Presidential Seal.

I think that cartoon was, probably, the closest characterization of the First Ladybug ever printed, don't you?

Larry

On Sat, 27 May 2000 15:51:34 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>This is gonna make you happy. After Giuliani dropped out of the Senate race
>due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P
>Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character, Victor Laszlo
>in the film "Casablanca, " Mrs. Clinton, according to the highly accurate
>Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
>Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000, it is in a
>statistical dead heat.
>The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the great
>state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by and says
>nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a White
>House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a celebrity
>grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an opportunistic
>power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead of hanging
>on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public office
>let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our next
>President to be-Al Gore.
>AF2Y

5166. Kenwood TL-922A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Porky <pigsty@mpinet.net>
Message-ID: <sj2i9p125pj12@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110213

Does anyone have a schematic for a TL-922A? I have a friend that bought 1 used and it came with no manual or schematic. Please e-mail me @ pigsty@mpinet.net I will forward info in person to my friend. Thanks in advance for any and all help....."Porky" KA4ZSG

5167. Re: training school 14313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <>
Message-ID: <qui2jsop192fs87bplb3k8f24it7s6t6g6@4ax.com>
Source record: 110214

On Fri, 26 May 2000 18:18:27 GMT, "herbie baby is #1"
<greenobean@gulfbre.com> wrote:

DNS lookup of IP address '63.28.250.141' resolves to server:

1Cust141.tnt7.cherry-hill.nj.da.uu.net

5168. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8grkjj$u64$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110215

In article <8gqdljknr1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> It's unlawful to carry a concealed weapon here, so one shouldn't place
> himself in a position where he might be endangered.

Sounds good on paper; however, the part that is not in your (or my)
control, is the fact that the criminal who DOES carry may (and does)
put you in a position where you ARE endangered. That's the whole POINT.

Nice areas of town where I live (on the mainland), are fertile grounds
where a concealed handgun and a criminal will terminate you where you
stand. NO exceptions. AND in PUBLIC.

"Gimee your wallet. BAM!!!"

End of story.

I don't have time to DISCUSS with someone who is walking in a parking
lot, down the sidewalk, or just hops off a bus. It happens, and FAST.

If he doesn't know if I'm carrying or not, THAT is a HUGE deterrent,
moreover, other people within eyesight that witness the crime may be
able to take him out, even though it cost me my life. It's not much, but
it beats the hell out of being unarmed.

Your sentence above makes it sound like it's YOUR (or MY) fault if we
get attacked.

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5169. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8grljlutc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110216

In article <3930EAB4.A2E710C5@sccoast.net>,
stewartx@sccoast.net wrote:

Driving is not a right. It is a privelege. He was using an example
of discrimination against smokers as being an analogy to the RIGHT
to bear arms. Apples and oranges.

I agree with your point about cars; however, I live in a society
where a car trip is a necessity to get to work (no public
transportation), whereas smoking is NOT essential.

Not quite the same.

If I walk into a crowded restaurant with a jambox and am blasting some
kind of obnoxious music that is irritating to the majority of the
patrons, I will be asked to leave. But it's OK to pollute those same
patrons air (a biological function necessary to support life).

One has more "weight" in an essential manner, but has less "weight"
socially.

What you are talking about is what society will/will not TOLERATE.

Not actual RIGHTS.

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5170. Re: Scanner squelch to activate relay???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8grlst$v0d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110217

In article <%3bY4.5299$VO2.136125@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Dan Barnawell" <awarren233@freewwweb.com> wrote:
> I need some info on using a Realistic pro-2025 16 channel scanner to
> activate a relay when the squelch is opened..... I want to use the
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> as a receiver on a remote base to key my 6 meter ham radio when the
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> receives a signal on the 440 mhz ham radio band.....Can anyone give
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> some information on this? I have been unable to find a schematic on
the 2025
> and I have been told that when the squelch opens there will be
voltage come
> up on a pin inside the scanner..... Any ideas of how I might find
that pin
> when I do not have a schematic? I am also open for any other advice
on this
> subject.....
> Thank you,
> Dan (N4YSV)
>
>
Back in days gone by I built a few repeaters. I would simply find a
hi/lo voltage by activating the squelch . When this point was found I
did some fudge factor hooking up. Basically if the the voltage goes
high when squelch is opened you will need a flip flop gate to control a
relay. This will flip the high to a low. Hook a relay there and go
for it.

Check a handbook from the 70 or even 80s under "COR CIRCUITS" Carrier
operated relay under repeaters.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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5171. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8grm2t$v9o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110218

In article <3932b12c.3759840@news.usol.com>,
mundyusa1@netscape.net (Steve) wrote:
> On Sat, 27 May 2000 23:44:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
>
> >In article <8gp8vcbvi1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
> > "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> >> This is gonna make you happy. After Giuliani dropped out of the
> >Senate race
> >> due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a
G.O.P
> >> Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character,
Victor
> >Laszlo
> >> in the film "Casablanca, " Mrs. Clinton, according to the highly
> >accurate
> >> Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
> >> Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000,
it
> >is in a
> >> statistical dead heat.
> >> The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the
> >great
> >> state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by
> >and says
> >> nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a
> >White
> >> House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a
celebrity
> >> grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an
> >opportunistic
> >> power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead
of
> >hanging
> >> on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public
> >office
> >> let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our
> >next
> >> President to be-Al Gore.
> >> AF2Y
> >>
> >Sorry Doc, slightly off Mark again. You see Bill and Hill have what
is
> >knows as a "open marriage". There from the flower child generation,
> >remember?

> >
> >Second point Doc. Hillary is no fool. She hitched a ride on Bill's
> >train way back in college. Knowing full well that she couldnt get as
> >far as a man could. Sorry all you femanazi's, but thats the way it
> >is. I didn't make it that way.
> >
> >Third; She is feathering her own nest now. Because Billy is a
> >liability now and she will drop him like a lead potatoe.
>
> ----------------
>
> 'POTATO' ... Gee Dan, is your last name Quayle ? I know you're a
> REPUBLICAN but do you have to spell like one too ? ;)
>
> >
> >NY and Hillary deserve each other.
> >
> >Dan/W4NTI
>
>
Sorry I missed my remedial spelling class in the sixties. I was too
busy fighting a democratics war.

Dan/W4NTI

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"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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5172. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8grm56vab1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110219

I should also add that Clint Eastwood, when he was Mayor of a small town, made pistachio ice cream ILLEGAL. Pistachio ice cream is not a RIGHT.

I know this is silly, but if you were caught eating it in town, there was a fine for doing so. I don't know about any fines for mere possession. Clint just palin didn't like it...kind of like Bush, broccoli, and the White House.

I'll try and find some info on this.

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5173. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <w6dkn@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <qBcY4.2175$xD4.362124@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 110220

"JR" <jr@some.net> wrote in message news:39312139.3FA3@some.net...

>
> Oh? I can take you to several flea markets where you can buy all guns
> you want, just put down the cash and no questions asked.
>

You can do that in any state, even L.A. CA, but it's not a "flea market", unless you call the parking lots around East LA and Watts "flea markets". The same guys selling the guns are also selling the crack, etc.

You imply that you know of legitimate "flea markets" where you can buy "all the guns you want". If this is true, please cite the specifics such as date, time, organizers of record, and maybe a publication where the event is advertised. (But don't be surprised if the "sellers" are undercover ATF agents doing a "reverse sting")

The fact that criminals are dealing in firearms on the street corner is nothing new, but illegal trafficking in guns is a result of the liberal groups such as the ACLU, NAACP, etc. who constantly restrain the courts, and police departments from enforcing existing laws against certain groups of persons, and it is these groups of persons who are doing the vast majority of illegal trafficking - be it guns, drugs, stolen cars, jewelry etc.

Look at any of the TV shows like Cops, the documentaries on the Discover Channel, or read the newspapers. Start counting the number of gun related incidents and classify the incidents by race and age. If you do, you'll find that it's obvious that there's not a gun problem, but a "people problem" in certain segments of society.

But the liberals in government will never go after the root cause of the problem because they are too busy courting these "groups" for votes at election time. To take any real action at controlling the "gun crime problem" would mean that they would have to target specific elements of society, and that would guarantee being branded a racist or bigot by all the liberal defense groups.

73 de W6DKN

5174. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <39315a23.22677431@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 110221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

5175. HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: PopTician <zootv@erols.com>
Message-ID: <39315C2B.27B850B5@erols.com>
Source record: 110222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi, I haven't run HF mobile for a few months, and in the time I've been off the air I had the 60,000 mile maintenance check on my car. Before the car went in, I had 1-3 s units of noise coming from the car. Now the noise is 20 over, and the noise blanker on my IC-706 isn't doing the job. I looked at the the receipt from the dealer, and they did change the spark plugs. Looks like everything else they did was changing gaskets, fluids, and belts. I suspect its the spark plugs. Any other suggestions as to what may be the causing the increased noise? It seems to get much worse when you acclerate and then switch quickly to the brake (like when trying to find a parking spot at the mall). If it is the spark plugs, how do I solve the problem? Rig is an IC-706, High Sierra HS-1500, RG-8x.
Thanks,
Mike

5176. For Sale HW-16

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: North Georgia Web Designs <ngwd@flash.net>
Message-ID: <NadY4.47$CH4.4175@news.flash.net>
Source record: 110223
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I received in a trade a HW-16. I have no idea if the CW Transmitter is working or not - I have not hooked it up at all. I do have the manual to go with the transmitter. If your interested the transmitter is sold AS-IS. And buyer pays for shipping.
Price is $85.00 + Shipping. Transmitter is in excellent cosmetic condition.

Email if interested.

73 Daniel KC4OXP
ngwd@flash.net

5177. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...dAFf2Y duck quacked about it !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8groli$pa0$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110224

Hey Windbag, what are you so grumpy about? Seems to me you need either a
good meal or a good laxative. For heaven's sake, my point is that the guy
was stabbed for providing a memorization course which would have increased
the numbers in ham radio exactly as Bash does. You don't have to get all
bent out of shape over the truth. If you feel irritated, go let it out on
the guy who was canned, not on me who supports him. In the meantime go eat a
can of Heinz beans, sit in the tub and bite the bubbles. It'll be the first
worthwhile thing you've done in May.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <hD7Y4.4850$4X5.12881@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch"
<davidw@copper.net> wrote:

>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> (dAFf2Y duck) quacked in message
> news:8gp9omrho1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net...
>
> <SNIP
>
> Damn hypocrites. I'll bet 95% of U.S. hamdom got
>> tickets thanks to MEMORIZATION. Hell, they should have given you the Hiram
>> Percy Maxim Award if such a thing exists and furthermore they should have
>> given that old dude an award before he croaked for having gone through
> life
>> with the name Hiram Percy Maxim.
>> AF2Y
>>
>>SNIP
>
> Re *Damn* hypocrites: please enlighten us in East Flyover as to whether you
> are using the four-letter word as an imperative, an adjective, an adverb, or
> whatever. It may need some more letters, depending on your intentions
> toward hypocrites.
> *****
> Thank goodness 95 per cent of the MDs used MEMORIZATION to pass their boards
> ... maybe the other 5 per cent subverted the review board members. *What
> else* does one do with long lists of stuff, eg, bones in the body,
> regulations, or formulae: E
> equals EYE times (multiplied by, if you prefer) ARE. Which group are you
> in, dAFf2Y duck, the memorizers, or the other?
> *****
> The late T.O.M. can weather another gratuitous big quaaaaaaaaaaaaaack
> attaaaaaaaaaaaaack aimed at his distinguished name. Humor should be left
> to the experts.

>
> I wonder if dAFf2Y duck has ever searched any of the Maxim family's patents.
> Would dAFf2Y duck be quiet after his search?
>
> As you were, dAFf2Y. Your quack. Bubble it through some of that bathwater
> about which you are so knowledgeable and conversant.
>
> K3BHJ.
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5178. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Johnson <Jon.Johnson@Telocity.com>
Message-ID: <393164CF.EDC09815@Telocity.com>
Source record: 110225

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
> in biblical times.

Whoever you are you have your head so far up your ass you couldn't
recognize reality.

5179. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <393144E8.12B3@rpi.edu>
Source record: 110226

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> It's unlawful to carry a concealed weapon here, so one shouldn't place
> himself in a position where he might be endangered.

What kind of strange statement is this? Do you mean to imply that
people can protect themselves from crime simply by choosing to avoid it?
While some common-sense precautions are prudent and should be taken,
it's ridiculous to suggest that one can immunize themselves from
becoming a crime victim entirely through changes in their own behavior
and habits. For example: Should all convenience stores just close up
shop to prevent the possibility of a hold-up?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

5180. Vote on who sounds more stupid!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anon <anonymous@cotse.com>
Message-ID: <200005281900.PAA23502@cotse.com>
Source record: 110227

AF2YBites@HerbieBaby.org

Cast your Memorial Day
weekend ballot now! The
poll question is:

Who sounds the stupidist
on the air?

[ ] WA4KBX
[ ] KD5TA

The winner will go
head-to-head against Fred Roll in the finals!

Good Luck!

5181. Re: Vote on who sounds more stupid!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfcommsys@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000528151313.05106.00000469@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 110228

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>Cast your Memorial Day
>weekend ballot now! The
>poll question is:
>
>Who sounds the stupidist
>on the air?
>
>[ ] WA4KBX
>[ ] KD5TA
>

[x] WA9KJI
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5182. Red Panty Man Debuts On 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfcommsys@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000528152805.05106.00000474@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 110229

FLASH: The Red Panty Man got naked and unwound on 3950 during the Liberty Net last night! Apparently realizing the FCC's dismal record of nabbing unidentified jammers, the "downtown boy-hunting" Red Panty Man let loose with his song of perverted love, attempting to jam the Liberty Net.

Now, I am NOT defending the Red Panty Man ... I think all jammers, especially unidentified ones, are cowardly scum. And, for the most part, I do like the Liberty Net and sympathize with them for having to endure jamming every single time they get on the air. However, if the Red Panty Man (or anyone else) is going to jam the Liberty Net, they could at least do us all a favor and limit their jamming to K4GAR's boring, predictable, worthless, incredibly long monologues!

Sheesh!

5183. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8grv2e$5bu$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110230

In article <393144E8.12B3@rpi.edu>,
"Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:

> What kind of strange statement is this? Do you mean to imply that
> people can protect themselves from crime simply by choosing to avoid
it?
> While some common-sense precautions are prudent and should be taken,
> it's ridiculous to suggest that one can immunize themselves from
> becoming a crime victim entirely through changes in their own behavior
> and habits. For example: Should all convenience stores just close up
> shop to prevent the possibility of a hold-up?

Professor: This is not necessarily aimed at you.

The problem I see in other countries, states, etc. is that YES this is some of the mindset that will be FORCED down your throat. In Australia, the Prime Minister said something along the lines of "self-defense is no reason to own a gun". (not an exact quote; I will try and find it). Subsequently after REGISTRATION came CONFISCATION.

Now, I hear as much as an 80% increase in gun violence.

The fact that a kid shoots his teacher is unthinkable. But just because under 50 people are victims of these inexplicable tragedies doesn't mean that MILLIONS are to be left with no option for (deadly) defense.

Restrictions on law abiding countrymen is akin to AF2Y's buddy seeing an osteopath for his life-threatening HEART condition. Yes it is a valiant effort, but it is in VAIN, without any payoff.

Once, in college, I had my rifle and shotgun stolen from my vehicle. One day, a local detective called me on the phone and asked me to appear and identify if these were my weapons. They were, but I couldn't leave with the shotgun because they had to destroy it since it had been sawed off (no, not by me). They recovered my weapons in a drug raid, and my rifle was wrapped in camouflage cloth, and was loaded with hollow point bullets (no, not by me). I got to keep the rifle and hollow point rounds.

Point is, is that we have laws to try and keep things on a respectable level. But the LAWS DON'T WORK. What was confiscated along with my rifle and shotgun were ROCKET LAUNCHERS. Standing up against the wall were rocket launchers. Live ones. Aren't these illegal? Aren't they hard to obtain? Hard to transport? Expensive? Tracked by the maufacturer and buyer (military)? Essentially REGISTERED?

Yet, there they were. No LAW is going to prevent the black market from it doing what it does best.

PS: I tried to leave with a few launchers, but the friendly detective wouldn't have any of that. I thought they might come in handy during rush hour.... =)

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5184. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Cunningham <wb5hak@texhoma.net>
Message-ID: <8grtja$1cc$1@ionews.ionet.net>
Source record: 110231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

They probably did not put resistor plugs back during your "update". Non
resistor plugs are very noisy.
73,
Don, WB5HAK
"PopTician" <zootv@erols.com> wrote in message
news:39315C2B.27B850B5@erols.com...
>
> Hi, I haven't run HF mobile for a few months, and in the time I've been
> off the air I had the 60,000 mile maintenance check on my car. Before
> the car went in, I had 1-3 s units of noise coming from the car. Now
> the noise is 20 over, and the noise blanker on my IC-706 isn't doing the
> job. I looked at the the receipt from the dealer, and they did change
> the spark plugs. Looks like everything else they did was changing
> gaskets, fluids, and belts. I suspect its the spark plugs. Any other
> suggestions as to what may be the causing the increased noise? It seems
> to get much worse when you acclerate and then switch quickly to the
> brake (like when trying to find a parking spot at the mall). If it is
> the spark plugs, how do I solve the problem? Rig is an IC-706, High
> Sierra HS-1500, RG-8x.
> Thanks,
> Mike
>
>
>

5185. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rudy Marcelletti, K8SWD" <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <39317ad7$0$1414$44a10c7e@news.net-link.net>
Source record: 110232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Check to see if the plugs that were replaced are resistor plugs (what you likely had in the engine before the check). If not--take it back to them because likely resistor plugs are specified for your engine. The dealers charge an arm and a leg or two for spark plugs. You should have changed them out yourself with some good resistor plugs. If the dealer put in resistor plugs, you may now be in need of new spark plug wires, because the may now be leaking. It may not be a plug related problem at all. See if noise is there with the antenna disconnected. If it is, it is line noise and you can filter it out. If noise is gone when antenna disconnected, you need to "sniff" to locate the source and eliminate it there.
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> Thanks,
> Mike
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>

5186. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Kane <k2ane@home.com>
Message-ID: <kvfY4.206118$bm.1206647@news1.alsv1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 110233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I was surprised to hear of the 30,000 figure. In the past I always heard the numbers were in the high 30's and low 40's. I guess it depends upon whose PR you listen to.

As for the April/May change. I always liked going in April. It was sort of a right of spring, signalling the end of winter and the beginning of what every ham's fancy turns to, the outdoors and radio. I believe May is a more complex time to go, especially when the little ol' lady is making her plans.

I hope someday the people at Hara's Arena invest some capital and increase the physical plant. Its getting to difficult to be a greying old geezer and muddling through throngs 12 feet deep or more. Hey Dayton, take a hint!! I don't think its a tradition to be packed in like sardines and wax rhapsodically about it. The flea market is the best though. I liked it when Kenwood was outside under a tent. The ham population is getting older. I guess the internet will ultimately become a virtual hamfest and the Daytons will wane.

And so it goes....

5187. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Noel, The Great Loser" <noel@buffbody.com>
Message-ID: <39318850.B43F0F7@buffbody.com>
Source record: 110234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: noel.vcf

They most likly took out the resister type spark plugs
and replaced them with "high performance" no resister
spark plugs. Many cars have resistor spark plugs
as OEM. Check your manual or look it up in the
book at K-Mart or many local stores. If that is what
they did, take the car back and insist that they install
the correct plugs.

If all else fails, you can install the resister type
spark plug wires.

Noel N2FAV

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> Sierra HS-1500, RG-8x.
> Thanks,
> Mike

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From:

Mr. Noel E. Spears;
webmaster, cook, floor sweeper,
complainer, and bottle washer at
http://www.wheelchair.org/

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

5188. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Noel, The Great Loser" <noel@buffbody.com>
Message-ID: <3931887B.5DDBD04D@buffbody.com>
Source record: 110235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: noel.vcf

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[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

5189. New US ham tests for Palm computers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob M." <none@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <sj3319gb5pj104@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110236

All Palm OS users

Need to study for the new tests? I finally had the chance to convert the -new- US ham radio test question pools so that I could read them on my Palm IIIxe handheld computer. They're the same stuff found on the ARRL's question pool web page, just converted to the Palm DOC format. You'll need a doc reader such as CSpotRun.

For the other Palm OS users out there, if you want to study the question pool but can't haul a lot of paper around (the General test question pool is 70 pages long, Extra is 120 pages), this is what you need.

http://www.tibpriors.org/hamtests.htm

5190. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gs1jp03087@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110237

In article <8gqb7tida1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>radiosigs@mindspring.com says...
>
>>>Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
>>>in biblical times.
>
>>I would have no problem with this if the police and all of military were
armed
>>with nothing but stones as well. You and I both know that this isn't going to
>>happen.
>
>You'd be speaking German and/or Japanese if our military were armed with
>just stones.
>
>Think about why Monday is a holiday, Tom.

I fully intend to do that. However, May 4, 1970 is what I had in mind when I
wrote that.

Tom - N8ECW

5191. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gs1q413087@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8gqb2eiav1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>Now you've done it! You've said that the ARRL is a publishing company, for
>>which Jeff Herman will post his tiresome essay on how it was founded as a
>>business/publishing company.
>
>Too late -- already sent. Glad to see you thoroughly study my compositions
>and commit them to memory.

Be careful not to pull a muscle while patting yourself on the back.

>
>>I'd personally take it a step further, to say that the ARRL has a monopoly on
>>the amateur radio publishing market. However, I doubt that the government
will
>>go after them the way they have with Microsoft.
>
>You're apparently not very well read. Tab, 73, CQ -- each published dozens
>of amateur-related books.

Maybe at one time, but the last time I was at AES in Cleveland, about 80% of
the books were ARRL publications. Looks like a monopoly to me.

Tom - N8ECW

5192. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gs2bi23087@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110239

In article <8gqd3f$k9e$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>>>In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>
>>>> Please, really stop and look at what your advocating. YOU
>>>>are advocating taking away not only one of our constitutional
>>>>rights, you are advocating removal of one means of insuring that
>>>>our government respects the wishes of it's citizens.
>
>>>And if they don't respect your rights, who were you planning on
>>>shooting first, Paul? Share with us your assassination list.
>
>>You get an awful lot of exercise by jumping to conclusions, Jeff.
>
>No jumping here. Paul said, "...you are advocating removal of one
>means of insuring that our government respects the wishes of it's
>citizens." That sounds like Paul is prepared to use a weapon against
>our government if they don't respect his wishes.

He's not saying anything different from what was said in 1789.

If the people wish not to be murdered and imprisoned for speaking out against government policy, they've every right to use weapons against the government, because the government certainly isn't respecting their wishes.

Tom - N8ECW

5193. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joeamp@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gs55o$4dq$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110240

Dan/W4NTI wrote in message <
> >NY and Hillary deserve each other.

Why do you say that, New York is the cleanest and safest its been in 35+ years.
All the trouble makers are playing basketball at the Rikers Hilton, garbage barges and old Staten Island ferrys.
Those animals go crazy and climb up the bars and fences screaming and looking at my girlfriend in the bikini when
we pass them 1/4 mile in the boat to acess the city water's.

Giuliani did what everyone thaught was impossibe in a short amount of time.
You like the carpet bagger/muncher fine, its your omendment right but no need to put down the whole city and state.

Sorry folks, If anyone want to flame me please use Email and spare the NG.

5194. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3931A32E.8B03BC27@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110241

> >>I'd personally take it a step further, to say that the ARRL has a monopoly on
> >>the amateur radio publishing market. However, I doubt that the government
> will
> >>go after them the way they have with Microsoft.
> >
> >You're apparently not very well read. Tab, 73, CQ -- each published dozens
> >of amateur-related books.
>
> Maybe at one time, but the last time I was at AES in Cleveland, about 80% of
> the books were ARRL publications. Looks like a monopoly to me.
>
> Tom - N8ECW

Ahem. The Amateur Radio Toy Store has all ICOM product on
display, too. I'd hardly call ICOM a monopoly for it.

What a store chooses to carry is determined by many things.
Contractual obligations, preferences of the management, profit
margin, sales figures all influences what's on the shelves. Many
items are excluded despite a demand for them.

You know, ou can only find Mr Pibb in the Burger Kings in the
suburban areas of Chicago, and NOT Dr Pepper. Not because Mr Pibb is
so much better. It's not. Not because it outsells Dr Pepper, it
doesn't. But because it's a Coca Cola product, taking Mr Pibb allows
better rates on Coca Cola purchases.

(Although I will say that the strategy doesn't work so well for
the Coke only stores. Many have switched to real Dr Pepper because
of competive pressures from Arby's usually in the same block.)

80% ARRL books on the shelves of a store, or a group, doesn't
indicate the breadth of ham books out there. The choices are wide
and deep, as my own collection reflects.

5195. Re: FCC is cool!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Kennedy <skennedy5@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <_DhY4.7670$TZ2.246538@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110242
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sounds rather more like C- to me. Perhaps it's an island thing.

skenedy

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8gpmr2$80g$1@news.hawaii.edu...
> Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:
> >Burt Fisher
> >A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
>
> What does it mean to be a Plus Certified? Or did you mean "A-Plus"?
> That little hyphen can make a world of difference, e.g.,
> "man-eating shark" as opposed to "man eating shark."
>
>

5196. LY Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: antanasz@carlbro.lt
Message-ID: <8gsbi0$d1l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110243

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Radio amateurs in Lithuania have a tradition every summer to meet somewhere in a beautiful place. Lithuanian Amateur Radio Society (LRMD) and Panevezys district radio club organize LY HAMFEST '2000 and kindly invite radio amateurs from all countries.

It will provide excellent occasion to meet over 300 LY hams in the same place.

TIME
Official opening ceremony will start at Saturday noon (at 12:00) on July 29. As usual, we will start to gather earlier, therefore you can arrive beginning with Wednesday, July 26. Official closing ceremony will take place on Sunday, July 30 at 13:00. However, Hamfest will not end at this time. You can stay until Wednesday, August 2.

PLACE
Hamfest site is situated near old BALSIAI watermill, 2 km from PASVALYS town in Northern Lithuania.

FACILITIES
Balsiai watermill is one of the oldest in Lithuania, built in 1764, protected monument of architecture. Recently there is fine arranged place for festivals and fairs. Sleeping rooms (10 USD/night), restaurant, bar and sauna is located in the watermill. Two bathing places (one for children), basketball court, dancing ground and space for tents are alongside. You can buy food and drinks in the hamfest place or catch fish and lobsters in the river.

ACTIVITIES
VHF, ARDF, RUFZ, basketball, beer drinking, rope pulling and other contests.
Lotteries, auctions, campfire, dancing, biplane flights (LY2000RMD/AM), etc.

FURTHER INFORMATION
For program, maps and photos please visit:
http://www.qsl.net/lrmd/hamfest2000.htm

Reservations, questions and general information available:

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Best 73!
Antanas LY1DL
Secretary LRMD

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5197. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <ustrick@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gs9u3$1qa$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110244

Snip:
>All the trouble makers are playing basketball at the Rikers Hilton, garbage
>barges and old Staten Island ferrys.

Joe, You forgot the 2000 plus hardcore felons and squatter's deported back
to the Caribbean and Europe in the last 6 months.

5198. Re: Scanner squelch to activate relay???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <qHjY4.6886$4X5.14967@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110245

"Dan Barnawell" <awarren233@freewwweb.com> wrote in message
news:%3bY4.5299$VO2.136125@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> I need some info on using a Realistic pro-2025 16 channel scanner to
> activate a relay when the squelch is opened..... I want to use the
scanner
> as a receiver on a remote base to key my 6 meter ham radio when the
scanner
> receives a signal on the 440 mhz ham radio band.....Can anyone give me
> some information on this? I have been unable to find a schematic on the
2025
> and I have been told that when the squelch opens there will be voltage
come
> up on a pin inside the scanner..... Any ideas of how I might find that pin
> when I do not have a schematic? I am also open for any other advice on
this
> subject.....
> Thank you,
> Dan (N4YSV)
>

You may want to trip that relay thru a timer in case the whole thing fails
or locks up. Essentially you are building a repeater. There may also be a
test-point for limiter current that can be used with an op-amp or somesuch
to accomplish the purpose. These things are pretty generic once you get by
the i.f. so I would get a schematic of a similar unit and blunder-futz a bit
with my trusty meter.

Dick N0BK

5199. Re: High Voltage Probe Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <michaelaterrell@hitter.net>
Message-ID: <3931B81B.A2E15663@hitter.net>
Source record: 110246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

glass2@glass2.lexington.ibm.com wrote:
>
> In <OraEjo#w$GA.325@cpmsnbbsa07>, "ma_locksmith" <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com> writes:
> >A high voltage probe is nothing more than a large value resistor that will
> >withstand the high voltage. It is used to make a voltage divider based on
> >the input resistance of the meter. If you use a 20 Mohm input meter, then
> >the probe will work but read approximately twice what the value of voltage
> >is. For a typical 100:1 divider, the meter input resistance is 10 Meg, the
> >probe resistance is 990 Meg. This adds up to 1000 Meg to 10 Meg, or 100 to
> >1. The same probe in a 20 Meg meter ends up with 1010 Meg to 20 Meg or
> >approximately 50 to 1.
> >
> >The common input for multimeters is 20K ohms per volt. The only meters with
> >higher input resistance are those that have internal amplifying electronics.
> >If it's an analog meter, then it's probably 20 K. Look on the meter face,
> >it is sometimes stated there.
> >
> >Ed
> >
> ><goldenbadger@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> >news:3928ac05.358870784@nntp.mindspring.com...
> >> I have a couple questions, both related to high voltage probes -
> >>
> >> My second question is how can you determine (i.e. measure) the input
> >> impedance of a meter? I have a really old cheap one that might be
> >> 10Mohm if that is a common standard, but would like to confirm before
> >> I relied on it.
> >>
> >> Thanks,
> >> any help will be really appreciated
>
> I feel I should comment here to inject a word of safety. While
> technically correct that a high voltage probe is nothing more than a
> large value resistor, there are some other design considerations
> which must be considered. Firstly, the insulation on the probe must
> be able to withstand the voltages being measured. It's no fun to
> have a flashover occur while you're holding the probe on a 30KV
> circuit. Don't forget, too, that probes may get dirty or wet, and
> that this can significantly reduce their voltage handling capacity.
>
> Nextly, the high value resistor must be able to take the voltage
> applied to it. Not all resistors can withstand high voltages, and
> they may flashover or breakdown. If this occurs, the minimum damage

> you can expect is to fry the meter (Worst case might be frying
> yourself!). The power handling capability of the resistor probably
> won't be a problem, but it would be good engineering practice to
> work the equations to make sure of this.
>
> Another concern involves the switching of the meter. If you're
> using an older style meter with a mechanical switch, what happens
> when you operate the switch? Is the input disconnected from one
> contact before making with another contact? What will be the
> voltage on the switch when the contacts break? Will this cause the
> switch to arc over?
>
> Finally, if you're going to be measuring AC voltages with the probe,
> you'll have to consider the aspect of any capacitance associated
> with the meter, leads, or probes. 1000M of resistance can result in
> a significant RC circuit.
>
> So, before attempting to construct your own high voltage probe,
> please spend a few minutes considering the failure modes possible
> and the consequences.
>
> Dave
>
> P.S. Standard Disclaimer: I work for them, but I don't speak for them.

The older VTVM's used a divider network that totaled 10 Meg ohms, and so do the DVM's that I've worked on. The range was selected by picking a tap, not switching out resistors, so the load to the ground lead was a constant 10 Meg ohms. Also, if you have a meter with a 20 Meg ohm input impedance, parallel another 20 Meg ohms and you won't need to scale your readings. Above all, make sure the ground lead is in good condition, and never use a weak alligator clip. If the ground comes off, you can really get hurt, or killed.

5200. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
Message-ID: <3931D744.73F052A7@eznec.com>
Source record: 110247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Larry W4CSC wrote:
> . . .
> Next time you buy a car....BUY A DIESEL! The only thing electronic in
> my 1973 Mercedes 220D is the clock...(c; There is no difference in
> noise between engine off and full throttle!

It might be necessary to modify that to read "buy an old Diesel". I'd be awfully surprised if modern ones didn't have electric fuel pumps, injectors, and other peripheral devices. Even yours has headlights and gauges and starts with a battery, so there's a charging system and regulator. A Diesel doesn't have an ignition system, and that's often the dominant noise source, but it has every other noise-generating device you'll find on any other car.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

5201. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Crazy George <munsch@attglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3931eef0_1@news1.prserv.net>
Source record: 110248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

We rent diesels where available for noise and interference locating, and some of them are electrically very noisy. Try before you buy. Some turn signals and heater/AC blowers are insufferable! IMHO, the '70 and '80 vintage Mercs had both. Toyota makes a diesel available only in Japan which is very quiet.

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Crazy George

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> device you'll find on any other car.
>
> Roy Lewallen, W7EL

5202. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gpot4$a2e$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110320

In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
> Please, really stop and look at what your advocating. YOU
>are advocating taking away not only one of our constitutional
>rights, you are advocating removal of one means of insuring that
>our government respects the wishes of it's citizens.

And if they don't respect your rights, who were you planning on
shooting first, Paul? Share with us your assassination list.

> And that
>is exactly why that amendment is there, Mr. Franklyn said so,
>and he ought to know if anyone does, wouldn't you think?

If kids were shooting teachers back then, he probably would have
had seconds thoughts...

>The
>statesmen of the time made it very plain why the 2nd amendment
>was included in the Constitution.

For a well-regulated militia. It's interesting to note that the US
Constitution, Article 1, Section 8, states that the Second Amendment
Militia is to be used to execute laws, suppress insurrections, and repel
invasions. And you're not left to your own initiative: Not only are you
Second Amendment Militia gun-owners under control of the Congress, but
also the President (Article 2, Section 2). You talk about using your guns
against the government ("insurrection"), but it's the government who,
according to the Constitution, is in charge of your militia. You'd have
to violate the Constitution in order to rise up against the government.
Heehee -- according to the Constitution, you'd have to suppress the
insurrection that you've created! What a paradox.

Jeff

5203. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 fan!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gppq6atr1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110321

In article <3931079b.249604523@news.mindspring.com>, Johnny@mindspring.com wrote:

>That callsign is the property of the government,

Nonsense. Unless something's a registered trademark, it can be used in any legal application. I once saw my callsign buried in an article Reference line in someone's newsgroup header. Perfectly legal.

Look at the Reference number in your attribution line -- no doubt it matches someone's VIN.

5204. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gpq72bdn1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...

>>Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.

>You're right. The frequencies would probably have been put to better use by
>now.

Tell us, Tom -- how would our HF frequencies be currently utilized if
there had been no ARRL? (Details, please; try to reply with more than
one line.)

5205. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8gpqbobip1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110323

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?

Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a bullet.

5206. Re: Quote

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39307228.BFC1E9D0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110324

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Hermann wrote:
>
> >> You apparently can't stand the thought that in light of today's
> >> standards, the writers of the Constitution made some errors. What
> >> might have been seemed correct then is completely out of place today.
>
> > This from a man who for the last few years waged a virtually
> >unassisted war to defend CW as a useful and necessary mode.
> > Interesting how we can sometimes be knocked from the helm in our
> >own tack.
>
> Peter, don't be so melodramatic. You can't place gun and voting
> rights in the same category as Morse. Morse never killed anyone!
> (And no, code didn't kill the hobby).
>

Jeff, don't be so absurd. You can't argue principle and exclude content. You can't argue > What might have been seemed correct then is completely out of place today < and apply it selectively. Of course you can't equate Constitutional rights with CW. But if you're arguing obsolete thinking and modern era needs, you can't pick and choose.

If you want to dismiss the Constitution, you"ll need to select a different tack.

I"m pro CW, btw. As you know.

> A prospective ham still can't get on HF w/o having to pass a Morse
> exam, so I haven't lost any battle.

THen you need to respect the other pre existing conventions, convenants and legalities in this conversation, and support Constitutional Rights with the same fervor you support CW. The grounds are the same.

5207. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gpt0fqhs1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110325

In article <8gpqbobip1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a
bullet.

Which is the whole point to law-abiding citizens' wishes to keep them handy. If they are outlawed, we have fists and knives, and the criminal has the guns. Duh. And, yes, registration leads to confiscation.

Go talk to the folks in Australia whose gun-violence rate is going up in astronomical proportions after their gun ban.

Better yet, go strolling in a violent section of town, and announce your vulnerabilty. Remember, you have a fist to protect you. Go now. Buh-bye!

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5208. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <393072E1.99AEC30F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110326

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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> In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
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> invasions. And you're not left to your own initiative: Not only are you
> Second Amendment Militia gun-owners under control of the Congress, but
> also the President (Article 2, Section 2).

The Federalist Papers and three separate Supreme Court decisions,
as well as numerous Federal Court decisions disagree with you. The
Second Amendment protects the right of the individual to keep and
bear arms.

5209. Alinco DR-1200 "Extra" functions (band changing)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dexter Francis <sutair@home.com>
Message-ID: <39307B95.41480549@home.com>
Source record: 110327

Could someone remind me what the front panel button pushing sequence is to change the DR-1200 receive from 144 mHz to 220 mHz and 340 mHz? I know there is a way to do this. My radio is showing 220 mHz range and I'd like to get it back to 2 meters...

Replies to cwest@xmission.com - thanks de N0YLJ

-df

5210. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gq0f4spc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110328

In article <8gph83bru1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Your logic is illogical.
DISAGREE.

>Let me give you an example.
> We'll use cigarette lovers. It seems everywhere we look, they're being
> discriminated against.
It's not discrimination. They are performing an act that doesn't just include them. If you and I are in a room and you light up and smoke, then WE are BOTH smoking; I have NO choice in the matter, but to inhale your waste gasses. NO thanks.

Cigarettes are ADDICTIVE, and the smoker will say/believe/ignore whatever just in order to get to the next puff. I WAS a smoker once, but after many attempts at quitting, the realization that it wasn't worth an ugly, drawn-out, and expensive death finally made me stop. ADDICTED smokers are GOING TO WHINE and claim UNFAIR. Then, when they're DYING, they want to know what can be DONE to SAVE them. Can't have it both ways.

My RIGHT to bear arms WITHOUT big brother up my craw about it is NOT affecting a roomful of gun abolitionists, nor is it a proven CARCINOGEN that I am wrongfully imposing on them.

If I am irresposible and the neighbor kid or my child/minor gets a hold of it and blows away his teacher, we have TWO problems. MY irresposibility, and a youthful CRIMINAL. (not to mention the other affected lives).

You have an entire generation or more that have had little to no parenting, and have little to no idea what life really is. An inanimate revolver is not to blame. People have been killing since time began, and now its the gun's fault? That kid was defective or sick or too stupid to be in society. So now my rights get dissolved?

No, I don't "get it."

>Hopefully in a few years the only place they'll be allowed to smoke is
>at HOME? Now if you speak to a puffer, he or she will ask, "Why's
>everybody always picking on me? I got rights.
They are blinded by the addiction. I was there. No way I would have smoked it it didn't feel good. Problem is, is that it is awfully harmful. NO WAY would I have trashed my body if I wasn't getting pleasure from the drug. It is illogical, but you're not totally in control. NOBODY has the RIGHT to pollute my or your air. Smoking where

others are affected is not a RIGHT.

> A PUBLIC MENACE. Public menaces KILL. Get it?
MY gun (if I have one) is NOT a public menace. The person using it in a CRIME is the PUBLIC MENACE.

GET IT?

This type of individual will find all kinds of ways to be a MENACE. Do we then ILLEGALIZE everything, and live in plastic bubbles so we don't bruise?

>But rights are being violated, correct? Naturally some puffers will
>stand up and proclaim, "The founding fathers had us in mind too."
You and I don't have the RIGHT to pollute another's air. Those aren't RIGHTS they are what the public will/will not tolerate. It is popular OPINION, not a RIGHT.

It's a damn good thing you're not in office. You really just don't "get it".

>Lax gun laws in this nation are a PUBLIC MENACE. Murders just waiting
>to happen.
Hmmm...so we need more laws to restrain us. Well, I hear laws like in Siberia are strict. Go live there. All the laws you could relish.

One more time: PEOPLE are killing. GUNS are the implement. If you take away the guns, only the law-abiding folks will be without them. If you had some sort of magic (maybe Al Gore will "invent" this as his next "invention") that would collect ALL guns, the PEOPLE that would have killed with them will kill with SOMETHING ELSE!

I realize that this is a TOUGH concept, but take some baby steps with it at first. It is a little complex, and there are some multi-syllabic words in there...

>The kid would have never shot the teacher had:
> 1. he not had access to the weapon
> 2. had the weapon been a "smart gun" which prohibits anyone but the
> owner to use.
Hindsight and opinion......ZZZZZzzzzzzzz....
He might have set the teacher's house on fire killing the whole family, he might have used a bomb and blow up the whole classroom full of people. YOU don't know WHAT he would have done. Yes, it's horrible, but it could have been WORSE.

You just see an "easy" way to make a cheap shot, without FACTS to back it up.

>Things like kids carrying guns to school as a joke or taking guns
>into schools to murder classmates or teachers is REPUGNANT and MUST BE
>STOPPED one way or the other.
So, then, try alternate methods. Like actual ACCOUNTABILTY and PUNSIHMENT. If crime doesn't PAY, then NOBODY wants it. When it's easy

and forgiven or the BLAME is shifted Klinton-style to a MANUFACTURER, then things get pretty screwy (...you know, LIBERAL).

>Three cheers for Smith & Wesson the first gun manufacturer that will
>implement the "smart gun" idea. It should become mandatory for all
>such manufacturers to follow suit and by God, it will be.
Again, this is a band-aid trying to fix a decaptation. Nice idea in some ways, but think of the implications. Once AGAIN, the criminal is only SLIGHTLY inconvenienced, but he will prevail. This is treating the symptom, but not the SOURCE.

Your methods will outlaw EVERYTHING, and the PROBLEM will still exist. Meanwhile, you've wasted everyone and everything, and STILL have no valid solution.

> Governments are here in western civilization to SERVE the people and it's
> become quite clear that modern day America has gone crazy with violence and
> guns THEREFORE the government must not only SERVE, but SAVE.
There's that Liberal BIG GUVMINT thing again. Show me ONE example where BIG government was a Good Thing.

>We refuse to save ourselves therefore legislation will be passed to do
>it.
Excuse me, but who, EXACTLY is WE?
YOU?
You now speak for the country?

>obvious it has deviated from being a reliable, responsible and
>honorable organization into one of gun running, militancy, money
>grubbing and complete incompetence ALL UNDER THE PRETENSE OF SAVING THE
>2nd AMENDMENT.
Opinion......ZZZZZZZZZzzzzzzzzz......
I want PROOF of this claim.

>The NRA attitude is as dangerous to the health and welfare of this
>nation as was that of the unchecked and murderous cigarette companies
>who had a RIGHT to kill us.
Ummmm...'scuse me, but the NRA's attitude is what allowed this country to come into being. The NRA isn't killing, the CRIMINALS are.

Moreover, the tobacco industry never had the RIGHT to do anything. What they HAD was corruption, and payoffs, because the government got HUGE amounts of MONEY from this industry.

It's odd that you lash out at the NRA when it is the government that is "money grubbing and complete incompetence".

>LIKE HELL with the latter and the time has come to make things mighty
>tough for Heston and LaPierre and Gore will do it. VOTE FOR AL!
Gore wants to DISARM THE POPULACE.
I wouldn't trust Gore to take out my garbage, and here you are trying to

ask me to vote him in for the leader of the free world?

A vote for Gore is like a vote for Stalin.

You're a TV baby, aren't you?

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5211. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <393082d1.281151744@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 110329

On Sat, 27 May 2000 20:54:28 -0400, Dwight Stewart
<stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:

> Can the person do anything about it? I suggest that he do exactly
>what he would do if any other identification was stolen - contact law
>enforcement officials.
>
>
>Dwight Stewart (W5NET)
>
>http://www.qsl.net/w5net

You're nuts. Contact the law and say someones using my call on Usenet
and they would laugh you out of town. Get a life, dimwit.

5212. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gpupl11aba@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110330

In article <8gpqbobip1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
>
>Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a bullet.
>

Regardless of how much of a fight one puts up, murder is still murder, no matter what weapon is used, even if it's your bare hands.

...and I see you've only picked one part of my post to respond to, conveniently ignoring the part about it being illegal for minors to possess handguns, and how long guns have been in our society. You've gotten a little touchy in the past when someone has done this to you.

Mr. Pot, meet Mr. Kettle

Tom - N8ECW

5213. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gpv1a21aba@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110331

In article <8gpot4$a2e$1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>In article <392FF7A3.9F24410E@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>> Please, really stop and look at what your advocating. YOU
>>are advocating taking away not only one of our constitutional
>>rights, you are advocating removal of one means of insuring that
>>our government respects the wishes of it's citizens.
>
>And if they don't respect your rights, who were you planning on
>shooting first, Paul? Share with us your assassination list.

"The purpose of the Second Amendment is to protect the First Amendment"
-Rush Limbaugh

You get an awful lot of exercise by jumping to conclusions, Jeff. Maybe you'd
better call up Rush in New York and ask him for his hit list.

Tom - N8ECW

5214. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gpu7k01aba@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8gpq72bdn1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...
>
>>>Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.
>
>>You're right. The frequencies would probably have been put to better use by
>>now.
>
>Tell us, Tom -- how would our HF frequencies be currently utilized if
>there had been no ARRL? (Details, please; try to reply with more than
>one line.)

Simple. They'd be utilized by shortwave broadcast stations, and perhaps maybe long range commercial stations.

It would be a helluva lot better than the mundane blather about the weather and health problems, as well as the DXers and contesters that seem to have overtaken the bands. Wallpaper chasers only serve themselves.

Tom - N8ECW

5215. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3930952F.C5D9869B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110333

> > If you gun lovers' wives are included,
> > just maybe they will make the
> > necessary difference to stop the NRA
> > from holding us all hostage?
>
>
> The NRA is not a faceless entity that exists for its own purpose - it
> is people (Americans) who believe they have a right to own a gun. Are
> you accusing all those people of holding you hostage? If so, I suggest
> that you take it up with them.
>

We'd love to hear from him. He may find that we're civil, educated, enjoy peace and contentment, and are generally prepared to face the daunting task of defending peace and quiet enjoyment against the assaults of the criminal sector.

We'd show him what peace and contentment confidence brings, so we can concentrate on business, family, and quality of life. Like the Swiss. I'll bet Jeff doesn't know the Swiss are an armed people. Every able bodied citizen is in the military, which is something that we've lost sight of. But every household has a military assault weapon and must have at least one person in the household proficient in its use. I'll be Jeff doesn't know that this policy of armed neutrality has made Switzerland the only hand's off nation in Europe, without so much as an attempt at invasion since the 12th century. Even HITLER was afraid to screw with them.

Yes, we'd love to meet with Jeff. He might find that he learns something from the experience. Or we will. Either way, it's win-win.

5216. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000529173244.05070.00000602@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 110134

Noooo Timmy .. careful there .. remember that The Amazing AlGore gave us the internet. Look out or he might take it away from us.

Looking back at Dan's post that NY and Hillary deserve each other .. I have to part company with that one. NOBODY deserves Hillary. Except Kommisar Klinton. And he deserves Queen Hillary for a cell mate.

I do hope that come November, the good taxpayers of New York will go to the polls in record numbers and speak clearly to this issue.

It's up to the taxpayers. We know where the illegal immigrants (yes .. they vote) and the welfare parasites stand on this. If the taxpayers don't turn out, Hillary wins in a walk. KK4TL said that.

5217. Vendo o cambio lo siguiente.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Gallardo Sanchez <eb4enn@wanadoo.es>
Message-ID: <iwBY4.383$C4.21062@m2newsread.uni2.es>
Source record: 110135

Hola Tengo el siguiente material para vender o cambiar:

1 Unidad Zip Externa (Puerto paralelo)
10.000 Pts

1 Unidad Zip Externa (Scsi)
15.000 Pts

1 Cpu Tandom 386sx20 Mhz Completo
10.000 Pts

1 Ordenador 286 XT, 1 Mb de Memoria, Disco duro 120 Mb
8.000 Pts

1 Procesador Amd 486 Dx4-133 Mhz + Ventilador de Cpu
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1 Modulo Sim 4 Mb 72c de memoria
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1 Monitor Color VGA 14"
10.000 Pts

2 Monitores CGA
4.000 Pts

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1 Impresora Hp deskjet 520
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15.000 Pts

1 Scanner Hp Scanjet 3p (A4) SCSI + ADF
15.000 Pts

2 Teclados
1.000 Pts

2 Ratones Microsoft DB9
2.000 Pts

1 Raton Genius DB9
1.000 Pts

1 Disco duro Samsung 4.3 Gb
15.000 Pts

1 Disco duro Quantum 3,2 Gb
13.000 Pts

2 Disco duro Segate 1,6 Gb
10.000 Pts

1 Controladora Pci SCSI Ncr
6.500 Pts

1 Aceleradora Promise ISA para HDD y FDD 0.3Ms de Acceso
5.000 Pts

47 Modulos de Memoria Sim 30 Contactos de 1 Mb
100 Pts

Telefono Oki (Moviestar)
6.000 Pts

Funda Telefono Oki
1.000 Pts

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Modulo Giradiscos Sherwood (Cadena Modular)
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15.000 Pts

Altavoces en caja Mediana 3 Vias.
10.000 Pts

Compaq Disk Portatil
10.000 Pts

Recibe mis mas cordiales Saludos. 73&#65533;..... EB4ENN-EC4DKL
Email: eb4enn@wanadoo.es
Web: www.qsl.net/eb4enn
Icq: 70306778

5218. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8guqg3$578$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110136

Youngblood, go take your Stuka up for a spin.

In article <8gshpn$h79$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> I was reading the postings of AF2Y which referenced gun control . these
> postings remind me of the speech that ADOLPH HITLER gave to the AUSTRIAN
> people in 1935. Hitler advocated gun control which he stated would lead to a
> safer society.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5219. Radio in Ford Explorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: clarke@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <8gur6djtd1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 110137

This is a long shot --- but, here goes:

The radio in my wife's '91 Ford Explorer suddenly has only one volume ---- LOUD! None of the buttons work except the "Power". Thank goodness we can shut it off.

I thought there might be some way to re-set the processor. Does anyone know how to do that? Anyone ever heard of this before? Any ideas?

Jack
in Phoenix,AZ
--

5220. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gusr2rcb1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110138

Sheer propagandistic gun toting crap and I can prove that Youngblood lies
and Volz swears to it. Hitler spoke to the Austrian people in 1935
advocating gun control? Nonsense for two reasons. (1) Possession of weapons
by Austrians was non-existent and secondly, Hitler seized Austria and
occupied the capital Vienna(Wien) on March 12,1938, three years after
Badblood said the speech was delivered. Do me a favor Badblood and
Volz-before you try to convince the ill-informed on this board of your lies,
don't assume that everyone is stupid enough to believe them.
AF2Y

In article <20000529160605.28892.00000554@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> That's exactly right. the wierd thing is, is that Doc af2y claims that it
never
> happened. Hitler had no gun contol.
> just shows how some can be mis-informed.
>>from: hammer007 hammer007@my-deja.com
>
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>>postings remind me of the speech that ADOLPH HITLER gave to the AUSTRIAN
>>people in 1935. Hitler advocated gun control which he stated would lead to a
>>safer society.
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>

5221. dAFf2Y quacks that he's confused

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <NyCY4.7913$4X5.17620@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110139

dAFf2Y docduck quacked this one into my mailbox direct. He musta hit the reply-sender key by accident with his superb specimen mentioned below.

At any rate, dAFf2Y docduck has noticed that I limit my blinding brilliance, when responding to his mix of juvenile drivel which verges on puerilism.

GET USED TO IT, dAFf2Y docduck. You post, I respond at whim.
****

Windy, your retorts are confusing. Why don't you just sit right down and write yourself a letter and post it? Let's put some coherence into things instead of snip..comment..snap...comment. It's like this-I have 5 minutes; tell me everything you know and if I knew you were going to get so agitated over my reference to your biting bathtub bubbles, I never would have Heinzed you.
And unfortunately Scotty does have all of Stott City between his stomach and groin; I didn't make it up. Look at that pic and can you deny he eats everything organic at each meal? In fact, the city used to be called Stottville City until he ate the ville. Sorry Windy I call a spade a spade and he's simply a fat slob unlike I who's an exerciser, a moderate eater and a superb specimen of superman and no wisecracks about specimen(you know what I mean).
At any rate you prove that one does not have to be brilliant to post on this board. Congrats.
Doc,AF2Y
****
I await your next superb specimen of quackery, dAFf2Y duckdoc.

As you were.

K3BHJ.

5222. sick sites

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <IVCY4.7939$4X5.18031@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110140

http://www.stickdeath.com/bank.htm

http://www.rotten.com

73, Dave, K3BHJ.

5223. Re: dAFf2Y quacks that he's confused

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv3r0$11$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110141

Windy,
My brilliant statements were meant for your eyes only; I didn't ask for any more notoriety but thanks anyway.
The Genius

In article <NyCY4.7913$4X5.17620@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net> wrote:

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> reply-sender key by accident with his superb specimen mentioned below.
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> As you were.
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> K3BHJ.
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5224. Re: Vendo o cambio lo siguiente.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv4cu$77f$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110142

Hey Georgie from Spain. What makes you think dese guys knows Spanish? Yo traduzcari¿½ para ti. Gentlemen, this fellow says, "Hello. I have the following materiel to sell or trade(exchange)" and then goes on to list a lot of stuff nobody wants.
Carlos Schwartzbardamiento

In article <iwBY4.383$C4.21062@m2newsread.uni2.es>, "Jorge Gallardo Sanchez" <eb4enn@wanadoo.es> wrote:

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> Hola Tengo el siguiente material para vender o cambiar:
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> 10.000 Pts
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> 1 Controladora Pci SCSI Ncr
> 6.500 Pts
>
> 1 Aceleradora Promise ISA para HDD y FDD 0.3Ms de Acceso
> 5.000 Pts
>
> 47 Modulos de Memoria Sim 30 Contactos de 1 Mb
> 100 Pts
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> Telefono Oki (Moviestar)
> 6.000 Pts
>
> Funda Telefono Oki
> 1.000 Pts
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> ---
> Recibe mis mas cordiales Saludos. 73ï¿½..... EB4ENN-EC4DKL
> Email: eb4enn@wanadoo.es
> Web: www.qsl.net/eb4enn
> Icq: 70306778
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5225. Re: "Dirty Words"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv4h0$vb2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Beats me. This dude is trying to impress everyone with his excruciating
analysis of possible dirty language on ham radio and can't spell "anal."
73,
Henry Hemorrhoid

In article <FXsY4.8905$VO2.210310@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Chancellor Dubrinov" <papermelons@europa.netcrusader.net> wrote:

> 4) "Smart Radios" (?) Only someone as anyl-retentive and technologically
> backwards as Ham Radio Operators would be so silly as to suggest
> something as this. (the "V-Chip" was an unworkable technology)
> Yes, Washingtoon would probably toy with the idea of a "smart radio"
> just like they toyed with the idea of "smart guns" and "smart cars".

5226. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv55m$ss2$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110144

Tim,
You ask that I move over so that liars can take over? Of course I can prove my claims while you can't because they're untrue. After W.W.II ended, the Allies prohibited any of the Central Powers or allies to manufacture weapons and Austria, known as Ostmark, had always been allied with Germany since both nations have always been warmongering buddies. What was good for Germany was good for Austria. In 1935 Austria was governed by a liberal Christian democrat named Kurt Von Schussnigg who was finally assassinated by Austrian Nazis to allow a subversive takeover by Berlin and I ain't taking Irving. When Adolf moved in on 3/12/38, he installed Arthur Seyss-Inquart as Prime Minister who, in 1946, was hanged in Nuremberg. As you see I am very very well versed in 20th century European history and therefore have the credentials to show up Youngblood for the gun toting liar he is. Unfortunately you went along with him in an effort at making Heston the king of America but this here guy, 20 years your senior, called your bluff. Tim vote for Al Gore and toss your guns into Lake Mead.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000529201922.28652.00000650@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Doc you cannot even prove YOUR claims let alone anyone else's. With all of you
> posts on here, they've amount to nothing more than liberal rhetoric. NO facts.
> You spew the liberal line with the fervor of James Carvel. I'm twenty some
> years younger than you Doc, step aside and make way for the new thinkers. The
> democratic liberal socialist party has screwed this country up from the
control
> over the house and senate that they managed to have for over 40 years. The
> economy, balanced budget "law", welfare reform are all because of the
> Republicans, their ideas and the fact that they have control of both houses.
> this prosperous economy is the result of Reagan policies and de-regulation. If
> you try to claim otherwise and take credit for the economy like Klintoon does,
> then please let us know what Klintoon's economic policy has been. LOL One can
> only imagine, and it would be a nightmare, what would have taken place had
they
> (republican house and senate) not been there to keep Klintoon in check.
> Now go do the right thing. KK7HO

5227. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv5ki$1qo$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110145

Como is an 83 year old singer whom you hear every Christmas kvetching in a
Yule concert to the Irish in Dublin. Cuomo was the great Mario who hated
capital punishment and lost the election to George Pataki who loved capital
punishment and has excecuted no one since he was sworn in. ALL POLITICIANS
LIE except for Al Gore, the inventor of the Internet!
AF2Y

In article <8gpl2c$88r$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>, "Joe"
<joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:

> I may feel the need to dig a trench filled with hungry alligators and a draw
> bridge, around the house.
> It was enough misery with Como, this could be worse !
> She will put all the homeless felons, nothing to loose AID's Addicts, and
> future oncoming subway train pusher's back on the streets.
> I see my future in north east N.C if NYC reverts back to the sewer "hell"
> again

5228. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv5b9$p6o$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110146

Bitte, geben Sie mir genaue Einzelheiten an die Oesterreichische Voelker von
das Reden Hitlers?

In article <20000529202439.28652.00000651@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> hey doc, which speech exactly are you refering to ol man. Have you heard it?
> read it? Your disputing a statement with rhetoric again. oy vey
>

5229. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv5n0nfe1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110147

Oh bull. Hillary's a doll!

In article <8gpmkqmft1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> In article <8gp8vcbvi1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
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5230. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

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Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv5qq$2ch$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110148

Steve, Dan's my buddy and don't you insult him by calling him the dirty name
REPUBLICAN.

In article <3932b12c.3759840@news.usol.com>, mundyusa1@netscape.net (Steve)
wrote:

> On Sat, 27 May 2000 23:44:28 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
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> REPUBLICAN but do you have to spell like one too ? ;)
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv66c$4fa$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110149

What do you expect them to do, put on blindfolds?

In article <8gs55o$4dq$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>, "Joe"
<joeamp@mindspring.com> wrote:

> Those animals go crazy and climb up the bars and fences screaming and
> looking at my girlfriend in the bikini when
> we pass them 1/4 mile in the boat to acess the city water's.

5232. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv61c$sm8$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110150

If you're saying that Hillary is a lesbian, that's nothing but stinking
Republican rightwing propaganda a la Rush Limbaugh, that pompous ass!

In article <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005280714260.1428-100000@dns.bde-arc.ampr.org>,
"D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org> wrote:

> On Sat, 27 May 2000, radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote:
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>> due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P
>> Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character, Victor Laszlo
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>> let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our next
>> President to be-Al Gore.
>
> However, you're forgetting something. Billy-boy has to go to an outside
> "source" since Hillary was too busy with her girlfriend(s). Remember
> "Travelgate?" There's more to the relationship than just being a government
> official or married to one. Their marriage is one more of convenience than
> anything else.
>
> So, how is this radio related?
>

5233. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv62f$sm8$2@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110151

RIGHT ON!

In article
<8933B870D8853E9F.559BBDD90A93B98D.044B19426CA2DE81@lp.airnews.net>,
W4CSC@lostonthe.net (Larry W4CSC) wrote:

> My favorite characterization of Hillary was a political cartoon in the
> newspaper.....
>
> BillyBob had his arms out, eyes closed and lips puckered for a big
> kiss in Hillary's direction. Hillary had her arms out, lips puckered
> and walked right on by him to hold and kiss the Presidential Seal.
>
> I think that cartoon was, probably, the closest characterization of
> the First Ladybug ever printed, don't you?
>
> Larry
>
>
> On Sat, 27 May 2000 15:51:34 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
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5234. Windy the Magician

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv6q7$1f$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110152

That Windy guy is a trickster. He's posting from an anonymous source and probably isn't licensed or registered to use a computer. We'll trace him down and report him for writing scandalous stuff on a fine newsgroup. The man is a trained monkey of nutty Republicans.
AF2Y, Doc

216.28.167.49

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5235. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8gv63p$q22$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110153

GREAT COMEBACK, JESWALD. You're right. Viet Nam was a Democrats' war but keep in mind that AF2Y voted for BARRY GOLDWATER; I and three other persons.

In article <8grm2t$v9o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

> Sorry I missed my remedial spelling class in the sixties. I was too
> busy fighting a democratics war.
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> Dan/W4NTI
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5236. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Patrick <arp@inet4u.com>
Message-ID: <39333745.9BF24691@inet4u.com>
Source record: 110154

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:

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> keep in mind that AF2Y voted for BARRY GOLDWATER; I and three other persons.

Good 'Ol Barry. 1964 (?). The first presidential election I got seriously
interested in. He'd make most sane folks proud to be an Arizonan. I thought
he'd make a fine president and Johnson defeated him in a land slide victory
USING "The Greaaaaaaaaaaat Society!" I never went to Arizona, but Jesse Helms
makes me proud to be a Tar Heel. <g>

73,

Al
--
"The Truth is Hate, to Those Who Hate the Truth"
Do what's right. You'll please OR AMAZE everyone!

Love and hatred are both necessary. For one to love
some things he must hate others, and visa versa.

5237. AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gshpn$h79$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110249

I was reading the postings of AF2Y which referenced gun control . these postings remind me of the speech that ADOLPH HITLER gave to the AUSTRIAN people in 1935. Hitler advocated gun control which he stated would lead to a safer society.

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5238. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <0297B9231A46F969.163CF4DA3535A51D.46C151732B74CDB3@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Go out into the dark tonight with no lights around. Start the car and open the hood. Look around all the spark plug wires, distributor cap and plug ends to see where the big spark gap transmitter is arcing to the block. Pay particular attention wherever metal comes near the plug wires.

They probably pulled one of the wires apart or cracked it against something and now you either have a series arcing in the plug wires or to ground....

Next time you buy a car....BUY A DIESEL! The only thing electronic in my 1973 Mercedes 220D is the clock...(c; There is no difference in noise between engine off and full throttle!

On Sun, 28 May 2000 13:49:31 -0400, PopTician <zootv@erols.com> wrote:

>
>Hi, I haven't run HF mobile for a few months, and in the time I've been
>off the air I had the 60,000 mile maintenance check on my car. Before
>the car went in, I had 1-3 s units of noise coming from the car. Now
>the noise is 20 over, and the noise blanker on my IC-706 isn't doing the
>job. I looked at the the receipt from the dealer, and they did change
>the spark plugs. Looks like everything else they did was changing
>gaskets, fluids, and belts. I suspect its the spark plugs. Any other
>suggestions as to what may be the causing the increased noise? It seems
>to get much worse when you acclerate and then switch quickly to the
>brake (like when trying to find a parking spot at the mall). If it is
>the spark plugs, how do I solve the problem? Rig is an IC-706, High
>Sierra HS-1500, RG-8x.
>Thanks,
>Mike
>
>
>

5239. Re: Red Panty Man Debuts On 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chancellor Dubrinov <papermelons@europa.netcrusader.net>
Message-ID: <GGkY4.8003$VO2.181999@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110251

"RFCOMMSYS" <rfcommsys@aol.com> wrote in message
news:20000528152805.05106.00000474@ng-fn1.aol.com...
> FLASH: The Red Panty Man got naked and unwound on 3950 during the Liberty
Net
> last night! Apparently realizing the FCC's dismal record of nabbing
> unidentified jammers, the "downtown boy-hunting" Red Panty Man let loose
with
> his song of perverted love, attempting to jam the Liberty Net.

SHIT - I missed it! Was out havin a fine late evening dinner.

Was it the GENUINE R.P.M. or an imitator?

Anyone got a tape or MP3?

5240. Re: Vote on who sounds more stupid!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chancellor Dubrinov <papermelons@europa.netcrusader.net>
Message-ID: <JGkY4.8004$VO2.181999@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110252

"Anon" <anonymous@cotse.com> wrote in message
news:200005281900.PAA23502@cotse.com...
> AF2YBites@HerbieBaby.org

> [X] WA4KBX

This guy must still be walkin in cowshit in his big bare feet!

5241. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3931db3c.9559218@news.usol.com>
Source record: 110253

On Sun, 28 May 2000 17:47:12 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:

>In article <3932b12c.3759840@news.usol.com>,
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Well it seems to me a fellow named Eisenhower got us started down that
path and another fellow named Richard Nixon wasn't exactly a 'Dove'...
But I was just 'funnin' you anyway Dan. Have a nice Memorial Day.

>Dan/W4NTI

5242. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8gsquv$tg9$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8gpu7k01aba@enews3.newsguy.com>,
T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>In article <8gpq72bdn1@news.hawaii.edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>
>>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>>Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...
>>
>>>>Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.
>>
>>>You're right. The frequencies would probably have been put to better use by
>>>now.
>>
>>Tell us, Tom -- how would our HF frequencies be currently utilized if
>>there had been no ARRL? (Details, please; try to reply with more than
>>one line.)
>
>Simple. They'd be utilized by shortwave broadcast stations, and perhaps maybe
>long range commercial stations.
>
>It would be a helluva lot better than the mundane blather about the weather and
>health problems, as well as the DXers and contesters that seem to have
>overtaken the bands. Wallpaper chasers only serve themselves.
>
>Tom - N8ECW
>

Emergencies. When a disaster happens, enough hams usually survive
with equipment to provide emergency communications. And it doesn't
cost the govermment anything except spectrum.

5243. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gso9f01vc6@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 110255

In article <3931A32E.8B03BC27@worldnet.att.net>, PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net says...

> Ahem. The Amateur Radio Toy Store has all ICOM product on
>display, too. I'd hardly call ICOM a monopoly for it.
>
> What a store chooses to carry is determined by many things.
>Contractual obligations, preferences of the management, profit
>margin, sales figures all influences what's on the shelves. Many
>items are excluded despite a demand for them.
>
> You know, ou can only find Mr Pibb in the Burger Kings in the
>suburban areas of Chicago, and NOT Dr Pepper. Not because Mr Pibb is
>so much better. It's not. Not because it outsells Dr Pepper, it
>doesn't. But because it's a Coca Cola product, taking Mr Pibb allows
>better rates on Coca Cola purchases.
>
> (Although I will say that the strategy doesn't work so well for
>the Coke only stores. Many have switched to real Dr Pepper because
>of competive pressures from Arby's usually in the same block.)

Unlike fast food and soda, amatuer radio has a very limited market.

> 80% ARRL books on the shelves of a store, or a group, doesn't
>indicate the breadth of ham books out there. The choices are wide
>and deep, as my own collection reflects.

It would be interesting to see a listing of all amateur radio-related publications that were produced in the past year, and who they were published by. My observations at AES were just a random sampling, and they're the only commercial dealer in the area. There were a few others, and I don't know if they're still in business, but they carried equipment and very few, if any, publications.

Tom - N8ECW

5244. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <3931C876.5B8F@some.net>
Source record: 110256

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> "JR" <jr@some.net> wrote in message news:39312139.3FA3@some.net...
>
> >
> > Oh? I can take you to several flea markets where you can buy all guns
> > you want, just put down the cash and no questions asked.
> >
>
> You can do that in any state, even L.A. CA, but it's not a "flea market",
> unless you call the parking lots around East LA and Watts "flea markets".
> The same guys selling the guns are also selling the crack, etc.
>
> You imply that you know of legitimate "flea markets" where you can buy "all
> the guns you want". If this is true, please cite the specifics such as date,
> time, organizers of record, and maybe a publication where the event is
> advertised. (But don't be surprised if the "sellers" are undercover ATF
> agents doing a "reverse sting")
>

There is a flea market every Tuesday about 3 miles from where I live. I
can go there anytime and purchase a rifle or pistol, no questions asked.
I see it every week. The sellers are not undercover agents, they have
been there for years and I have never heard of anyone getting arrested
for buying or selling a firearm. I have even see the local police there
several times and never questioning a buyer or seller.

5245. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <393225DD.FFCB89A6@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110257

Osama/bin/login wrote:
>
> I agree with your point about cars;
> however, I live in a society
> where a car trip is a necessity to
> get to work (no public
> transportation), whereas smoking is
> NOT essential.

Smoking is not essential to YOU. Others may consider it an essential part of their enjoyment of life - they enjoy smoking and their enjoyment makes them happy. And, according to the Declaration of Independence, the pursuit of happiness is a right.

And before the government can take away a right, it must have an overwhelming reason to do so. And there is no more of an overwhelming reason to remove cigarette pollution than there is to remove car pollution. Therefore, one cannot be allowed while the other is banned. Or, if you prefer, if one must be banned, so must the other. Any less of a standard is simply unjust.

Now, I have no problem with reasonable restrictions on cigarette smoking. Set aside a smoking area in the resturant and there is no problem. However, to ban smoking in that resturant entirely is unreasonable. Or to use you "jambox" analogy, it is reasonable to say that the volume must be lowered, but to ban the "jambox" from all resturants is unreasonable.

By the way, one can argue that the automobile is not essential. Man existed on this planet for thousands of years without an automobile. But, that is perhaps a debate for another time.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5246. Re: Announcing a novel about Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: h-watson@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <393227bb.41311664@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 110258

Its funny how Burt has more "knowledge" of such things than the
American Red Cross, the Salvation Army, the National Weather Service,
the governors of numerous states, (just to mention a few), who have
frequently sung the praises of amateur operators during and after
disasters.

Howard N3TNQ

On Sat, 27 May 2000 11:35:09 GMT, "Burt" <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
>"marti613" <martitalbott3NOmaSPAM@aol.com.invalid> wrote in message
>news:21c2ba6a.b640be72@usw-ex0106-044.remarq.com...
>> It's SHATTERED CITY - an earthquake in Seattle
>>
>> And it's a novel about the roll Hams play after a disaster. For more
>> information, visit:
>
>That certainly has to be fiction.
>

5247. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <MWrY4.7404$4X5.15948@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110259

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8gqd3f$k9e$1@news.hawaii.edu...

SNIP
>
> No jumping here. Paul said, "...you are advocating removal of one
> means of insuring that our government respects the wishes of it's
> citizens." *That sounds like* Paul is prepared to use a weapon against
> our government if they don't respect his wishes.

SNIP

That sounds like .... what? Jeff's non-jump to Jeff's non-conclusion ...
hmmmm?

Nah ... there's no jumping, above. I jump to that conclusion.

Jumpily yours, K3BHJ.

5248. Re: "Dirty Words"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chancellor Dubrinov <papermelons@europa.netcrusader.net>
Message-ID: <FXsY4.8905$VO2.210310@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Larry Roll K3LT" <yodoc@aol.comqfuspam> wrote in message
news:20000529012221.10818.00005031@nso-fi.aol.com...
>
> Would you want your 8-year old daughter/son/niece/nephew/
> granddaughter/grandson etc. to tune in to a graphic discussion
> of various sexual activities on a ham radio frequency? Keep
> in mind that the FCC has yet to require the development of
> "Smart Radios" that can only be turned on by their licensed
> users!

Probably not Larry, although you should know that:

1) Most 8 year olds (usually males) will be able to fluently quote
George Carlin's "Seven Dirty Words" at the drop of a hat. I know
that I could do it when I was 8 years old in 1977 - grin

2) Most kids are exposed to suggestive speech by the time their
10 yrs old from sources like commercial radio, television, video
games - and more increasingly on the Internet.

3) It is HIGHLY DOUBTFUL that your *average* 8 year old will hear
adult style language on ham radio, as most 8 year olds DO NOT
EVEN KNOW what ham radio is. Nor could they probably care
less when there are things marketed and customized to them like
Sega-Genesis, Pokemon and other such items of juvenile amusement.

4) "Smart Radios" (?) Only someone as anyl-retentive and technologically
backwards as Ham Radio Operators would be so silly as to suggest
something as this. (the "V-Chip" was an unworkable technology)
Yes, Washingtoon would probably toy with the idea of a "smart radio"
just like they toyed with the idea of "smart guns" and "smart cars".

Tech lesson # 66: "Smart Cars" are those keyless entry systems and
Key mounted PADS devices
that you can now purchase countermeasures/device kits for in Nuts and
Volts magazine - about $75 is all it will cost you for a device that
will
duplicate the keychain remote entry system, and defeats the lock and
alarm, giving you access to ANY car so equipped. Let's go "car
shopping" at
the shopping center parking lot Larry! [no, I do not condone auto
theft, but I
do say: "so much for smart technology" ha!]

5249. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...dAFf2Y duck quacked and blew bubbles again about it !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <D6tY4.7417$4X5.15572@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110261

As usual, dAFf2Y duckdoc quacks, and Windbag comments:
****

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8groli$pa0$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net...
> Hey Windbag, what are you so grumpy about? Seems to me you need either a
> good meal or a good laxative. For heaven's sake, my point is that the guy

The range of prescriptions is limited, but of course, this is, or could be, explained by dAFf2Y doc's formerly practicing dentistry exclusively, his optical rectitis and his general fixation on other peoples' bodily appearances ...

"Wow what a gut! Jesus he looks like all of Stott City's in there."
AF2Y

... and functions. If I consumed the stuff dAFf2Y doc shoots onto this reflector, I'd probably take that purgative he recommends, out of ... drum roll ... trumpet fanfare ... SELF-DEFENSE! As it is, I simply read and comment.

> was stabbed for providing a memorization course which would have increased

stabbed? GASP! VIOLENCE! Let's be more peaceable.

> the numbers in ham radio exactly as Bash does. You don't have to get all
> bent out of shape over the truth. If you feel irritated, go let it out on

dAFf2Y doc, if memory serves, I took issue with your gratuitous insults to 95 percent of the ham population, and to T.O.M.

> the guy who was canned, not on me who supports him. In the meantime go eat
a
> can of Heinz beans, sit in the tub and bite the bubbles. It'll be the
first

Another dose of dAFf2Y doc's helpful osteopathological prescriptions and fixations, I suppose. It's interesting to have dAFf2Y doc's views on what's worthwhile, too. dAFf2Y duckdoc, are these bubble-bitings in your forthcoming autobiography?

> worthwhile thing you've done in May.

> AF2Y,Doc
>
> ----------
>

****
Your bite, dAFf2Y duckdoc. Do something you deem worthwhile any time you care to.

As you were.

K3BHJ.

5250. Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Macky the Fisherman <nleeds@aol.com>
Message-ID: <2ptY4.8536$TZ2.310057@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Found this article in another NG.
It may be interesting to radio enthusiasts.
Scanner users may want to program the
frequencies of their local utility into their
radios for future live listening !

--------- begin quoted article ---------------

High-energy nation could pull the plug on the power grid

By LISA HOFFMAN
Scripps Howard News Service
May 29, 2000

- You grab a few cubes from the ice-maker for your iced tea, nuke a frozen pizza in the microwave, toss a load of wash in the dryer, notch up the AC, crank the stereo, scan in a couple of photos to e-mail to relatives, and sit back for an evening cruising the Internet.

Upstairs, the kids are styling their hair, playing computer games and listening to the radio, while your spouse is in the basement office finishing the spreadsheet work that didn't get done that day on the job.

That seemingly serene summer scenario is anything but that for those in charge of supplying electricity to the nation.

Energy experts warn that the onset of the hot season, coupled with the recent acceleration in the wiring of America, is likely to bring months of power brownout and blackout alerts in unprecedented number.

As demand drains supply, the cost of power for companies and consumers is headed for a dramatic uptick. Peak-time prices hundreds of times higher than usual are forecast this summer in some regions.

Why? Combine a sizzling economy, an explosion of computer users at home and on the job, and a proliferation of other electronic devices ruled by microprocessors for work and play. The result is a ravenous appetite for reliable electricity that must travel over a lagging transmission system designed for a largely bygone era.

"The system, designed as a two-lane road, is now being used as an autobahn or New Jersey Turnpike," said James Owen, spokesman for the Edison Electric Institute, an interest group of private electric companies.

Particularly worried is the burgeoning high-tech industry, as well as firms engaged in Internet commerce or otherwise dependent on e-mail and similar online ways of doing business.

For them, a blackout, or complete power failure, can be ruinous. From online stock trading outfits to such Internet merchants as eBay and Amazon.com, every minute the power is out can mean millions of dollars lost.

Brownouts _ caused by intentional cutbacks in electrical juice _ also can wreak havoc on sensitive equipment, including that used by everything from ATM machines to auto mechanics. Surges or other blips, even those imperceptible to an office worker, can knock a microprocessor for a loop.

The digital world, according to experts, demands a power supply that is essentially 99.9999 percent steady and reliable. Despite its stresses, the U.S. system is remarkably dependable, but even so, the average residential customer can count on glitches causing a cumulative seven or eight hours without power a year.

That would be catastrophic for new economy enterprises, where a disruption as brief as "one-60th of one second is enough to make everything go blooey," said Karl Stahlkopf, vice president of the non-profit Electric Power Research Institute in Palo Alto, Calif.

Estimates are that the economy will lose more than $25 billion a year as a result of power disruptions which, until the digital age, were far from rare but hardly so crippling.

In the past decade alone, the power "load," or demand, has increased 35 percent while the capacity to get that electricity to users has grown only 18 percent. Conservative forecasts predict another 20 percent boost in demand ahead, but no more than a 4 percent hike in transmission capacity. A big part of the problem is that no one wants new power poles or stations near their homes or businesses.

Complicating the situation is the ongoing deregulation of the power industry.

"The country is increasingly sensitive to any type of disruption," said Jamie Wimberly, vice president of the Consumer Energy Council, a watchdog group in Washington.

Already this summer, the Silicon Valley region of California, broiling now in a heat wave, is being warned by Pacific Gas & Electric to make a concerted conservation effort or face significant power problems and financial penalties. Energy experts expect the same situation to bedevil other parts of the country this summer, particularly in other high-tech hubs.

Some technology firms are shelling out big bucks to build their own power plants to insulate themselves from disruptions. In Redwood Shores, Calif., for instance, computer hardware and software giant Oracle Corp. has spent $6 million to construct its own generators and substation system.

The Energy Department and conservation groups have begun to amplify their calls for the country to cut back consumption through more energy-efficient appliances and power-stingy habits.

Some in the industry are demanding more financial incentives to stimulate investment in the nation's power grid, coupled with fewer restrictions from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

"We have to build a type of electrical power infrastructure that will support a microprocessor-based society," Stahlkopf said. "We have very little choice."

5251. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2cru@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000529084736.14219.00000687@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 110263

>There is a flea market every Tuesday about 3 miles from where I live. I
>can go there anytime and purchase a rifle or pistol, no questions asked.
>I see it every week. The sellers are not undercover agents, they have
>been there for years and I have never heard of anyone getting arrested
>for buying or selling a firearm. I have even see the local police there
>several times and never questioning a buyer or seller.
>

Please give a better address so we can all find it.

5252. Re: Ham radio's downward trend...dAFf2Y duck quacked and blew bubbles again about it !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wufu <wyatt6gunNOwySPAM@ccountry.net.invalid>
Message-ID: <16fea86c.866397ce@usw-ex0105-037.remarq.com>
Source record: 110264

BULLSEYE!!!!

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
The fastest and easiest way to search and participate in Usenet - Free!

5253. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: p57 <p57burke@pop3.freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <39327B60.6E264049@pop3.freewwweb.com>
Source record: 110265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rudy Marcelletti, K8SWD wrote:

> Check to see if the plugs that were replaced are resistor plugs (what you
> likely had in the engine before the check).

I thought they went to resistor plugs over 20 years ago?

> If not--take it back to them
> because likely resistor plugs are specified for your engine. The dealers
> charge an arm and a leg or two for spark plugs. You should have changed
> them out yourself with some good resistor plugs. If the dealer put in
> resistor plugs, you may now be in need of new spark plug wires, because the
> may now be leaking.

Right. When they pull the wires off to replace the plugs, they could have
damaged the connection and could be a source of rf hash.

> It may not be a plug related problem at all. See if
> noise is there with the antenna disconnected. If it is, it is line noise
> and you can filter it out. If noise is gone when antenna disconnected, you
> need to "sniff" to locate the source and eliminate it there.

Absolutely.

5254. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JR <jr@some.net>
Message-ID: <3932734B.37F3@some.net>
Source record: 110266

N2CRU wrote:
>
> >There is a flea market every Tuesday about 3 miles from where I live. I
> >can go there anytime and purchase a rifle or pistol, no questions asked.
> >I see it every week. The sellers are not undercover agents, they have
> >been there for years and I have never heard of anyone getting arrested
> >for buying or selling a firearm. I have even see the local police there
> >several times and never questioning a buyer or seller.
> >
>
> Please give a better address so we can all find it.

Your in PA, it is in Tx.

5255. Re: New US ham tests for Palm computers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <edgar.nospam@penn.com>
Message-ID: <rtvY4.7500$4X5.16822@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110267

Great idea!!!

Best wishes on your upgrade.

- Bill

Bob M. <none@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:sj3319gb5pj104@corp.supernews.com...
> All Palm OS users
>
> Need to study for the new tests? I finally had the chance to convert
> the -new- US ham radio test question pools so that I could read them on my
> Palm IIIxe handheld computer. They're the same stuff found on the ARRL's
> question pool web page, just converted to the Palm DOC format. You'll
need
> a doc reader such as CSpotRun.
>
> For the other Palm OS users out there, if you want to study the question
> pool but can't haul a lot of paper around (the General test question pool
is
> 70 pages long, Extra is 120 pages), this is what you need.
>
> http://www.tibpriors.org/hamtests.htm
>
>
>

5256. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000529112507.09016.00000499@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 110268

Good call, Roy. My 2,000 Ford F-250 diesel is a noise generator par excellence. I have part of the problem solved, but a little more work to do till I can enjoy the "noise free" mobile ham shack that diesels are "famous" for.

LW

5257. W8MMQ.NET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hicks <dahicks@email.com>
Message-ID: <glwY4.10193$hL1.667282@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110269

The W8MMQ web site at:

http://w8mmq.net/

is now back online. We have updated the radio mods library recently, with
over 2,000 radio modification files.

Also, be sure to check out the W8MMQ antique radio page:
http://www.w8mmq.net/oldradio/

5258. Re: AF2Y: Get some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <sj545vh05pj157@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 110270

It doesn't take a degree in Psychology to know when someone is mentally ill. That "man" needs help. Sounds like some liberal held him hostage and brainwashed him into believing all this liberal crap and how getting rid of the Bill of Rights would somehow be good for Americans and make the world a safer and happier place, etc. Either that or the guy has severe constipation and the buildup of crap has gone to his head and is poisoning his brain. In any and all cases, he needs professional help

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Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member

NRA Life Member
"If the government is the only one allowed to possess guns, are we still a free people?"

Please find out about rec.guns at:
http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns

Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy to get the Clintons

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"KC8JBO" <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8gjig7$e4l$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <392c03cc.74110077@news.mindspring.com>,
> (John) wrote:
> > Get some help, Doc. You are a very very sick man.
> >
>
> And your credentials in Psychology are.....????
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5259. Use Optolinx to Program Kenwood TM-G707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Hitchner" <BiteMe@Spammers.com>
Message-ID: <ivwY4.12167$85.51478@news1.rdc1.tx.home.com>
Source record: 110271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thought I would pass along this information:

http://members.home.net/hitchner/OptoTMG707.htm

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David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - nospam@home.com
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://members.home.net/hitchner
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ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Use my last name in e-mail address above for replies.

5260. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Halstead <rdhalste@tm.net>
Message-ID: <wuwY4.151$YY2.15994@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 110272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Roger Halstead (K8RI)
www.RogerHalstead.com
N833R World's oldest Debonair? CD-2
"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:0297B9231A46F969.163CF4DA3535A51D.46C151732B74CDB3@lp.airnews.net...
> Go out into the dark tonight with no lights around. Start the car and
> open the hood. Look around all the spark plug wires, distributor cap
> and plug ends to see where the big spark gap transmitter is arcing to
> the block. Pay particular attention wherever metal comes near the
> plug wires.
>
> They probably pulled one of the wires apart or cracked it against
> something and now you either have a series arcing in the plug wires or
> to ground....
>
> Next time you buy a car....BUY A DIESEL! The only thing electronic in
> my 1973 Mercedes 220D is the clock...(c; There is no difference in
> noise between engine off and full throttle!

Even then be careful with the newer ones. I have ABS brakes in a 93 Transam
with the Corvette engine. Every once in a while they will open the squelch
on VHF. Some times the noise will go away when I touch the pedal, and other
times it will start when I touch it. Sometimes it just stats while driving
down the road...Usually when going slow.

Roger
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>
> On Sun, 28 May 2000 13:49:31 -0400, PopTician <zootv@erols.com> wrote:
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> >
> >Hi, I haven't run HF mobile for a few months, and in the time I've been
> >off the air I had the 60,000 mile maintenance check on my car. Before
> >the car went in, I had 1-3 s units of noise coming from the car. Now
> >the noise is 20 over, and the noise blanker on my IC-706 isn't doing the
> >job. I looked at the the receipt from the dealer, and they did change
> >the spark plugs. Looks like everything else they did was changing
> >gaskets, fluids, and belts. I suspect its the spark plugs. Any other
> >suggestions as to what may be the causing the increased noise? It seems
> >to get much worse when you acclerate and then switch quickly to the
> >brake (like when trying to find a parking spot at the mall). If it is
> >the spark plugs, how do I solve the problem? Rig is an IC-706, High
> >Sierra HS-1500, RG-8x.
> >Thanks,

> >Mike
> >
> >
> >
>

5261. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3932A6A6.27D6262D@IEEE.org>
Source record: 110273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Roger Halstead wrote:
> Even then be careful with the newer ones. I have ABS brakes in a 93 Transam
> with the Corvette engine. Every once in a while they will open the squelch
> on VHF. Some times the noise will go away when I touch the pedal, and other
> times it will start when I touch it. Sometimes it just stats while driving
> down the road...Usually when going slow.

I had the same problem with a '92 S10 Chevy Pickup. HF was almost
impossible to copy. Amazingly enough, my '96 GMC Sierra Pickup
is the quietest vehicle I've ever owned.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.mindspring.com/~w6rca

5262. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Snyder Hale <david@isi9.mtwilson.edu>
Message-ID: <8gucf8$56a$2@agate.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 110274

A specific, related question: would this have been a circumstance
to use the word "mayday" to attract attention?

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Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu * n3wtk@arrl.net

5263. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8guerp$qs0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110275

In article <393225DD.FFCB89A6@sccoast.net>,
stewartx@sccoast.net wrote:

> Smoking is not essential to YOU. Others may consider it an
essential
> part of their enjoyment of life - they enjoy smoking and their
enjoyment
> makes them happy. And, according to the Declaration of Independence,
> the pursuit of happiness is a right.

Just meant smoking isn't a "necessity"; ie, it is a luxury. Yes, cars can be considered a luxury as well, but we have designed cities and societies where the car is arguably more of a necessity.

Also, when I was a smoker, and under the clutches of the drug, smoking was still not "essential". I always was concerned about those around me and if it was going to offend/irritate, I simply would wait. Uncomfortably, but I would wait.

I did have some friends, however, who would light up in a car on a cold night, and not crack the window. Even as a smoker, this gagged me. I'd ask them to crack the window, but they'd reply "It's coooollllld." Well, then, don't smoke. I'm trying to drive, and my eyes are watering!

I also know smokers who will spend their last $$$'s on smokes, not food or other essentials.

Smoking is a drug. I have been there, and in a way, I still am. All drugs make people illogical, and due to the cravings, this issue will never find a happy medium.

I have a very intelligent freind (Pulitzer Prize, etc.) who chain smokes beyond compare. Before one is out, the next is lit. Most time I have counted was 15 seconds of no lit cigarette. But if I take them away from him, a major battle would ensue. I mean if I took them away for 60 seconds! You can't tell me this is "essential". Desired, maybe, but not "essential". The human body can only metabolize one cigarette per hour.

> And before the government can take away a right, it must have an
> overwhelming reason to do so. And there is no more of an overwhelming
> reason to remove cigarette pollution than there is to remove car
> pollution. Therefore, one cannot be allowed while the other is
banned.
> Or, if you prefer, if one must be banned, so must the other. Any less
> of a standard is simply unjust.

Yet another reason why we don't need BIG government making all the rules for us. If I own a restaurant, and I get more money by banning smoking, that is my right to do so. Or vice versa---if smokers are my cash cow, then I will turn away normal people. It's all what the market will bear, and this all falls under opinion, and should never get to the point of it being a LAW.

Problem is we have all this liberal B.S. now where I, as a restaurant owner, must keep both sides happy. In some states this is a LAW. What a crock!

> Now, I have no problem with reasonable restrictions on cigarette
> smoking. Set aside a smoking area in the resturant and there is no
> problem. However, to ban smoking in that resturant entirely is
> unreasonable. Or to use you "jambox" analogy, it is reasonable to say
> that the volume must be lowered, but to ban the "jambox" from all
> resturants is unreasonable.

Agreed, but the owner should be able to cater to whoever he wants to. Banning is rediculous.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5264. Re: Handling of a Road Emergency?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Snyder Hale <david@isi9.mtwilson.edu>
Message-ID: <8gucbf$56a$1@agate.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 110276

Burt <k1oik@yahoo.com> wrote:

> Get a cell phone.

There was a cell phone available on the scene; there was no service.

The road that I was on is known to not have cell coverage.

--
Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu * n3wtk@arrl.net

5265. FS: FT-50R with accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitchell Katz <mcguyver@bv.net>
Message-ID: <3932BAF7.B00400C@bv.net>
Source record: 110277

Yaesu FT-50R with the following for sale. Must sell due to health problem.

Unit in 10/10 condition
Includes:

FT-50R with FTT-12 Voice recorder keypad
1 - 9.6V NiCd, great shape with clip
1 - 6V NiCd, great shape w/ clip
Standard charger
Original box, manual and schematics
ADMS-1E software and programming cable
Stock antenna
Leather belt case with quick remove belt loop

A great system, I'd love to keep but need the money. Unit has been MARS/CAP modded. Asking $300 plus shipping. Click on below link for photo

http://www.bv.net/~mcguyver/ft50r.JPG

E-mail me with any further questions

5266. Re: Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: garyjames@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8gugnf$s5q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sounds like a public relations yarn to justify a coming corporate gouging of the consumer. But hey what I know, I thought the same thing about the energy crisis in the mid 70's! And as we all know there REALLY WAS a shortage of gas and oil wasn't there! har!har!

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5267. Re: AF2Y: Get some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <01277360.ed7d74cb@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>
Source record: 110279

Duffy, you hit the nail squarely on the head regarding AF2Y.
Looks like a duck. Quacks like a duck. Waddles like a duck.
By golly, it probably is a duck!

* Sent from RemarQ http://www.remarq.com The Internet's Discussion Network *
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5268. Kenwood TR-7730 info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wschoppe <wschoppe@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <dPzY4.2371$HD6.35444@iad-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 110280

Can anyone provide me with the information on the rear backup battery pins on the Kenwood TR-7730?There are three of them and what looks like a ground. Don't have the manual so I am not sure what the voltage should be. The jack is used to save the memory information if the power is removed. Like if you remove it from your mobile and bring into shack, the memory disappears. Any help would be appreciated. If you have the manual and could scan the page dealing with the B.U. jack, you then could email it to me as an attachment.
Thanks, the rig was my dad's, AA4YA, until he became a silent key...

Bob Schoppe WR2S

5269. Re: Red Panty Man Debuts On 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529161103.28892.00000556@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110281

Is that the only reason anyone listens? To see what imaginative jammer will pop up next. ROFLMAO
I think that they should be calling GAR's long winded monologues jamming.
Have the ol man keep it short AND concise. If he can. LOL

5270. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529160605.28892.00000554@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110282

That's exactly right. the wierd thing is, is that Doc af2y claims that it never happened. Hitler had no gun contol.
just shows how some can be mis-informed.
>from: hammer007 hammer007@my-deja.com

>I was reading the postings of AF2Y which referenced gun control . these
>postings remind me of the speech that ADOLPH HITLER gave to the AUSTRIAN
>people in 1935. Hitler advocated gun control which he stated would lead to a
>safer society.

5271. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529161620.28892.00000558@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110283

Was that you that wrote that Doc? Charlie?
I can't believe what you just wrote there. Man, there's hope for you yet. :-)
Ps. Algore will LOSE. he's worse than Klintoon in many ways, and just as big a liar.
>From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com"

>This is gonna make you happy. After Giuliani dropped out of the Senate race
>due to a major health problem and was replaced by Rick Lazio, a G.O.P
>Congressman whose name reminds me of Paul Henried's character, Victor Laszlo
>in the film "Casablanca, " Mrs. Clinton, according to the highly accurate
>Zogby poll led her opponent 46%-32%.
>Let us staunch Republicans clap our hands because on May 27,2000, it is in a
>statistical dead heat.
>The "carpetbagger" has no business up here trying to represent the great
>state of New York. Any woman, even the First Lady, who sits idly by and says
>nothing while her husband is openly having sexual contacts with a White
>House intern plus others and actual sexual relations with a celebrity
>grabbing trollop such as Jennifer Flowers, is no more than an opportunistic
>power seeking broad who should have dumped Bill years ago instead of hanging
>on to gain an advantage. Hillary is unworthy of holding any public office
>let alone a Senatorial seat from N.Y.State and three cheers for our next
>President to be-Al Gore.
>AF2Y

5272. Re: hamfests

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39343C31.C0109A0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110034

> TJ Maxx didn't sell to the hamfest crowd. Theirs came from the thrift
> shops.
>
> Larry W4CSC.....I'll print this joke out on my Laserjet from the
> Kidney Foundation Thriftway....(c;
> It was $4.99 but needed a new toner cart.

Nice catch, but I found my wife at a Goodwill Thrift Store.

Now it THAT"s not an invitation to disaster, I don't know what is.

p

5273. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1ecllnp1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>>T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>>>Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org says...

>>>>Consider where ham radio would be today if the ARRL had never existed.

>>>You're right. The frequencies would probably have been put to better use by
>>>now.

>>Tell us, Tom -- how would our HF frequencies be currently utilized if
>>there had been no ARRL? (Details, please; try to reply with more than
>>one line.)

>Simple. They'd be utilized by shortwave broadcast stations, and perhaps maybe
>long range commercial stations.

So you believe that shortwave broadcast propaganda is a better use of
HF than that of amateurs? (I have to wonder why you and Burt are
licensed...) Is commercial use better than amateur use? If so, for
whom?

>It would be a helluva lot better than the mundane blather about the weather and
>health problems, as well as the DXers and contesters that seem to have
>overtaken the bands.

That's a bit of an exaggeration since contests are not permitted on
the WARC bands.

If you search long enough you'll find a group which might interest you:
Astro Net in which members exchange observation data as they peer into the
nighttime sky with their telescopes, the scuba divers net where discussion
includes coral reefs and ocean heating (which is causing a rise in ocean
level), senior war vets exchanging history-packed war stories, on-the-air
chess games, the Geology Net in which amateur gem hunters discuss recent
finds, the Society of Wireless Pioneers Net where former professional
radiomen meet and exchange stories, plus dozens more. I'm sure there is
some group out there which would appeal to you.

Jeff KH6O

5274. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 fan!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1er2$m98$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110036

Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> Johnny@mindspring.com wrote:

>> >That callsign is the property of the government,

>> Nonsense. Unless something's a registered trademark, it can be used
>> in any legal application.

> To use someone's identification as your own is not a legal application.

Okay, Dwight -- I'm going to sign your call next to my name below.
Your assignment is to search the US Code (USC) and the Codified Federal
Regulations (CFR) to see what law/regulation I might have broken.
Remember, our laws are written such that what's not prohibited is
permitted.

Cite instead of adding to the misinformation which permeates these NGs.

Jeff W5NET

5275. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: nkennedy@cswnet.com
Message-ID: <8h1h16$2gf$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> >Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> Did you all know that ONE THIRD of the AC power generated in this
> country is wasted by the electrical distribution system, according to
> the DoE? THAT'S the biggest noise in my HF mobile installation. I
> use a JPS NIR-10 audio signal processor to get rid of most of it.....

Whoa! I don't know if I can believe that one. Where did you find the
DOE statement?

Even if it's true, most of that one third power loss would be as non-rf
noise producing heat in the resistance of power line and transformer
conductors and transformer core losses. Some (not much) might be
corona discharge and arcing across damaged insullators, but surely not
much.

73,

Nick, WA5BDU

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5276. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1ff3$mu8$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110038

In article <39310635.7E08799F@oio.net>, w5lz <w5lz@oio.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey,
> Mercy, does that make you an appliance operator?
> 'Doc

That brings up the old question: Can a kit be considered "homebrew"? Liberal thinkers will say "yes," for one assembles the rig component by component. Conservative builders will say "no," for all the parts are supplied for you and the step-by-step instructions are fool-proof.

I have a mix of HB, kit, and appliance gear. For example, my 40m VFO is HB but used with the DX-60 xmtr, a kit. The Galaxy GT-550 is appliance, but with as much rebuilding as I've done, maybe it should be considered a kit.

Jeff

5277. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 fan!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8h1hhj$2ud$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110039

In article <8h1er2$m98$1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> Okay, Dwight -- I'm going to sign your call next to my name below.

> Jeff W5NET

OOOOoooooooooooohhhhh!!!

I'm telling!

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5278. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: horseshoestew@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h1hib$2ui$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110040
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8h1ecllnp1@news.hawaii.edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> If you search long enough you'll find a group which might interest
you:
> Astro Net in which members exchange observation data as they peer into
the
> nighttime sky with their telescopes, the scuba divers net where
discussion
> includes coral reefs and ocean heating (which is causing a rise in
ocean
> level), senior war vets exchanging history-packed war stories,
on-the-air
> chess games, the Geology Net in which amateur gem hunters discuss
recent
> finds, the Society of Wireless Pioneers Net where former professional
> radiomen meet and exchange stories, plus dozens more. I'm sure there
is
> some group out there which would appeal to you.

Most of these(and many more) groups exist on the Internet, right now.
They are also much more effecient, because all messages in a discussion
are saved forever(theoretically) - so the discussions can take place at
everyone's convenience.

The technology exists to make an Internet voice net that would provide
all the benefits, and none of the drawbacks, of an HF voice net. Hardly
anyone seems to be interested in this kind of thing, though.

> Jeff KH6O

Stewart - N0MHS

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5279. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1gjh$o4c$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110041

In article <8grm56vab1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:
>I should also add that Clint Eastwood, when he was Mayor of a small
>town,

That would be Carmel, just south of Monterey, CA.

5280. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1hcr$oq0$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...

>>Tab, 73, CQ -- each published dozens of amateur-related books.

>Maybe at one time, but the last time I was at AES in Cleveland, about 80%
>of the books were ARRL publications. Looks like a monopoly to me.

Is that really a monopoly? AES alone decides its stock. They know what
sells and what doesn't. OTOH, suppose no others publish amateur-related
books; can the League be faulted? Is that monopoly? Is a newspaper
in a single-newspaper-town a monopoly?

5281. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1ipt$q46$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110043

Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net> wrote:
> Now, I have no problem with reasonable restrictions on cigarette
>smoking. Set aside a smoking area in the resturant and there is no
>problem.

That's only effective if the smoking area is completely isolated from the non-smoking section. It would be reasonable if meals served in such an area were higher in price to reflect the higher maintenance costs to the owner.

>However, to ban smoking in that resturant entirely is unreasonable.

Yet, the owner is obligated to provide a safe work environment for his employees. (Have you heard about a class-action lawsuit stewardesses have filed against airlines for smoke-related diseases they've developed?)

> Or to use you "jambox" analogy, it is reasonable to say
>that the volume must be lowered, but to ban the "jambox" from all
>resturants is unreasonable.

But headphones can be required (as on our city buses).

> By the way, one can argue that the automobile is not essential. Man
>existed on this planet for thousands of years without an automobile.

The same argument says that computers and clothing are not essential.

5282. Re: Scanner squelch to activate relay???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5lz <w5lz@oio.net>
Message-ID: <39345304.D0F41F37@oio.net>
Source record: 110044

Dan,
Radio Shack will be happy to sell you a service manual,
just ask them.
'Doc

5283. And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530195859.22819.00000876@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110045

It's not surprising to see that kevin strom has now chimed in on this issue. Are we to believe that Kevin is truthful and "unbiased?" I think not. W9ART is very rarely on 3950. When he is it is usually for just a short qso with some of the people on that frequency. I have not ART intentionally jam anyone for well over a year or so. Granted I am not on or listening every time W9ART is on frequency but have heard and spoke with him several times. I have heard W9ART try to check in to the "So Called" liberty net and for Kevin or anyone else to assume that ART's attempt to check in was false or not genuine is just that, an assumption. Since he nor WA9JKI has been able to "successfully check in" (be recognized) they nor anyone else are able to say whether the attempted check -in was anything other than that, an attempt to check in. The fact that this group is able to exclude licensed individuals from checking in bounces us right back to the "initial" problem, that of a "private" frequency. One to be used by the "selected" individuals to transmit? the same *theme* over and over, week in and week out. The exclusion of any licensed operator should be looked at Mr. Hollingsworth.
On another note, Kevin Strom's paranoic claim that the statement "should be shot" is a death threat is just another attempt from him to "demonize" someone that disagrees with his or the "So Called" net's propaganda. The statement "should be shot" is nothing more than an opinion and is not in itself a death threat since ART in no way indicated intention, only that he believes that it should be done.
To such a paranoid mind as Kevin's, even the slightest possible hint that someone might not wish him well set his mind into the "real and present danger" mode
without any evaluation of the validity of such a remark Hell, I or other may believe the same thing. KK7HO
cc: Riley Hollingsworth

Subject: W9ART's response
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Date: 2000/05/30
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Dear Mr. Hollingsworth:

I have been off the air for a few weeks, having recently gotten married and also being very busy with business and personal affairs.

When I returned home I found that there had been several developments in FCC enforcement. I was particularly pleased to see that, finally, further action was being taken against long-time incorrigible jammers WA9KJI and W9ART.

I note that W9ART's response to your recent enforcement letter has been posted to Usenet and other discussion groups, as well as to one

of the pro-jammer web pages:

(http://dgk5mvk.tripod.com/Arts_Letter.htm).

Since the text is substantially the same in each case, I'm assuming
that the letter from Visser is genuine. I'd like to comment on a few
of W9ART's assertions of which I have direct and personal knowledge.

Visser wrote:

> I want to share one other item with you which I believe lends credibility to
my
> suggestion that this is nothing more than a 'set-up'. The following is from
the
> LIBERTY NET MESSAGE BOARD and is entitled, WILL IT WORK AGAIN?
>
> Posted: 5/2/2000 by Blood Bath McGaff
> Wanted: "Immediate need for affidavit stating that on a date (as yet to be
> determined) KJI was in QSO with ART. Will trade for 3-500's or MD 20/20. More
> as details become available."

The message to which Visser is referring was posted anonymously to
the "Liberty Net Message Board"

(http://www.nationlink.com/liberty/wwwboard.html)

as many such anonymous messages are, many by those supporting the
jammers of the net in question. However, this message was merely a
humorous reference to the infamous "KJI/CXJ Affidavit," implying
that ART and KJI would "weasel out" of their current predicament by
producing a fraudulent affidavit claiming they were "actually in
QSO" during their episodes of intentional interference. It obviously
had nothing to do with a "set up" of W9ART. Furthermore, it seems
extremely unlikely to me that anyone engineering such a "set up"
would have posted a request for assistance on a public message
board. Mr. Visser is obviously reaching very far afield to obscure
the issue of his malicious interference and other illegal behavior
on amateur radio.

Visser wrote:

> I have NEVER made a death threat to any person

This is a lie. Mr. Visser can be heard stating over and over again
over amateur radio that I "should be shot in the head" during one of
his jamming sessions which I happened to record and which is
archived at:

http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/w9art_deaththreat_19991224_0515pmcst.wav

This, you may recall, was the jamming/murder-threat incident which
earned Mr. Visser his first warning from you. Mr. Visser has also
made other threats of violence over amateur radio. He has also made
grossly obscene transmissions as part of his intentional

interference campaign, once transmitting the allegation that one of his perceived enemies was a "sperm-burping bitch" repeatedly and unceasingly for over an hour on top of an existing QSO. These are only a tiny fraction of the obscene, illegal, and intolerable acts of Mr. Visser over amateur radio.

Since receiving his first warning, I can confirm that Mr. Visser has continued his illegal intentional interference activities. Mr. Visser often intentionally interferes by pretending to check in to QSOs where he knows his presence is not wanted, even continuing his repeated fake "check-ins" at lengths exceeding several minutes in a sneering, mocking voice which makes it very clear that his intention is to disrupt. An example of this is available in .wav format at:

http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/w9art_jammingLN_20000115_0905pmcst.wav

When the phony "check-in" ploy fails, he often makes lengthy insulting commentaries about other amateur operators over top of the stations which he is insulting, in a flagrant violation of the amateur regulations.

Mr. Visser has been a little "slicker" in his jamming sessions since receiving his first warning, but his malicious interference has continued.

Visser wrote:

> The truth
> is that what they are angry about is not my so-called harassment, but the fact
> that I do not agree with them.

That's another outright lie. I'm a rare though occasional participant in the Liberty Net discussions, and I know many of the "regulars" as radio and real world friends, including Mr. Lauterbach.

We don't always agree with each other, for goodness' sake, and we certainly don't try to get licenses pulled of those with whom we disagree. Considering the wide range of views out there, we'd certainly be busy if we tried.

The problem with W9ART is not his views on any subject, about which no one cares very much that I can tell. The problem is his intentional interference which has been going on for years. If you can put a permanent stop to that, all of amateur radio will be permanently in your debt.

With every good wish,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

5284. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <tIYY4.21643$RO1.1104241@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 110046

Right On! Dwight! I Agree and according AF2Y we should be under government rule and believe everything Ted Turner and CNN tell us. The truth is less than 1% of 1% of all guns are ever used in a crime. Maybe the liberals should all move back to Britain or any other better country. Myself Ill stay here with my freedom ,Constitution and 2nd amendment.

Brian Hill (AMERICAN)

5285. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <cWYY4.15006$NE3.1096491@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 110047

Thats great! That way they can't track you down and slaughter your family
like the ATF did Randy Weaver's family.
Brian Hill

JR Wrote:
>Oh? I can take you to several flea markets where you can buy all guns
>you want, just put down the cash and no questions asked.
>

5286. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <w2ZY4.15012$NE3.1095008@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 110048

Thats what they want. An unarmed civilian pop. Hell that was one of Hitler's tricks and it worked!
Brian

T.L. Bryant wrote in message <8gpj5a1rs9@enews1.newsguy.com>...
>>Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
>>in biblical times.
>>
>
>I would have no problem with this if the police and all of military were armed
>with nothing but stones as well. You and I both know that this isn't going to
>happen.
>
>Tom - N8ECW
>

5287. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <xlZY4.15025$NE3.1099811@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 110049

You are a wise beyond your years Osama you can be in my club any day! You save me a lot of typing. Thanks
Brian

5288. N3GVA and N2SAGGY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h1rt8$p12$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110050

I am now SWLing N3GVA and SAGGY on 3.950 at 0151 UTC, May 31,00 and after hearing their ungentlemanly statements about Hillary Clinton while realizing that the awful elements using that frequency share their sentiments, I'm announcing my support for Mrs. Clinton in her bid to become a "Senatoress" from New York.
Anyone or anything 3.950 considers an enemy is my FRIEND because my loyalty to this country is, unlike the racists on that frequency, implaccable!
I'd sooner befriend a carpetbagger than move to the cadence of subversives which aptly describes the garbage loose on that frequency.
AF2Y

5289. Re: AF2Y asks "who?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h1rvn$7a8$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110051

Bo Gritz, adamant rightwinger, said so this morning on 9.400 and are you saying that such an icon as Gritz is a liar?

In article <20000530203102.22819.00000879@ng-fw1.aol.com>, kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> This shows perfectly how YOU are Charlie.
> YOU make a statement, that has no fact or truth. HAVE YOU heard Bush say that??
> NO YOU Haven't but you'll repeat everything that the liberal news feeds you.
> LOL LOL LOL LOL ahww ha ha haha
> Kurpfuscher spewed:
>>Simpleton George W. will be running with Missouri senator John Danforth as
>>his choice for veep
>
>

5290. Re: AF2Y, you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h1s54$gg9$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110052

Was ist ein Kurpfuscher? Das Wort hatte ich nie gehï¿½rt.

In article <20000530202500.22819.00000878@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> I send it to you Kurpfuscher, when I find it. LOL
> Kurpfuscher wrote
>>NAME THE TEXTBOOK or newspaper or magazine or did the info come from a
>>propaganda flyer sent
>
>

5291. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve - KF2TI/AE <kf2ti@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.139e41439ec0a07d98993a@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 110053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8h1rav$9vn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, p1415926535@yahoo.com says...
> In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
> "zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
> [...]
> > While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
> > reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
> > mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
> > are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
> > to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
> > this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
> > numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
> >
>
> Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.
>
> Considering that the current US ham population is several
> hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
> statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
> should be several times that many dying per month.
>
> Or did you just mean ARRL members? That number still sounds
> too low.
>
> OTOH, if hams only die at the rate of 55/month we could promote
> amateur radio just on its health benefits. :-)

And they just reported that WWII aged veterans were dying at a rate of
1000 per week and the national cemeteries are filling up. Guess the Army
and the ARS are both bad bets. Wonder how scared the VFW is (using the
same logic as the original poster) about their decreasing numbers.

Maybe if we had a few more wars, they could promote and increase
membership???

Who knows, if G. W is elected, he could send a few 100k to the middle
east just like his old man, so that the Tx Oil Barons can keep their
restrictive club memberships current.

DX= FCC rules DO NOT prohibit the inclusion of any
type of reimbursement for postage, nor does it make
illegal any voluntary donation that the sender wishes
to include

Repeaters= The FCC recognizes the right of individuals
and organizations to maintain close repeaters and

DOES NOT make it a crime to allow cited examples from
collecting monetary funds to maintain these operations

5292. Re: And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h1skm$154$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110054

I don't know Art Visser-never talked to him- but why anyone would put his
license on the line by competing for a frequency filled with neo-Nazi
subversives is beyond comprehension? Art, leave them to their own
machinations. Let them dream of destroying our government. They represent
THE SPOTLIGHT, a well known white extremacist rag. The FBI knows it and
monitors 3.950. Talk is cheap and meaningless aside from acting as a
cathartic for the goons with mics. Talking and ACTING ARE TWO DIFFERENT
THINGS and if they ever try to implement their hate, the FBI and ATF will
handle everything quite well.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <20000530195859.22819.00000876@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> It's not surprising to see that kevin strom has now chimed in on this issue.
> Are we to believe that Kevin is truthful and "unbiased?" I think not. W9ART
is
> very rarely on 3950. When he is it is usually for just a short qso with some
of
> the people on that frequency. I have not ART intentionally jam anyone for well
> over a year or so. Granted I am not on or listening every time W9ART is on
> frequency but have heard and spoke with him several times. I have heard W9ART
> try to check in to the "So Called" liberty net and for Kevin or anyone else to
> assume that ART's attempt to check in was false or not genuine is just that,
an
> assumption. Since he nor WA9JKI has been able to "successfully check in" (be
> recognized) they nor anyone else are able to say whether the attempted check
> -in was anything other than that, an attempt to check in. The fact that this
> group is able to exclude licensed individuals from checking in bounces us
right
> back to the "initial" problem, that of a "private" frequency. One to be used
by
> the "selected" individuals to transmit? the same *theme* over and over, week
in
> and week out. The exclusion of any licensed operator should be looked at Mr.
> Hollingsworth.
> On another note, Kevin Strom's paranoic claim that the statement "should be
> shot" is a death threat is just another attempt from him to "demonize" someone
> that disagrees with his or the "So Called" net's propaganda. The statement
> "should be shot" is nothing more than an opinion and is not in itself a death
> threat since ART in no way indicated intention, only that he believes that it
> should be done.
> To such a paranoid mind as Kevin's, even the slightest possible hint that
> someone might not wish him well set his mind into the "real and present

danger"
> mode
> without any evaluation of the validity of such a remark Hell, I or other may
> believe the same thing. KK7HO
> cc: Riley Hollingsworth

5293. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 fan!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <393479C6.4B3A8957@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110055

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Okay, Dwight -- I'm going to sign your call next to my name below.
> Your assignment is to search the US Code (USC) and the Codified Federal
> Regulations (CFR) to see what law/regulation I might have broken.
> Remember, our laws are written such that what's not prohibited is
> permitted.
>
> Cite instead of adding to the misinformation which permeates these NGs.

Okay, Jeff, I'll repeat this one more time, you are not free to use a callsign that was issued, by the government, to someone else. If you want specific code concerning identy theft, see the example below. Note that this is only one example - there are other federal laws on the books (covering related issues) and many state laws relating to this. Look it up yourself.

Note that Section 1028 defines "means of identification" as any name or number that may be used alone or in conjunction with any other information to identy a specific individual - including, but not limited to, a name, social security number, date of birth, official state or government issued driverï¿½s license or identification number, alien registration number, government passport number, employer or taxpayer identification number. Similar definitions exist in almost all other laws pertaining to identity theft.

This act makes identity theft a Federal crime with penalties up to 15 years imprisonment and a maximum fine of $250,000. Also note that identity theft itself is a crime - it is not dependant on other circunstances, such as what the identification number was origionally issued for, where it was done, how it was done, or if damages actually exist.

Now, since my callsign is obviously a government issued identification number, and is designed to be used to identify a specific individual, it is clear that my callsign is a "means of identification" that is protected by this code.

My name, and address, is associated with that callsign on a government database. And I can face financial penalties, and loss of privileges, of that callsign is used improperly. Therefore, I have as much of an interest in protecting the use of that callsign as I would have in protecting the use of my credit card number or driver's license number.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

PREFACE

Identity Theft and Assumption Deterrence Act of 1998

Title 18 United States Code - Section 1028
Fraud and Related Activity in Connection with Identification Documents
and Information.

The Identity Theft and Assumption Deterrence Act of 1998 which became effective October 30, 1998, makes identity theft a Federal crime with penalties up to 15 years imprisonment and a maximum fine of $250,000. It establishes that the person whose identity was stolen is a true victim. Previously, only the credit grantors who suffered monetary losses were considered victims. This legislation enables the Secret Service, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and other law enforcement agencies to combat this crime. It allows for the identity theft victim to seek restitution if there is a conviction. It also establishes the Federal Trade Commission as a central agency to act as a clearinghouse for complaints, (against credit reporting agencies and credit grantors) referrals, and resources for assistance for victims of identity theft. This statute may serve as a model for your state to enact similar legislation. It should also provide you leverage to influence law enforcement to investigate your case.

THE CODE

Title 18 USC 1028:

(a) Whoever, in a circumstance described in subsection (c) of this section --

1.knowingly and without lawful authority produces an identification document or a false identification document;

2.knowingly transfers an identification document or a false identification document knowing that such document was stolen or produced without lawful authority;

3.knowingly possesses with intent to use unlawfully or transfer unlawfully five or more identification documents (other than those issued lawfully for the use of the possessor) or false identification documents;

4.knowingly possesses an identification document (other than one issued lawfully for the use of the possessor) or a false identification document, with the intent such document be used to defraud the United States;

5.knowingly produces, transfers, or possesses a document-making implement with the intent such document-making implement will be used in the production of a false identification document or another document-making implement which will be so used;

6.knowingly possess an identification document that is or appears to be an identification document of the United States which is stolen or produced without lawful authority knowing that such document was stolen or produced without such authority shall be punished as provided in subsection (b) of this section; or

7.knowingly transfers or uses, without lawful authority, a means of identification of another person with the intent to commit, or to aid or abet, any unlawful activity that constitutes a violation of Federal law or that constitutes a felony under any applicable State or local law;

(b) The punishment for an offense under subsection (a) of this section is --

1.except as provided in paragraph (3) and (4), a fine under this title or imprisonment for not more than 15 years, or both, if the offense is
--

(A) the production or transfer of an identification document or false identification document that is or appears to be --

(i) an identification document issued by or under the authority of the United States; or

(ii) a birth certificate, or a driver's license or personal identification card;

(B) the production or transfer of more than five identification documents or false identification documents;

(C) an offense under paragraph (5) of such subsection; or

(D) an offense under paragraph (7) of such subsection that involves the transfer or use of 1 or more means of identification if, as a result of the offense, any individual committing the offense obtains anything of value aggregating $1,000 or more during any 1-year period;

2. except as provided in paragraphs (3) and (4), a fine under this title or imprisonment for not more than three years, or both, if the offense is --

(A) any other production, transfer, or use of means of identification, an identification document, or a false identification document; or

(B) an offense under paragraph (3) or (7) of such subsection;

3. a fine under this title or imprisonment for not more than 20 years, or both, if the offense is committed --

(A) to facilitate a drug trafficking crime (as defined in section 929(a)(2)) or this title;

(B) in connection with a crime of violence (as defined in section 924(c)(3)); or

(C) after a prior conviction under this section becomes final;

4. a fine under this title or imprisonment for not more than 25 years, or both, if the offense is committed to facilitate an act of international terrorism (as defined in section 2331(1) of this title);

5. in the case of any offense under subsection (a), forfeiture to the United States of any personal property used or intended to be used to commit the offense; and

6. a fine under this title or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, in any other case.

(c) The circumstance referred to in subsection (a) of this section is that --

1.the identification document or false identification document is or appears to be issued by or under the authority of the United States or the document-making implement is designed or suited for making such an identification document or false identification document;

2.the offense is an offense under subsection (a)(4) of this section; or

3.either --

A.the production, transfer, possession, or use prohibited by this section is in or affects interstate or foreign commerce; or

B.the means of identification, identification documents, false identification document, or document-making implement is transported in the mail in the course of the production, transfer, possession, or use prohibited by this section.

(d) In this section --

1.the term "document-making implement" means any implement, impression, electronic device, or computer hardware or software, that is specifically configured or primarily used for making an identification document, a false identification document, or another document-making implement;

2.the term "identification document" means a document made or issued by or under the authority of the United States Government, a State, political subdivision of a State, a foreign government, political subdivision of a foreign government, an international governmental or an international quasi-governmental organization which, when completed with information concerning a particular individual, is a type intended to commonly accepted for the purpose of identification of individuals;

3.the term "means of identification" means any name or number that may be used, alone or in conjunction with any other information, to identify a specific individual, including any --

A.name, social security number, date of birth, official State or government issued driverï¿½s license or identification number, alien registration number, government passport number, employer or taxpayer

identification number;

B.unique biometric data, such as fingerprint, voice print, retina or iris image, or other unique physical representation;

C.unique electronic identification number, address, or routing code; or

D.telecommunications identifying information or access device (as defined in section 1029(e));

4. the term "personal identification card" means an identification document issued by a State local government solely for the purpose of identification;

5. the term "produce" includes alter, authenticate, or assemble; and

6. the term "State" includes any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and any other commonwealth, possession or territory of the United States.

(e) This section does not prohibit any lawfully authorized investigative, protective, or intelligence activity of a law enforcement agency of the United States, a State, or a political subdivision of a State, or of an intelligence agency of the United States, or any activity authorized under chapter 224 of this title.

(f) Attempt and Conspiracy ï¿½ Any person who attempts or conspires to commit any offense of this section shall be subject to the same penalties as those prescribed for the offense, the commission of which was the object of the attempt or conspiracy.

(g) Forfeiture Procedures ï¿½ The forfeiture of property under this section, including any seizure and disposition of the property and any related judicial or administrative proceeding, shall be governed by the provisions of section 413 (other than subsection

(d) of that section) of the Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act of 1970 (21 U.S.C. 853).

(h) Rule of Construction ï¿½ For purpose of subsection (a)(7), a single identification document or false identification document that contains 1 or more means of identification shall be construed to be 1 means of identification.

Identity Theft and Assumption Deterrence Act of 1998
(This was included in the Bill signed by the President.)

CENTRALIZED COMPLAINT AND CONSUMER EDUCATION SERVICE FOR VICTIMS OF IDENTITY THEFT.

(a) IN GENERAL ï¿½ Not later than 1 year after the date of enactment of this Act, (October 30, 1998) the Federal Trade Commission shall establish procedures to ï¿½

1.log and acknowledge the receipt of complaints by individuals who certify that they have a reasonable belief that 1 or more of their means of identification (as defined in section 1028 of title 18, United States Code, as amended by this Act) have been assumed, stolen, or otherwise unlawfully acquired in violation of section 1028 of title 18, United States Code, as amended by this Act:

2.provide informational materials to individuals described in paragraph (1); and

3.refer complaints described in paragraph (1) to appropriate entities, which may include referral to ï¿½

A.the 3 major national consumer reporting agencies; and

B.appropriate law enforcement agencies for potential law enforcement action.

(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS ï¿½ There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out this section.

5294. Shack Cleanout!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Van <kb9scz@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <s__Y4.2630$ed7.540487@homer.alpha.net>
Source record: 110056
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Well this is all that remains and it ALL has to go, so drop me a line if the price seems out of line. I'll even through in the shipping and insurance state side if the offer is good :)

Radio Shack HTX-212 2m mobile I give it a 7 as there are some minor surface scratches on the case. $125 obo

TrippLite PR-12 power supply, mint, very nice unit. $60 obo

MFJ-407C Deluxe Electronic Keyer, mint, bought but never got around to going for the code test. $50 obo

Bencher BY-1 paddles, same story as keyer $50 obo

Cobra 2000 GTL w/ extra speaker. With original box and mic. Also has D104 deskmike. Yes it does have the extra freqs and clarifier mod. $250 obo

Van Tully
KB9SCZ
vant@powernetonline.com

5295. Re: AF2Y (kurpfuscher)- READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <YJ1Z4.15189$NE3.1138978@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 110057

Heck! We can all talk till were blue in the face but guys like AF2Y never bend. They know it all! Hell there would be no America if we were all like him. Its probably better he don't have a gun. He'd probably shoot his self in the foot!

5296. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <vw1Z4.21937$RO1.1146264@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 110058

You got that right hammer. And he brain washed the German youth and the weak minded and they followed just like the liberals follow the Clinton and Ted Turner regime. For a radio group some must not listen to much short-wave or they would have better perspective on world affairs and history. Better yet maybe guys like AF2Y should read more books instead of watching so much T.V.
Brian

hammer007 wrote in message <8gshpn$h79$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>I was reading the postings of AF2Y which referenced gun control . these
>postings remind me of the speech that ADOLPH HITLER gave to the AUSTRIAN
>people in 1935. Hitler advocated gun control which he stated would lead to
a
>safer society.
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>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

5297. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gray Frierson Haertig <gfh@haertig.com>
Message-ID: <3934AFAB.AB8F114@haertig.com>
Source record: 110059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Larry W4CSC wrote:

>
> I don't think they really know, or actually care, because the
> consumers pay the bills.....
>

Of course they care. The consumer is billed for usage that occurs past all the losses. So any improvement in distribution efficiency means a reduction in necessary generation capacity and fuel.

Most utilities are acutely aware of the loss budgets in their distribution systems. An economic analysis is done on each loss factor to determine if the cost to reduce the loss is greater or less than the cost of generating additional power to make up for the loss. Economic analysis is a big part of electrical engineering.

Gray

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5298. Re: Auto-FAQ Sent to Over 17,500 rec.radio.amateur.misc Posters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <3933657E.6455664A@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110084

"Paul W. Schleck K3FU" wrote:
>
> A handful of recipients pointed out that they had been participating on
> the newsgroup for many years (It's possible that if you haven't posted
> in the last 45 months, or posted but the article didn't reach my local
> news spool, that you could potentially get this new user welcome message
> the next time you post. However, you will certainly not get it more
> than once.)

Perhaps they have been a member for many years - under different email addresses. I've changed my email address several times in the last couple of years - and each time I usually get a new user welcome message from the various newsgroups.

> The overwhelming majority did not respond, indicating one of several
> possibilities:
>
> - they approve of it
> - they disapprove, but not enough to bother replying
> - the mail was misdelivered (I got a few bounces, often from
> deliberately munged From: or Reply-To: addresses to ward off "spam";
> I've also recently begun to notice a number of readers registering
> with blocking or filtering services provided by DejaNews and others
> that prevent them from receiving reply E-mail)
> - they don't care

Or another possibility is that they don't want to encourage unsolicited email by replying to that very email. Every single time I have responded to an email message like this, asking to be removed from the mailing list (or whatever), the amount of unsolicited email (especially from that person) has increased. And, when I ignore unsolicited email, the amount of unsolicited email tends to decrease.

It did not take me long to learn not to reply to this stuff. Now I simply trash unsolicited email without even taking the time to read it (I rarely get past the subject line). And, of course, long-winded messages also get trashed very quickly if I'm not really interested in the topic.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5299. Re: Dayton Hamfest Wild Sightings?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <FiLY4.75844$55.608193@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 110085

"Stoli126" <stoli126@aol.com> wrote in message
> I have heard there were some interesting sightings walking around at the
Dayton
> Hamfest.What were the wildest sightings that you have seen there Someone
said
> someone was walking around with an antenna on his head is this true What
other
> kind of interesting things were there

5300. Re: DAYTON (it stunk-on-ice)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Innocent John!!! <jmackey@NOSPAMparg.org>
Message-ID: <QeLY4.75843$55.608261@news1.sttls1.wa.home.com>
Source record: 110086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steve - I'll see your 11 & raise you by 2, this was my 13th year at
Dayton (every year since 1987). My motel was FULL & ran out of
roll-a-way beds & had to issue at least one air mattress.

At the awards drawing, the MC announced the attendance was at roughly
28,000. Since then the ARRL (Dayton was the ARRL National Convention
this year) announced the attendance at being slightly over 30,000.

BTW - At Dayton, often times venders start to leave on Saturday afternoon,
as has happened for many years.

"Steve - KF2TI/AE (Landing, NJ)" <kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote in message
> Not even close to 30k. I've been to Dayton (this is my 11th)when you
> couldn't even walk inside (on a nice day). The parking lots outside the
> arena weren't even close to having the number of cars from last year
> alone. Inside vendors like R&L and HRO said the same thing. My hotel,
> normally filled had 50 rooms available for walk in check-in.
>
> There were more people when the event was held in April. The change to
> May did wonders for the weather (at least it doesn't SNOW anymore), but
> there are so many time conflicts for everyone in May.
>
> If 30k people were there, then how does one explain why so many outside
> vendors left Saturday? I'd say there were probably more than the
> unofficial estimate but way under 30k. The best people to talk to was
> the food vendors. According to 3 of them, they had WAYYYY too much food
> for the number of people, even factoring in the fact that the pricing was
> outrageous.

5301. Re: Windy the Magician

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <kjNY4.8462$4X5.20306@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110087

Thanx for the magical flowers, dAFf2Y docduck.

If you were using am Intel-based machine, I could tell you how to check for anonymity and other stuff. However ... if memory serves, you opted for one of the fringe brands with a Motorola processor. Too bad.

I will tell you that I don't want or need anonymity on this reflector.

dAFf2Y duckdoc, there are probably *trained monkeys of nutty Republicans* on the group ROTFL at your petulant display of ignorance of how the 'net functions at a technical level.

For you, dAFf2Y docduck, it's time for remedial computer classes. You may have demonstrated the capacity for learning: I think you went to med school -- somewhere. There may be a trained monkey somewhere who will teach you something about computers and the 'net, and taxpayers' *contributions* to pay your tuition.

To acclimate yourself to monkeys, go to this site: 216.218.248.139 and for your first lab class, find the monkey page. It's a quack -- errrrrr, hoot.

dAFf2Y duckdoc, you're one quacky guy. But don't provoke the wizards, because they are quick to anger and they are subtle.

Your quack to this august and puissant newsgroup. As you were. K3BHJ.

5302. Re: dAFf2Y quacks that he's confused

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <4rNY4.8463$4X5.20918@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110088

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8gv3r0$11$1@slb3.atl.mindspring.net...
> Windy,
> My brilliant statements were meant for your eyes only; I didn't ask for
any
> more notoriety but thanks anyway.
> The Genius
>

You're welcome. K3BHJ.

5303. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3933A581.A3CC00AB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110089

Osama/bin/login wrote:
>

> Heston for President!!!!
>

You know they laughed when someone first said that about Reagan.
He turned out to be one of our most popular and effective
Presidents.

5304. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <529335476F9217DC.F20E486767C6810A.E0BE3F61FA514CB1@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 28 May 2000 19:34:44 -0700, Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
wrote:

>Larry W4CSC wrote:
>> . . .
>> Next time you buy a car....BUY A DIESEL! The only thing electronic in
>> my 1973 Mercedes 220D is the clock...(c; There is no difference in
>> noise between engine off and full throttle!
>
>It might be necessary to modify that to read "buy an old Diesel". I'd be
>awfully surprised if modern ones didn't have electric fuel pumps,
>injectors, and other peripheral devices. Even yours has headlights and
>gauges and starts with a battery, so there's a charging system and
>regulator. A Diesel doesn't have an ignition system, and that's often
>the dominant noise source, but it has every other noise-generating
>device you'll find on any other car.
>
>Roy Lewallen, W7EL

You're right, Roy. It has a MECHANICAL voltage regulator that's
unaffected by the 650W coming out of the 15' monster Bugcatcher
homebrew antenna. All the DC electricals are also mechanically
operated, except for the analog quartz clock......

Most hams have ignition noise, ad nauseum. Actually I do to, from all
the cars that get near me. Luckily, they are only temporary.

Did you all know that ONE THIRD of the AC power generated in this
country is wasted by the electrical distribution system, according to
the DoE? THAT'S the biggest noise in my HF mobile installation. I
use a JPS NIR-10 audio signal processor to get rid of most of it.....

73, Larry W4CSC

5305. Re: Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <E27ADB395A4B6B4E.2D63FA82620D6D2F.703EA6F2AF243BD5@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 29 May 2000 12:29:50 GMT, "Macky the Fisherman"
<nleeds@aol.com> wrote:

>Found this article in another NG.
>It may be interesting to radio enthusiasts.
>Scanner users may want to program the
>frequencies of their local utility into their
>radios for future live listening !
>
>--------- begin quoted article ---------------
>
>
>High-energy nation could pull the plug on the power grid
>
LUCKILY, this problem is one for California, the upper Midwest and the
Northeast. Least affected is the Southeast US, including our little
South Carolina, the nations Nuclear Waste Dump. Our nukie generators
supply way, way too much power for South Carolinians to use....so much
so we're powering about 6 states!

Larry....where DID I put my Geiger Counter??
Click ....Click Click.......Click Click Click.....

5306. Re: Castle in even MORE hot water! HEY ANON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3933CE11.3661BBEC@ahole.com>
Source record: 110092

Every one else is fine but this ANON guy....

By the way why don't you go eat shit and DIE.......

Fiddle Faddle wrote:
>
> Hey General! Carraige returns are for typewriters. Why haven't you
> learned to set-up your newsreader properly?
>
> My post came out just fine...

5307. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3933D33B.244CDB32@ahole.com>
Source record: 110093

DOC, explain how we are to get rid of guns. You mouth off a lot but
you never have any suggestions to fix the problems. Lets hear from
you DOC. What is your suggestion? And don't give us that crap to
register guns because all you are hurting is the citizens of this
country that follow the law. Explain how you will get the guns out
of the hands of criminals?

The old saying is true, get rid of guns and the only people that
will have guns are criminals.

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones like
> in biblical times.
>
> ----------
> In article <8gp0a421bqc@enews4.newsguy.com>, tlbryant@my-deja.com (T.L.
> Bryant) wrote:
>
> > In article <8gopfr$h7p$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>, radiosigs@mindspring.com
> > says...
> >>
> >>An explanation's in order.
> >>On May 26,2000 a kid walked into a Lake Worth Florida school and shot his
> >>teacher to death.
> >>SHOT...like SHOT with a GUN.
> >>A kid! Where did it come from? Was it a REGISTERED and LICENSED firearm?
> >>If not, are you sure you still want guns sold like bubble gum?
> >>If it proves to be unregistered and unlicensed, will you still stand behind
> >>Heston and LaPierre who tell us how maaaaaavelous is our 2nd Amendment which
> >>allows kids to shoot teachers or will you see the light and give credit to
> >>those 750,000 mothers who let it all hang out in D.C. last week?
> >>Remember the murdered teacher left a wife and two children. His wife was a
> >>MOTHER. You know what--when they march again, she's going to be right in
> >>front of the procession.
> >>If you gun lovers' wives are included, just maybe they will make the
> >>necessary difference to stop the NRA from holding us all hostage?
> >>AF2Y
> > >
> > > Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
> > > Murder is murder, regardless of the method used.
> > >
> > > The last time I checked, it was already against the law for a minor to possess
> > > a handgun. Yet this didn't stop the the kid from shooting the teacher. How
> > > would more unenforcable laws do any better?

> >
> > Guns have been a part of our society since this country's inception. It is
> only
> > in recent decades that people have decided to shoot each other to resolve
> their
> > differences. What is your explanation for this?
> >
> > Tom - N8ECW
> >

5308. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <3933D51E.C34EBFB5@ahole.com>
Source record: 110094

That is bull shit Jeffrey Ask anyone that was in a KNIFE fight and
they will tell you that they fear the knife more that a gun.

My bullet proof vest I wear will stop a bullet but NOT A KNIFE. I
would rather fight a person with a gun than a knife.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
>
> Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a bullet.

5309. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2cru@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530092409.17918.00000934@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 110095

>Your in PA, it is in Tx.

I may travel to Texas. Better yet maybe ATF would like to know where these guns are being sold.

5310. Re: Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: toomanyradios@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530100349.05836.00005709@nso-ch.aol.com>
Source record: 110096

In today's junk society, the real problem is going to be those who try and take advantage of the situation. Power grid trouble = looters, scam artists, and other criminals who will attempt to prey on the vunerable. Lock and load, especially if you live in a city.

5311. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Patrick <arp@inet4u.com>
Message-ID: <3933CAC9.5EEF30E9@inet4u.com>
Source record: 110097

KK4TL wrote:

> Good call, Al. Nice to see someone who remembers LBJ's "great society". That
> "program" has cost taxpayers nearly 4 trillion dollars since its beginning. As
> a "war on poverty", it's been a joke. But it achieved Johnson's objective.
> The give-away programs were successful in buying democrat votes galore.
>
> Remember the Jesse Helms editorials on WRAL-TV (or was it WTVD?) in the
> mid-60's? I think it was his "observations" on "the great society" programs
> that got him elected in the first place.
>
> Another <G>

Remember how he fought the establishment, with tax dollars, of Soul City? At the VERY SAME TIME that they were FORCING the busing of students across the county (both ways) to force integration -- against the wishes of whites and blacks whose children were being subjected to an additional 2 hr bus ride (1 hr am and 1 hr pm) every day, in all kinds of weather they were using TAX DOLLARS to build a BLACK CITY! One man, and his wife, got rich off the deal. The tax payers are no better off. It still has not produced a profit. Right now, it houses a prison and clinic to give away services at the expense of tax payers. I don't know of another useful purpose it serves, unless it's a perfect example of government inefficiency and stupidity!

Reminds me of what some Arizona congressman is credited with saying about daylight savings time, "It makes fools out of men and liars out of clocks." -- or something to that effect.

73,

Al
--
"The Truth is Hate, to Those Who Hate the Truth"
Do what's right. You'll please OR AMAZE everyone!

Love and hatred are both necessary. For one to love
some things he must hate others, and visa versa.

5312. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Halstead <rdhalste@tm.net>
Message-ID: <aaQY4.340$YY2.41637@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 110098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Roger Halstead (K8RI)
www.RogerHalstead.com
N833R World's oldest Debonair? CD-2
"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:529335476F9217DC.F20E486767C6810A.E0BE3F61FA514CB1@lp.airnews.net...
> On Sun, 28 May 2000 19:34:44 -0700, Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
> wrote:
>
<snip for space>
A Diesel doesn't have an ignition system, and that's often
> >the dominant noise source,

At least on VHF I think I'd rate the good old alternator right up there too.
<sigh>

Roger

>but it has every other noise-generating
> >device you'll find on any other car.

<snip>

5313. hamfests

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <svQY4.8614$4X5.21403@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110099

This seems especially appropriate during this Hamfest season...

This truck driver hauling a tractor-trailer load of ham gear and computers stops for a beer. As he approaches the bar he sees a big sign on the door saying:
"Nerds Not Allowed - Enter At Your Own Risk!"
He goes in and sits down. The bartender comes over to him, sniffs, says, "You smell kind of nerdy. What do you do for a living?"

The truck driver says, "I drive a truck, and the smell is just from the ham gear and computers I am hauling." The bartender says, "Okay, truck drivers are not nerds." and serves him a beer. As he is sipping his beer, a skinny guy walks in with tape around his glasses, a pocket protector with twelve kinds of pens and pencils, and a belt at least a foot too long. The bartender, without saying a word, pulls out a shotgun and blows the guy away.

The truck driver said, totally shocked, "Why did you do that?" The bartender said, "Not to worry, the nerds are overpopulating Silicon Valley and the hamfests and are in season now. You don't even need a license." The truck driver finishes his beer, gets back in his truck, and heads back onto the freeway. Suddenly he veers to avoid an accident, and the load shifts. The back door breaks open and ham gear and computers spill out all over the freeway. He jumps out and sees a crowd already forming, grabbing up the ham gear and computers. They are all hams, engineers, accountants and programmers wearing the nerdiest clothes he has ever seen. He can't let them steal his whole load. So, remembering what happened in the bar, he pulls out his gun and starts blasting away, felling several of them instantly.

A highway patrol officer comes zooming up and jumps out of the car screaming at him to stop.

The truck driver said, "What's wrong? I thought nerds were in season."

"Well, sure," said the patrolman."But you can't bait 'em."

K3BHJ.

5314. Re: hamfests

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3933D6CF.E7F070B8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110100

There's a hamfest nearly every weekend around me this time of year,
and already plaid shirts are sold out at TJ Maxx.

p

5315. AF2Y asks "John Danforth?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h0ldm$1ei$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110101

Simpleton George W. will be running with Missouri senator John Danforth as his choice for veep. WOW-what a thrill.
Danforth is 63 and an ORDAINED EPISCOPALIAN MINISTER! That is reason enough to vote for Al Gore! As I said, George W. is making the same mistake as his old man by choosing a putz for a running mate. A man of the cloth has NO BUSINESS being Vice Prez. of this country and you know it. Keep religion out of politics. It's basic. Fundamental. Hello, G.O.P. fools. Are you following this?
Danforth is also Mr. Big Bucks since he's part of the Ralston Purina enterprise and as we all know, Republicans care nothing about the average Joe in this country which now Danforth reinforces.
He is on the Board of Directors of Time Warner...wow...yep, he sure cares about the average Joe in America. What a joke.
How disgusting. Uppity George W. and uppity John Danforth, two peas in a pod and you actually believe that this duo will beat Al Gore and his running mate?
I'll laugh all the way to the voting booth and back again. Gore won't beat Bush. He'll DESTROY him.
AF2Y,Doc

5316. Suggestions for a good 6m/2m antenna combo?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: A 'n' A <saciuk@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca>
Message-ID: <3933D89A.6ACB387B@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca>
Source record: 110102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello!

Does anyone have any recommendations for a good 6m/2m antenna? I've looked at the Cushcraft "Mutiband Directional Yagi" (6m/2m/70cm), although it's somewhat pricey, and I'd like to see if anyone recommends something else. Any tried and tested verticals? Thanks!

73, Andrew
VE6SCK

5317. WTB Antenna SWR Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Smith <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <3933D66E.4E6490A8@innercite.com>
Source record: 110103
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Might anybody out there in Radio Land have an extra Antenna Analyzer that they might no longer be in need of. I need one for HF, VHF and maybe even up to 450. Will consider any and all units available. Can be MFJ or another brand. Please respond by Email. Thanks and 73's
Don KB6GQA

5318. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h0p7r$f43$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110104

In article <20000529200741.28652.00000648@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> I agree with that Lloyd but DON'T Forget that sending Hillary
Klintoon packing
> is only fixing half of the problem, or stopping the creation of
others. Algore
> has go with her.
>
All good and valid points...However.....ALGORE is not the problem.
Hillary is....and why? The NY Senate seat is a springboard for higher
office. What we really need to be worried about is Hillary making a
run for the presidency. You think Bill was bad? You ain't seen
nothing yet.

Dan/W4NTI

--
"Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

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5319. Re: AF2Y, How could you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h0mqq$pe6$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110105

I have three German language texts regarding W.W.II. The first is called "Die Illustrierte Geschichte des Zweiten Weltkriegs" . The second is a 600 pager called "Der zweite Weltkrieg" and the third, "Das Urteil von Nï¿½rnberg." So far no where in either can I find a reference to any Nazi Weapons Law of 1938 which would be listed under "NSDAP Waffengesetz 1938" and furthermore there's no reference to it under the aegis of Wilhelm Frick who was hanged at Nï¿½rnberg. Therefore I must conclude at this time that you are truly a dumb Frick who knows nothing about German history and is intent on spreading misinformation to suit your own political agenda.
Furthermore anyone who has the audacity to try and teach me something about the war years must be able to spell STRATEGY which you can't. From whom did you learn spelling, K2IVX? Additionally if any gun control law was passed in Nazi Germany, which never happened, it would have had to been done before 1938 because of the fact that Hitler seized power on Jan.30,1933 and had to consolidate his hold on the nation immediately. He did it by first burning down the Reichstag a month later and blaming it on a Dutch communist and then on June 30,1934, assassinating long time friend Ernst Rï¿½hm, head of the S.A. along with thousands of S.A. members in order to end all opposition to the SS, Hitler's favorite gangster rap group. These S.A. murders was known as "The Night of the Long Knives."
I suggest you take your stupid propaganda elsewhere Badblood because I have more knowledge in my toe than you have in your whole citrus polluted brain.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <8gvd5lfmd1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:

> The Nazi Weapons Law Of 1938 introduced handgun control, firearm ownership
> was returned to the Nazi party members. If you knew so much you would have
> not shown your ignorance on the issue. the law itself was signed by Nazi
> Interior minister, Wilhelm Frick. FACT: Hitlers Nazi style of " Political
> Correctness", caused the genocide of 13 million people of which 6 million
> were jewish. This key element of his platform was called "The Final
> Solution". Disarming citizens was a key stradegy in his success.
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>
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5320. Re: WTB Antenna SWR Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddoss@i1.net
Message-ID: <WURY4.4$7X4.207529@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 110106
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Look UP two listings on this ng. There's an MFJ-259B at a reasonable
price.

Donald Smith <desmith@innercite.com> wrote:

>Might anybody out there in Radio Land have an extra Antenna Analyzer
>that they might no longer be in need of. I need one for HF, VHF and
>maybe even up to 450. Will consider any and all units available. Can
>be MFJ or another brand. Please respond by Email. Thanks and 73's
>Don KB6GQA

5321. Info for AF2Y.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: af2y@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h0rk5$h0r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110107

Charles, I wanted to get "schmuck@deja.com" but it is taken.....Any other thoughts you have for a new user name for me?

'Da BULL

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5322. Charles is MAD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: af2y@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h0s2iheo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110108

I WILL keep on using the posting name of "AF2Y" as long as I DAMN WELL PLEASE.....Charles should have TAKEN it before I did if he is SO pissed off about it!!!!!

PITBULL

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5323. Re: Windy the Magician

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8h0s3d$hg0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110109

In article <8gv6q7$1f$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> That Windy guy is a trickster. He's posting from an anonymous source
and
> probably isn't licensed or registered to use a computer. We'll trace
him
> down and report him for writing scandalous stuff on a fine newsgroup.
The
> man is a trained monkey of nutty Republicans.

Always arguing about the esoteric; never any substance. Typical liberal
B.S.....zzzzzZZZZZZzzz.....

"Trained monkey"="AF2Y and a whois utility".

Anybody else knows an anonymous post.

Anonymous posting is a Good Thing; it allows one to make a point
or comment while avoiding liberal preconceptions whose sole purpose
is to divert focus from the actual issue at hand.

Also, "nutty Republicans"? This was once a greatER nation than it is
today; the last 40 years of liberal boneheadedness is trashing most,
if not all, of what the forefathers sacrificed to design.

"licensed or registered to use a computer" Hmmm....you'd really like
that to come to be, wouldn't you....

The time has come for a McCarthy revival. Damned communists are
everywhere...

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5324. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8h0sl5htj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110110

In article <3933A581.A3CC00AB@worldnet.att.net>,
PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net wrote:

> You know they laughed when someone first said that about Reagan.
> He turned out to be one of our most popular and effective
> Presidents.

No doubt. I wrote that as serious.

I liked Reagan. But the liberal media,
with their incessant undermining, did
help ruin him. Lemmings/droids like
AF2Y buy every bit of it, mindless
as they are.

Time to get the lame-o's like Gore
out of politics. Only choice I saw
this time was McCain. Now, it's Bush,
but that's a counter-vote to keep
the free world from being run by
an airhead, Gore.

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5325. Re: Chalie's Confused, Hitler is dead and AF2Y isn't feeling so well himself.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h0rns$e5e$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110111

What do Hitler's speeches have to do with Duane's lie? I lied about education? Like hell and furthermore I never had to major in surfboarding at the Univ. of Miami as you did to finally end up picking oranges like the illegal aliens whom I suspect you hire at fifty cents/hour. How about you taking that jitney with wings for a spin and flying over Fort Benning during ack-ack practice? No wonder your wife is sending Harry to the Dominican Republic for the summer. To get away from you she'd send him to summer camp in Chernobyl.
AF2Y,Doc

In article <8gv9v8dkv1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com> wrote:

> Seems Charlie needs to go do a little research into Hitlers speeches and I
> will be glad to assist him in any way possible. For a man who claims to be so
> well versed in European history he certainly is lacking in the facts
> department. Charlie how can anyone believe you when you have lied about your
> education, and assisted WB9BCC is the most foul attempt to disgrace our
> nations highest award. The last time you made a false claim to your friend
> being a Medal Of Honor recipient you were corrected by a special agent from
> the FBI.
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5326. Re: AF2Y: Charlie, I have the solution !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h0r7g$7g2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110112

You have the wrong guy. I was mistaken the other day for Tom Cruise and
that's no easy mission but not impossible.

In article <8gvab4$e05$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
wrote:

> You really need a membership in the NRA !!!!!
>
> Oh, I did see the picture of you on the enforcement page, you need to do
> something about that double chin and those fat jaws, you look like ALVIN the
> chipmunk.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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5327. Re: AF2Y, How could you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h0ski$354$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110113

NAME THE TEXTBOOK or newspaper or magazine or did the info come from a propaganda flyer sent to all the stupidos who think that Charlton Heston really is Moses?

In article <20000530001544.21209.00000476@ng-ft1.aol.com>, kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Sounds like the history I read.
> Hammer time;
>>The Nazi Weapons Law Of 1938 introduced handgun control, firearm ownership
>>was returned to the Nazi party members. If you knew so much you would have
>>not shown your ignorance on the issue. the law itself was signed by Nazi
>>Interior minister, Wilhelm Frick. FACT: Hitlers Nazi style of " Political
>>Correctness", caused the genocide of 13 million people of which 6 million
>>were jewish. This key element of his platform was called "The Final
>>Solution". Disarming citizens was a key stradegy in his success.
>>
>
>

5328. HT VHF Opportunities in the Carribean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Saunders <kd6eut@utm.net>
Message-ID: <vISY4.357$%D.50606@news-west.eli.net>
Source record: 110114

I am planning my first cruise ship vacation for mid July. Does anyone know if it would be worthwhile to bring my W32 ICOM ht (144/440)? Can I find QSO's down there and are there any repeaters? I would like to talk to the locals to get some advice before landing at Jamaica and Grand Cayman. Also, the ht has pretty good receive coverage. How can I find the frequencies used by the cruise ships? Mine is in the Celebrity Cruise fleet. I will post the latter question on the scanner news group.

Thanks in advance for any advice you can offer.

KD6EUT

5329. Re: AF2Y, How could you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h126amjt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110115

In article <8h0mqq$pe6$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I have three German language texts regarding W.W.II. The first is
called
> "Die Illustrierte Geschichte des Zweiten Weltkriegs" . The second is
a 600
> pager called "Der zweite Weltkrieg" and the third, "Das Urteil von
> N�rnberg." So far no where in either can I find a reference to any
Nazi
> Weapons Law of 1938 which would be listed under "NSDAP Waffengesetz
1938"
> and furthermore there's no reference to it under the aegis of Wilhelm
Frick
> who was hanged at N�rnberg. Therefore I must conclude at this time
that you
> are truly a dumb Frick who knows nothing about German history and is
intent
> on spreading misinformation to suit your own political agenda.
> Furthermore anyone who has the audacity to try and teach me
something about
> the war years must be able to spell STRATEGY which you can't. From
whom did
> you learn spelling, K2IVX? Additionally if any gun control law was
passed in
> Nazi Germany, which never happened, it would have had to been done
before
> 1938 because of the fact that Hitler seized power on Jan.30,1933 and
had to
> consolidate his hold on the nation immediately. He did it by first
burning
> down the Reichstag a month later and blaming it on a Dutch communist
and
> then on June 30,1934, assassinating long time friend Ernst R�hm, head
of the
> S.A. along with thousands of S.A. members in order to end all
opposition to
> the SS, Hitler's favorite gangster rap group. These S.A. murders was
known
> as "The Night of the Long Knives."
> I suggest you take your stupid propaganda elsewhere Badblood because
I have
> more knowledge in my toe than you have in your whole citrus polluted
brain.

> Doc,AF2Y

Youngblood's degree in "SALES" really puts himon the forefront of historical knowledge. <snicker>.

>
> ----------
> In article <8gvd5lfmd1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
> wrote:
>
> > The Nazi Weapons Law Of 1938 introduced handgun control, firearm ownership
> > was returned to the Nazi party members. If you knew so much you would have
> > not shown your ignorance on the issue. the law itself was signed by Nazi
> > Interior minister, Wilhelm Frick. FACT: Hitlers Nazi style of " Political
> > Correctness", caused the genocide of 13 million people of which 6 million
> > were jewish. This key element of his platform was called "The Final
> > Solution". Disarming citizens was a key stradegy in his success.
> >
> >
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5330. Re: AF2Y: Charlie, I have the solution !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h129u$mm1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110116

In article <8h0r7g$7g2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> You have the wrong guy. I was mistaken the other day for Tom Cruise
and
> that's no easy mission but not impossible.

Youngblod looks like a buck-toothed Goober Pyle. He's a pyle <sp> all
right, and we know of what.
LOL!!!!!

> ----------
> In article <8gvab4$e05$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-
deja.com>
> wrote:
>
> > You really need a membership in the NRA !!!!!
> >
> > Oh, I did see the picture of you on the enforcement page, you need
to do
> > something about that double chin and those fat jaws, you look like
ALVIN the
> > chipmunk.
> >
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5331. Re: Chalie's Confused, Hitler is dead and AF2Y isn't feeling so well himself.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h12f5mne1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110117

In article <8h0rns$e5e$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> What do Hitler's speeches have to do with Duane's lie? I lied about
> education? Like hell and furthermore I never had to major in
surfboarding at
> the Univ. of Miami as you did to finally end up picking oranges like
the
> illegal aliens whom I suspect you hire at fifty cents/hour. How about
you
> taking that jitney with wings for a spin and flying over Fort Benning
during
> ack-ack practice? No wonder your wife is sending Harry to the
Dominican
> Republic for the summer. To get away from you she'd send him to
summer camp
> in Chernobyl.
> AF2Y,Doc

Youngblood majored in only what his mental capacity could
contain.."SALES."
What would HE know about military service, the wanna-be got out of it.

> ----------
> In article <8gv9v8dkv1@nnrp1.deja.com>, hammer007 <hammer007@my-
deja.com>
> wrote:
>
> > Seems Charlie needs to go do a little research into Hitlers
speeches and I
> > will be glad to assist him in any way possible. For a man who
claims to be so
> > well versed in European history he certainly is lacking in the facts
> > department. Charlie how can anyone believe you when you have lied
about your
> > education, and assisted WB9BCC is the most foul attempt to disgrace
our
> > nations highest award. The last time you made a false claim to your
friend
> > being a Medal Of Honor recipient you were corrected by a special
agent from
> > the FBI.
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5332. FS: Yaesu FT-50RD Dual Band HT w/Acc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7rcm@pobox.com
Message-ID: <3933e7d2.3009115@news1.coam.net>
Source record: 110118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio

Prices I give along with the discription of the item will be what AES
is selling it for rounded to the nearest $1, then at the end, what
I'm asking for the whole lot.

Yaesu FT-50RD Dual Band HandHeld radio

1 Maha MH-FNB-41 9.6v 900mah 5w NiMH battery
1 Standard 9.6v 600mah Yaesu battery
These batteries will give a full 5w out all across the band.

Maha universal drop in rapid chgr/conditioner does nicads and nimh
batteries

CT62 Cat Interface cable and ADMS-1E Windows Programming Software

FTT12 16# kepad Enc/Dec DCS & CTCSS

I'm asking $325 shipped prepay or COD.

5333. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 SUCKUP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h12o5$n2t$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110119

In article <8gmrbcqrn1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
af2y@my-deja.com wrote:
> Why does HORSEHEAD suckup to Charles so much? Here are a few
thoughts I
> have on the subject:
>
> 1. The father of ELEPHANT FACE died of LUNG CANCER after smoking
like a
> fireplace for 40+ years...Could KC8JBO "see" his father in AF2Y?

Unlike YOU, I know who my father is.

> 2. Both do not work any sort of job......The unemployed like to stick
> together.

Prove it.

> 3. Both are JEWS.....Another case of sticking together.

Bwhahahahahahahaha!!!! And your proof that I'm of the Jewish faith is???
Didn't think so....

> 4. AF2Y uses ham radio & the internet to give you his
> thoughts.....WIDEASS is too TIMID to get on the radio!!!!!

I don't see YOU giving your callsign, on either place. I do know that
YOU've been transmitting carriers and other assorted QRM on the bands.
Documentation has been sent to Riley.

> 5. Charles is too CHEAP to put his mother in a "home"......MONKEY
BOY's
> 'ole GOAT OWNES the home he lives in, hohohohoho!!!!!!!

Prove it.

> Here is to WISHING KC8JBO ends up as a TRAFFIC FATALITY STATISTIC
this
> long holiday weekend!!!!!!!! How is the MAGAZINE reading, FATASS,
> hohohoho.
>
> NO ONES SUCKUP,
>
> 'Da BULL

Hey, Dimmy, is it true that your Body odor is so bad that even your
obese Donna's vaginal douche can't compete.
Here's hoping you die a painful death with the AIDS that ravishes your
body.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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5334. Re: Info for AF2Y.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h137a$n9s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110120

In article <8h0rk5$h0r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
af2y@my-deja.com wrote:
> Charles, I wanted to get "schmuck@deja.com" but it is
taken.....Any
> other thoughts you have for a new user name for me?
>
> 'Da BULL
>

Dickswallower@jizzburp.org should fit you perfectly.
Oh, and the FBI has been gettting your magazines subscription childish one. I had a nice laugh over it, knowing I own your cowardly ass and I had a very pleasant weekend.
Hahahahahaha!!!!!
Oh, and make sure you get those penis implants, from my understanding you really need them, and it isn't because of the cold weather shrinkage.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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5335. Re: AF2Y: Get some help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h13f3nki1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110121

In article <sj545vh05pj157@corp.supernews.com>,
"J. Duffy Beischel" <duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net> wrote:
> It doesn't take a degree in Psychology to know when someone is
mentally ill.
> That "man" needs help. Sounds like some liberal held him hostage and
> brainwashed him into believing all this liberal crap and how getting
rid of
> the Bill of Rights would somehow be good for Americans and make the
world a
> safer and happier place, etc. Either that or the guy has severe
> constipation and the buildup of crap has gone to his head and is
poisoning
> his brain. In any and all cases, he needs professional help

In other words, You're just giving your biased opinion, based upon your
hatred and antisemitism.
Thought so.

>
> --
> ____
> Amateur Radio WB8NUT - ARRL Member
>
> NRA Life Member
> "If the government is the only one allowed to possess
> guns, are we still a free people?"
>
> Please find out about rec.guns at:
> http://doubletap.cs.umd.edu/rec.guns
>
> Proud to be a member of the vast right wing conspiracy
> to get the Clintons
> ____
>
> "KC8JBO" <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote in message
> news:8gjig7$e4l$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> > In article <392c03cc.74110077@news.mindspring.com>,
> > (John) wrote:
> > > Get some help, Doc. You are a very very sick man.
> > >
> >
> > And your credentials in Psychology are.....????
> >
> > --
> > 73 de KC8JBO|Roger

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5336. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1f8b8a75.5a496059@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>
Source record: 110122

Guys, I've got a theory here. Take it and run with it.
Remember the Martians landing in N. J. during "War of the
Worlds"? They're still there and have imbedded an implant
in AF2Y's brain. That's about all that can account for
his mental aberation. Plain old delusional paranoia doesn't.

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5337. Re: Whither KV4FZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h144m$o4i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110123

In article <23370da7.c7dc92e5@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>,
wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
> Oh my! Potty mouth Roger is teed off. Truth hurts, doesn't
> it? Check some of the other postings and see what others
> think of you. Hmmmm, not nuch.

LOL!!!! Not exactly. You and the Aids-infected pitbull, mostlikely two of a kind, haven't the ability to tell the truth. I couldn't care less what the rumphumpers and the barflies, etc. think of me. Your ill-educated opinion is quite evident. Use your brain, dumbass, it's the SMALL things that count.

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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5338. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h14b1$o83$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110124

In article <1f8b8a75.5a496059@usw-ex0101-006.remarq.com>,
wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
> Guys, I've got a theory here. Take it and run with it.
> Remember the Martians landing in N. J. during "War of the
> Worlds"? They're still there and have imbedded an implant
> in AF2Y's brain. That's about all that can account for
> his mental aberation. Plain old delusional paranoia doesn't.

But what accounts for YOURS?

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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5339. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h156p$p3v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110125

In article <8h0p7r$f43$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-deja.com> wrote:
> In article <20000529200741.28652.00000648@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> > I agree with that Lloyd but DON'T Forget that sending Hillary
> Klintoon packing
> > is only fixing half of the problem, or stopping the creation of
> others. Algore
> > has go with her.
> >
> All good and valid points...However.....ALGORE is not the problem.
> Hillary is....and why? The NY Senate seat is a springboard for higher
> office. What we really need to be worried about is Hillary making a
> run for the presidency. You think Bill was bad? You ain't seen
> nothing yet.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> --
> "Just tellin the truth, and they cain't stand it."

But Dan, she's been running the country NOW....LOL!!!!!!!

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73 de KC8JBO|Roger
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5340. W9ART's response

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <39341638.9CD60014@innocent.com>
Source record: 110126

Dear Mr. Hollingsworth:

I have been off the air for a few weeks, having recently gotten married and also being very busy with business and personal affairs.

When I returned home I found that there had been several developments in FCC enforcement. I was particularly pleased to see that, finally, further action was being taken against long-time incorrigible jammers WA9KJI and W9ART.

I note that W9ART's response to your recent enforcement letter has been posted to Usenet and other discussion groups, as well as to one of the pro-jammer web pages:

(http://dgk5mvk.tripod.com/Arts_Letter.htm).

Since the text is substantially the same in each case, I'm assuming that the letter from Visser is genuine. I'd like to comment on a few of W9ART's assertions of which I have direct and personal knowledge.

Visser wrote:

> I want to share one other item with you which I believe lends credibility to my
> suggestion that this is nothing more than a 'set-up'. The following is from the
> LIBERTY NET MESSAGE BOARD and is entitled, WILL IT WORK AGAIN?
>
> Posted: 5/2/2000 by Blood Bath McGaff
> Wanted: "Immediate need for affidavit stating that on a date (as yet to be
> determined) KJI was in QSO with ART. Will trade for 3-500's or MD 20/20. More
> as details become available."

The message to which Visser is referring was posted anonymously to the "Liberty Net Message Board"

(http://www.nationlink.com/liberty/wwwboard.html)

as many such anonymous messages are, many by those supporting the jammers of the net in question. However, this message was merely a humorous reference to the infamous "KJI/CXJ Affidavit," implying that ART and KJI would "weasel out" of their current predicament by producing a fraudulent affidavit claiming they were "actually in QSO" during their episodes of intentional interference. It obviously had nothing to do with a "set up" of W9ART. Furthermore, it seems extremely unlikely to me that anyone engineering such a "set up" would have posted a request for assistance on a public message board. Mr. Visser is obviously reaching very far afield to obscure the issue of his malicious interference and other illegal behavior

on amateur radio.

Visser wrote:

> I have NEVER made a death threat to any person

This is a lie. Mr. Visser can be heard stating over and over again over amateur radio that I "should be shot in the head" during one of his jamming sessions which I happened to record and which is archived at:

http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/w9art_deaththreat_19991224_0515pmcst.wav

This, you may recall, was the jamming/murder-threat incident which earned Mr. Visser his first warning from you. Mr. Visser has also made other threats of violence over amateur radio. He has also made grossly obscene transmissions as part of his intentional interference campaign, once transmitting the allegation that one of his perceived enemies was a "sperm-burping bitch" repeatedly and unceasingly for over an hour on top of an existing QSO. These are only a tiny fraction of the obscene, illegal, and intolerable acts of Mr. Visser over amateur radio.

Since receiving his first warning, I can confirm that Mr. Visser has continued his illegal intentional interference activities. Mr. Visser often intentionally interferes by pretending to check in to QSOs where he knows his presence is not wanted, even continuing his repeated fake "check-ins" at lengths exceeding several minutes in a sneering, mocking voice which makes it very clear that his intention is to disrupt. An example of this is available in .wav format at:

http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/w9art_jammingLN_20000115_0905pmcst.wav

When the phony "check-in" ploy fails, he often makes lengthy insulting commentaries about other amateur operators over top of the stations which he is insulting, in a flagrant violation of the amateur regulations.

Mr. Visser has been a little "slicker" in his jamming sessions since receiving his first warning, but his malicious interference has continued.

Visser wrote:

> The truth
> is that what they are angry about is not my so-called harassment, but the fact
> that I do not agree with them.

That's another outright lie. I'm a rare though occasional participant in the Liberty Net discussions, and I know many of the "regulars" as radio and real world friends, including Mr. Lauterbach.

We don't always agree with each other, for goodness' sake, and we certainly don't try to get licenses pulled of those with whom we disagree. Considering the wide range of views out there, we'd certainly be busy if we tried.

The problem with W9ART is not his views on any subject, about which no one cares very much that I can tell. The problem is his intentional interference which has been going on for years. If you can put a permanent stop to that, all of amateur radio will be permanently in your debt.

With every good wish,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://www.kevin-strom.com

5341. Atlanta hamfest June 2-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Penn McClatchey <pmm@saf.com>
Message-ID: <39341A06.4C02DC@saf.com>
Source record: 110127

Hi Fun-seekers.

This Friday and Saturday, June 2-3, is the Atlanta Hamfestival at Jim Miller Park (Cobb Fairgrounds)in Marietta. Look at http://www/saf.com/arc for more details and directions.

Dan Henderson, N1ND, Contest Branch Manager, ARRL HQ, will attend the hamfest for the second year. Dan will check DX cards and give a forum on contesting Saturday morning.

Dan will also attend the regular monthly meeting of the Atlanta Radio Club, Thursday June 1, at their regular meeting place at the American Red cross office in Lindburgh Plaza. Thats at 7:30PM.

Hope to see you at the meeting or the hamfest.

=====
73 Sandy Donahue, W4RU
Section Manager, Ga Section
ARRL

5342. Re: Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: garyjames@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h18f4rld1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> I live in Oklahoma, and we didn't have any gas shortage! We just quit
> shipping it out, had plenty for ourselves. Went to the gas
station: "Yep,
> thar ain't no gas out in Caly-forna, big long lines I seed on TV.
Fill that
> tank fer ya? Givin a discount iffin ya buy more'en 10 gallons." Yep,
us
> Okies were crying real big crocodile tears for all you people on the
East
> and West coasts. (grin!)
>
> Mark K5MAR
++
Mark are you telling us that CORPORATE AMERIKA lied to the American
public? Are you telling us that BIG OIL put their own interests before
those of "our" country? Next you will be claiming that the U.S.
Congress, and even the President himself (gasp!), lie to the citizenry
and put their personal and corporate interest (but that is reduntant)
before that of the American public! Please say it ain't so!!!

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5343. Morse exercises No.25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC - Frank Schmitte <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <8h185ssd1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 110129
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dear YLs and OM,

DTC's regular Morse exercises transmitted every Monday at 19:00 h
local time in DL on 3575 +/- 3 kHz are available on the Internet as
well, being in downloadable MIDI-file format.

Currently three speeds are offered for download:

Speed "90" (= 18 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr25_90.mid

Speed "60" (= 12 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr25_60.mid

Speed "45" (= 9 wpm): http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/nr25_45.mid

Hoping you'll have some fun decoding either on the air or from the
Internet, you may check out your capabilities in decoding Morse. For
ease of reference the content of the Morse code transmission / file
may be accessed at DTC's web site using

http://www.muenster.org/dtc/cwtext.html

Your opinion and suggestions are welcome: dtc@muenster.org

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.
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cw is the most fundamental thing in amateur radio
!!!! so let your fingers talk !!!!

5344. Re: Chalie's Confused, Hitler is dead and AF2Y isn't feeling so well himself.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dtolassi@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h1bg4$u8l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110130

Roger you are such a suckup. If blackbeard stops short you will be up
is ass!!

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5345. WTB Azden HT battery/case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: morrista@oz.uc.edu
Message-ID: <8h1aa8$7f5$1@news.ececs.uc.edu>
Source record: 110131

Have an Azden AZ-21 handheld 2M rig. Need battery/battery case for same
(uses the same as the AZ-61 6M handheld and the 10M model as well).
Willing to buy dead battery to get the case & refill with new cells.
Please advise condition, price via morrista@email.uc.edu.

Ted Morris, WB8VNV

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Theodore Allan Morris, UC Med Ctr Acad Info Technol & Libraries; also
Theodore.Morris@uc.edu; http://oz.uc.edu/~morrista; 513-558-0177(W); WB8VNV;
ALSO TRY: sg94548n@dunx1.ocs.drexel.edu (Drexel U Ph.D. stdnt); OR: "Hey, TED!"
SNAPPY MOTTO: Failure is not the falling down, it's the not getting up again.

5346. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: me
Message-ID: <1BC5AB4B06B6F8D8.AAC0E5EAFC5FA110.82C6E091ECEFDFD2@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Funny. In 2 or so years there will be 200 hams.
Those 200 hams will still think there are alot of hams.
1 HAM is one ego and a waste of time too many (CW). :)

5347. Re: hamfests

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <F6095C5A1FE662C2.10B2692102ACDEAF.75FEC5901E347082@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110133

On Tue, 30 May 2000 14:57:09 GMT, Peter Maus
<PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>There's a hamfest nearly every weekend around me this time of year,
>and already plaid shirts are sold out at TJ Maxx.
>
>p

TJ Maxx didn't sell to the hamfest crowd. Theirs came from the thrift
shops.

Larry W4CSC.....I'll print this joke out on my Laserjet from the
Kidney Foundation Thriftway....(c;
It was $4.99 but needed a new toner cart.

5348. looking for info and radio equip to buy..please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <kenbarri@ihug.com.au>
Message-ID: <3932DD33.6DDAF068@ihug.com.au>
Source record: 110155
Cross-posted to:
fr.rec.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc,nl.radio.amateur

software and info sort for these models

Icom v200 vhf 10channel model, not to be confused with the v200t
tait t496 uhf mods and or diode matrix setup program to alter .

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wanted to buy.

Icom u16 uhf hand held.
Shinwa sh405g 16 channel uhf parts or a complete radio.

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cheers
kenbari.dyns.cx.....http://ja58.tripod.com/ftptutor.html

It does not matter where in the world you are. I use the post system and
have had no trouble with large parcels.

5349. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529200741.28652.00000648@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110156

I agree with that Lloyd but DON'T Forget that sending Hillary Klintoon packing is only fixing half of the problem, or stopping the creation of others. Algore has go with her.

5350. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529202439.28652.00000651@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110157

hey doc, which speech exactly are you refering to ol man. Have you heard it?
read it? Your disputing a statement with rhetoric again. oy vey

5351. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529201922.28652.00000650@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110158

Doc you cannot even prove YOUR claims let alone anyone else's. With all of you posts on here, they've amount to nothing more than liberal rhetoric. NO facts. You spew the liberal line with the fervor of James Carvel. I'm twenty some years younger than you Doc, step aside and make way for the new thinkers. The democratic liberal socialist party has screwed this country up from the control over the house and senate that they managed to have for over 40 years. The economy, balanced budget "law", welfare reform are all because of the Republicans, their ideas and the fact that they have control of both houses. this prosperous economy is the result of Reagan policies and de-regulation. If you try to claim otherwise and take credit for the economy like Klintoon does, then please let us know what Klintoon's economic policy has been. LOL One can only imagine, and it would be a nightmare, what would have taken place had they (republican house and senate) not been there to keep Klintoon in check.
Now go do the right thing. KK7HO

5352. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <8gv1ic$i9m@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 110159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: Jeff Pierce <piercej@preferred.com> wrote:
[snip]

: During the 50s when SSB was finding its way into ham radio, there was no
: pub one could turn to to learn about this new mode except the League's SSB
: Manual.

"SSB" by Collins was rather "helpful" :)

We've been through this before and it is just not true. Is this just a
repost of your previous incorrect post? I have many publications on my
shelf printed in the 1950s about SSB and they are NOT by the ARRL.

SSB was done on audio in the 1920s. You really don't think that the ARRL
was the only one to publish information about it up to 1950+ do you?

; Also during that decade the FCC relaxed the regs regarding mobile
: operation - no one else published a mobile manual except the League
: (1955).

Again, this was disproven a few months ago. I have several "manuals"
written by RCA, CQ etc on mobile ham radio. Motorola did do a "little"
work with mobile rigs in the 1950s :)

: To whom could you turn to for the great ideas and techniques that appear
: in the Hints and Kinks booklets?

RCA "Ham Tips" for one. VHF magazine etc etc.

; Propagation and antennas: The Antenna Manual.

This was also covered by other publications.

: Who else in the 60s produced a VHF Manual?

"VHF Handbook" by Bill Orr and Mr. Johnson. "VHF for the Radio Amateur"
by Frank C. Jones are amoung the ones that I have.

; And when that VHF
: crowd began exploring FM: The FM and Repeater Manual. The very first
: book in the 80s devoted to amateur digital comms was the League's Get
: Connected. How in the world
: could you possibly find fault with this business side of the League?

I'm not finding fault, only your posting incorrect facts that they were
the -ONLY- one doing it.

: Publishing affordable technical books was one of the original goals in the
: League's charter; for 85 years they've made information available to the
: layman that was nearly impossible to find elsewhere.

Simply not true. All one had to do was either buy another publishing house's (Cowan for one) books, or suscribe to (or pick up free at your ham radio store) RCA's etc hint booklets. Public libraries have been known to have books on various electrical subjects.

: Every ham shack I've ever visited in the last 30 years has had many
: League pubs on its bookshelves. We are (or at least were) a group with
: a voracious appetite for reading and learning. Luckily, the League has
: been able to feed us what we most desired.

Better look more closely at the titles. Many of them are by people other than the ARRL. (or go to a ham shack that was started BEFORE 1970 if you want to find books from the 1950s!)

: Ham radio and reading are inseparable; and it takes a business to do
: what the League has accomplished.

Yep, and others contributed to the effort also.

: 73, Jeff KH6O
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

5353. Re: looking for info and radio equip to buy..please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: budgie <budgie@nowhere.cantech.net.au>
Message-ID: <39331e82.3641033@news.cantech.net.au>
Source record: 110160
Cross-posted to:
fr.rec.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc,nl.radio.amateur

On Tue, 30 May 2000 07:12:19 +1000, mike <kenbarri@ihug.com.au> wrote:

>software and info sort for these models
(snip)
>tait t496 uhf mods and or diode matrix setup program to alter .

Unless you have a VERY strange T496 it isn't diode matrix. It uses a
module with two 2716 EPROMs

5354. How do I wire a VOX for HT to my FT-847 PTT???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Barnawell <awarren233@freewwweb.com>
Message-ID: <v9FY4.11354$VO2.274660@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I got a VOX headset for an Alinco HT and I want to wire it to my FT-847 PTT.. What I need to know is how to make this thing close the circuit on the PTT connection on the 847...I am sure I must get power to the VOX unit somehow.... The plug on it (for the mic) has three wires.... One goes to the tip, 1 goes to the center ring and the other goes to the shaft....Where does it get its power from? Does the alinco HTs have power on either the ring or the tip of the mic plug??? I have been told that this VOX also works on some icom HTs.... Can anyone give me some advice?

Thanks,
Dan (N4YSV)

5355. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.commotion
Message-ID: <20000529215726.22924.00000706@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110162

>
>That's exactly right. the wierd thing is, is that Doc af2y claims that it
>never
>happened. Hitler had no gun contol.
> just shows how some can be mis-informed.
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I clearly recall reading documentation a few years ago which seemed to prove that Hitler's gun ownership laws were actually a RELAXATION of the highly restrictive gun ownership laws of the Weimar Republic which were in force prior to the Nazis' elections to office. If I remember correctly, Hitler allowed citizens of German blood, which were not criminals, etc., to own guns.

And, NO, I am not in posession of the documentation in question. All I can tell you is it seemed to be authentic when I saw it.

Given all the emotion, propoganda, and downright lies that have been involved in WW2 history, especially when it comes to Hitler, it's hard to know what to believe sometimes.

5356. Chalie's Confused, Hitler is dead and AF2Y isn't feeling so well himself.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gv9v8dkv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110163

Seems Charlie needs to go do a little research into Hitlers speeches and I will be glad to assist him in any way possible. For a man who claims to be so well versed in European history he certainly is lacking in the facts department. Charlie how can anyone believe you when you have lied about your education, and assisted WB9BCC is the most foul attempt to disgrace our nations highest award. The last time you made a false claim to your friend being a Medal Of Honor recipient you were corrected by a special agent from the FBI.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5357. Re: "Dirty Words"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <8gv8cm$2po$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 110164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <8gv4h0$vb2$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>,
radiosigs@mindspring.com <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>Beats me. This dude is trying to impress everyone with his excruciating
>analysis of possible dirty language on ham radio and can't spell "anal."
>
It's the first 4 letters of analyze.
>----------
>In article <FXsY4.8905$VO2.210310@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
>"Chancellor Dubrinov" <papermelons@europa.netcrusader.net> wrote:
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>
>> 4) "Smart Radios" (?) Only someone as anyl-retentive and technologically
>> backwards as Ham Radio Operators would be so silly as to suggest
>> something as this. (the "V-Chip" was an unworkable technology)

And I wanted to reprogram my TV set to "invert" the V chip output,ie. to
only allow violent programming to be viewed. :-)

5358. AF2Y: Charlie, I have the solution !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gvab4$e05$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110165

You really need a membership in the NRA !!!!!

Oh, I did see the picture of you on the enforcement page, you need to do something about that double chin and those fat jaws, you look like ALVIN the chipmunk.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5359. Carrier Point

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <VKFY4.5592$Zm5.393623@bgtnsc06-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110166
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does Anyone Know How To Adjust The Carrier Points On The Knwd TS-950 (SD)
Not SDX.
Thanks Ahead Of Time
W5IDX

5360. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: beachmaster <beachmaster@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gvbcfegp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110167

In article <8gv55m$ss2$1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Tim,
> You ask that I move over so that liars can take over? Of course I can
prove
> my claims while you can't because they're untrue. After W.W.II ended,
the
> Allies prohibited any of the Central Powers or allies to manufacture
weapons
> and Austria, known as Ostmark, had always been allied with Germany
since
> both nations have always been warmongering buddies. What was good for
> Germany was good for Austria. In 1935 Austria was governed by a
liberal
> Christian democrat named Kurt Von Schussnigg who was finally
assassinated by
> Austrian Nazis to allow a subversive takeover by Berlin and I ain't
taking
> Irving. When Adolf moved in on 3/12/38, he installed Arthur Seyss-
Inquart as
> Prime Minister who, in 1946, was hanged in Nuremberg. As you see I am
very
> very well versed in 20th century European history and therefore have
the
> credentials to show up Youngblood for the gun toting liar he is.
> Unfortunately you went along with him in an effort at making Heston
the king
> of America but this here guy, 20 years your senior, called your
bluff. Tim
> vote for Al Gore and toss your guns into Lake Mead.
> Doc,AF2Y
>

You can toss your guns into the New Jersey swamp if you like.
(assuming you have any.) I will keep mine oiled and at hand. Like an
insurance policy, you hope you never need it, but your a fool if you
don't have it.

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> In article <20000529201922.28652.00000650@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
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> > Doc you cannot even prove YOUR claims let alone anyone else's. With
all of you
> > posts on here, they've amount to nothing more than liberal

rhetoric. NO facts.
> > You spew the liberal line with the fervor of James Carvel. I'm
twenty some
> > years younger than you Doc, step aside and make way for the new
thinkers. The
> > democratic liberal socialist party has screwed this country up from
the
> control
> > over the house and senate that they managed to have for over 40
years. The
> > economy, balanced budget "law", welfare reform are all because of
the
> > Republicans, their ideas and the fact that they have control of
both houses.
> > this prosperous economy is the result of Reagan policies and de-
regulation. If
> > you try to claim otherwise and take credit for the economy like
Klintoon does,
> > then please let us know what Klintoon's economic policy has been.
LOL One can
> > only imagine, and it would be a nightmare, what would have taken
place had
> they
> > (republican house and senate) not been there to keep Klintoon in
check.
> > Now go do the right thing. KK7HO
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Before you buy.

5361. Liberty net/Lauterbach collusion, deceit or alterior motives? ? ? ? ? ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr3950@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000529224235.21215.00000561@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110168

as posted earlier, watch the CONnections. replies hereinafter should be observed at a rotational speed <spin> of 3950 rpm.

May 9, 2000

Mr. W. Riley Hollingsworth
Special Counsel
Amateur Radio Enforcement Bureau
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245

Dear Mr. Hollingsworth

RE: Amateur Radio Station W9ART

Mr. William E. Lauterbach, Jr., WA8MEA has stated the alleged incident he is complaining about occurred on Saturday, March 18, 2000. You, Mr. Hollingsworth, stated on April 30, 2000 and again on May 7, 2000 in the Rain Report that the alleged incident occurred on March 8, 2000. So I ask you, what is the date this incident allegedly took place? Was it on Wednesday, March 8, 2000 or was it on Saturday, March 18, 2000?

Lets give Mr. Lauterbach the benefit of the doubt here and call it March 18, 2000. For purposes of clarity, let's place all the dates in chronological order. On March 18, 2000 I allegedly interfered with a conversation between Mr. Lauterbach, Mr. Michael DeWoody (N3GVA) and Mr. Mel Richardson (W8KBK). On April 19, 2000 Mr. Lauterbach signed his affidavit of complaint and on April 26, 2000 you Mr. Hollingsworth, sent me your letter and the affidavit. I received this mail on Monday, May 1, 2000 as your certified mail signature will bear out. OK. From March 18, 2000 to May 1, 2000 I am now being asked to recall the specifics of the evening in question. A fairly tall order as this time span is over six (6) weeks long. I'll be honest with you - I doubt I could recall details and specifics from a casual conversation I had yesterday let alone six weks ago! And frankly, Mr. Hollingsworth, I'm not sure you could do this either. But I believe if we look at the entire picture here of exactly what is happening with this affidavit, we will see that there is something much more cynical going on than just a complaint about interference.

Don't you find it a bit strange that Mr. Lauterbach took 32 days to file this complaint of interference against me? Now I wonder why he did that? Why did he take so long to file a complaint? If I felt my rights had been violated - I can guarantee I would not take over a month to say so - to write my letter to you. I would file my complaint IMMEDIATELY - while the details of that complaint were still fresh and true in my mind. I wonder what the police would do if a store owner tried to file a complaint of theft from their store on month after the fact? Why do I imagine they would scratch their heads and say, 'ok, now

what's really going on here?'

Let me try and substantiate what I believe is really happening here. At this time I would like to direct your attention to an enclosure I have attached. It is an article written in THE IDAHO OBSERVER, a white supremacist publication and dated September, 1998. The title of the article is "THE LIBERTY NET" SAGA and was authored by Bill Lauterbach. Mr. Lauterbach states I have had congressmen in touch with me, that I have issued death threats to Liberty Net members and that I have threatened federal agents.

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Mr. Hollingsworth
RE: W9ART Station

I have NEVER heard from my congressman on any issue let alone on 'jamming' or 'harassment' on 3.950 MHz LSB, I have NEVER made a death threat to any person, and I have NEVER threatened a federal agent! These statements by Mr. Lauterbach are reprehensible and are made with the sole purpose of damaging my character. They are malicious and they are slanderous. Isn't slander against the law? The only time I have even met a federal agent was on Spetember (sic) 9, 1998. Agent Harness came to my home to inspect my radio station. We actually had a nice visit and Agent Harness left my home on perfectly good terms with me.

Mr. Hollingsworth, as inane as this attachment may seem to you, it is important to me that you take it seriously. I sent it because I believe it lends itself to my suggestion that Mr. Bill Lauterbach's charges are not credible. He has been saying for a couple years now that in the end, he would 'get my radio license'. That he would do whatever he had to do to remove me from the airwaves! He has said this on 3.950 MHz many times. Whatever he had to do! I believe that is why he waited over a month to file the charges of interference against me - he knew full well there is no way in the world I would be able to recall the details of the evening! Isn't there a time limit a person has to file a complaint?

I want to share one other item with you which I believe lends credibility to my suggestion that this is nothing more than a 'set-up'. The following is from the LIBERTY NET MESSAGE BOARD and is entitled, WILL IT WORK AGAIN?

Posted: 5/2/2000 by Blood Bath McGaff
Wanted: "Immediate need for affidavit stating that on a date (as yet to be determined) KJI was in QSO with ART. Will trade for 3-500's or MD 20/20. More as details become available."
Reply: 5/4/2000 by Ratfink
Do the 3-500's work? Full output?
And Deja.news reports on 5/6/2000: author: BurkSWL:
Castle and Visser have been nabbed this time. A sworn affidavit corroborated by witnesses and two tape recordings from two different locations will either land up in their punishment, or prove Riley to be a Clinton puppet.
And YCTHULHU replied to this entry: Yep, one wonders how Riley gets around in public dragging all those strings behind him.

Now, Mr. Hollingsworth, don't you find it strange indeed that on May 6, 2000, just 4 days after an offer of bribery is made, suddely 'proof' of this evening appears? Guess the donor didn't want the MD 20/20.

I am to understand Bill Lauterbach has had attorneys working for him on Liberty Net problems for many years. Too bad Mr. Lauterbach didn't have an attorney to edit his article in THE IDAHO OBSERVER. He should have. Any good Attorney would have told him what a mistake slander is. And any good attorney would have also told him to omit the comments he made suggesting 'when the federal system doesn't work for you, justice lies in your own hands - the hands of the Liberty Netters.' Now that sounds like a statement meant to incite and meant to break the law to me.

Mr. Hollingsworth, you have mentioned in your letter that my 'harassment' violates the rights of the Liberty Net. What about my rights? What happened to them? My occasional comment has been to call the Liberty Net the 'Great Liberty Nitwit Net'. The Liberty Netters are incensed by this remark, but so what? This comment is not profanity and it happens to be my opinion. I have also called the Liberty Net members white supremacists. But this comment they like - they are proud of this. As a matter of fact, one of the Liberty Net members brags about the fact that he holds a higher-up position in the KuKluxKlan. The truth is that what they are angry about is not my so-called harassment, but the fact that I do not agree with them. And even the Liberty Net members would concede that they could not 'get my license' with the reasoning that I do not agree with their beliefs.

Some of the Liberty Net members have recently made mention of the fact that for the last several months, the 'friendlies' have turned over the frequency to them for their Saturday night net. And you, Mr. Hollingsworth, mentioned that even with the monitoring of 75 meters by the FCC, I have not been found to be interfering or jamming the frequency. Well, I have not been interfering with the Liberty Net licensees. In fact, I am only occasionally on the frequency any more at all.

Mr. Bill Lauterbach is persistent in his efforts to 'get my license any way he has to'. I do not believe Mr. Lauterbach has filed an honest complaint against me. And I believe the enclosure as well as my letter of explanation will corroborate this statement.

Sincerely,

Arthur D. Visser
W9ART

Enclosure

5362. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wagner <jrwagner@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <39332CC5.274ADF93@pobox.com>
Source record: 110169

NO MONKEYS wrote:
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> in WW2 history, especially when it comes to Hitler, it's hard to know what to
> believe sometimes.

As much as I disagree with AF2Y's position on gun control, it is
important
to get actual facts straight if you're going to cite them. I'm as
guilty
as anyone of repeating "common knowledge" but when challenged on the
factuality I will do my homework. It can be enlightening, as you will
see.

Take a look at http://www.rkba.org/research/rkba.faq, APPENDIX VI.
"Pious Frauds: Or, If It Sounds Too Good To Be True...". Keep in mind
that RKBA is very much in the fight to preserve our contitutional
rights,
but they also know the value of truth.

This doesn't even begin to change my position, but I don't think I'll
be citing Hitler and gun control in the future to support my arguments.

Jim, N4SVZ

5363. AF2Y, How could you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer007 <hammer007@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8gvd5lfmd1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110170

The Nazi Weapons Law Of 1938 introduced handgun control, firearm ownership was returned to the Nazi party members. If you knew so much you would have not shown your ignorance on the issue. the law itself was signed by Nazi Interior minister, Wilhelm Frick. FACT: Hitlers Nazi style of " Political Correctness", caused the genocide of 13 million people of which 6 million were jewish. This key element of his platform was called "The Final Solution". Disarming citizens was a key stradegy in his success.

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5364. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Maus <PeterMaus@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <39333403.FA9CCDB8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 110171

"radiosigs@mindspring.com" wrote:
>
> Sheer propagandistic gun toting crap and I can prove that Youngblood lies
> and Volz swears to it. Hitler spoke to the Austrian people in 1935
> advocating gun control? Nonsense for two reasons. (1) Possession of weapons
> by Austrians was non-existent and secondly, Hitler seized Austria and
> occupied the capital Vienna(Wien) on March 12,1938, three years after
> Badblood said the speech was delivered. Do me a favor Badblood and
> Volz-before you try to convince the ill-informed on this board of your lies,
> don't assume that everyone is stupid enough to believe them.
> AF2Y
>

Check your own history at the door. The gun control act of 1968 in
this country was taken nearly and chapter and verse from the Gun
control act of 1938 Germany.
> ----------
> In article <20000529160605.28892.00000554@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>
> > That's exactly right. the wierd thing is, is that Doc af2y claims that it
> never
> > happened. Hitler had no gun contol.
> > just shows how some can be mis-informed.
> >>from: hammer007 hammer007@my-deja.com
> >
> >>I was reading the postings of AF2Y which referenced gun control . these
> >>postings remind me of the speech that ADOLPH HITLER gave to the AUSTRIAN
> >>people in 1935. Hitler advocated gun control which he stated would lead to a
> >>safer society.
> >
> >

5365. Looking For FT290 mk1 Manual / Handbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: lee <lee_moore@wilmot5918.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <8gvcgeafj1@newsg1.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 110172

Thanks in advance.

Lee.

lee_moore@wilmot5918.freeserve.co.uk

5366. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000529234823.21233.00000537@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110173

entschuldigen sie, koennten sie uns beliefern mit ein angemessene antwort?
Aber, lassen sie sich nicht taeuschen.
Das wissen sie doch!

Kurpfuscher<af2y> schrieb:

>Bitte, geben Sie mir genaue Einzelheiten an die Oesterreichische Voelker von
>das Reden Hitlers?

5367. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530000252.21245.00000488@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110174

It doesn't matter. Doc would claim that it's all a lie anyway. I too have seen it a few times, and yes, once was in reference to the damn Brady bill and the similarities it had to nazi Germany's gun law under Hitler.
I will research it. I want to know!
Ps. Doc, ol man, I would never throw my "weapons" in lake Mead, they may be needed for protection some day.
Remember when Nazi Germany waved the fist of invasion at the English during the ninteenth thirties, an anguished plea for help went out and America sent thousands of sporting and surplus military arms to our British bretheren.

5368. Re: AF2Y, How could you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530001544.21209.00000476@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 110175

Sounds like the history I read.
Hammer time;
>The Nazi Weapons Law Of 1938 introduced handgun control, firearm ownership
>was returned to the Nazi party members. If you knew so much you would have
>not shown your ignorance on the issue. the law itself was signed by Nazi
>Interior minister, Wilhelm Frick. FACT: Hitlers Nazi style of " Political
>Correctness", caused the genocide of 13 million people of which 6 million
>were jewish. This key element of his platform was called "The Final
>Solution". Disarming citizens was a key stradegy in his success.
>

5369. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530001516.19734.00001456@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 110176

Good call, Al. Nice to see someone who remembers LBJ's "great society". That "program" has cost taxpayers nearly 4 trillion dollars since its beginning. As a "war on poverty", it's been a joke. But it achieved Johnson's objective. The give-away programs were successful in buying democrat votes galore.

Remember the Jesse Helms editorials on WRAL-TV (or was it WTVD?) in the mid-60's? I think it was his "observations" on "the great society" programs that got him elected in the first place.

Another <G>

5370. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530002136.19734.00001457@ng-ct1.aol.com>
Source record: 110177

Radiosigs-Guy
You're the best there ever was. You're the greatest. Cassius Clay has been outdone.

>ALL POLITICIANS
>LIE except for Al Gore, the inventor of the Internet!
>AF2Y

5371. Auto-FAQ Sent to Over 17,500 rec.radio.amateur.misc Posters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pschleck@novia.net
Message-ID: <6AIY4.40660$if.316566@newscene.newscene.com>
Source record: 110178

In September of 1996, I started mailing an introductory message to all posters to rec.radio.amateur.misc. This is accomplished via a special Perl script originally written by comp.infosystems.www.* FAQ maintainer Tom Boutell, who uses it on comp.infosystems.www.authoring.html, to send each poster such a letter once, and only once. It runs from a Unix cron job on my host every morning at 2 AM and queries my local news server via NNTP for the headers of any new articles posted to this newsgroup. About 15-25 new posters on average receive the message each day. Though substantially silent-running and low-maintenance, over those three years, the script suffered from two minor "oops" events:

1. Some as-yet undetermined file write error (possibly from a quota hard-limit on the system) truncated my previous-poster file to zero, and accidentally sent the message twice to a small number of recipients (essentially the posters of articles to rec.radio.amateur.misc in my local news spool on Friday, February 19, 1999).

2. A bug in Version 1.2.1 of the Typhon news server (installed by my ISP on or about April 3, 1999) which caused "References" instead of "Reply-To" headers to be returned when requested by the script using NNTP protocol, thus addressing the automated welcome messages to Message-ID contents. This mildly annoyed one postmaster who redirected to his mailbox all E-mail addressed to his domain, but with invalid mailboxes (e.g., the numeric, pseudo "addresses" used for Usenet article Message-ID headers).

In both cases, the problem was easily diagnosed, fixed, and enhancements were made to the script to ensure that the problem would not happen again.

Here are the milestones in terms of number of recipients, and the date each milestone was attained:

Recipients: Date: Average Recipients/Month (approx.):

0 September 21, 1996 N/A
5,000 July 5, 1997 625
7,500 December 7, 1997 500
10,000 June 2, 1998 420
12,500 December 20, 1998 420
15,000 September 29, 1999 280
17,500 May 30, 2000 310

Note that the rate is tapering off (likely following an exponential saturation curve).

Here's a breakdown of recipient's reactions to the letter over the last 45 months. All feedback was politely replied to, usually with a version of the rebuttal arguments given below:

About half of one percent of all recipients strongly objected to it. Spamming and junk mail seems to have rubbed sensibilities raw with regard to receiving unsolicited, possibly automatically-sent, E-mail; also, there's obviously just no pleasing some recipients, including the one person who angrily replied that he did not ask to be welcomed to this newsgroup (sigh!). Two others (out of the 17,500 recipients), accused me of illegal "spam" and threatened to have my account, my ISP, and possibly my ISP's upstream connection if necessary, "permanently removed from the Internet." Since this didn't happen, I can only assume that these threats were disingenuous (Hint: If there truly is a problem, please let me know about it, but I cannot constructively respond to misrepresentations, insults, and threats). I choose to endure this occasional abuse because experiences in other newsgroups demonstrate such automated welcome messages to be "just barely redeeming" in terms of dealing with the massive influx of new users.

Another half of one percent thought it was a bit wordy (the message needs to be "one size fits all" and some recipients might be very confused without some background explanation; the message attempts to get to the point as quickly as possible, and some careful pruning and rewording of the message has helped reduce complaints, but pragmatically the message is also optimized to minimize the amount of followup correspondence I have to engage in)

A handful of recipients complained that they did not post to the newsgroup (they did, usually by following up to a crossposted article in another newsgroup). In this case, the message was at least useful to warn users about such unintended crossposting. An increasing number of cross-posts (leading to followup postings) among rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.equipment, and rec.radio.swap seems to be causing a few more incidents of this type recently.

A handful of recipients didn't read the entire message, or didn't understand it, and asked to be taken off the mailing list (of course, this isn't a mailing list, and removing their address from my database would have the opposite of the desired effect). Two people even asked to be removed from the database anyway, each stating that they never intended to post to the newsgroup again (I honored their unusual requests).

A handful of recipients pointed out that they had been participating on the newsgroup for many years (It's possible that if you haven't posted in the last 45 months, or posted but the article didn't reach my local news spool, that you could potentially get this new user welcome message the next time you post. However, you will certainly not get it more than once.)

About one percent complimented me for sending it (which I appreciate).

The overwhelming majority did not respond, indicating one of several possibilities:

- they approve of it
- they disapprove, but not enough to bother replying
- the mail was misdelivered (I got a few bounces, often from deliberately munged From: or Reply-To: addresses to ward off "spam"; I've also recently begun to notice a number of readers registering with blocking or filtering services provided by DejaNews and others that prevent them from receiving reply E-mail)
- they don't care

So, my impression is that the project is at least a qualified success, and should continue in its present form. At the very least, it seems to be substantially non-controversial. Having primed the previous-poster database with over 17,500 E-mail addresses, the chances of bothering an experienced reader with an unneeded introductory message is greatly reduced, and will get even smaller with time.

I'd be interested in hearing your opinions on this project. I'd also like to solicit volunteers to initiate similar projects in some of the special-topic newsgroups (perhaps starting with my previous-poster database as a baseline, and modifying the message to contain pointers to the more topic-specific FAQ's and information; the .digital.misc, .homebrew, .equipment, and .policy newsgroups seem to be good candidates for a project of this type).

For those who are curious, here is the current version of the message, slightly modified in response to feedback as the project progressed.

Subject: WELCOME to rec.radio.amateur.misc
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
X-Loop: rec.radio.amateur.misc-auto-faq@oasis.novia.net

Hello,

This E-mail message is automatically sent to every new poster or cross-poster (as of September 21, 1996) to rec.radio.amateur.misc (and its associated mailing list, Info-Hams). It should be sent once, and only once, to each unique E-mail address. As the subject says, this is a welcome message. The Internet amateur radio community welcomes you to the newsgroups, including rec.radio.amateur.misc, and welcomes your input, opinions, and constructive participation. To help make you feel welcome, experienced participants like myself have chosen to systematically inform you, as a new poster, about useful information resources and user tips to help you get the most out of these newsgroups. I hope that you will consider this message in that spirit.

Please note that this is a one-time mailing, not a mailing list, and the presence of your E-mail address in my database prevents you from getting the message again the next time you post. Because of this, a request to "take me off of your mailing list" would not only not make sense, removing your address from my database would actually have the opposite of the desired effect (where you would be considered a first-time poster

the next time you posted, and get the message again).

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1. The news.announce.newusers newsgroup, moderated by Mark Moraes, contains a number of very informative articles providing an overview of net-etiquette, suggested writing styles for electronic forums, and other various do's and don'ts concerning Internet culture. If the articles have expired at your site, you may also view them via your World-Wide Web (WWW) browser (such as Netscape, Mosaic, Lynx, or Internet Explorer) at:

ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet/news.answers/news/

2. The Amateur Radio Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) List, formerly maintained by Diana Carlson, KC1SP and Ian Kluft, KO6YQ, has recently been resurrected by John Seney, WD1V. The majority of the original content of the FAQ remains the same, but now it's a hypertext document with hundreds of links to radio-related sites and is a significant resource to all students of amateur radio - regardless of their license status. It may be accessed as a WWW Page:

http://24.147.93.142/hamfaq/index2.html

It is also available in text form. Send an message to John's E-mail address below with the words "HAM FAQ" on the subject line.

Please direct any submissions, feedback, or administrivia regarding the FAQ to wd1v@amsat.org.

3. The Amateur Radio Elmers Resource Directory is an excellent supplement to the FAQ as it's a directory of "Elmers" (mentors, experts, and gurus) for amateur radio who can answer questions via Internet E-mail and via the various resources (such as special-topic FAQ Lists and WWW pages) that they maintain. It is accessible both as a WWW page:

http://www.novia.net/~pschleck/elmers/

and as flat text files:

ftp://ftp.novia.net/customers/pschleck/elmers/

Please direct any submissions, feedback, or administrivia regarding the Amateur Radio Elmers Resource Directory to elmers-request@novia.net.

4. The Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups, originally written by Jay Maynard, K5ZC, is now maintained by Jeffrey Herman, KH6O. It provides an excellent overview of all of the USENET newsgroups devoted to amateur and CB radio. It may be accessed from:

ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet/news.answers/radio/personal-intro

5. The rec.radio.swap FAQ: A Guide to Buying and Selling on Usenet, also originally written by Jay Maynard, K5ZC, is now also maintained by Jeffrey Herman, KH6O. It contains a number of good pointers for reading

and posting articles concerning the buying and selling of radio and radio-related equipment on the USENET newsgroup rec.radio.swap (which, with the sole exception of rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors for vintage equipment, is the only appropriate forum for such articles). It may be accessed from:

ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet/news.answers/radio/swap-guide

Please direct any submissions feedback, or administrivia regarding the above two resources to jeffreyh@hawaii.edu.

6. The national amateur radio society of the United States, the American Radio Relay League, has a presence on the Internet. You may access their comprehensive and informative home page at:

http://www.arrl.org/

or their automated file server by sending a message with the word "help" to:

info@arrl.org

(They also have information about amateur radio organizations in other countries.)

7. Read the newsgroup first to see if your question has already been answered. You may also view, and search for keywords in, older news articles (going back to March of 1995) at the DejaNews archive:

http://www.deja.com/usenet/

Many topics have been discussed before, often in great depth, but the articles have expired from your local news server. Services like DejaNews allow Usenet a much longer "institutional memory" that can greatly benefit both new and experienced users.

8. If you do post to the newsgroup, give as many details as possible. After you post, read the newsgroup for a week or two to see all replies to your posting. If you wish, ask for responses by E-mail and offer to post a summary if others are interested in the answer to your question. Note that it is (almost without exception) inappropriate to post your article to all (or even a significant subset of) rec.radio.amateur.* newsgroups. Please pick only the most relevant newsgroups (usually no more than 2 or 3), and post your article as a simultaneous cross-post (check your newsreader documentation) so that only one article is propagated, and the article is only shown once in a newsreader.

9. Remember, USENET newsgroups are based on the idea of mutual aid. USENET only works if we put as much into it as we get out of it. Good luck with your experiences with amateur radio and the amateur-radio-related USENET newsgroups.

73, Paul W. Schleck, K3FU

(Text of article adopted from Tom Boutell, World Wide Web FAQ
Maintainer, with modifications.)

5372. Re: Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <SuIY4.8386$4X5.19812@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

<garyjames@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8gugnf$s5q$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
But hey what I know, I thought the same thing
> about the energy crisis in the mid 70's! And as we all know there
> REALLY WAS a shortage of gas and oil wasn't there! har!har!
>
I live in Oklahoma, and we didn't have any gas shortage! We just quit shipping it out, had plenty for ourselves. Went to the gas station: "Yep, thar ain't no gas out in Caly-forna, big long lines I seed on TV. Fill that tank fer ya? Givin a discount iffin ya buy more'en 10 gallons." Yep, us Okies were crying real big crocodile tears for all you people on the East and West coasts. (grin!)

Mark K5MAR

(I'll apologize in advance to anybody who was offended by the above, just got to let my ornery streak out every so often. Formal Apology: I apologize if the truth offended you.)

5373. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gvo4amki1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110180

In article <8guqg3$578$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Youngblood, go take your Stuka up for a spin.
>

He can't. It's not REGISTERED!

Heston for President!!!!

NO Pantywaists!!!

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5374. Re: Radio in Ford Explorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <39335CB1.B2E8A711@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110181

JACK CLARKE wrote:
>
> This is a long shot --- but, here goes:
>
> The radio in my wife's '91 Ford Explorer suddenly has only one
> volume ---- LOUD! None of the buttons work except the "Power".
> Thank goodness we can shut it off.

Jack, it sounds like a button is stuck, which would cause the computer not to "see" other buttons being pushed. Try working all the buttons (push, wiggle side-to-side, etc.). After you've gave all the buttons a good workout, try the radio again.

If it still doesn't work, perhaps a more serious problem does exist. Try turning on the radio as you press various combinations of buttons. Perhaps you'll hit on the correct reset sequence by accident.

Of course, you could call Ford, but they probably won't be of much help - many car makers are placing third-party products in vehicles and really have no idea how they actually work.

Sorry I could not be of more help. I looked at the owners manual for the radio in my Explorer, and it says nothing about a reset option. But that does not mean for a moment that it does not exist.

Good luck.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5375. Re: Jews For the Preservation of Firearms Ownership on Confiscation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwight Stewart <stewartx@sccoast.net>
Message-ID: <393360F1.D741200E@sccoast.net>
Source record: 110182

paul@pmooney.uklinux.net wrote:
>
> As a non--American, could you please expalin to me why left-wingers
> are whackos, and liberals are bleeding hearts?

Paul, I consider myself a right-wing conservative, so you'll have to ask someone else - my opinions might be a little biased.

> Why is this problem over about individuals carrying guns (as
> individuals), when (as I understand it) they can carry them as part
> of an organised militia.

Well, in general, liberals tend to argue that we no longer have an organized militia in this country (the National Guard serves that purpose today), so there is no longer any reason for the blanket allowance of gun ownership by the average citizen.

However, conservatives argue that the 2nd Amendment of the American Constitution gave only one example of a reason for the citizens to own weapons (a militia) - but that was not the sole reason for gun ownership. They point out that using a gun for hunting and self-protection were commonplace at the time, so the writers of the Constitution saw no reason to add those reasons to the document (those were obvious).

Of course, the debate would have ended years ago if it was as easy as the last two paragraphs suggest. But, there are many arguments on both sides of the debate, so the debate goes on.

Dwight Stewart (W5NET)

http://www.qsl.net/w5net

5376. Re: "Dirty Words"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8gvq0jnpf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110183

In article <20000529012221.10818.00005031@nso-fi.aol.com>,
yodoc@aol.comqfuspam (Larry Roll K3LT) wrote:

> Keep
> in mind that the FCC has yet to require the development of
> "Smart Radios" that can only be turned on by their licensed
> users!

As soon as AF2Y rids the nation of all guns, he's probably going to
work on this next. Pretty soon, we won't have to think for ourselves
at all.

Probabaly saw Gore (the Deity) say he invented this technology on TV.

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5377. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Halstead <rdhalste@tm.net>
Message-ID: <qU1Z4.12522$LM4.895971@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 109934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Roger Halstead (K8RI)
www.RogerHalstead.com
N833R World's oldest Debonair? CD-2
"Larry W4CSC" <W4CSC@lostonthe.net> wrote in message
news:35683E1E4DDD25CF.C349DB3E7D0BD017.3F80F6BE61B98BE4@lp.airnews.net...
> Ok, so I read it wrong. It's ONLY 260.1 BILLION Kwh lost in 2000 of
> 3.6 Trillion Kwh generated. Still, if one multiplies 260, 100, 000,
> 000 by my electric rate of 8c/kwh, it's a tidy little sum we ALL pay
> for continuously in that rate......

Just think of how much we could save if they'd get rid of those high power
mercury vapor yard lights and replace them with lower power, shielded
lights.
better yet, put them on motion sensors.
>
Roger

> http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/steo/pub/10tab.html
>
> I searched DOE for this and found way too many pages of bureaucratic
> text than I could digest. Every time I go to a different place, I get
> wildly varying statistics, of course, depending on whether you want to
> make Big Power look real good or want it real bad......
>
> I don't think they really know, or actually care, because the
> consumers pay the bills.....
>
> Larry
>
>
>
> On Tue, 30 May 2000 22:57:52 GMT, nkennedy@cswnet.com wrote:
>
> >
> >Whoa! I don't know if I can believe that one. Where did you find the
> >DOE statement?
> >
> >Even if it's true, most of that one third power loss would be as non-rf
> >noise producing heat in the resistance of power line and transformer
> >conductors and transformer core losses. Some (not much) might be
> >corona discharge and arcing across damaged insullators, but surely not
> >much.
> >
> >73,

> >
> >Nick, WA5BDU
> >
> >
> >Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> >Before you buy.
>

5378. HT as a Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Schiltz <gschiltz@biosgroup.com>
Message-ID: <3934BE2C.CEE4DBC3@biosgroup.com>
Source record: 109935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I would appreciate any comments on using an HT as a scanner for police and fire bands. I have been doing HF for a little over 10 years, but have not until recently gotten interested in VHF or UHF. With the fires here in northern New Mexico lately, I'm getting interested in keeping in touch with other local hams and participating in emergency service. So, in the interest of saving some money, I wonder if an HT with fairly wide range VHF/UHF coverage would be adequate for my needs. I'd rather spend more on a great dual-band HT than on a mediocre HT and a mediocre scanner. I'll be checking with the local fire services to see if they use trunking (which I assume that HTs don't have), but I don't think they do. Many thanks in advance, and all the best from Pecos, NM!

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73 de W5PAZ
Gary Schiltz
Pecos, NM
gschiltz@biosgroup.com

5379. Re: HT as a Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: MarkXL <anon@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <sj9p7t2j5pj131@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 109936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sure a wide band HT will work. Yaesu makes some very wide ones but my
Standard an Icom units work fine. Only problem with HTs is that most
emergency services are trunking now and it's doubtful any HTs will
cover 800 mhz. Even if it does, while you can listen in, you can't
follow any trunked QSOs.
Also while many HTs have some memory scanning capabilities, they don't
scan as fast as most dedicated scanners. On the positive side if you're
in a metropolitan area, most HTs have CTCSS tone capabilities which is
rare in hand held scanners except the very expensive ones. But hey, if
you are planning on monitoring one or two untrunked frequencies,the HT
works great.
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73 Mark XL

In article <3934BE2C.CEE4DBC3@biosgroup.com>, gschiltz@biosgroup.com
says...
> I would appreciate any comments on using an HT as a scanner for police
> and fire bands. I have been doing HF for a little over 10 years, but
> have not until recently gotten interested in VHF or UHF. With the fires
> here in northern New Mexico lately, I'm getting interested in keeping in
> touch with other local hams and participating in emergency service. So,
> in the interest of saving some money, I wonder if an HT with fairly wide
> range VHF/UHF coverage would be adequate for my needs. I'd rather spend
> more on a great dual-band HT than on a mediocre HT and a mediocre
> scanner. I'll be checking with the local fire services to see if they
> use trunking (which I assume that HTs don't have), but I don't think
> they do. Many thanks in advance, and all the best from Pecos, NM!
>
> ----
>
> 73 de W5PAZ
> Gary Schiltz
> Pecos, NM
> gschiltz@biosgroup.com
>

5380. how can this be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <xO5Z4.751$iS1.6135@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 109937

Searched "w2go" on UALR site and ...

Callsign Name Address
W2GO JONES, ALBERT H 274 N BELL ROHR DR RT 2, LEESBURG, IN 46538
W2GO DELGADILLO, LUIS F 213 BRITTANY LANE, PITTSFORD, NY 14534

Formerly heard Al and w2hcw on 40m talking with the VKs longpath ...

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73, Dave, K3BHJ.

5381. Re: looking for info and radio equip to buy..please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trent Sampson <LLFP@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <RV5Z4.9467$c5.14842@newsfeeds.bigpond.com>
Source record: 109938
Cross-posted to:
fr.rec.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc,nl.radio.amateur

Did not the older tait 500 series have diode matrix?
trent vk4ti
budgie <budgie@nowhere.cantech.net.au> wrote in message
news:39331e82.3641033@news.cantech.net.au...
> On Tue, 30 May 2000 07:12:19 +1000, mike <kenbarri@ihug.com.au> wrote:
>
> >software and info sort for these models
> (snip)
> >tait t496 uhf mods and or diode matrix setup program to alter .
>
> Unless you have a VERY strange T496 it isn't diode matrix. It uses a
> module with two 2716 EPROMs

5382. Re: KC8JBO...AF2Y's #1 fan!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net>
Message-ID: <V96Z4.758$iS1.6307@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 109939

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:8h1er2$m98$1@news.hawaii.edu...

SNIP

> Okay, Dwight -- I'm going to sign your call next to my name below.
> Your assignment is to search the US Code (USC) and the Codified Federal
> Regulations (CFR) to see what law/regulation I might have broken.
> Remember, our laws are written such that what's not prohibited is
> permitted.
>
> Cite instead of adding to the misinformation which permeates these NGs.
>
> Jeff W5NET
>

SNIP

With our activist judiciary having arrogated to itself the review functions
of the other two branches of government, Dwight will have to search the
entire slippery slope of *penumbras and emanations* chronicled in various
Reporters, as well, for the body of contradictory holdings on this example.

The constant database-searching surely keeps West et alii smiling.

-- K3BHJ.

5383. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3934f5ca.2458411@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 109940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 31 May 2000 01:53:40 GMT, p1415926535@yahoo.com wrote:

>In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
> "zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
>[...]
>> While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
>> reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
>> mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
>> are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
>> to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
>> this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
>> numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
>
>Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.

That is the number of hams that ARRL directly is
told about through one source or another. That does
not probably reflect the 3/4 of the ham population
that are not ARRL members and many ARRL members probably
are not known to ARRL when they become SK other
that when their membership is not renewed.

>Considering that the current US ham population is several
>hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
>statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
>should be several times that many dying per month.

Yes, for the reasons above.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

5384. FS: Parts for Yeasu FT-101Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com
Message-ID: <3934ff2c.112763589@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 109941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale parts for FT-101Z.

Ask what you need and make an offer. All parts are in good working conditions unless otherwise noted.

Buyer to pay S/H.

Send all inquires to: servis_za_elektroniku@iname.com

5385. Re: Attention gun lovers: hey Brian Hill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39351EF1.3691ABC6@ahole.com>
Source record: 109942

Where did you get that his 'family was slaughtered'? From one of
those 'Militia rags? Unfortunately only his wife was killed, not
Weavers whole family. Get the facts straight or don't report
them....
You all talk about the government lying, what did you just do?

Brian Hill wrote:
>
> Thats great! That way they can't track you down and slaughter your family
> like the ATF did Randy Weaver's family.
> Brian Hill
>
> JR Wrote:
> >Oh? I can take you to several flea markets where you can buy all guns
> >you want, just put down the cash and no questions asked.
> >

5386. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39351F2D.FFFD9CF6@ahole.com>
Source record: 109943

Again more 'red neck' propagation.

Brian Hill wrote:
>
> Thats what they want. An unarmed civilian pop. Hell that was one of Hitler's
> tricks and it worked!
> Brian
>
> T.L. Bryant wrote in message <8gpj5a1rs9@enews1.newsguy.com>...
> >>Get rid of the damn guns and if we have a grievance, let's throw stones
> like
> >>in biblical times.
> >>
> >
> >I would have no problem with this if the police and all of military were
> armed
> >with nothing but stones as well. You and I both know that this isn't going
> to
> >happen.
> >
> >Tom - N8ECW
> >

5387. Re: Attention gun lovers: Attn Jeff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39351F9B.EDF79002@ahole.com>
Source record: 109944

Jeff, when a person pulls a knife on you, you won't have time to
run.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> A past 26-mile marathon time was 4:14; I pride myself on being a fairly
> fast runner.
>
> What percent of the population have been involved in a stabbing?
>
> General Mark Morgan <one.big.a@ahole.com> wrote:
> >That is bull shit Jeffrey Ask anyone that was in a KNIFE fight and
> >they will tell you that they fear the knife more that a gun.
> >
> >My bullet proof vest I wear will stop a bullet but NOT A KNIFE. I
> >would rather fight a person with a gun than a knife.
> >
> >
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >>
> >> T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
> >> >Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
> >>
> >> Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a bullet.

5388. Re: Ham radio's downward trend: Attn Steve

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39352123.3663DE16@ahole.com>
Source record: 109945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

And what did your president, Bill Clinton ' do? Did he not send
troops to do battle for 'oil'?

"Steve - KF2TI/AE (Landing, NJ)" wrote:
>
> In article <8h1rav$9vn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, p1415926535@yahoo.com says...
> > In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
> > "zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
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> > > are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
> > > to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
> > > this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
> > > numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
> > >
> >
> > Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.
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> > Considering that the current US ham population is several
> > hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
> > statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
> > should be several times that many dying per month.
> >
> > Or did you just mean ARRL members? That number still sounds
> > too low.
> >
> > OTOH, if hams only die at the rate of 55/month we could promote
> > amateur radio just on its health benefits. :-)
>
> And they just reported that WWII aged veterans were dying at a rate of
> 1000 per week and the national cemeteries are filling up. Guess the Army
> and the ARS are both bad bets. Wonder how scared the VFW is (using the
> same logic as the original poster) about their decreasing numbers.
>
> Maybe if we had a few more wars, they could promote and increase
> membership???
>
> Who knows, if G. W is elected, he could send a few 100k to the middle
> east just like his old man, so that the Tx Oil Barons can keep their
> restrictive club memberships current.
>

> DX= FCC rules DO NOT prohibit the inclusion of any
> type of reimbursement for postage, nor does it make
> illegal any voluntary donation that the sender wishes
> to include
>
> Repeaters= The FCC recognizes the right of individuals
> and organizations to maintain close repeaters and
> DOES NOT make it a crime to allow cited examples from
> collecting monetary funds to maintain these operations

5389. Re: AF2Y - READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: etagg <etagg@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <2S7Z4.523$9p.5531@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 109946

they are now
"Osama/bin/login" <crouchinglama@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:8h1t6ibfk1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <20000530203449.22819.00000880@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> > http://www.reasonmag.com/0001/fe.js.cold.html
>
> The gun-control advocates can't and/or won't read.
>
> They don't think, they just knee-jerk react to what their
> liberal media ("God") says to them. AF2Y is a TV baby.
>
> People wondered what too much TV would do to the human
> psyche, and it's worse if there is a pre-existing condition.
>
> Now society has to deal with him.
>
> Sad.
>
> Scariest thing is, is that soon, after the liberals undermine
> enough of the fabric of this once great nation, we'll be soft
> and worthless enough for some third-world extremist group to
> have their way.
>
> Every society must fall. For the US, it's folks like AF2Y that
> are doing everything they can to make sure we do fall ASAP.
>
> C'est la guerre...
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5390. Re: Attention gun lovers: hey Brian Hill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3935107c.260229@news.usol.com>
Source record: 109947

On Wed, 31 May 2000 12:16:25 GMT, General Mark Morgan
<one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

>Where did you get that his 'family was slaughtered'? From one of
>those 'Militia rags? Unfortunately only his wife was killed, not
>Weavers whole family. Get the facts straight or don't report
>them....
>You all talk about the government lying, what did you just do?

Actually Weaver's son (Sam) was killed also but the militia-types
don't mention the fact that Randy Weaver himself now says in
retrospect he should *never* have gotten involved in illegal
activities in the first place. Also it was the FBI not the BATF that
was involved in the shootings. Actually this is one of the few times
(surprisingly ??) that Bill Clinton and Janet Reno didn't get blamed
for Ruby Ridge.

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>Brian Hill wrote:
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>> Thats great! That way they can't track you down and slaughter your family
>> like the ATF did Randy Weaver's family.
>> Brian Hill
>>
>> JR Wrote:
>> >Oh? I can take you to several flea markets where you can buy all guns
>> >you want, just put down the cash and no questions asked.
>> >

5391. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <D25F2EC1A139CD79.057A9A600FCA77DC.21EF4FCCFC520E1D@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 109948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 31 May 2000 06:00:54 GMT, "Roger Halstead" <rdhalste@tm.net>
wrote:

>Just think of how much we could save if they'd get rid of those high power
>mercury vapor yard lights and replace them with lower power, shielded
>lights.
>better yet, put them on motion sensors.
>>
>Roger
>
Taking 5 minutes to come on, I don't think it'd be very practical for
a Mercury yard light to be on a motion detector. It'd never come on!

Larry W4CSC.......

5392. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <B2C9A31521216810.5B2752B1BD55B59F.E7008CE3F5867707@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 109949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 30 May 2000 23:22:36 -0700, Gray Frierson Haertig
<gfh@haertig.com> wrote:

>
>Of course they care. The consumer is billed for usage that occurs past
>all the losses. So any improvement in distribution efficiency means a
>reduction in necessary generation capacity and fuel.

You don't REALLY believe the monopoly eats the losses from profit, do
you? I'm amazed......
>
>Most utilities are acutely aware of the loss budgets in their
>distribution systems. An economic analysis is done on each loss factor
>to determine if the cost to reduce the loss is greater or less than the
>cost of generating additional power to make up for the loss. Economic
>analysis is a big part of electrical engineering.
>
>Gray
>
>--
>Telecommunications Engineering
>Gray Frierson Haertig & Assoc.
>820 North River Street, Suite 100
>Portland, Oregon 97227
>503-282-2989
>503-282-3181 FAX
>gfh@haertig.com

I'd also bet if Gray, Frierson, Haertig & Associates buys a new Ford
Explorer for the CEO their customers pay for it in charges, one way or
the other......or they won't be in business for long.

Larry

5393. Re: Has AF2Y learned his lesson?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: r8500@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000531101050.15935.00002134@ng-md1.aol.com>
Source record: 109950

>Subject: Has AF2Y learned his lesson?
>From: "frg9600" frg9600@earthlink.net
>Date: 5/27/00 9:56 AM Mountain Daylight Time
>Message-id: <bfSX4.2105$VO2.55305@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
>
>http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/jammers.html

Nice weather satellite photos at your URL, Froggie, but what the hell do they have to do with AF2Y?

5394. Re: Attention Hillary Haters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@shecora.com>
Message-ID: <3935213E.6398C782@shecora.com>
Source record: 109951

What does the have to do with amateur radio?

--
Darryl Wagoner DE WA1GON
603-598-6500 x929

5395. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <06957528.e9ddb437@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 109952

Golly gee, Roger. I'm impressed by your wide-eyed adoration
of "Raincoat Charlie", 'just hope that it doesn't turn into
stalking.

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5396. Re: AF2Y asks "John Danforth?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham_guy@webtv.net
Message-ID: <646-393522B9-11@storefull-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 109953

Al Gore would be a joke if he wasn't dangerous, given some power to enact some of his loony ideas. He and Prez Clinton use the principle "The end justifies the means" which is destructive to any democratic process, aside from being outright disgusting.
George Bush, on the other hand is an absolute crook. People seem to have forgotten how he walked off with the money while we bailed out the S & L's. Dad helped him with that setup. Actually I can't remember a single presidential election where the people didn't have to choose between the two worst candidates, clear back to the time of Eisenhower. Many folks don't even bother to vote. Its "six of one and a half dozen of the other" outcome.
Gary Bauer was probably our best offer as a leader for this country. He was one of the first to fall in the primaries, as are most of the good ones. He opposed abortion, queers and Chinese campaign 'contributions', which seems to be what most Americans really want the most, it the poles tell us anything.
Christianity was the basis for the founding of the country. It is the absolute truth that set the processes for the rights, liberty and justice that were sought, in govening this people. Keeping Christianity out of govenment has the same result as keeping it out of the schools. (I say Christianity, rather than religion, because acknowleging "God" can be anything from Budha to a dollar bill.)
What we have in almost all churches in the USA is religion. It apalled Jesus and it apalls a lot of us. Martin Luther brought us out of the Catholic relighion as a 'protestor', leading the Protestant movement. Mankind has found ways to re-interpret the Word to take us back into the same kind of relgion that we left.
Its kind of like Bill, changing the meaning of 'IS.'
I belive the downfall of the USA was written in the beginning, with the 2 party system. Both have become so corrupt, they are hard to distinguish between the two and the independents don't stand a chance against their power. Too bad. I suppose it really doensn't matter; it seems the American people have become as corrupt and un-principled as their polititians. "Give me a dollar, and I'll vote for him." It doesn' matter to the people whether he is a murderer, a queer, a liar and a crook, just make sure I get something out of it when he gets into office. No wonder the world hates Americans. We don't have many qualities to admire anymore. JJ

5397. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sycho_Graphics <Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O0S4WSxy$GA.310@cpmsnbbsa07>
Source record: 109954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In short, WHO CARES. Let the ignorant, self-centered, egotistical basterds all go away so I don't have to hear about how great HAM was in 1960 one more damn time. I think they are a joke, cops think they are a joke, most local authorities (In real cities not shit towns) think they are a joke, anyone under the age of 30 thinks they are a joke, they are the only ones who seem to take themselves (way too) seriously. BYE, bye and good riddance.

"me" <@.> wrote in message
news:1BC5AB4B06B6F8D8.AAC0E5EAFC5FA110.82C6E091ECEFDFD2@lp.airnews.net...
Funny. In 2 or so years there will be 200 hams.
Those 200 hams will still think there are alot of hams.
1 HAM is one ego and a waste of time too many (CW). :)

5398. Re: Attention gun lovers: hey Brian Hill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com>
Message-ID: <39354C1D.84CF1648@ahole.com>
Source record: 109955

Steve, thanks for clarifying my post. You are correct. Thanks

Steve wrote:
>
> On Wed, 31 May 2000 12:16:25 GMT, General Mark Morgan
> <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:
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> >Where did you get that his 'family was slaughtered'? From one of
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> Actually Weaver's son (Sam) was killed also but the militia-types
> don't mention the fact that Randy Weaver himself now says in
> retrospect he should *never* have gotten involved in illegal
> activities in the first place. Also it was the FBI not the BATF that
> was involved in the shootings. Actually this is one of the few times
> (surprisingly ??) that Bill Clinton and Janet Reno didn't get blamed
> for Ruby Ridge.
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> >Brian Hill wrote:
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5399. Re: AF2Y asks "John Danforth?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <041176fe.0503ad2b@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 109956

Oh my goodness. An upright moral man! Whenever morality
becomes an issue, "Raincoat Charlie" is certain to take
the low road.

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5400. Re: Attention gun lovers: hey Brian Hill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <ARaZ4.22253$RO1.1201511@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 109957

Hey General! his son got killed also. Thats quite a slaughter for one family don't ya think. But maybe you think its not a slaughter just killing his wife wile shes holding her baby and killing his young son. Get a grip I do know the facts.
Brian

General Mark Morgan wrote in message <39351EF1.3691ABC6@ahole.com>...
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>those 'Militia rags? Unfortunately only his wife was killed, not
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>them....
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>>

5401. Re: Attention gun lovers: hey Brian Hill

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <cUaZ4.15460$NE3.1189974@nntp1.onemain.com>
Source record: 109958

I stand corrected also Steve. It was the FBI not the ATF. Thanks.
Brian

5402. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <G%aZ4.22264$RO1.1201895@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 109959

Yea! Call names. Thats what people like you do when you can't come up with anything intellectual to say. Prove me wrong! Hot shot!

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>Again more 'red neck' propagation.
>
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>> Thats what they want. An unarmed civilian pop. Hell that was one of Hitler's
>> tricks and it worked!
>> Brian

5403. Re: ein Kurpfuscher (af2y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h3ecp$bg5$1@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109960

No it isn't and I want an explanation. In German a physician is "Arzt" and a dentist is "Zahnartzt." I have a feeling what you wrote is an insult and if that's how you repay an apology I offered last week, I'm disappointed in you, Tim. And I'll tell you what you can do with your dumb LOL in every post too!
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000530225928.26446.00001046@ng-fh1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> Well ......let's just say it's a doctor. LOL

5404. Re: N3GVA and N2SAGGY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h3efb$bg5$2@slb1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109961

ANYTHING THE 3.950 HATEMONGERS DESPISE, I LIKE!

In article <20000530224453.28731.00000813@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> While I have to agree with you that some on that frequency are, shall we say,
> subversive. There ARE many on there that do not espouse the racist supremacist
> views that seem to be exhibited from that east coast bunch. You seem to be
> lumping everyone on that frequncy into the same catagory. That my friend
> neither proper nor correct. By the way, your also screwing up bigtime by
> supporting billary. Just last week you came out against her, now you support
> her for strange and incorrect reasons. Whatever !

5405. Re: Charles is MAD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h3g1ruts1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109962

It's my call and you are misrepresenting me. I've contacted deja about it
and we'll see how long you'll be posting using it. Use your own call if you
have one. Or use "CalloftheWild" or something like that. If you were
intelligent and used my call responsibly as your indentifier, I wouldn't
mind. But you're a stupid simp. Hit the road and cease and desist NOW.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <8h0s2iheo1@nnrp1.deja.com>, af2y@my-deja.com wrote:

> I WILL keep on using the posting name of "AF2Y" as long as I DAMN WELL
> PLEASE.....Charles should have TAKEN it before I did if he is SO
> pissed off about it!!!!!
>
>
>
> PITBULL
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5406. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard McCollum <rmccoll@radiks.net>
Message-ID: <WrbZ4.127$Dx2.766@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 109963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Bill Sohl" <billsohl@interactive.net> wrote in message
news:3934f5ca.2458411@news.interactive.net...
> On Wed, 31 May 2000 01:53:40 GMT, p1415926535@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
> > "zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
> >[...]
> >> While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
> >> reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
> >> mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
> >> are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
> >> to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
> >> this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
> >> numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
> >
> >Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.
>
> That is the number of hams that ARRL directly is
> told about through one source or another. That does
> not probably reflect the 3/4 of the ham population
> that are not ARRL members and many ARRL members probably
> are not known to ARRL when they become SK other
> that when their membership is not renewed.
>
> >Considering that the current US ham population is several
> >hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
> >statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
> >should be several times that many dying per month.
>
> Yes, for the reasons above.
>
> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK
>

Now we can add 'outlive the bastards' to the list of strategies for DX
pileups.

Dick BK

5407. Re: N3GVA and N2SAGGY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h3fn5hrt1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109964

Mr Finn,
You may be right on target because I notice that when SAGGY gets going, he does nothing but sits before the mic and dishes out similes, metaphors, hyperbole, euphemisms and eunuchisms in order to impress Mike, Mean Gene and other simpletons pretending literacy.
More often than not after the Hicksvillian gets off his soapbox, I ask myself, "What in the world did he say for the past 20 minutes?" Our pal Al goes way beyond doubletalking but he still had rotten things to say about New York's Senator who'll replace Daniel Patrick Moynihan, Hillary Cinton. Parker had no right to attack her feminity and sexual preference because I'm sure she's just fine on both counts.
In politics it's issues that count, not rightwing slander and all I know is the other day while touring, Rick Lazio fell on his face and needed 10 stitches to stop the bleeding between his nose and lip. He reminds me of another dumb Republican named Gerald Ford who always kept bunking into things, especially doors to planes.
How will New Yorkers feel if Lazio wins and before every vote winds up missing and in the hospital having one thing at a time stitched up? Damn anyway, the guy will known as Senator Zipper.
Last night was the first time I tuned to 3.950 and it's the same old sugar regarding what's wrong with America and how those birdbrains are going to fix her. Our founding fathers must be turning over in their graves on hearing how SAGGY and his pals abuse something called Freedom of Speech.

Doc,AF2Y

In article <Gq0Z4.4498$yb4.86300@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "Dan Finn" <finnd@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Generally I find it difficult to understand what N3GVA is saying because of
> the difficulty he has with concise verbal communication. I am surprised that
> you were able to derive a logical point from his blatherings. It gets even
> worse when he starts getting sloshed later on in the evening. N3GVA may
> think that Hillary is a space alien and it's a matter of public knowledge
> what N3GVA does with small animals.
>
>
> <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
> news:8h1rt8$p12$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
>> I am now SWLing N3GVA and SAGGY on 3.950 at 0151 UTC, May 31,00 and after
>> hearing their ungentlemanly statements about Hillary Clinton while
> realizing
>> that the awful elements using that frequency share their sentiments, I'm
>> announcing my support for Mrs. Clinton in her bid to become a "Senatoress"

>> from New York.
>> Anyone or anything 3.950 considers an enemy is my FRIEND because my
> loyalty
>> to this country is, unlike the racists on that frequency, implaccable!
>> I'd sooner befriend a carpetbagger than move to the cadence of subversives
>> which aptly describes the garbage loose on that frequency.
>> AF2Y
>>
>
>

5408. Re: how can this be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Brothers <brothers@abbreviate-brothers.com>
Message-ID: <8h3iuo$j9l$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 109965

Albert Jones's license expired 1/5/1998. W2GO was issued to Luis Delgadillo
as a vanity call 4/7/2000.

"David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net> wrote in message
news:xO5Z4.751$iS1.6135@newsfeed.slurp.net...
> Searched "w2go" on UALR site and ...
>
> Callsign Name Address
> W2GO JONES, ALBERT H 274 N BELL ROHR DR RT 2, LEESBURG, IN 46538
> W2GO DELGADILLO, LUIS F 213 BRITTANY LANE, PITTSFORD, NY 14534
>
> Formerly heard Al and w2hcw on 40m talking with the VKs longpath ...
>
>
> --
> 73, Dave, K3BHJ.
>
>
>

5409. Re: ein Kurpfuscher (af2y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000531134630.18842.00000869@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 109966

My My My, so damn touchy, and wearing his feeelings on his sleeve too.
Kurpfuscher, you know what they say, if you can't take a joke. I wouldn't
insult you to a further degree than you have done me. LOL :-)>
Ps. yes it is. LOL !
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>No it isn't and I want an explanation. In German a physician is "Arzt" and a
>dentist is "Zahnartzt." I have a feeling what you wrote is an insult and if
>that's how you repay an apology I offered last week, I'm disappointed in
>you, Tim. And I'll tell you what you can do with your dumb LOL in every post
>too!
>Doc,AF2Y
>

5410. Re: HT as a Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <SecZ4.39$qE2.558@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 109967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary,
Sure, I use my ADI AT-600 as a dual purpose unit, only real fault as far as I'm concerned is a rather slow scan speed. And several months ago one of the scanner mags, Monitoring Times or Popular Comm., had an article on using a W32A as a scanning receiver. There are trade-offs. Slow scanning speed, no trunking (may or may not be a problem), and the lack of really adequate priority channels. When activity really starts to hop, I go ahead and add a handheld scanner to the mix, earphone in each ear. I used to be a police dispatcher, so I'm used to listening to multiple radios at the same time. The AT-600 can be found as a refurbished unit w/ warranty at the ADI/Premier site for $199. Also get the so-called gift package for $99 which includes a HP NiMH battery, a LP NiCad battery, drop-in fast charger, and auto pwr cord. http://www.adi-radio.com/

Mark K5MAR

"Gary Schiltz" <gschiltz@biosgroup.com> wrote in message news:3934BE2C.CEE4DBC3@biosgroup.com...
> I would appreciate any comments on using an HT as a scanner for police
> and fire bands. I have been doing HF for a little over 10 years, but
> have not until recently gotten interested in VHF or UHF. With the fires
> here in northern New Mexico lately, I'm getting interested in keeping in
> touch with other local hams and participating in emergency service. So,
> in the interest of saving some money, I wonder if an HT with fairly wide
> range VHF/UHF coverage would be adequate for my needs. I'd rather spend
> more on a great dual-band HT than on a mediocre HT and a mediocre
> scanner. I'll be checking with the local fire services to see if they
> use trunking (which I assume that HTs don't have), but I don't think
> they do. Many thanks in advance, and all the best from Pecos, NM!
>
> ----
>
> 73 de W5PAZ
> Gary Schiltz
> Pecos, NM
> gschiltz@biosgroup.com

5411. Re: Dayton Fleamarket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tswisher@gcfn.org
Message-ID: <8h3karrik1@acme.gcfn.org>
Source record: 109968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Some flea vendors really need to get a grip on reality; a few years ago, one fellow was asking $100 for an old AF signal generator that would not fetch half that at a "normal" sale, and to make matters worse, this unit had been drenched in the Friday morning downpour, as well as submerged in a river that flowed across it from the higher points of the flea market area. This fellow obviously didn't have a very good grasp of reality in this instance, and did not sell his sig gen, as I found it lying next to a trash can on Sunday (and I did not take it home, I've got too much stuff already).

As far as the commercial 2-way dealers, they are specifically in this thing to make money. They are going to charge the highest price they think they can get away with, and the sad part is that sooner or later they will succeed in selling that beat-up piece of junk to some poor sap who doesn't know any better.

The average ham who gets a space, however, is trying to get rid of stuff he no longer needs or wants. While the price he is asking might be a little high, haggle with the guy. He's trying to clean out his shack, and certainly doesn't want to haul the thing home, so you may be surprised at your success.

On the other hand, you have to go into the flea market (especially Dayton) with realistic expectations. After many years of attending Dayton, I always go into the flea expecting to see beat up junk being sold for outrageous prices. That way, I'm pleased and surprised when I find something nice for a good price. A couple of examples from the 2000 Hamvention:

1. The new $10 DMMs complete with rubber shock holster. If it only lasts a year or so before conking out, it still only cost me $10....

2. The two nice, clean Kenwood TS-700A 2m all-mode transceivers which I got for $175. The seller was quite honest that they had problems, even elaborated on said problems, and threw in the service notes from the Kenwood FTP site. One needed a new 9v regulator, and the other had no TX.

I found later that the one with no TX had a loose VOX plug, thus keeping the internal jumper from making contact. Cleaned it and tightened it, and it now works 100%. I've also replaced the 9v regulator in the other unit, and it too now works 100%.

So there *are* great deals in the flea market at Dayton; you just have to go into the thing with realistic expectations, a good idea of what you are looking for, and some research under your belt into what the item you're looking for is currently fetching on the used market. You also have to look carefully; don't rush through the thing! Finally, don't be

afraid to haggle; most vendors will gladly haggle over the price,
so you will very likely be able to knock some bucks off the price.

Tom WA8PYR

J. Duffy Beischel (duffyb01(NOSPAM)@fuse.net) wrote:
: One thing is for sure, with people trying to sell used garbage (dirty,
: abused and scratched up) radios for 10% under the price of the same radio
: new....well fleamarket vendors....the new equipment vendors thank you from
: the bottom of their hearts!!!

: If I am buying used stuff I expect it to be in good condition and be half of
: what I can buy it new....if not...well I just buy new. Then I get a
: warranty and the equipment looks nice, just like the way I treat my
: equipment.
--
* Tom Swisher, WA8PYR | tswisher @ gcfn.org *
* The Ohio Railway Museum | "Save Our Roads.. Ship It By Rail" *
* ORM WWW http://members.aol.com/orm578/page/ormhome.htm *
* Central Ohio Scanning http://www.qsl.net/wa8pyr/index.html *

5412. Re: ein Kurpfuscher (af2y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <03c0a030.5cedacfb@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109969

In article <20000531134630.18842.00000869@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>My My My, so damn touchy, and wearing his feeelings on his
sleeve too.
>Kurpfuscher, you know what they say, if you can't take a joke.
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is "Arzt" and a
>>dentist is "Zahnartzt." I have a feeling what you wrote is an
insult and if
>>that's how you repay an apology I offered last week, I'm
disappointed in
>>you, Tim. And I'll tell you what you can do with your dumb LOL
in every post
>>too!
>>Doc,AF2Y

Now, now, you two play nice, or I'm turning this car right
around!
LOL!!!! ROFLMAO!!!!

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5413. Re: AF2Y - READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <02926836.5fa671fe@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109970

In article <2S7Z4.523$9p.5531@typhoon.nyroc.rr.com>, "etagg"
<etagg@twcny.rr.com> wrote:
>they are now
>"Osama/bin/login" <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote in message
>news:8h1t6ibfk1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>> In article <20000530203449.22819.00000880@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
>> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>> > http://www.reasonmag.com/0001/fe.js.cold.html
>>
>> The gun-control advocates can't and/or won't read.
>>
>> They don't think, they just knee-jerk react to what their
>> liberal media ("God") says to them. AF2Y is a TV baby.
>>
>> People wondered what too much TV would do to the human
>> psyche, and it's worse if there is a pre-existing condition.
>>
>> Now society has to deal with him.
>>
>> Sad.
>>
>> Scariest thing is, is that soon, after the liberals undermine
>> enough of the fabric of this once great nation, we'll be soft
>> and worthless enough for some third-world extremist group to
>> have their way.
>>
>> Every society must fall. For the US, it's folks like AF2Y that
>> are doing everything they can to make sure we do fall ASAP.
>>
>> C'est la guerre...

Contary to the propaganda, I _disagree_with AF2Y in some ways on
his stand on this issue. There goes the chihuahua's theory that
I'm Doc's number 1 fan.
C'la vie........

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5414. Re: Chalie's Confused, Hitler is dead and AF2Y isn't feeling so well himself.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0936a318.61ac9170@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109971

In article <8h1bg4$u8l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, dtolassi@my-deja.com
wrote:
>Roger you are such a suckup. If blackbeard stops short you
will be up
>is ass!!

No, I'm almost 99.9% certain your wide tounge will block my
entrance.

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5415. Re: And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <01866a3c.40755f47@usw-ex0104-026.remarq.com>
Source record: 109972

In article <20000531003623.29937.00000771@ng-fu1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>No no No I think the mad dawg or eimacs were for a statement of
some sort? Do
>ya think maybe they drank all of the mad dawg just before they
wrote that?

Awww...and here I thought KKKevin the Himmler wanna-be would
only drink GERMAN wine and such.....LOL!!!!!!
From his picture he looks like a real goof!

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5416. Re: AF2Y asks "John Danforth?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <08e74588.624bb148@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109973

In article <041176fe.0503ad2b@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Oh my goodness. An upright moral man! Whenever morality
>becomes an issue, "Raincoat Charlie" is certain to take
>the low road.

A road you've well-travelled, huh?

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5417. Re: Has AF2Y learned his lesson?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <09474378.644e9c26@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109974

In article <20000531101050.15935.00002134@ng-md1.aol.com>,
r8500@aol.com (R8500) wrote:
>>Subject: Has AF2Y learned his lesson?
>>From: "frg9600" frg9600@earthlink.net
>>Date: 5/27/00 9:56 AM Mountain Daylight Time
>>Message-id: <bfSX4.2105
$VO2.55305@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
>>
>>http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/jammers.html
>
>Nice weather satellite photos at your URL, Froggie, but what
the hell do they
>have to do with AF2Y?
>

Absolutely NOTHING. Froggie's been one of the unidentified
jammers on the bands for years.

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5418. Re: Charles is MAD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <0422ba38.5e8d9f6c@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109975

In article <8h3g1ruts1@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
>It's my call and you are misrepresenting me. I've contacted
deja about it
>and we'll see how long you'll be posting using it. Use your own
call if you
>have one. Or use "CalloftheWild" or something like that. If you
were
>intelligent and used my call responsibly as your indentifier, I
wouldn't
>mind. But you're a stupid simp. Hit the road and cease and
desist NOW.
>Doc,AF2Y
>
>----------
>In article <8h0s2iheo1@nnrp1.deja.com>, af2y@my-deja.com
wrote:
>
>
>> I WILL keep on using the posting name of "AF2Y" as long as I
DAMN WELL
>> PLEASE.........Charles should have TAKEN it before I did if
he is SO
>> pissed off about it!!!!!
>>
>>
>>
>> PITBULL
>>

"Pitbull," the newsgroup's Chihuahua, tries to make up for his
inadequacies by posting under an alias. This shows his maturity
level is that of an 12 or 13-year-old. "Pitbull" suffers from
paranoid schizophrenia, and must have had a tormented childhood,
beiong sodomized by his father and mother like that. You have to
kind of feel sorry for him, he's looking for a "father" or role
model, so naturally, he picks those types he wishes he could be
like the most to attack on the newsgroup.
He really should send his wits out to be sharpened, but you
can't sharpen a pencil stub.

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5419. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlbryant@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h3kg00882@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 109976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <O0S4WSxy$GA.310@cpmsnbbsa07>, Sycho_Graphics@email.msn.com says...
>
>In short, WHO CARES. Let the ignorant, self-centered, egotistical basterds
>all go away so I don't have to hear about how great HAM was in 1960 one more
>damn time. I think they are a joke, cops think they are a joke, most local
>authorities (In real cities not shit towns) think they are a joke, anyone
>under the age of 30 thinks they are a joke, they are the only ones who seem
>to take themselves (way too) seriously. BYE, bye and good riddance.
>

...and most hams are so much of a joke, they don't even know the punch line.

Tom - N8ECW

5420. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8jbo <kc8jboNOkcSPAM@yahoo.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <02853ed0.634ecf2d@usw-ex0104-031.remarq.com>
Source record: 109977

In article <06957528.e9ddb437@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>, wolf
<wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid> wrote:
>Golly gee, Roger. I'm impressed by your wide-eyed adoration
>of "Raincoat Charlie", 'just hope that it doesn't turn into
>stalking.

It would seem _You_have that on covered, "wolf." I do not
endorse Doc's stand on gun control. Prove otherwise or STFU.
Not that you've ever let the concept of thinking _before_ you
communicate stand in the way of your idiotic posts. "Golly gee,"
Bwhahahahahahahahahah!!! How square. It would figure, though,
you never were on the forefront of anything.

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5421. LISTENING AMATEUR RADIO IN THE INTERNET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: alves_filho@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <8h40glqke1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 109978

Are there any sites that we can listen to the amateur radios in the internet? Can anyone tell me their internet addresses? Thanks in advance.

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Before you buy.

5422. Re: how can this be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Stussy" <kd6lvw@bde-arc.ampr.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.10005312131140.176-100000@mbx.bde-arc.ampr.org>
Source record: 109979

On Wed, 31 May 2000, David J. Windisch wrote:
> Searched "w2go" on UALR site and ...
>
> Callsign Name Address
> W2GO JONES, ALBERT H 274 N BELL ROHR DR RT 2, LEESBURG, IN 46538
> W2GO DELGADILLO, LUIS F 213 BRITTANY LANE, PITTSFORD, NY 14534
>
> Formerly heard Al and w2hcw on 40m talking with the VKs longpath ...

Database error? I show that only the first line above is proper (but that the license has since expired). Although beyond the grace period, it appears to have not yet been reassigned.

5423. Re: AF2Y, REFERENCE GUN CONTROL.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolf <wolfalsoNOwoSPAM@hotmail.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <03680142.5e34cab8@usw-ex0101-005.remarq.com>
Source record: 109980

Roger, Roger, Roger.... Do you realize the time you could
save if you had your lips surgically attached to "Raincoat
Charlies'" rear end? Your rantings do make my day though.
Don't let that heat up in OK affect your brain any more than
it already has.

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5424. Re: Ham Population Dwidling to Nothing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lenny-t <lenny-t@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <393592EF.2EE4@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 109981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Uh oh. He's ba-a-a-a-a-a-c-k.

-Lenny (Dwidler Extraordinaire)

Sycho_Graphics wrote:
>
> In short, WHO CARES. Let the ignorant, self-centered, egotistical basterds
> all go away so I don't have to hear about how great HAM was in 1960 one more
> damn time. I think they are a joke, cops think they are a joke, most local
> authorities (In real cities not shit towns) think they are a joke, anyone
> under the age of 30 thinks they are a joke, they are the only ones who seem
> to take themselves (way too) seriously. BYE, bye and good riddance.
>
> "me" <@.> wrote in message
> news:1BC5AB4B06B6F8D8.AAC0E5EAFC5FA110.82C6E091ECEFDFD2@lp.airnews.net...
> Funny. In 2 or so years there will be 200 hams.
> Those 200 hams will still think there are alot of hams.
> 1 HAM is one ego and a waste of time too many (CW). :)

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"A greyhound needs no fanfare." - Jean Boone 1917-1998

5425. Re: Has AF2Y learned his lesson?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: frg9600 <frg9600@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <K6hZ4.3411$od5.71067@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 109982

It's back up for your veiwing pleasure.

http://home.earthlink.net/~frg9600/jammers.html

5426. Re: Charles is MAD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <39359d8a.7078646@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 109983

On Wed, 31 May 2000 12:54:09 -0400, "radiosigs@mindspring.com"
<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:

>It's my call and you are misrepresenting me. I've contacted deja about it
>and we'll see how long you'll be posting using it. Use your own call if you
>have one. Or use "CalloftheWild" or something like that. If you were
>intelligent and used my call responsibly as your indentifier, I wouldn't
>mind. But you're a stupid simp. Hit the road and cease and desist NOW.
>Doc,AF2Y

Screw you Charles. You're an asshole and everyone hates your guts.

5427. Re: Attention gun lovers: Attn Jeff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000531192100.00313.00000813@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 109984

An average person with a knife can travel 21 feet in 1.5 seconds and stab you.
A *well trained* person with a gun would have a hard time drawing from
concealment and firing to stop the knife attack in that amount of time..
Jeff take some courses - or don't they allow "training" where you are.

>Jeff, when a person pulls a knife on you, you won't have time to
>run.

>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>
>> A past 26-mile marathon time was 4:14; I pride myself on being a fairly
>> fast runner.

5428. ALERT: STOLEN MILITARY RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David L. Stinson" <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <39359EDF.20EEEF53@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 109985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

(Please do not reply to me or to the list.
Reply to Robert. Thanks.)

Please be on the lookout for these military radios
stolen from Robert Downs,
"ROBERT W. DOWNS" <RWDowns_WA5CAB@compuserve.com>
Of Houston, Texas. Thanks!

Groups,

The following items were stolen from my storage building the night of
29/30
May 2000. If any of you see or hear of anything, including someone who
suddenly has a complete SCR-284 packset radio, please let me know. The
Houston Police Dept. Incident Number is 68850900-D.

SCR-284 packset radio consisting of:

BC-654 Receiver-Transmitter s/n 47775 with J-48 key and PE-104 Vibrator
Supply s/n 52186.

CS-41 Bag containing GN-45-A Generator s/n 10214

BG-58-A Roll (Bag) containing:
2 GC-7 Crank
LG-2-A Leg
2 LG-3 Leg
4 LG-13-A Leg
IN-106-A Insulator
MS-49 through MS-56 Mast Sections plus extra MS-49 and MS-50
15' W-142 Wire

BG-102-A Bag containing:
P-19 & HS-30 Headset
CD-501 Cord
RL-29 Reel with CP-12 & -13 Counterpoise
RL-28 Reel with GY-11 & -12 Guy
T-17-D Microphone Contract # 10612-Phila-44
4 GP-27 Stake
2 PE-104 Vibrator Supply s/n 12424 & 4431

CS-76-B Bag containing RM-29-A Remote Control s/n 2504
BX-31-A Box, Spare Tube & Vibrator (fully stocked)

SCR-694 and AN/GRC-9 components:

CW-140/GRC-9 Bag containing RT-77A/GRC-9 Receiver-Transmitter s/n 4726
(all
3 tags match)

BG-175 Bag

2 BG-174 Roll (Bag) (one WW-II and one Korean War style) each
containing:
6 MS-116-A Mast Section
2 MS-117-A Mast Section
2 MS-118-A Mast Section (missing from WW-II bag)
CD-1086 84" Cord
2 GC-7 Crank
IN-127 Insulator
LG-2-B Leg
2 LG-3 (WW-II) or 2 LG-3-B Leg
1 GP-27-A (WW-II) or 4 GP-27-Fr

For the four of you who noticed that there are three PE-104's with the
SCR-284, the two in the BG-102 are filling the space that should be
occupied by two BA-43 Batteries, which are made of unobtanium.

Robert Downs
WA5CAB
Houston

5429. Re: how can this be?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h48ll$u98$2@slb0.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109986

Windy, how can Al Jones whom I knew from 75 meters, be living in Indiana and New York state at the same time and why does he have an alias of Luis Delgadillo?

On 75 Al used a Hertz. It was a sloping 65' wire with one end on his tower and the other tied off to a ground rod. He end fed it and the braid of the coax was connected to four 65' radials. I used to hear him work ZLs I couldn't hear between 6-7 A.M. I think Bill Salerno, W2ONV from Saddle Brook, NJ. used a similar setup. Bill's signal was so strong, a woman sued him for coming through her fillings and that's the truth.
Her saliva acted as an electrolyte and the amalgam fillings as a rectifier and she'd hear him loud and clear but never asked for a QSL. There was an article in our local paper about her bringing him to court.

Incidentally when I knew Al Jones, he was living along the Jersey shore which certainly did not impede his bodacious signal. How could an erudite gent like he relocate to a god forsaken hole like Indiana? Ugh!

In article <xO5Z4.751$iS1.6135@newsfeed.slurp.net>, "David J. Windisch" <davidw@copper.net> wrote:

> Searched "w2go" on UALR site and ...
>
> Callsign Name Address
> W2GO JONES, ALBERT H 274 N BELL ROHR DR RT 2, LEESBURG, IN 46538
> W2GO DELGADILLO, LUIS F 213 BRITTANY LANE, PITTSFORD, NY 14534
>
> Formerly heard Al and w2hcw on 40m talking with the VKs longpath ...
>
>
> --
> 73, Dave, K3BHJ.
>
>
>

5430. Re: AF2Y (kurpfuscher)- READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h48q8$80l$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109987

Thank God we have some good schools in America to teach kids it's "himself",
not "his self" you fool!
AF2Y

In article <YJ1Z4.15189$NE3.1138978@nntp1.onemain.com>, "Brian Hill"
<jonnysocko@jps.net> wrote:

> Heck! We can all talk till were blue in the face but guys like AF2Y never
> bend. They know it all! Hell there would be no America if we were all like
> him. Its probably better he don't have a gun. He'd probably shoot his self
> in the foot!

5431. Re: AF2Y - READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h49pkgcr1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109988

You talk about this country falling? To an outside enemy? You must be crazy because commies, anarchists and Nazis couldn't do us in. What will? If we have it your way, we'll shoot each other to death.

In article <8h1t6ibfk1@nnrp1.deja.com>, Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote:

> In article <20000530203449.22819.00000880@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
> kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
>> http://www.reasonmag.com/0001/fe.js.cold.html
>
> The gun-control advocates can't and/or won't read.
>
> They don't think, they just knee-jerk react to what their
> liberal media ("God") says to them. AF2Y is a TV baby.
>
> People wondered what too much TV would do to the human
> psyche, and it's worse if there is a pre-existing condition.
>
> Now society has to deal with him.
>
> Sad.
>
> Scariest thing is, is that soon, after the liberals undermine
> enough of the fabric of this once great nation, we'll be soft
> and worthless enough for some third-world extremist group to
> have their way.
>
> Every society must fall. For the US, it's folks like AF2Y that
> are doing everything they can to make sure we do fall ASAP.
>
> C'est la guerre...
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5432. Re: ein Kurpfuscher (af2y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h49hruno1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109989

Your German is terrible. First off there's no such word as Kurpfuscher but
if you insist upon using it in a sentence meaning "one wrote," it is not
"Ein Kurpfuscher (AF2Y) geschrieben," but instead "Ein Kurpfuscher(AF2Y) hat
geschrieben," but a better way to say it would be "Schrieb ein
Kurpfuscher(AF2Y)." In other words if you don't know foreign language
grammar, stick to English but then again that's not your strong point
either.
Doc,AF2Y

In article <20000531134630.18842.00000869@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:

> My My My, so damn touchy, and wearing his feeelings on his sleeve too.
> Kurpfuscher, you know what they say, if you can't take a joke. I wouldn't
> insult you to a further degree than you have done me. LOL :-)>
> Ps. yes it is. LOL !
> ein kurpfuscher(af2y) geschrieben:
>>No it isn't and I want an explanation. In German a physician is "Arzt" and a
>>dentist is "Zahnartzt." I have a feeling what you wrote is an insult and if
>>that's how you repay an apology I offered last week, I'm disappointed in
>>you, Tim. And I'll tell you what you can do with your dumb LOL in every post
>>too!
>>Doc,AF2Y
>>
>
>

5433. Re: Info for AF2Y.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h4a34$8lp$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109990

Roger,
Do you know the ID of the clown? I want to turn him in to the FBI, ATF, &
ASPCA.
Doc

In article <8h137a$n9s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, KC8JBO <kc8jbo@my-deja.com> wrote:

> In article <8h0rk5$h0r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> af2y@my-deja.com wrote:
>> Charles, I wanted to get "schmuck@deja.com" but it is
> taken.....Any
>> other thoughts you have for a new user name for me?
>>
>> 'Da BULL
>>
>
> Dickswallower@jizzburp.org should fit you perfectly.
> Oh, and the FBI has been gettting your magazines subscription childish
> one. I had a nice laugh over it, knowing I own your cowardly ass and I
> had a very pleasant weekend.
> Hahahahahaha!!!!!
> Oh, and make sure you get those penis implants, from my understanding
> you really need them, and it isn't because of the cold weather
> shrinkage.
>
> --
> 73 de KC8JBO|Roger
> EM99 |ARRL|VE [ARRL & W5YI]|ARES
> Yaesu FT-920 |Inverted Vee @ 40 ft.
>
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5434. Re: AF2Y (kurpfuscher)- READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <z6iZ4.75$kJ3.13948@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 109991

Oh! Stop it! your hurting my feelings.
Brian
radiosigs@mindspring.com wrote in message
<8h48q8$80l$1@slb6.atl.mindspring.net>...
>Thank God we have some good schools in America to teach kids it's
"himself",
>not "his self" you fool!
>AF2Y

5435. Re: Ham radio's downward trend: Attn Steve

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8h4c8i$sb3$1@slb7.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 109992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

To the "gentleman" who just disparaged Pres. Clinton, I have news for you. His influenece in the recent normalization of trade with China bill which should be passed by the Senate despite a moron like Jesse Helms will prove to be one of the most important pieces of INTELLIGENT legislation to ever come down from Capitol Hill. Why?
BECAUSE IT'S ALL ABOUT OIL! That's right, OIL. Forget the rest of the stuff you've heard about what China will give us and vice versa---that country has GREATER oil reserves than all the OPECKERS combined!
The standard networks don't talk about it and neither do the WWCR and Genesis Network crowd but I got wind of it from my cousin Sidney who's a spy and that's the REAL REASON why we have cozied up to Red China and if Taiwan doesn't like it, that's too bad because that place is just an island which is a nothing.
As a way of saying thanks to Clinton, the Chinese Prime Minister "Red Fat Hung" will allow us to go in there and DRILL and buy at prices much much lower than that of OPEC's. It will have a fantastic effect on our economy which President Al Gore will exploit to the fullest.
And youse guys are so concerned with ham radio and the ARRL? As far as I'm concerned, the ARRL SOLD US OUT-it's as plain and simple as that and I ended my membership until the dues drop to $14.95/year. My suggestion is THINK CHINA! Visit Chinese restaurants more often. Overdose on MSG. Bring in more shirts. Throw out your silverware and buy chopsticks.
The sleeping giant in the far east will awaken with our help and emerge as the major global power in the 21st century and if you think she's going to nuke us, you're nuts. Once she sees all those Yankee greenbacks pouring into her economy and all the coolies going from pulling rickshaws to driving BMWs, her oil will drive that OPEC scam out of business. In fact the Israelis will sense a good deal and offer to buy their crude for $3 a barrel.
Oy vey what a day it'll be when China influences America so much that our school kids will learn to read "My Dog Spot" from top to bottom instead of from left to right.
There's a Chinaman in Clifton who went to jail for constantly peking into windows.
AF2Y, Doc

In article <39352123.3663DE16@ahole.com>, General Mark Morgan <one.big.asshole@ahole.com> wrote:

> And what did your president, Bill Clinton ' do? Did he not send
> troops to do battle for 'oil'?
>
> "Steve - KF2TI/AE (Landing, NJ)" wrote:

>>
>> In article <8h1rav$9vn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, p1415926535@yahoo.com says...
>> > In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
>> > "zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
>> > [...]
>> > > While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
>> > > reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
>> > > mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
>> > > are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
>> > > to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
>> > > this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
>> > > numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
>> > >
>> >
>> > Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.
>> >
>> > Considering that the current US ham population is several
>> > hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
>> > statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
>> > should be several times that many dying per month.
>> >
>> > Or did you just mean ARRL members? That number still sounds
>> > too low.
>> >
>> > OTOH, if hams only die at the rate of 55/month we could promote
>> > amateur radio just on its health benefits. :-)
>>
>> And they just reported that WWII aged veterans were dying at a rate of
>> 1000 per week and the national cemeteries are filling up. Guess the Army
>> and the ARS are both bad bets. Wonder how scared the VFW is (using the
>> same logic as the original poster) about their decreasing numbers.
>>
>> Maybe if we had a few more wars, they could promote and increase
>> membership???
>>
>> Who knows, if G. W is elected, he could send a few 100k to the middle
>> east just like his old man, so that the Tx Oil Barons can keep their
>> restrictive club memberships current.
>>
>> DX= FCC rules DO NOT prohibit the inclusion of any
>> type of reimbursement for postage, nor does it make
>> illegal any voluntary donation that the sender wishes
>> to include
>>
>> Repeaters= The FCC recognizes the right of individuals
>> and organizations to maintain close repeaters and
>> DOES NOT make it a crime to allow cited examples from
>> collecting monetary funds to maintain these operations

5436. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <FwiZ4.30$d5.37035@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 109993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeff Pierce <piercej@preferred.com> wrote:

> <ARRL> now caters to the equipment manufacturers for advertising dollars.

According to the ARRL's annual reports, the advertising revenues are a distant third to dues and publications sales. In the June issue of QST, less than half of the ad space was for actual manufacturers.

Can you offer some examples of actions that ARRL has taken that you feel have been to the benefit of equipment manufacturers without being a benefit to Amateur Radio.

> My view is that it is a now a publishing house that also lobby's for it's
> publishing's area of interest on the side.

Can you explain where you believe this "lobbying" takes place? I didn't see anything in any FCC filing that lobbied for ARRL publications.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

5437. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MAiZ4.32$d5.37174@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 109994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:

> Maybe at one time, but the last time I was at AES in Cleveland, about 80%
of
> the books were ARRL publications. Looks like a monopoly to me.

Last time I went past Rosewood's table at a convention, about 40% of the
books looked like ARRL books. Maybe AES stocks the ones that sell the best.
:-)

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

5438. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <lziZ4.31$d5.37082@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 109995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:

> I'd personally take it a step further, to say that the ARRL has a monopoly
on
> the amateur radio publishing market. However, I doubt that the government
will
> go after them the way they have with Microsoft.

Please take a look at the results of a search of the ARRL TIS database at:

http://www.arrl.org/cgi-bin/tisfind?case=on&patt=PUBLICATION%3eBOOK

then explain how a monopoly can have so much competition. And ARRL is even
promoting those companies by including them in its database.

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

5439. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <xijZ4.112$kJ3.22917@nntp3.onemain.com>
Source record: 109996

I sure hope not Jeff but Im afraid your right on the money. People need to start being responsible for their own actions and stop playing the blame game.
Brian

>Here's what I envision: Gun manufacturers are going to be the targets
>of lawsuits filed by victims and their families, just as the tobacco
>industry is being targeted right now. Their argument (which can't be
>used against the automobile manufacturers) is that a gun is manufac-
>tured only with a purpose to kill. Such lawsuits will cost the gun
>industry hundreds of millions of dollars and may put many out of
>business.
>
>Mark my words -- this will come to pass.
>
>Jeff

5440. Oklahoma City Repeater info, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbcmusic@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530200626.29220.00001017@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 110060

Hi, all,

I'm going to be in Oklahoma City for a few days, and thought there might be a page on the net with repeater information, but can't seem to find it. If anyone has info on 2 meter, 440, and 6 meter repeaters......especially linked systems....drop me a note, either via Email or here on the NG. Thanks and 73, N9GSU

5441. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1lcg$t11$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110061
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:

>: During the 50s when SSB was finding its way into ham radio, there was no
>: pub one could turn to to learn about this new mode except the League's SSB
>: Manual.

>"SSB" by Collins was rather "helpful" :)

So were QST articles on SSB back in the 20s, way before Collins' time.

>We've been through this before and it is just not true. Is this just a
>repost of your previous incorrect post? I have many publications on my
>shelf printed in the 1950s about SSB and they are NOT by the ARRL.

Year printed? Number of hams who hold copies? Were they written for
amateurs or professionals? Again, QST is a publication -- the articles
contained in it on any topic appeared before any author penned an
amateur-related book on that subject.

>SSB was done on audio in the 1920s.

The phone company did it earlier than that.

>You really don't think that the ARRL
>was the only one to publish information about it up to 1950+ do you?

For amateurs? I'd say so. But again, SSB articles appeared as early
as the 20s in QST, a League publication.

>; Also during that decade the FCC relaxed the regs regarding mobile
>: operation - no one else published a mobile manual except the League
>: (1955).

>Again, this was disproven a few months ago. I have several "manuals"
>written by RCA, CQ etc on mobile ham radio. Motorola did do a "little"
>work with mobile rigs in the 1950s :)

That would be interesting that CQ published a mobile manual before
mobile operation was made legal! What's its date of publication?

RCA ham tips? Those are 6-8 page booklets; not much can be contained
in six pages. Motorola's publications were not for the typical ham.
Mobile work for non-amateurs was being done as early that the 20s.

>: To whom could you turn to for the great ideas and techniques that appear
>: in the Hints and Kinks booklets?

>RCA "Ham Tips" for one.

Six pages.

>VHF magazine etc etc.

Completely devoted to hints and kinks? Nope. Yet QST goes back to 1915; that beats RCA, CQ, VHF, et al.

>; Propagation and antennas: The Antenna Manual.

>This was also covered by other publications.

I didn't say no other antenna pubs existed. But of all which were published, there is little doubt which was the most popular. Yet antenna and propagation articles in QST pre-date any other ham-related publication.

>: Who else in the 60s produced a VHF Manual?

>"VHF Handbook" by Bill Orr and Mr. Johnson. "VHF for the Radio Amateur"
>by Frank C. Jones are amoung the ones that I have.

Yes, I also have Orr's book, but there is little doubt which was the most popular. Again, VHF articles in QST pre-date anyone else's amateur-targeted publication.

>; And when that VHF
>: crowd began exploring FM: The FM and Repeater Manual. The very first
>: book in the 80s devoted to amateur digital comms was the League's Get
>: Connected.

No comment?

>; How in the world
>: could you possibly find fault with this business side of the League?

>I'm not finding fault, only your posting incorrect facts that they were
>the -ONLY- one doing it.

I'll stand by my claim that the League published topic-specific books (and articles in QST) targeting the amateur community first; SSB articles in QST appeared before Collins' book; VHF-related articles appeared in QST prior to any book published on the subject; antenna-related articles appeared in QST prior to any book being published on the subject; et cetera.

>: Ham radio and reading are inseparable; and it takes a business to do
>: what the League has accomplished.

>Yep, and others contributed to the effort also.

Yet, you'll almost always find that the League beat them to it, with its QST articles.

Jeff

5442. Re: AF2Y, you be so stupid???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530202500.22819.00000878@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110062

I send it to you Kurpfuscher, when I find it. LOL
Kurpfuscher wrote
>NAME THE TEXTBOOK or newspaper or magazine or did the info come from a
>propaganda flyer sent

5443. Re: AF2Y asks "who?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530203102.22819.00000879@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110063

This shows perfectly how YOU are Charlie.
YOU make a statement, that has no fact or truth. HAVE YOU heard Bush say that??
NO YOU Haven't but you'll repeat everything that the liberal news feeds you.
LOL LOL LOL LOL ahww ha ha haha
Kurpfuscher spewed:
>Simpleton George W. will be running with Missouri senator John Danforth as
>his choice for veep

5444. AF2Y - READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530203449.22819.00000880@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110064

http://www.reasonmag.com/0001/fe.js.cold.html

5445. Libnet Collusion?, lies?, defamation? who knows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr3950@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530204643.22837.00000883@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 110065

It was said earlier in rec.misc that there is most likely a conspiracy. Woo Hoo, a conspiracy that should bring them out of the woodwork. WARNING: the responses and posts that FOLLOW this one should be view at a rotational speed <spin> of 3950 rpm.

May 9, 2000
Mr. W. Riley Hollingsworth
Special Counsel
Amateur Radio Enforcement Bureau
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245
Dear Mr. Hollingsworth
RE: Amateur Radio Station W9ART
Mr. William E. Lauterbach, Jr., WA8MEA has stated the alleged incident he is complaining about occurred on Saturday, March 18, 2000. You, Mr. Hollingsworth,

stated on April 30, 2000 and again on May 7, 2000 in the Rain Report that the alleged incident occurred on March 8, 2000. So I ask you, what is the date this

incident allegedly took place? Was it on Wednesday, March 8, 2000 or was it on Saturday, March 18, 2000?
Lets give Mr. Lauterbach the benefit of the doubt here and call it March 18, 2000. For purposes of clarity, let's place all the dates in chronological order.
On March 18, 2000 I allegedly interfered with a conversation between Mr. Lauterbach, Mr. Michael DeWoody (N3GVA) and Mr. Mel Richardson (W8KBK). On April
19, 2000 Mr. Lauterbach signed his affidavit of complaint and on April 26, 2000

you Mr. Hollingsworth, sent me your letter and the affidavit. I received this mail on Monday, May 1, 2000 as your certified mail signature will bear out. OK.

From March 18, 2000 to May 1, 2000 I am now being asked to recall the specifics

of the evening in question. A fairly tall order as this time span is over six (6) weeks long. I'll be honest with you - I doubt I could recall details and specifics from a casual conversation I had yesterday let alone six weks ago! And
frankly, Mr. Hollingsworth, I'm not sure you could do this either. But I believe
if we look at the entire picture here of exactly what is happening with this affidavit, we will see that there is something much more cynical going on than just a complaint about interference.
Don't you find it a bit strange that Mr. Lauterbach took 32 days to file this complaint of interference against me? Now I wonder why he did that? Why did he take so long to file a complaint? If I felt my rights had been violated - I can

guarantee I would not take over a month to say so - to write my letter to you. I
would file my complaint IMMEDIATELY - while the details of that complaint were still fresh and true in my mind. I wonder what the police would do if a store owner tried to file a complaint of theft from their store on month after the fact? Why do I imagine they would scratch their heads and say, 'ok, now what's really going on here?'
Let me try and substantiate what I believe is really happening here. At this time I would like to direct your attention to an enclosure I have attached. It is an article written in THE IDAHO OBSERVER, a white supremacist publication and
dated September, 1998. The title of the article is "THE LIBERTY NET" SAGA and was authored by Bill Lauterbach. Mr. Lauterbach states I have had congressmen in
touch with me, that I have issued death threats to Liberty Net members and that

I have threatened federal agents.
Page Two
Mr. Hollingsworth
RE: W9ART Station
I have NEVER heard from my congressman on any issue let alone on 'jamming' or 'harassment' on 3.950 MHz LSB, I have NEVER made a death threat to any person, and I have NEVER threatened a federal agent! These statements by Mr. Lauterbach

are reprehensible and are made with the sole purpose of damaging my character. They are malicious and they are slanderous. Isn't slander against the law? The only time I have even met a federal agent was on Spetember (sic) 9, 1998. Agent

Harness came to my home to inspect my radio station. We actually had a nice visit and Agent Harness left my home on perfectly good terms with me.
Mr. Hollingsworth, as inane as this attachment may seem to you, it is important

to me that you take it seriously. I sent it because I believe it lends itself to
my suggestion that Mr. Bill Lauterbach's charges are not credible. He has been saying for a couple years now that in the end, he would 'get my radio license'.

That he would do whatever he had to do to remove me from the airwaves! He has said this on 3.950 MHz many times. Whatever he had to do! I believe that is why

he waited over a month to file the charges of interference against me - he knew

full well there is no way in the world I would be able to recall the details of

the evening! Isn't there a time limit a person has to file a complaint?
I want to share one other item with you which I believe lends credibility to my

suggestion that this is nothing more than a 'set-up'. The following is from the

LIBERTY NET MESSAGE BOARD and is entitled, WILL IT WORK AGAIN?
Posted: 5/2/2000 by Blood Bath McGaff
Wanted: "Immediate need for affidavit stating that on a date (as yet to be determined) KJI was in QSO with ART. Will trade for 3-500's or MD 20/20. More as

details become available."
Reply: 5/4/2000 by Ratfink
Do the 3-500's work? Full output?
And Deja.news reports on 5/6/2000: author: BurkSWL:
Castle and Visser have been nabbed this time. A sworn affidavit corroborated by

witnesses and two tape recordings from two different locations will either land

up in their punishment, or prove Riley to be a Clinton puppet.
And YCTHULHU replied to this entry: Yep, one wonders how Riley gets around in public dragging all those strings behind him.
Now, Mr. Hollingsworth, don't you find it strange indeed that on May 6, 2000, just 4 days after an offer of bribery is made, suddely 'proof' of this evening appears? Guess the donor didn't want the MD 20/20.
I am to understand Bill Lauterbach has had attorneys working for him on Liberty

Net problems for many years. Too bad Mr. Lauterbach didn't have an attorney to edit his article in THE IDAHO OBSERVER. He should have. Any good Attorney would

have told him what a mistake slander is. And any good attorney would have also told him to omit the comments he made suggesting 'when the federal system doesn't work for you, justice lies in your own hands - the hands of the Liberty

Netters.' Now that sounds like a statement meant to incite and meant to break the law to me.
Page Three
Mr. Hollingsworth
RE: W9ART Station
Mr. Hollingsworth, you have mentioned in your letter that my 'harassment' violates the rights of the Liberty Net. What about my rights? What happened to them? My occasional comment has been to call the Liberty Net the 'Great Liberty

Nitwit Net'. The Liberty Netters are incensed by this remark, but so what? This

comment is not profanity and it happens to be my opinion. I have also called the
Liberty Net members white supremacists. But this comment they like - they are proud of this. As a matter of fact, one of the Liberty Net members brags about the fact that he holds a higher-up position in the KuKluxKlan. The truth is that
what they are angry about is not my so-called harassment, but the fact that I do
not agree with them. And even the Liberty Net members would concede that they could not 'get my license' with the reasoning that I do not agree with their beliefs.
Some of the Liberty Net members have recently made mention of the fact that for

the last several months, the 'friendlies' have turned over the frequency to them
for their Saturday night net. And you, Mr. Hollingsworth, mentioned that even with the monitoring of 75 meters by the FCC, I have not been found to be interfering or jamming the frequency. Well, I have not been interfering with the

Liberty Net licensees. In fact, I am only occasionally on the frequency any more
at all.
Mr. Bill Lauterbach is persistent in his efforts to 'get my license any way he has to'. I do not believe Mr. Lauterbach has filed an honest complaint against me. And I believe the enclosure as well as my letter of explanation will corroborate this statement.

Sincerely,

Arthur D. Visser
W9ART
Enclosure

5446. Re: Midland 70-924B Repeater Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnelson@farmtel.net
Message-ID: <39346992.2297911@news.mwci.net>
Source record: 110066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you expect a direct reply to your question, you need to post from a
valid e-mail address.

My reply direct to you bounced.

Randy
>Just picked up a Midland 70-924B UHF Repeater to be configured as a
>digipeater hooked up to a Kantronics KPC9612 Plus
>It has a 15 pin accessory connector on the back which I would assume is for
>a tone panel or other devices. Does anyone have any specs or hookup diagrams
>for this unit? It would be greatly appreciated.
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>Thanks to everyone.
>
>Jay.
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5447. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: p1415926535@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <8h1rav$9vn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
[...]
> While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
> reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
> mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
> are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
> to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
> this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
> numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
>

Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.

Considering that the current US ham population is several
hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
should be several times that many dying per month.

Or did you just mean ARRL members? That number still sounds
too low.

OTOH, if hams only die at the rate of 55/month we could promote
amateur radio just on its health benefits. :-)

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5448. Re: Attention gun lovers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <8h1qns$58l$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 110068

A past 26-mile marathon time was 4:14; I pride myself on being a fairly
fast runner.

What percent of the population have been involved in a stabbing?

General Mark Morgan <one.big.a@ahole.com> wrote:
>That is bull shit Jeffrey Ask anyone that was in a KNIFE fight and
>they will tell you that they fear the knife more that a gun.
>
>My bullet proof vest I wear will stop a bullet but NOT A KNIFE. I
>would rather fight a person with a gun than a knife.
>
>
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>
>> T.L. Bryant <tlbryant@my-deja.com> wrote:
>> >Would your response have been different if he was stabbed or beaten to death?
>>
>> Much easier to run away from or fight off a knife or fist than a bullet.

5449. Re: AF2Y - READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Osama/bin/login <crouchingllama@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <8h1t6ibfk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110069

In article <20000530203449.22819.00000880@ng-fw1.aol.com>,
kk7ho@aol.communicate (KK7HO) wrote:
> http://www.reasonmag.com/0001/fe.js.cold.html

The gun-control advocates can't and/or won't read.

They don't think, they just knee-jerk react to what their
liberal media ("God") says to them. AF2Y is a TV baby.

People wondered what too much TV would do to the human
psyche, and it's worse if there is a pre-existing condition.

Now society has to deal with him.

Sad.

Scariest thing is, is that soon, after the liberals undermine
enough of the fabric of this once great nation, we'll be soft
and worthless enough for some third-world extremist group to
have their way.

Every society must fall. For the US, it's folks like AF2Y that
are doing everything they can to make sure we do fall ASAP.

C'est la guerre...

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5450. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <davison7@spamlessgte.net>
Message-ID: <%a_Y4.4436$js2.231220@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 110070
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Wouldn't surprise me in the least! Look at all the potential losses thru vast cross-country transmission lines, substations, and the full array of distribution systems, plus losses thru dirty insulators, radiation to earth, and LOTS of shorts to vegetation...

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Gary - KJ6Q
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<nkennedy@cswnet.com> wrote in message
news:8h1h16$2gf$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
>
>
> > >Larry W4CSC wrote:
>
> >
> > Did you all know that ONE THIRD of the AC power generated in this
> > country is wasted by the electrical distribution system, according
to
> > the DoE? THAT'S the biggest noise in my HF mobile installation. I
> > use a JPS NIR-10 audio signal processor to get rid of most of
it.....
>
> Whoa! I don't know if I can believe that one. Where did you find the
> DOE statement?
>
> Even if it's true, most of that one third power loss would be as
non-rf
> noise producing heat in the resistance of power line and transformer
> conductors and transformer core losses. Some (not much) might be
> corona discharge and arcing across damaged insullators, but surely not
> much.
>
> 73,
>
> Nick, WA5BDU
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>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Before you buy.

5451. ICOM Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Saunders <kd6eut@utm.net>
Message-ID: <QB_Y4.16$Yu4.3212@news-west.eli.net>
Source record: 110071

Hello,

I'm trying to get a copy of the ICOM W32A Windows cloning software so I can program my ht. I still have the cable, but as many of you have experienced, I got pc's for my kids and all floppies and CD's went to the great floppy and CD heaven in the sky. Well, the real truth is I had the software installed on my pc and gave that pc to my oldest son so I could have a better pc. His pc has had Windows 98 reinstalled on it about 4 times due to the way he uses it. (Can't blame him).

If you have such a floppy, could you zip it and send it to me as an e-mail attachment? My e-mail is: kd6eut@utm.net .

I haven't been reading this newsgroup for a while. I wish I had the time to, but single parenting two teenagers is pretty time consuming. My wife is on assignment in Maryland at the Naval hospital. One more year of that is in store.

Regards,

Stephen Saunders, KD6EUT

5452. ein Kurpfuscher (af2y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530225928.26446.00001046@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 110072

Well ......let's just say it's a doctor. LOL

5453. Re: N3GVA and N2SAGGY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000530224453.28731.00000813@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 110073

While I have to agree with you that some on that frequency are, shall we say, subversive. There ARE many on there that do not espouse the racist supremacist views that seem to be exhibited from that east coast bunch. You seem to be lumping everyone on that frequncy into the same catagory. That my friend neither proper nor correct. By the way, your also screwing up bigtime by supporting billary. Just last week you came out against her, now you support her for strange and incorrect reasons. Whatever !

5454. Re: And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000530235703.07564.00000761@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110074

Right again, as usual, Radiosigs-Guy. It's inevitable that the FBI would listen in on 3950. According to the late Arky Bob, even Bill Clinton listens to 3950.

And they ask why is it the most exciting frequency in amateur radio. Ha ! !

5455. Re: And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <20000531001210.07564.00000763@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 110075

Ok who was it wanted to trade a pair of Eimac 3-500's for a bottle of Mad Dawg 20-20? I'm in for the deal. Not that I care to part with my 20-20, but it is, after all, easier to find than a pair of Eimacs.

Tim was it you? Kevin? Who? Let me know asap .. 7-11 is having a sale on Mad Dawg 20-20 this week. 39 cents a quart, buy one get one free. At this rate, I might even go 2 bottles for a pair of Eimacs. But don't quote me. No point over-paying if you don't have to.

5456. Re: AF2Y (kurpfuscher)- READ the facts .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000531001836.29976.00000691@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 110076

I "think" at least kurpfuscher(af2y) read it. I received this from him.

<< This is an NRA sponsored bunch of written trash!
>>
and I respond ;
Not hardly. Kurpfuscher, you just won't face facts when they are presented to you. A research scholar from Yale, a Ph.D. at UCLA, a Fellow at Chicago U., a Fellow at Georgia U.
analyzed 18 years of data from 3000 countries. He's done the largest most comprehensive study on guns and crime to date and has concluded that "violent crime drops significantly when states switch from discretionary permit policies, which give local officials the authority to determine who may carry a gun, to "shall issue" or "right-to-carry" laws, which require that permits be granted to everyone who meets certain objective criteria. That conclusion, first set forth in a 1997 paper that Lott co-authored with David Mustard, now an economist at the University of Georgia, heartened defenders of gun ownership and dismayed their opponents. Arguing that "shall issue" laws are beneficial, while other gun laws are ineffective at best" Kurpfuscher, I don't think you have the credentials or the facts to dispute his findings, whether you like them or not they are the most comprehensive to date. Also Kurpfuscher, it doesn't take a Rhoades scholar to see the conclusion Lott came to are true. Attack it with rhetoric all you like. You cannot dispute it with facts. Better men than you have tried and his evidence, facts and findings hold up under scrutiny. They have tried eliminating countries, leaving out Florida, dropping only small countries, no matter what the liberals have tried to do with the facts and data, it still comes out to a DROP in crime rates over a variety of catagories.
Now go do the right thing !
KK7HO

5457. Re: N3GVA and N2SAGGY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Finn <finnd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Gq0Z4.4498$yb4.86300@newsread1.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 110077

Generally I find it difficult to understand what N3GVA is saying because of the difficulty he has with concise verbal communication. I am surprised that you were able to derive a logical point from his blatherings. It gets even worse when he starts getting sloshed later on in the evening. N3GVA may think that Hillary is a space alien and it's a matter of public knowledge what N3GVA does with small animals.

<radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:8h1rt8$p12$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net...
> I am now SWLing N3GVA and SAGGY on 3.950 at 0151 UTC, May 31,00 and after
> hearing their ungentlemanly statements about Hillary Clinton while
realizing
> that the awful elements using that frequency share their sentiments, I'm
> announcing my support for Mrs. Clinton in her bid to become a "Senatoress"
> from New York.
> Anyone or anything 3.950 considers an enemy is my FRIEND because my
loyalty
> to this country is, unlike the racists on that frequency, implaccable!
> I'd sooner befriend a carpetbagger than move to the cadence of subversives
> which aptly describes the garbage loose on that frequency.
> AF2Y
>

5458. Re: AF2Y asks "John Danforth?" Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: LRod <lr0d@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <8h25v1hgm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 110078

In article <8h0ldm$1ei$1@slb2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"radiosigs@mindspring.com" <radiosigs@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Simpleton George W. will be running with Missouri senator John
Danforth as
> his choice for veep.

Another J. Danforth as veep to a Bush? It was a bad enough joke the
first time.

LRod

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5459. Re: And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000531003141.29976.00000693@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 110079

That's true Lloyd, with some of the most famous characters in ham radio on that frequency there's no doubt - it's the "most" exciting. Hell, we've had Sid, Arky Bob, Drunk Walter, Doofus, White Noise, Un ID, Squiddley, Vic the Prick, Mush Mouth Harvey, Loose Orifice, La Di Da's, Tarzan, Hogan's Heroe's, Anchors Away and now the Red Panty Man ! Have I fogotten any??
I fell like I've missed a bunch...oh well.

5460. Re: And kevin strom joins in. LOL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20000531003623.29937.00000771@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 110080

No no No I think the mad dawg or eimacs were for a statement of some sort? Do ya think maybe they drank all of the mad dawg just before they wrote that?

5461. Re: Summer 2000 Power Grid trouble ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Schneider" <markinokla@juno.com>
Message-ID: <8e1Z4.693$iS1.2292@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 110081
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<garyjames@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:8h18f4rld1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> ++
> Mark are you telling us that CORPORATE AMERIKA lied to the American
> public? Are you telling us that BIG OIL put their own interests before
> those of "our" country? Next you will be claiming that the U.S.
> Congress, and even the President himself (gasp!), lie to the citizenry
> and put their personal and corporate interest (but that is reduntant)
> before that of the American public! Please say it ain't so!!!
>
It ain't so. Everything I say is a lie. (grin!)

5462. Re: HF Mobile Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4CSC@lostonthe.net
Message-ID: <35683E1E4DDD25CF.C349DB3E7D0BD017.3F80F6BE61B98BE4@lp.airnews.net>
Source record: 110082
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Ok, so I read it wrong. It's ONLY 260.1 BILLION Kwh lost in 2000 of 3.6 Trillion Kwh generated. Still, if one multiplies 260, 100, 000, 000 by my electric rate of 8c/kwh, it's a tidy little sum we ALL pay for continuously in that rate......

http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/steo/pub/10tab.html

I searched DOE for this and found way too many pages of bureaucratic text than I could digest. Every time I go to a different place, I get wildly varying statistics, of course, depending on whether you want to make Big Power look real good or want it real bad......

I don't think they really know, or actually care, because the consumers pay the bills.....

Larry

On Tue, 30 May 2000 22:57:52 GMT, nkennedy@cswnet.com wrote:

>
>Whoa! I don't know if I can believe that one. Where did you find the
>DOE statement?
>
>Even if it's true, most of that one third power loss would be as non-rf
>noise producing heat in the resistance of power line and transformer
>conductors and transformer core losses. Some (not much) might be
>corona discharge and arcing across damaged insullators, but surely not
>much.
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>73,
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>Nick, WA5BDU
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>
>Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
>Before you buy.

5463. Re: Ham radio's downward trend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 2000-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mundyusa1@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3934a1b3.14325411@news.usol.com>
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On Tue, 30 May 2000 22:21:42 -0400, Steve - KF2TI/AE (Landing, NJ)
<kf2ti@interactive.net> wrote:

>In article <8h1rav$9vn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, p1415926535@yahoo.com says...
>> In article <delW4.21042$S31.454241@newsread2.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
>> "zincplaterubberant" <kru7dso@cir43a.org> wrote:
>> [...]
>> > While you are correct on your above observation, the greater
>> > reason is our years and years of hanging onto an outdated
>> > mode called CW. Today the American Retentive Radio Luddites
>> > are running scared. Their membership is truly dying off
>> > to the tune of an average of 55 US hams per month. Don't believe
>> > this? Go to the library or your stacks of QST and check the
>> > numbers in the SK listings for the past 8-12 months.
>> >
>>
>> Only 55 US hams die per month? No, I don't believe that.
>>
>> Considering that the current US ham population is several
>> hundred thousand (what is it now, about 600,000?), if the
>> statistics for hams is similar to the general population there
>> should be several times that many dying per month.
>>
>> Or did you just mean ARRL members? That number still sounds
>> too low.
>>
>> OTOH, if hams only die at the rate of 55/month we could promote
>> amateur radio just on its health benefits. :-)
>
>
>And they just reported that WWII aged veterans were dying at a rate of
>1000 per week and the national cemeteries are filling up. Guess the Army
>and the ARS are both bad bets. Wonder how scared the VFW is (using the
>same logic as the original poster) about their decreasing numbers.
>
>Maybe if we had a few more wars, they could promote and increase
>membership???
>
>Who knows, if G. W is elected, he could send a few 100k to the middle
>east just like his old man, so that the Tx Oil Barons can keep their
>restrictive club memberships current.

I'm usually a democrat but George W senior recognized the fact that
this *whole* country runs on *oil* . if Saddam got control of the

middle east oil fields can you say USA = 3rd world nation ?

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>illegal any voluntary donation that the sender wishes
>to include
>
>Repeaters= The FCC recognizes the right of individuals
>and organizations to maintain close repeaters and
>DOES NOT make it a crime to allow cited examples from
>collecting monetary funds to maintain these operations
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